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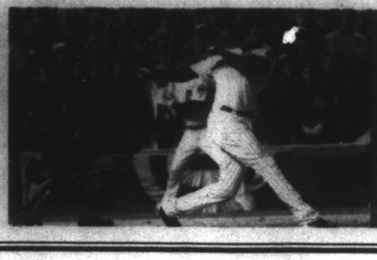

STILL IN THERE

Aroldis Chapman got eight outs in the longest relief appearance of his career, and the Chicago Cubs held off Cleveland 3-2 Sunday night, cutting the Indians' lead in the World Series 3-2. More inside.

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Tensions reignite over nuclear waste storage

By James Osborne
Houston Chronicle

The years longfight over whether to build a nuclear waste storage facility in West Texas has touched off again over the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's decision to move ahead on the review process.

Earlier this month the federal government's top-nuclear division wrote a letter to Waste Control Specialists, the Dallas-based company developing the waste facility, informing them that the agency would be beginning its environmental review of the project even though the company's initial application remained incomplete.

"By starting the EIS process now, the NRC will be able to engage interested members of the public earlier and accord the public additional time to review the WCS license application," the letter reads.

That prompted four environmental groups to write the NRC on Wednesday, arguing it should dismiss the application because Congress never intended for a privately-owned facility to take possession of nuclear waste when it passed the Nuclear Waste Policy Act in 1982.

The facility proposed by Waste Control Specialists would be located in Andrews County. It would initially store 5,000 metric tons of spent fuel though has raised the prospect of increasing that volume to 40,000 metric tons – more than half the total waste from nuclear plants in this country.

In its letter Oct. 7, the NRC said, "This decision, however, does not presuppose the outcome of NRC's ongoing acceptance review of the WCS application."

But coupled with comments made by U.S. Energy Secretary Ernest Moniz last month that the government was interested in exploring private storage facilities as an interim solution for nuclear waste, environmentalists in Texas fear that the Andrews County facility might very well come to pass.

"They are bending over backwards to move the application by starting the EIS process without a completed application," Tom Smith, Texas director of the advocacy group Public Citizen, said of the NRC in an email.

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PUMPKIN PATCH PICKS

CLOCKWISE: Gracie Blanton, 1, looks at pumpkins at St. Luke's United Methodist Church pumpkin patch Saturday. Desmond Morgan, 3, looks at pumpkins. Gary McMillan, a volunteer with St. Luke's United Methodist Church, looks through his pumpkin patch. Pumpkin Patch continues 11 a.m.-6 p.m. today. The annual event includes pumpkins and kids' activities. For more information, call Denise Carrell at 694-2571. All proceeds benefit the church's neighborhood outreach summer program and Boy Scout Troop 160. Also, the Petroleum Museum will host Halloween Tricks and Treats 6:30-8 p.m. today. Event will include experiments with vampire blood, exploding pumpkins and ghost rockets. It's free to members and $5 for non-members. For more information, call 683-4403. Look inside to see more photos from the event. **Page 4A**

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MISD CFO to head to Metroplex district

Editor's note: This story first appeared on mrt.com.

By Stewart Doreen
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Chief Financial Officer David Garcia is leaving Midland ISD to become the deputy superintendent in the Hurst-Euless-Bedford district.

Garcia is the second administrative leader to leave Midland ISD for a Metroplex district in the last four months. Former Superintendent Ryder Warren left MISD for Northwest ISD in June. But while Warren left after six years, Garcia is in his 27th with MISD.

"This was a win-win opportunity for me and my family," Garcia said. "It matches up with what we (he and his wife, Irene) wanted to do with our careers and where we wanted to complete our careers."

Irene Garcia is director of Support Services for the district.

"She can spread her wings in the Metroplex and land in a spot at another district and have her own identity."

Garcia most recently headed the finance department through one of the toughest budget seasons in recent memory. Recapture payments have been a thorn in Midland ISD's side for four years, and this year was especially tough because of a $50 million-plus payment and the significant cooling off of the Midland economy.

The Midland ISD board chose to increase the tax rate, which created the need for a tax ratification election. Midlanders voted by a near 2-to-1 ratio to oppose the tax rate increase, sending the budget back for another $5 million-plus in cuts and budget adjustments.

Garcia said his move had nothing to do with the challenges ahead. He said he's been in conversations with the "H-E-B" district since the summer. A decision was made so he could help MISD through this budget season and go from there. On Monday, he was in the Metroplex as that district's board approved hiring Garcia.

He will stay with Midland ISD through the end of calendar year and then transition to his new job. He said he will oversee business operations.

"I will miss (Garcia) a great deal," Board President Rick Davis said. "I always had a great confidence in his financial expertise. He has been a great asset to the board."

Interim Superintendent Rod Schroder said Garcia is "known to be an expert across the state in his field" and was not surprised of another district's interest. Garcia said he had declined four opportunities to leave the district in the past two years.

Schroder said some of Garcia's duties

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The big number An El Paso nonprofit says about 15 rape victims have told them they were turned away while seeking a rape kit exam. Page 3A

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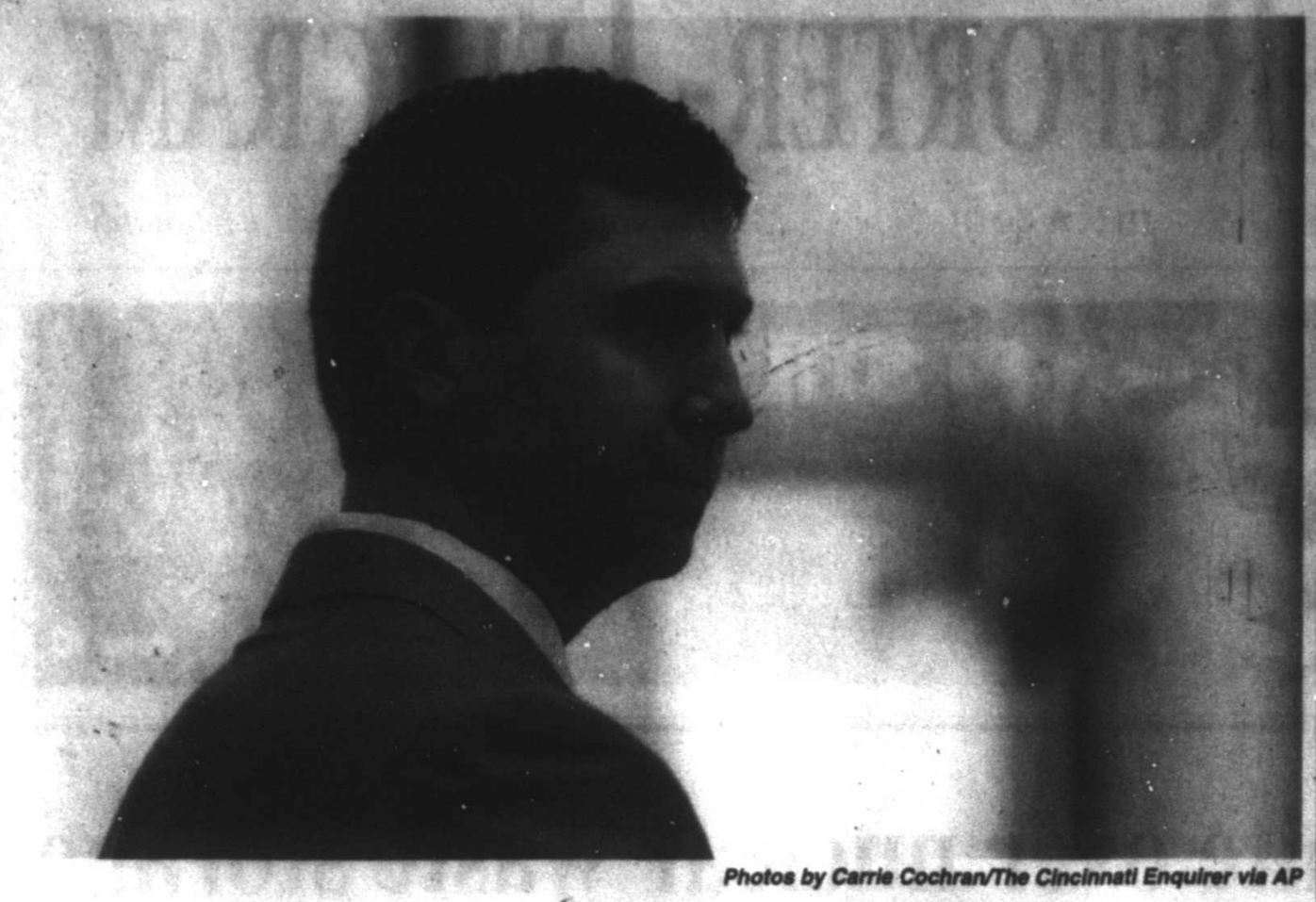

Photos by Carrie Cochran/The Cincinnati Enquirer via AP

Ray Tensing stands at the defense table in Hamilton County Common Pleas Judge Megan Shanahan's courtroom during the jury selection process for his murder trial last week in Cincinnati. The former University of Cincinnati police officer is charged with murder in the shooting death of Samuel DuBose. Tensing remains free on a $1 million bond. His attorney Stew Mathews has said Tensing fired a single shot because he feared for his life. Jury orientation and the filling out of lengthy questionnaires are planned for Tuesday. **BELOW:** Sam Johnson, right, father of the late Samuel DuBose, sits in Hamilton County Common Pleas Judge Megan Shanahan's courtroom for the start of the jury selection process for Tensing's murder trial.

2001 race riots hang over shooting trial

By Dan Sewell
Associated Press

CINCINNATI — Memories remain vivid of the 2001 race riots in this city after police killed a young, unarmed black man. Now, ahead of the trial of a white police officer who fatally shot an unarmed black man in a traffic stop, police are beefing up security and say they're prepared for anything, while officials and civic leaders are trying to stay in front of community tensions.

Prospective jurors will be questioned today for Ray Tensing's trial on murder and voluntary manslaughter charges in the shooting of Sam DuBose after he was pulled over July 19, 2015, near the University of Cincinnati for a missing front license plate.

Tensing's attorney has said he feared for his life; the Hamilton County prosecutor has called the shooting, which was recorded by the officer's bodycam video, senseless and "asinine."

"None of us want to revisit 2001," The Cincinnati Enquirer stated in a recent editorial in which the newspaper said it was encouraged by the steps taken by the city, the University of Cincinnati and others. The Black Lawyers Association and city councilwoman Yvette Simpson, for example, have held educational community forums to explain the legal process unfolding in the case.

"These trials can be emotional in nature, and we're just trying to be proactive and somewhat preemptive at the same time," City Manager Harry Black said at a recent meeting of city officials.

There have been city police reforms since 2001, including more training, community engagement and transparency, that have drawn national praise, and University of Cincinnati officials recently outlined changes including restructuring its public safety department after the shooting, which took place near campus. The school fired Tensing, 26, from its police force after his indictment.

The 2001 riots were sparked by the fatal shooting of 19-year-old Timothy Thomas, who was wanted on misdemeanor warrants and was fleeing from police. Hundreds of people were arrested in the several days of violent unrest that caused millions of dollars in damage.

The DuBose shooting is among a series of cases nationwide over the last two years that have increased attention to how U.S. police interact with black people.

In another of the cases, jury selection begins Monday in the murder trial of former North Charleston, South Carolina, police officer Michael Slager, who is white, in the April 2015 death of Water Scott, a black man shot in the back as he ran from a traffic stop.

In Cincinnati, the activist group Black Lives Matter plans a demonstration today.

The sheriff's department has increased security at the courthouse. Officials say they will support the right to peaceful protest but are ready if reactions turn violent.

"It is our job to prepare for any worst-case scenario, and we certainly are prepared for that," Sheriff's Maj. Charmaine McGuffey told reporters at a briefing about trial preparations.

The first steps in jury selection began Tuesday without major complications. Three people authorities said were disruptive were escorted out of the proceedings, but there were no arrests.

Ministers from a variety of churches and civic activists formed a prayer circle outside and called for justice and peace.

Musician Darius Clay, 25, who said he had worked on rap music with DuBose, joined them in prayer. He said he hopes others who knew DuBose, 43, will make their presence known during the trial as they hope for a murder conviction.

"We need justice for what's going on," said Clay. "We're going to remain as peaceful as we can, but we're going to do everything we can to make sure there is justice."

Jury selection begins for officer in death of black motorist

By Bruce Smith
Associated Press

CHARLESTON, S.C. — A jury being chosen this week in Charleston will have to decide whether a white former police officer is guilty of murder in the shooting of an unarmed black motorist that shocked the nation after a bystander released cellphone video of the confrontation.

Michael Slager's attorney contends there was more to the incident than what appeared on the widely seen video clip showing Walter Scott's shooting, including a fight between the pair and a tussle over the officer's Taser.

Coincidentally, the same week that a panel is being seated in the Slager case, jury selection begins for the trial of a former University of Cincinnati police officer who — like Slager — stands accused of murder in the shooting death of an unarmed black man.

Prospective jurors will be questioned Monday for Ray Tensing's trial on murder and voluntary manslaughter charges in the shooting of Sam DuBose in July 2015. Tensing pulled DuBose over for a missing front license plate. The traffic stop ended in the fatal shooting of DuBose.

The shootings are among a series nationwide that have sparked debates over race and policing in cities from New York and Chicago to Ferguson, Missouri; Baton Rouge, Louisiana; Tulsa, Oklahoma; and Charlotte, North Carolina.

Chris Stewart, an attorney for the Scott family, sees the Slager case as a blueprint for others involving police and minorities.

"When an officer is prosecuted, will you get justice?" he asks. "The verdict is huge. It needs to serve as a lesson to officers that if you break the law, you don't just get away."

Slager, who turns 35 in November, faces 30 years to life in prison if convicted in the shooting that occurred after he pulled Scott over for a broken taillight. Family members have said Scott may have run because he was $18,000 behind on child support and worried he might have to go back to jail.

Attorney Andy Savage, who represents Slager, says the brief video clip that's been circulated widely on the internet does not show the entire incident. He says the footage also shows the two men tussling on the ground, with Scott on top of the officer as they wrestle, and Slager warning Scott that he will shoot.

When the cellphone video surfaced two days after the incident, Slager was fired, arrested and charged with murder. He spent eight months in jail before Judge Clifton Newman, who is black, issued an order last January releasing him on a half-million dollars bond. Slager is under house arrest at an undisclosed location in South Carolina.

About 600 summonses were sent to potential jurors for the trial at the courthouse in Charleston's historic district. They received questionnaires asking their thoughts on race relations and police conduct. Almost 200 are expected to report today after others were excused for various reasons or could not be located.

Savage has filed a motion seeking a change of venue, arguing a researcher his firm hired found that 85 percent of the people polled in Charleston County have seen the shooting video. Savage says the complete video showing the fight has seldom been seen. Newman has not taken up the motion.

Slager also faces a trial in federal court next year on three counts, including depriving Scott of his civil rights. Conviction on all three could bring a life sentence plus 30 years and a $750,000 fine.

Last year, the city of North Charleston reached a $6.5 million civil settlement with Scott's family. In the wake of the shooting, the city also asked that the U.S. Justice Department conduct a review of its police department policies with an eye toward how the department can improve its relationship with residents.

PHOTO: Former North Charleston police office Michael Slager, is led into court Sept. 10, 2015, in Charleston, S.C. Jury selection begins today in the murder trial of Slager charged with shooting Walter Scott, an unarmed black motorist in April 2015. *AP file photo*

Obituaries

Leona Lynn Swopes (Nana)

Leona Lynn Swopes (Nana), 70, passed away peacefully surrounded by her family on Thursday, October 27, 2016.

Leona was born in Bloomington, Illinois on July 8, 1946 to her loving parents, Richard and Edith Craig.

Leona graduated high school in Wilcox, Arizona. On July 4 1964, Leona married Wayman Swopes. Wayman was her soulmate and best friend for 46 years. She was a homemaker, mother, and actively involved in the ministry of Greenwood Baptist Church.

Leona worked at Midland Memorial Hospital for 23 years. After retirement from MMH, she enjoyed spending time with her children and grandchildren.

Leona was preceded in death by her loving husband, Wayman, and her loving and caring parents, Richard and Edith.

Leona is survived by her three children; son, Stacy Swopes and his wife Terra, daughter Laura Swopes, and son Jason Swopes and his wife Johna.

She is also survived by seven grandchildren, Chance, Colton, Rachel, Treyman, Ivan, Josh, and Jenna; three sisters, Donna Craig of Florida, Linda Thoennes of Illinois, and Leah Craig of Midland, Texas; and by a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and countless dear family friends, all of whom loved her and will miss her greatly, but are assured of God's promise that we will see her again.

The family would like to thank Hospice of Midland, and the Greenwood Baptist Church Family

The family will host a visitation this Sunday, October 30, 2016 from 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. at the Greenwood Baptist Church.

Funeral services will be at 1:00 p.m. on Monday October 31, 2016 at Greenwood Baptist Church, with interment to follow at the Greenwood Cemetery, Midland, Texas.

In lieu of flowers, it was Leona's wish that a donation be made to St. Jude's Children's Hospital, 262 Danny Thomas Pl., Memphis, TN 38105

Pallbearers will be Johnny Beck, Terry Colley, Colton Pevehouse, Treyman Swopes, Josh Swopes, and Blake Gibson.

Honorary pallbearers will be Ivan Swopes, Chance Pevehouse, and Ben Airo.

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Robert "Bob" Edward Winston, Jr.

Robert "Bob" Edward Winston, Jr., 67, of Midland, Texas, passed away on Thursday, October 27, 2016.

A Celebration Service will be held at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, November 2, 2016 at The Branch at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home in Midland.

Bob was born on May 7, 1949 to Deasanta and Robert E. Winston Sr., in Springfield, Massachusetts and was raised in West Springfield, Massachusetts. He married Stephani Winston on June 22, 2008. Bob attended Lenox School for boys, graduated from Plymouth College of UNH, and received his Master's degree from Westfield State University. Bob worked as an Assistant Principal with Midland School District for many years. He finally found his calling in Sales with Baker Hughes.

He is survived by his wife, Stephani Winston; four sons, Matt, Eric, Drew, and Tanner Winston; and by his mother, Deasanta Winston.

He is preceded in death by his father, Robert E. Winston, Sr.

The family prefers memorials be donated to Hospice of Midland.

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

Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory (432) 550-5800

Pot-legalization movement seeks first foothold in Northeast

By Bob Salsberg
Associated Press

BOSTON — Having proven they can win in the West, advocates for recreational marijuana hope the Nov. 8 election brings their first significant electoral victories in the densely populated Northeast, where voters in Massachusetts and Maine will consider making pot legal for all adults.

Supporters believe "yes" votes in New England would add geographical diversity to the legalization map, encourage other East Coast states to move in the same direction and perhaps build momentum toward ending federal prohibitions on the drug.

"We have to get to a point where we can win legalization voter initiatives in other parts of the country," said Keith Stroup, founder of the National Organization for the Reform of Marijuana Laws, or NORML, a leading group in the legalization movement.

Three other states — California, Arizona and Nevada — are also voting on recreational pot. If the California initiative passes, marijuana will be legal along the entire West Coast. Washington, Oregon, Colorado and Alaska have already voted to permit it. The District of Columbia also passed a legalization measure in 2014, but it has no regulatory framework for retail sales and possession remains illegal on federal property.

Several Eastern states are among the 25 that already allow some form of medicinal marijuana, but none in the region has approved recreational pot.

Big money is at stake, which helps explain why marijuana supporters have raised more than $6 million in Massachusetts and about $1.3 million in Maine, most from outside those states.

Analysts from Cowen and Co. issued a report last month forecasting a $50 billion legal cannabis market in the U.S. by 2026, a nearly tenfold increase over today. But such growth would be predicated on federal legalization. Passage of the November state referendums would be a "key catalyst" toward that end, analysts wrote.

Higher marijuana usage in the West may help explain why the region has been a more fertile ground for legalization, said Matt Simon, New England director for the Marijuana Policy Project, another major pro-legalization group.

"More people have direct experience with marijuana or know someone who has, and that leads to it being demystified," Simon said.

WORD OF THE DAY
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-macabre
[*muh-kah-bruh*]
adjective
1. gruesome and horrifying; ghastly; horrible.
2. of, pertaining to, dealing with, or representing death, especially its grimmer or uglier aspect.
3. of or suggestive of the allegorical dance of death.

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From left to right, Nicole Maldonado, Myriah Flores, and her mother Sharlene Benavidez attend a candlelight vigil Thursday for 10-year-old Victoria Martens at the apartment complex in Albuquerque, N.M., where the young girl lived and was killed. Family and friends plan to gather Saturday to remember Martens. Copper Pointe Church in Albuquerque will host the memorial for Martens, and it will be open to the public. *Jim Thompson/The Albuquerque Journal via AP*

Family, community honor slain girl with memorial

Associated Press

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. — Hundreds of mourners — most of them wearing purple — converged on an Albuquerque church to remember a 10-year-old girl who was raped and brutally murdered in her home.

Many family, friends and strangers wore Victoria Martens' favorite color to honor her memory — two months after details of the girl's slaying led to heartache across the state.

Gov. Susana Martinez was among those who spoke to the packed Cooper Pointe Church.

"She is no longer in pain," said Martinez, according to KOB-TV. "She's in God's arms and she's living in peace." The slaying ignited outcry, and helped renew a call from Martinez to reinstate the death penalty.

Motorcycle officers escorted a white hearse to the venue shortly before the 11 a.m. ceremony. There were also several bikers, some carrying purple flags.

The hearse was more symbolic since it will be months before the girl's remains will be returned to the family, according to the Office of the Medical Investigator.

Albuquerque Police Chief Gordon Eden told mourners, "In times of tragedy we see how the community comes together."

Laura Bobbs, the girl's godmother, said the family was not treating the ceremony as a funeral.

Police found Victoria Martens' dismembered body in August inside the apartment she shared with her mother after officers responded to a pre-dawn call about a disturbance on the day the girl was supposed to celebrate her 10th birthday.

Victoria's mother, Michelle Martens, the mother's boyfriend and the boyfriend's cousin all are charged with murder in the girl's death. They also have been charged with first-degree murder and aggravated criminal sex penetration of a child under 13 in connection with the girl's killing.

Michelle Martens told police she looked for men online and at work to sexually assault her daughter, according to search warrants in the case. The documents showed Michelle Martens told police that she had set up encounters with at least three men before the girl was drugged, raped and killed.

Authorities said officers found Victoria's remains wrapped in a blanket and set on fire in a bathtub the night of the crime.

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WEATHERFORD

Board takes back parole for man convicted in baby's death

After granting parole to a North Texas man who pleaded guilty to causing the death of his 1-month-old son, the Texas Board of Pardons and Paroles reversed its decision.

The board approved John Paul Webb for release on Sept. 27, but reversed course Friday. Webb pleaded guilty in 2013 to a charge of serious bodily injury to a child in the 2010 death of his son, Christian. He received a 20-year sentence.

Parker County Assistant District Attorney Jeff Swain said Friday that 41-year-old Webb will remain in prison until at least October 2017, when he becomes eligible for another parole hearing.

After learning Webb was scheduled for release to a transitional program, Swain invited people to submit comments to the district attorney's office that were forwarded to parole board members.

EDINBURG

Mother arrested after son's beating death

A South Texas mother remains jailed after being arrested in connection with her 14-month-old son's beating death.

The Monitor in McAllen reported investigators allege 23-year-old Kassandra Monserrat Alvarez Ramos failed to report her boyfriend had punched her son on several occasions.

The Weslaco mother was charged with injury to a child by omission. Jail records didn't list an attorney for Ramos.

Her boyfriend, Freddy Armand Muniz has been charged with capital murder and injury to a child.

The boy died earlier this month after being taken to a hospital for his injuries, which included four broken ribs.

According to a criminal complaint, authorities allege Ramos first told investigators her son had been injured after falling from a trampoline but later acknowledged to seeing Muniz punching the boy.

HOUSTON

Cost of suburban district's stadium climbs past $70M

The cost of a suburban Houston school district's high school football stadium has climbed past $70 million, making it the costliest such stadium in the state.

The costs associated with the Katy school district's project will exceed the $58 million that voters had set aside for it two years ago, the Houston Chronicle reported Saturday.

Some district officials are defending the expense, noting that the increases arose from projects related to the 12,000-seat all-purpose venue, but not the physical structure itself.

District officials have said they need the second stadium for events in the fast-growing district.

"I've attended (citizen bond committee) meetings and have heard the desires for the 12,000-seat stadium, with the emphasis on not raising the tax rate, and we've fulfilled that. We are the only school district of our size with seven high schools and one stadium, so our community understands the need for the second stadium. Over two years' time, there are added costs that come," said Katy school district board president Rebecca Fox.

Katy voters in 2014 approved the stadium as part of a $748 million bond that will pay for new schools for a district of 73,000 students. The new stadium is being built adjacent to the school district's existing Rhodes Stadium.

The new stadium is set to open for the 2017 football season. The district will have eight high schools and each will play their football games at the stadium. Soccer will be played there too.

Katy Superintendent Lance Hindt said some of the stadium's cost amendments and funding for them were not clearly detailed and explained to both the school board and community by the previous administration.

"And in some way," Hindt said, "it could have been misleading in an unintentional way. Where we are right now, it is a $70 million stadium regardless of where the money came from. But when this thing is all said and done, it's going to be a shining star to this community because it's going to provide for 73,000 kids in this community."

Critics of the new stadium have expressed concerns about the rising costs.

"Putting two stadiums next to each other is going to cause a lot of traffic problems, so it's going to cost the school district a lot of money to improve traffic conditions in that area," said Harris County Precinct 3 Commissioner Steve Radack, a longtime critic of the proposal.

Hospital suggests other hospitals for rape kit exams

Associated Press

EL PASO — An El Paso nonprofit that helps sexual assault victims says about 15 victims have told them they were turned away while seeking a rape kit exam at a local hospital.

The hospital's officials say they have just been providing victims with the option of going to facilities better equipped to work with such patients.

"The victims go to the hospital, get admitted into the (emergency room) to get checked, and when it comes down to doing the actual exam, they are told that the nurses are not trained or that they don't have the rape kit test, a forensic exam," Virginia Rueda, sexual assault services coordinator for the Center Against Sexual and Family Violence told the El Paso Times. She says the victims are told to go to another hospital and are discharged.

State law mandates that all hospitals with emergency rooms provide basic training for nurses to administer a rape kit, a sexual assault forensic exam that is provided to law enforcement.

Cindy Stout, the chief nursing officer at Del Sol Medical Center, said in a statement that the hospital complies with that law. She says it always has accvess to rape kits and has nurses that are trained in evidence collection.

But, she says, "health care professionals agree" it's preferable for nurses conducting sexual assault exams to have attended training to receive certification as Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners (SANE).

Stout said that when sexual assault victims arrive at Del Sol, staff first treats any emergency condition and then notifies the victim that Del Sol is not a SANE-designated facility. She said the patient is encouraged to go to a SANE-designated hospital because of the level of expertise they provide, but can choose to stay at Del Sol.

"If a patient is not medically stable such that a transfer to a SANE-designated medical center is not in the patient's best interest or if a patient would prefer to stay at Del Sol Medical Center, we have the ability to meet the patient's needs on site, including performing the sexual assault examination," Stout said.

In El Paso, there are only two SANE-designated hospitals.

Rueda said sending victims to other hospitals could make them miss the window for the exam or could discourage them from the process altogether.

"We know that most victims do not go to the hospital right away because there is an emotional process right after that," Rueda said.

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TODAY IN MIDLAND

Early voting information

Times
- Today through Friday: 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Locations
- County Annex Building, 2110 N. "A" St.
- Centennial branch, 2503 W. Loop 250 N
- Cogdell Learning Center, 211 W. Florida Ave.
- Fellowship Community Church, 5206 N. Midland Drive
- Manor Park, 5192 Sinclair Ave.

Number of voters

Oct. 24	3,946
Oct. 25	4,282
Wednesday	3,883
Thursday	3,628
Friday	4,052
Saturday	2,427
Mail	1,357
Total	23,575

Did you know: There were 31,783 early voters during the two-week early period in November 2012. There is still a week of early voting left this election period.

Note: Election Day is Nov. 8. Voting is scheduled for 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. at 20 different locations across Midland. A list will run in a future edition.

ID required Texas voters
- A voter must present one of the following forms of photo ID when voting in person Texas driver's license issued from the Texas Department of Public Safety
- Texas Election Identification Certificate issued by DPS
- Texas personal identification card issued by DPS
- Texas license to carry a handgun issues by DPS
- U.S. military identification card containing the person's photograph
- U.S. citizenship certificate containing the person's photograph
- U.S. passport.
- If one does not possess and cannot reasonably obtain one of these IDs, he or she can fill out a declaration at the polls explaining why and bring one of the following supporting documents.
- Valid voter registration certificate
- Certified birth certificate (must by an original)
- Copy of or original current utility bill
- Copy of or original bank statement Copy of or original government check
- Copy of or original paycheck
- Copy of or original government document with the person's name and an address (original required if it contains a photograph)

Source: Midland County Elections Office

Things to do

- Pretend and Play, 10:30 a.m., Midland County Public Library downtown branch, 301 W. Missouri Ave. Provides a structured environment for caregivers and their children. For ages 2-6. co.midland.tx.us/lib.
- Bingo, 6 p.m., Tall City VFW Post 7206, 1306 E. Taylor Ave. Children welcome.
- Monday Mayhem features unlimited bowling for $14.09 with free shoe rentals after 8 p.m. Bowlero, 5320 W. Loop 250 N. bowlero.com.

What's on the radio

News talk KCRS (AM 550)
- 6-9 a.m. The Morning Drive with Robert Hallmark & Kurt Vertel
- 5-6 p.m. Local News with KOSA

KWEL (AM 1070, FM 107.1)
- 5-10 a.m. The Morning Show with Craig Anderson
- 5-7 p.m. The West Texas Round-Up of News and Talk

Other options
- Sport talk: KMND (AM 1510)
- Contemporary Christian: KFRI (FM 88.7), KLYW (FM 90.5)
- NPR: KOCV (FM 91.3)

Flu shots available at Midland Health Department

The city of Midland's Health & Senior Services Division is offering a flu vaccination clinic for all ages.

Health & Senior Services, located at 3303 West Illinois Ave. in the Kingsway Mall, is administering the flu shots from 8 a.m.-3:30 p.m. on Mondays through Thursdays, and 8 a.m.-noon on Fridays. The vaccine is available for individuals who are 6 months of age and up, and a high-dose vaccine is available for individuals who are 65 years and older. The division accepts private insurance, Medicaid, and Medicare.

The annual flu vaccine can prevent sickness, visits to the doctor or hospital, or even death from influenza.

Protection lasts throughout the flu season, which usually peaks in January or February and continues into the spring. Individuals are encouraged to talk with their healthcare provider or pharmacist about which flu vaccine is recommended for them.

For more information, please call 432-681-7613.

Source: City of Midland

Dog Park

Hogan Dog Park will be closed for maintenance today through Nov. 6. Midland Parks and Recreation employees will be seeding areas of the park's grass.

The Waggin' Trail Dog Park at Beal Park will remain open during this time.

Today in history

Today is Monday, Oct. 31, the 305th day of 2016. There are 61 days left in the year. This is Halloween.

On this date:

In 1961, the body of Josef Stalin was removed from Lenin's Tomb as part of the Soviet Union's "de-Stalinization" drive.

In 1994, a Chicago-bound American Eagle ATR-72 crashed in northern Indiana, killing all 68 people aboard.

ON THE HUNT

Photos by James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

CLOCKWISE: Antonio Rodriguez, 7, and Evangeline Rodriguez, 2, shop for pumpkins at St. Luke's United Methodist Church pumpkin patch Saturday. From left, Kanon Whitehead, 4, and Delaney Whitehead, 3, run the cash register. Families rest and keep looking at pumpkins.

Everything you need for a spooky and fun Halloween

Today is Halloween

Many people around the world celebrate Halloween, which occurs annually on Oct. 31. It is the day before All Saints' Day, and is also sometimes called All Hallows' Eve and Hallowmas Eve. Costume parties are held and many children go trick-or-treating around this time of the year.

Source: www.timeanddate.com

Halloween forecast

- Today: Sunny, with a high near 87. South wind 10 to 15 mph.
- Tonight: Mostly clear, with a low around 60. South wind 10 to 15 mph.

Note: There is no rain in the forecast

Source: National Weather Service

Halloween weather history

Record high	89 in 1952
Record low	25 in 1993
Average high	73
Average low	46

Source: National Weather Service

Halloween things to do

- 4 p.m. | The Screamatorium Scary Yard Haunt is a local fundraiser for March of Dimes. 3715 Mark Lane. $2.
- 5 p.m. | Fall festival and trunk or treat with games, bounce house, snacks and more. St. Mark's United Methodist Church, 1701 N. Main St.
- 5 p.m. | Trick or Treat: Food Truck Style. Food trucks gather for a safe zone of trick or treating. The mobile restaurants will also collect coats and canned goods for High Sky Children's Ranch and the West Texas Food Bank. Haverty's Furniture, 4110 N Loop 250 W.
- 6 p.m. | Mall-wide trick-or-treat for costumed visitors. Free Halloween photo booth will be located at the JCPenney Court. Midland Park Mall, 4511 N. Midkiff Road. simon.com.
- 6:15 p.m. | Halloween Gentle Yoga. Costumes encouraged. Lacy J. Pilates, 3211 W. Wadley Ave. $5. Lacyjpilates.com.
- 6:30 p.m. | Halloween Tricks and Treats with spooky science experiments. The Petroleum Museum, 1500 I-20 W. $5. Pbpetro.org.
- 6:30 p.m. | Trunk or Treat event at Greathouse Elementary School, 5107 Greathouse Ave.
- 7:30 p.m. | RiffTrax Live: "Carnival of Souls." (NR) Regal Tall City Stadium 14, 4915 W Loop 250 N. $14.88. fathomevents.com.

Source: Reporter-Telegram's Weekender section

Watch out for spooks and goblins

City sidewalks and roadways will be filled with children darting from home to home looking for treats on Halloween. Traditionally, Halloween has been one of the most dangerous nights of the year for auto-pedestrian collisions. Motorists are urged to use the upmost in caution if traveling in neighborhoods during the early evening hours.

Adult supervision is highly recommended for young children so they can have a successful and fun-filled evening. The Insurance Council of Texas (ICT) offers these tips as recommended by the Center for Disease Control and the American Academy of Pediatrics.
- Trick-or-treat in a group and make sure the children in your group stay together. Children should never venture out of sight from their guardian, and should never enter a house unless they know the person and their guardian is accompanying them.
- Carry a flashlight at all times. Flashlights will keep you and your party visible, while also lighting your path.
- Always use the sidewalk and crosswalks near busy intersections. Walk on the side of the road that is facing traffic so that you can see oncoming traffic at all times. Be sure to look both ways when crossing the street.
- Be careful around fire-lit candles or luminaries.
- Do not allow your children to eat candy until it has been inspected. Children might be tempted to reach into their bags for candy before you've gone home to inspect their loot. Explain to them that you need to check the candy first for safety reasons.
- Toss any candy that has an open wrapper. Examine candy that can possibly be a choking hazard, or too difficult for your child to eat and take them away. Also avoid any homemade treats unless you know the person who served them and can attest to the food's safety.
- Don't just leave your children with all their Halloween candy. On a good haul, your children can accumulate more candy during Halloween than you would ever consider buying them in an entire year. After inspecting the candy, you should set it aside and distribute it to your children in limited amounts.

Source: Insurance Council of Texas

Early voters cast more than 240,000 ballots in New Mexico

By Morgan Lee
Associated Press

> *"The early voting is clearly robust. Democrats are participating at higher levels than Republicans when taking into account the size of the two groups."*
>
> **Brian Sanderoff,** Albuquerque-based pollster

SANTA FE, N.M. — More than 240,000 New Mexico residents already have cast general election ballots by mail or at early voting centers, signaling robust interest and participation.

Early voting statistics from state election officials also show Democrats voting in disproportionately large numbers.

The New Mexico Secretary of State's Office said that 240,433 ballots were cast from the start of absentee voting on Oct. 11 through Thursday evening. Of those, 53 percent were cast by registered Democrats, and 35 were from Republicans. The rest were unaffiliated or linked to small parties.

Albuquerque-based pollster Brian Sanderoff said voters have been growing steadily more accustomed to casting ballots before election day at New Mexico's voting convenience centers. Even considering that trend, early voting tallies suggest relatively high overall turnout, he said.

"The early voting is clearly robust," he said. "Democrats are participating at higher levels than Republicans when taking into account the size of the two groups."

Democrats account for 46 percent of registered voters in New Mexico. Republicans account for 31 percent.

Voter participation for New Mexico peaked in the 2008 general election at just over 833,000.

Sanderoff said that was an exceptional year. He estimated that voter turnout this year is likely to exceed levels in 2012, when about 787,000 New Mexico residents voted.

The presidential election is tearing at traditional partisan allegiances in New Mexico, where Republican Gov. Susana Martinez has refused to endorse Donald Trump. Libertarian Party candidate Gary Johnson is well known in the state for his two terms as governor.

The entire state Legislature is up for re-election, with Republicans defending a House majority and Democrats in control of the Senate. Other prominent, contested election races include secretary of state and a seat on the state Supreme Court.

TENSION

From 1A

A public relations firm listed at representing Waste Control Specialists did not respond to a request for comment.

The question of what to do with the more than 70,000 metric tons of spent fuel currently stored at U.S. nuclear plants has mired politics in Washington for decades.

In 2002, Congress authorized the Yucca Mountain site in Nevada to serve as a national repository for nuclear waste, but following backlash from Nevada politicians funding for that project has since stalled.

But a decision on a West Texas facility is some ways off. The environmental review process alone typically takes between two and a half and three years and can stretch longer if it is challenged, a spokeswoman for the Nuclear Regulatory Commission said.

GARCIA

From 1A

will fall on Director of Finance Paula O'Neil. In Monday's board meeting, Schroder stressed to the board that district officials will seek efficiencies at the central office when a vacancy takes place so the district can keep more resources at the campus level.

"I don't think the answer is to fill positions now," Schroder said. "It is wise to wait until a new (permanent) superintendent is selected."

Davis echoed that sentiment. He did stress that the district has capable people in the finance office and it is not a given that the district will look for "an outside person" to replace Garcia.

Garcia said the move means his retirement will be delayed. He said he was prepared to retire after 30 years in Midland.

"With the move I have promised (H-E-B) five to seven years more," Garcia said.

This Oct. 3, 2013, photo shows a custom-made semi-automatic hunting rifle with a high-capacity detachable magazine is displayed at a gun store in Rocklin, Calif. AP file photo

4 states to weigh tougher gun control in Nov. 8 election

By Ryan J. Foley
Associated Press

The last time voters in Maine were asked about gun rights, they easily passed a constitutional amendment creating a right to own firearms that "shall never be questioned."

Three decades later, the state known for its hunting tradition will vote on whether to tighten restrictions on gun sales and transfers.

Maine is one of four states, along with California, Nevada and Washington, where voters will decide Nov. 8 whether to enact tougher firearms laws. In a change from past elections, there are no statewide initiatives seeking to expand gun rights anywhere in the U.S.

The presence of so many ballot questions in the same year reflects the strategy, growing power and deep pockets of gun-control supporters, who are outspending opponents in all four states. They hope passage of the proposals shows widening support for more measures designed to keep firearms away from dangerous people.

In Maine and Nevada, a group founded by former New York City Mayor Michael Bloomberg has spent millions advocating for background checks on nearly all gun sales and transfers. Supporters want to close gaps in the federal system that allow ineligible felons, domestic abusers and the mentally ill to buy firearms from private sellers at gun shows and online without a background check.

"I do call it a movement. People are really getting fed up with all the violence," said Judi Richardson, 57, of South Portland, Maine, who gathered signatures to help place the initiative on the ballot.

Her 25-year-old daughter, Darien, was fatally shot in 2010 during a home invasion that remains unsolved. The investigation hit a dead-end because the handgun used to kill her was bought without a background check from a seller who told police he did not know the buyer's name. Richardson said the Maine initiative would help reduce gun violence by making firearms harder to access and easier to trace.

In Washington state, advocates who successfully campaigned for a background check law in 2014 are now seeking passage of a measure that would allow judges to issue orders temporarily seizing guns from people who are deemed a threat. For instance, concerned families could seek the removal of guns from relatives threatening to harm themselves or others.

California's Democratic lieutenant governor, Gavin Newsom, is leading the campaign for a first-of-its-kind law that would require anyone buying ammunition to pass a background check and obtain a state permit.

Gun-safety groups say a Democratic sweep that includes a White House victory and party gains in Congress would put pressure on federal lawmakers to strengthen the national background-check system.

Congress has blocked attempts to create universal background checks, even after the fatal shooting of 20 elementary school students in Newtown, Connecticut, in December 2012. That prompted groups such as Bloomberg's Everytown for Gun Safety to focus on a state-by-state strategy often compared to the strategy used to spread gay marriage.

The history of gun-related ballot initiatives shows how the tide of public opinion may be turning. During the last 40 years, states have approved 15 out of 18 ballot initiatives to expand gun rights and six of nine to restrict them, according to Ballotpedia, which tracks the initiatives.

Supporters organized the initiatives in Maine and Nevada after the states' Republican governors in 2013 vetoed background check bills approved by their legislatures.

Everytown is the largest spender in those states, assembling coalitions that include concerned parents, families of gun violence victims and law enforcement officials. The movement has also been financed by entrepreneurs such as Nicolas Hanauer of Seattle, who has donated more than $1 million total to the Washington, Maine and Nevada campaigns.

"My guess is they will be successful, and you will see voters in different geographies and backgrounds who are willing to stand up for stronger gun laws," said Zach Silk, a Hanauer aide who is helping lead the Washington campaign.

If the Maine and Nevada initiatives pass, half of Americans would live in the 20 states that require universal background check laws on gun sales, Everytown President John Feinblatt said.

Opponents say the measures will not stop criminals and go too far by banning the routine sale and transfer of guns between law-abiding citizens, who would have to drive to a firearms dealer and pay for a background check that can cost $30.

"It's a restriction on the freedom of the good guys," said 75-year-old Charles Rumsey III of Bangor, Maine, secretary of the Penobscot County Conservation Association, which is opposing the initiative in that state.

The retired Defense Department employee recently borrowed a rifle from a longtime acquaintance after his malfunctioned so he could compete in a shooting event. He worries that such a transfer would be illegal without a background check.

The Maine and Nevada initiatives would require anyone buying or receiving a gun to pass a background check at a federally licensed dealer, with limited exceptions for hunting and transfers of guns between family members. Anyone who has a felony or disqualifying domestic abuse conviction would be denied, as required by federal law.

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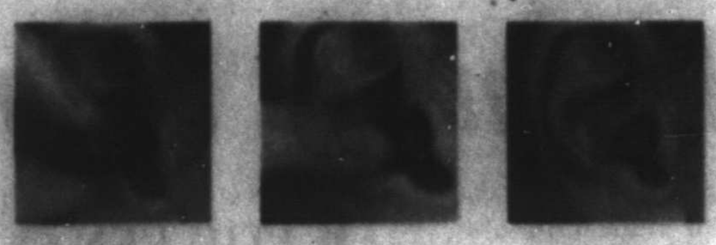

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For many, it's mourning in America

■ Our next president will be chosen not with the enthusiasm of a well-informed electorate but with the forlornness that comes of having no better option

KATHLEEN PARKER
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One more week, give or take.

It seems nearly impossible that an election season that began about four years ago is nearing its end. After almost two years of speeches, rallies and raunch, this presidential campaign has become just another sound in the white noise of life. Like "Groundhog Day," or perdition, it seemed it never would end.

Ever.

Now, suddenly, only days remain before we vote. Wait, no, I'm not ready! Where's the one I want to vote for? Can it be true that either Hillary Clinton or Donald Trump will be the next president of the United States? For real? Is this really all we've got?

Next, dread settles in. OMG, I have to vote. Yes, of course, you have to vote. And yet, for whom? Anxiety is up; meditation is in. Depression is commonplace. Disenchantment is pervasive. All congeal into a sort of cataclysmic sense that the best of times are behind us.

Where, we wonder, is the individual who compels us to cheer for the good that unites us, the virtue that defines us, the strength that sustains us and the faith that tomorrow will always be better? Where is the sunny, aspirational leader who understands the frustrations of Trump supporters and the sense of left-behindness of people on both left and right?

It is sad but true that no one comes to mind. More disturbing, we have to understand that great leaders may forever be in short supply given that decent people decide public service isn't worth the total surrender of one's autonomy and privacy. Who can blame them? Thus, our next president will be chosen not with the enthusiasm of a well-informed electorate but with the forlornness that comes of having no better option.

Surely, there are many who find either Hillary Clinton or Donald Trump satisfactory.

Those who would embrace a third term of Barack Obama, or who have longed to witness a woman become president, may manage to summon a spring to their step. Those who see Trump as the answer to political gridlock, the menace of terrorism and an economy that benefits only the lucky few, may be able to muster more than a slog to the ballot box.

But for the countless millions in the middle, who can find neither solace nor excitement in the prospect of either candidate, Election Day approaches as a sunset without the promise of a sunrise. Morning in America has become mourning in America.

No wonder.

Already, House Republicans have promised to immediately initiate yet more investigations into whatever remains unexplored in Clinton's life. Utah Rep. Jason Chaffetz, chair of the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, says he has enough material for at least two years' worth of taxpayer-funded witch hunting. This was even before the FBI announced Friday that it was investigating more emails recently retrieved from Clinton associates.

Some Senate Republicans have promised to thwart any and all Supreme Court nominations from a President Clinton. This, when they ought to be holding hearings on Judge Merrick Garland, nominated by Obama in March, while there's still time. Not only would Republicans demonstrate (for a change) that they're serious about governance, and not just obstruction, but they'd be wise to accept a relatively moderate judge while the option remains.

Clinton, meanwhile, shouldn't presume to have a mandate if she wins. She'd owe more than a slice of her victory to Trump, who offended so many potential voters that she benefited big-league by the comparison. Rather than winning, she'd be accepting the triumph of Trump's defeat.

She also should make haste to keep her promise to be the president for all Americans and address the concerns that caused Trump supporters to rise out of their despair and rally for a reality TV star. There's no use repeating her campaign quip that America is already great.

As for Trump, he seems to have recognized that it's time to move to the next item on his bucket list, possibly as king of a new media empire from which he'll come combed to judge the quick and the dead. He has already stopped major-donor fundraising, as well as ceased spending his own lucre, and he spent vital time last week at the grand opening of his new hotel here rather than go stumping in swing states. He and his cohort of family members, all poised with great big scissors to snip a red ribbon for the gawking crowd, seemed to be players in a muted celebration for the ringmaster of razzle-dazzle — presaging, perhaps, what appears likely to come.

OPINION EXTRA

If Hillary Clinton wins, foundation must be closed

Orange County (California) Register

When Bill Clinton announced in August that the Clinton Foundation will no longer accept foreign or corporate donations if Hillary Clinton wins the presidency, it was at least the third set of ethics rules that the post-presidential, pre-presidential charity has adopted to avoid the appearance of conflict of interest.

At the time Hillary Clinton was nominated to be secretary of state, the foundation was required to seek the approval of the State Department before accepting donations from foreign governments. When she launched her presidential campaign, the foundation was limited in what it could accept from foreign governments, but donations from individuals and corporations were accepted.

The ethics policy announced by the former president in August would have barred the contributions of 53 percent of the donors who gave $1 million or more to the Clinton Foundation, according to an analysis by The Washington Post. That list includes the government of Saudi Arabia, ExxonMobil and Barclay's, a British bank.

By now it's clear that a foundation tied to a government official cannot avoid the appearance of conflict of interest, even when ethics rules are followed, which may not always have been the case.

In 2012, while Clinton was secretary of state, a senior official of the foundation emailed associates that the U.S. ambassador from the Gulf state of Qatar had asked to see Bill Clinton "for five minutes" in New York to present him with a $1 million check that Qatar had promised for the former president's birthday in 2011, according to a hacked email from the account of John Podesta, Hillary Clinton's 2016 campaign chairman, released by WikiLeaks.

The State Department says it did not receive a request to approve a donation from Qatar in 2012, and the foundation says approval was not needed under an exception to the Clintons' 2008 ethics agreement. President Clinton's spokesman would not say whether the former president met with the ambassador, and Hillary Clinton's campaign refused to confirm or deny the authenticity of the email.

It doesn't inspire confidence.

Neither does the disclosure that a State Department employee checked with the foundation to see whether companies seeking contracts to help in the 2010 earthquake recovery effort in Haiti were "friends" of Bill Clinton or "WJC VIPs."

Regardless of any new ethics restrictions imposed on the activities of the Clinton Foundation if Hillary Clinton becomes president, hundreds of millions of dollars already have been donated by individuals, companies and governments that have an interest in the direction of U.S. policy under the next administration. The appearance of conflict of interest hangs in the air.

As bad as that is, it would be worse if members of Clinton's family continued to solicit enormous sums for the foundation from people who may be seeking access or influence in a Clinton administration.

If Hillary Clinton wins on Nov. 8, the first action she takes as president elect should be the dissolution of the Clinton Foundation. Its charitable work should be taken over by an organization that doesn't have a satellite office in the West Wing.

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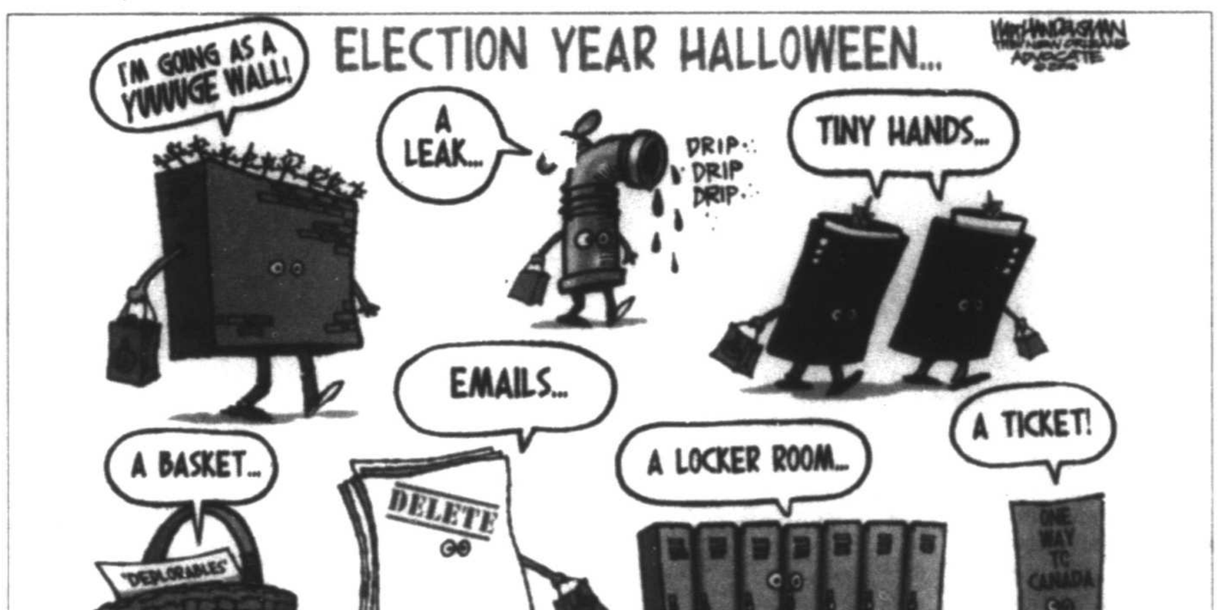

Comey delivers October surprise

■ If he doesn't step forward and explain his October Surprise, he may inadvertently wind up interfering in the political process

DANA MILBANK
Washington Post Writers Group

When FBI Director James Comey testified before Congress in July about his recommendation not to prosecute Hillary Clinton, he mentioned at least 10 times how important it was that he be transparent.

"What I decided to do was offer transparency to the American people," he said, "because I thought it was very, very important for their confidence in the system of justice and within that their confidence in the FBI. I was very concerned that, if I didn't show that transparency, that in that lack of transparency, people would say, 'What is going on here? Something seems squirrelly here.'"

Now, in the final days of the presidential election, Comey has shocked the nation by announcing that he is reopening the investigation of Clinton — and he is offering no transparency at all about what is going on here. And something indeed seems squirrelly.

I've long believed in Comey's integrity. But if he doesn't step forward and explain his October Surprise, he may inadvertently wind up interfering in the political process — perhaps even reversing the outcome of a presidential election — in a way that would have made J. Edgar Hoover gape.

We now know that Comey defied warnings by the Justice Department that he was violating longstanding policy against interfering in elections. But it's just as clear that Comey's actions — tarring Clinton with a new hint of scandal while providing no details that might allow Clinton to defend herself — violate his own standards of transparency that he preached a few months ago.

If he has the goods on Clinton, let's hear them. If he doesn't, as his admission that "we don't know the significance of this newly discovered collection of emails" suggests, he must make clear that this is just a pro forma notice he sent to Congress. But what he's doing is essentially proposing a political death sentence for Clinton without providing the charges. The weight of Comey's thumb on the scale is greater now than it was in July, when there was still time to absorb the information.

Some Democratic partisans suspect this is a dirty trick by a man who was the No. 2 official in George W. Bush's Justice Department. It could make people feel the election is being rigged after all — in Donald Trump's favor. I don't believe that. As I wrote in July, Comey's "reputation for integrity is as unimpeachable as it gets." There's nothing about Comey that suggests he would like to install Trump in the White House; his passion for the rule of law clashes with Trump's threats to use the Justice Department to go after his political opponents.

But why would a man of integrity, at a time when the nation is already inflamed, add gasoline by insinuating wrongdoing by the presidential front-runner even though he admits he can't "yet assess whether or not this material may be significant"? And give Clinton no chance of exonerating herself by saying "I cannot predict" how long it will take to assess the material?

The most benign, and likely, explanation is CYA: Comey wanted to inoculate himself against future allegations from Republican lawmakers that he sat on relevant information before the election. If so, self-preservation trumped his professed love of transparency.

Back in July, when he made his recommendation not to prosecute, he read a lengthy public statement explaining that "I am going to include more detail about our process than I ordinarily would, because I think the American people deserve those details in a case of intense public interest."

Then, he testified to Congress about being "a big fan of transparency" and a "huge fan of transparency" because "transparency matters tremendously" and "that's what makes our democracy great." Said Comey: "Transparency is the absolute best thing for me and for democracy."

Now, Comey has decided opacity is better for him, sending a vague letter to Congress while leaving it to anonymous officials to attempt to explain his reasoning to the public, via the press. Does he suppose that the American people no longer "deserve those details in a case of intense public interest"? In his brief words written to FBI employees Friday, Comey acknowledged there was a "significant risk of being misunderstood." But the way to avoid being misunderstood is to explain himself publicly and fully, the way he did in July.

By falling short of his own standards of transparency, Comey is harming both election integrity and his well-deserved personal integrity. He needs to explain himself if he hopes to salvage either.

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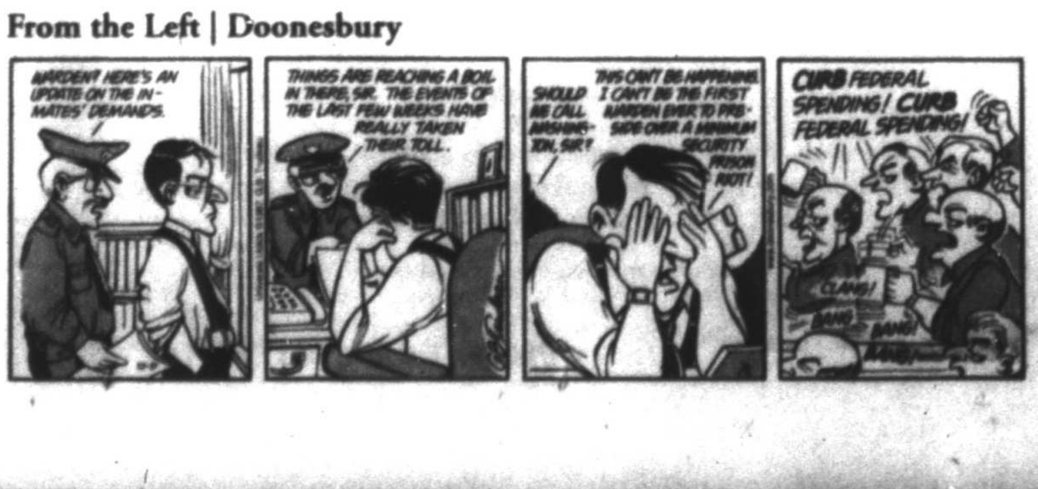

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Democratic presidential candidate Hillary Clinton pauses while speaking at a rally and concert at The Manor Complex in Wilton Manors, Fla., on Sunday.

Clinton says she won't be 'knocked off course' in the coming final week

By Julie Pace and Ken Thomas
Associated Press

WILTON MANORS, Fla. — Hillary Clinton vowed Sunday that she would not be "knocked off course" in the election's final days, as she sought to push past a new FBI email inquiry in a sexting probe that delivered a late jolt to her race against Republican Donald Trump.

"I'm not stopping now, we're just getting warmed up," Clinton declared during a packed rally with gay and lesbian supporters in battleground Florida. "We're not going to be distracted, no matter what our opponents throw at us."

Trump campaigned in Las Vegas at a casino owned by billionaire GOP megadonor Sheldon Adelson and accused the Justice Department, without offering evidence, of trying to protect Clinton following the FBI's discovery of new emails that could be related to its investigation into Clinton's use of a private email server.

"Hillary has nobody but herself to blame for her mounting legal problems," Trump said during a rally.

Clinton's advisers and fellow Democrats pressured FBI Director James Comey anew to release more details about the emails, including whether Comey had even reviewed them himself. The message was aimed at gathering more information about what the bureau is seeking from a computer that appears to belong to disgraced former New York Rep. Anthony Weiner, the estranged husband of Huma Abedin, one of Clinton's closest advisers.

Tim Kaine, Clinton's running mate, said Comey owed it to the public to be more forthcoming about the emails under review by the FBI with only nine days remaining before the Nov. 8 election. Calling Comey's announcement "extremely puzzling," Kaine said that if Comey "hasn't seen the emails, I mean they need to make that completely plain."

Clinton's campaign chairman, John Podesta, said Comey's handling of the matter was "inappropriate."

Clinton made unannounced stops Sunday in Florida at an early voting location, a Miami brunch spot and a soul food restaurant. She also addressed a predominantly black church, where she spoke of overcoming disappointments.

"Scripture tells us to rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance and endurance produces character," she said. "And character produces hope."

Clinton made no direct mention of the new FBI investigation, which has created anxiety among Democrats. But while she criticized the FBI for a lack of transparency during a campaign appearance on Saturday, she tried to shift her attention back to Trump on Sunday, casting him as a selfish billionaire with a striking lack of empathy.

Speaking to LGBT supporters in Wilton Manors, she seized on a Washington Post report about Trump appearing at a fundraiser for children with HIV and pretending to be a donor, though he never gave money to the charity.

"It's always Donald Trump first, and everyone else last," she said.

Comey's actions Friday have roiled the White House race, energizing Trump as polls had showed him sliding and unnerving Democrats worried about the presidency and down-ballot congressional races. In a letter to Congress on Friday, Comey said the FBI had recently come upon new emails while pursuing an unrelated case and was reviewing whether they were classified.

The FBI is looking into whether there was classified information on a device belonging to Weiner. Federal authorities in New York and North Carolina are investigating online communications between Weiner and a 15-year-old girl.

The developments prompted Trump to quip to his Las Vegas supporters, "We never thought we were going to say 'thank you' to Anthony Weiner," he said.

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> **Democratic presidential candidate Hillary Clinton**

A law enforcement official said Sunday that FBI investigators in the Weiner sexting probe knew for weeks about the existence of newly discovered emails that might be relevant to the Clinton email investigation. The official was not authorized to discuss the matter by name and spoke on condition of anonymity.

Comey said he was briefed Thursday about that development and told Congress on Friday that investigators had found the emails. A second law enforcement official also said the FBI was aware for a period of time about the emails before Comey was briefed, but the second official wasn't more specific.

Trump campaign manager Kellyanne Conway said Comey was in "an impossible spot" when he acknowledged the FBI was looking into the messages. "Had he sat on the information, one can argue that he also would be interfering in the election," by failing to disclose the review, Conway said.

The controversy over Clinton's email practices while she served as secretary of state has dogged her for more than a year.

Late Saturday, four senior Democratic senators urged the Justice Department and the FBI to provide more detailed information by today about what investigative steps are being taken, the number of emails involved and what is being done to determine how many of the emails are duplicative of those already reviewed by the FBI.

The letter went to Comey and Attorney General Loretta Lynch from Sens. Ben Cardin of Maryland, Tom Carper of Delaware, Patrick Leahy of Vermont and Dianne Feinstein of California.

Kaine appeared on ABC's "This Week," Podesta and Conway were on CNN's "State of the Union."

More on the Clinton email issue

Official: FBI agents knew for weeks about emails' existence

WASHINGTON — FBI investigators in the Anthony Weiner sexting probe knew for weeks about the existence of newly discovered emails potentially related to the investigation of Hillary Clinton's private email server, a law enforcement official said Sunday.

In his letter that roiled the White House race, FBI Director James Comey said he was briefed last Thursday about that development and had agreed that investigators should take steps to review the emails for any classified information.

He alerted Congress on Friday that the bureau had found emails in an unrelated case that might be relevant to the Clinton inquiry.

The emails were found on a device that belonged to Weiner, the estranged husband of close Clinton aide Huma Abedin.

A second law enforcement official also said the FBI was aware for a period of time about the emails before Comey was briefed, but wasn't more specific.

It was not immediately clear Sunday what steps investigators took once the emails were first found to fully advise FBI leaders that additional and potentially relevant messages had been discovered.

The officials were not authorized to discuss the matter by name and spoke on condition of anonymity.

The timing of Comey's letter less than two weeks before Election Day drew criticism from Democrats and some Republicans who cast it as unprecedented and potentially tipping the scales in the presidential race in favor of Republican Donald Trump.

Energized by the news, the GOP presidential nominee has rallied his supporters, calling the latest developments worse than Watergate and arguing that his candidacy has the momentum in the final days of the race.

"We never thought we were going to say 'thank you' to Anthony Weiner," Trump said in Nevada.

Trump also highlighted reports that the Justice Department had discouraged the FBI from alerting Congress to the unexpected discovery of the emails, and said the department is trying "so hard" to protect Clinton.

Clinton's use of a private email server while secretary of State has dogged her campaign since early last year. In July, Comey recommended against criminal prosecution after a months-long investigation, but rebuked Clinton and her aides for being careless with classified material.

Justice Department officials who were advised of the FBI's intention to notify Congress about the discovery expressed concern that the action would be inconsistent with department protocols designed to avoid the appearance of interference in an election.

In an apparent departure from the wishes of top Justice Department leaders, Comey acted independently when he sent several members of Congress a letter about the emails on Friday, said one of the officials.

The move creates the potential for a divide between the Justice Department and Comey, who has served in government under both Democratic and Republican presidents.

It was not immediately clear what the emails were about or what significance, if any, they carried to the email investigation. Nor was it clear when agents would be able to fully review the recovered emails, and Comey made no guarantees that would happen before Election Day.

A person familiar with the investigation, who lacked authority to discuss the matter publicly and insisted on anonymity, said the device that appears to be at the center of the new review was a computer that belonged only to Weiner and was not one he shared with Abedin.

As a result, it was not a device searched for work-related emails at the time of the initial investigation. The person said it is "news to (Abedin)" that her emails would be on a computer belonging to her husband.

If elected, Clinton faces awkward coexistence with Comey

WASHINGTON — The relationship between James Comey and Hillary Clinton was never going to be tension-free, not when Comey's FBI had conducted an election-year criminal investigation into the Democratic presidential candidate's email practices.

But Comey's sudden announcement to Congress that FBI agents would review new emails that may be connected to that dormant investigation revives questions about how Clinton, if elected, would coexist with the independent-minded FBI director. Comey has shown a willingness to break with the White House and has been critical of her handling of sensitive information as secretary of state.

The FBI director is appointed to 10-year terms, to avoid any appearance of political influence. Comey took over in September 2013, meaning he still would be on the job if Clinton is sworn into office in January. That could raise the prospect of an unmistakably fragile dynamic, but it probably would not be any easier if Republican Donald Trump won, given his criticism of the FBI after Comey's recommendation in July against prosecuting Clinton in the email matter.

"There needs to be a mutual trust between a president and an FBI director given the importance of that post," said Jamie Gorelick, deputy attorney general during former President Bill Clinton's administration.

Ron Hosko, a former assistant FBI director under Comey, said he envisioned a "very, very difficult relationship," but Comey's ability to compartmentalize his duties would enable him to keep doing his job.

"Could Jim Comey go over to the White House and brief on terrorism intelligence or a terrorism strike, and what the bureau is doing about it or has done about it, and keep that in a separate box? Yes," Hosko said.

Clinton and her campaign have aggressively challenged the FBI to release more information about the emails, presumably because they believe a fuller portrait would prove exculpatory. Clinton on Saturday called it "pretty strange to put something like that out with such little information right before an election." Her campaign chairman, John Podesta, called the letter an "unprecedented step" that cried out for more clarity.

Comey acknowledged in a memo Friday that his letter created the risk of being misunderstood so close to the Nov. 8 election. But he said he felt obligated to alert Congress to the new emails, which surfaced during an unrelated criminal sexting investigation involving former Rep. Anthony Weiner, D-N.Y., after having previously told lawmakers that the email investigation had been concluded. Keeping the emails secret until after the election carried its own political risks.

It's not clear when the emails will be reviewed, what they're about, whether they contain classified information or how they're connected to the Clinton investigation, which examined the mishandling of classified information on her private server. Comey could not guarantee that the review would be done by Election Day.

By Eric Tucker
Associated Press

Most routes to 270 blocked for Trump

By Thomas Beaumont
Associated Press

DES MOINES, Iowa — The race for president reaches its final mile next week amid October surprises, but on the road to the 270 electoral votes needed to win the White House, Hillary Clinton still has several ways to find her way to Washington.

The journey Donald Trump must take is perilous, at best.

Even as some national preference polls tighten, and voters wrestle with news the FBI has found new emails that may — or may not — be related to Clinton's use of a private server as secretary of state, the billionaire Republican needs a dramatic final-stretch rebound in states where the Democratic nominee appears to have the upper hand.

The latest Associated Press analysis of the Electoral College map rates states worth 278 electoral votes as safely Democratic or leaning Clinton's way. That analysis is based on prefrgence polling, recent electoral history, demographic trends and campaign priorities such as advertising, travel and on-the-ground staff.

In short, that means Clinton doesn't need to win a state now rated as a toss-up to win the White House.

Trump needs to win them all — and then go on to pick off some states that are now in Clinton's column.

Impossible, it's not. The effects of the FBI Director James Comey's Friday letter to Congress, informing lawmakers of developments possibly related to the Clinton email case, may not be known until Election Day itself.

Trump leapt on the news this weekend, but so, too, did Clinton, casting Comey's decision to act so close to Nov. 8 as "deeply troubling" as she sought to rally Democratic voters.

So, then, what is the path for Trump to chin himself to 270 votes? He'll have to start by carrying the reliably Republican states in the West, the Great Plains and in South that make up the GOP's Electoral College base.

From there, he'd need a run of victories in states now viewed as a toss-up.

Among them, North Carolina has received as much attention from both campaigns as any — traditional battlegrounds Florida and Ohio included. For good reason: GOP nominee Mitt Romney won the state in 2012, after President Barack Obama's historic win there in 2008.

But after trailing in mail ballots, Democrats surged ahead of Republicans in ballots cast after the start of in-person early voting last week. Meanwhile, a new NBC News/Wall Street Journal poll gives Clinton a 6-point edge in the state.

A win in North Carolina, and Florida and Ohio, too, still isn't enough to get Trump to 270. He also needs to win states now leaning Clinton's way.

In Nevada, Trump's hardline position on immigration has turned off many in the state's large Hispanic population — giving Clinton an advantage. Likewise, tens of thousands more Democrats than Republicans had voted early in the state as of last week.

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Trapped: Deaths inside freezers can be prevented, but how?

By Jeff Martin
Associated Press

ATLANTA — Trapped in a walk-in hotel freezer with subzero temperatures, Carolyn Robinson Mangham knocked so desperately on the door that the skin on her knuckles had worn away, her husband said in a lawsuit.

When the door finally opened 13 hours later, the coroner said, the 61-year-old kitchen worker was lying on the metal floor, wearing her black shoes and pants, a white cook's shirt and a black apron. Her head and eyes were frozen solid.

Mangham, who died in March in Atlanta, was among a handful of workers who, in the last 15 years, were found dead in freezers, federal records show. Some were trapped by broken doors and either froze to death or were overcome by lethal fumes.

Experts say the deaths are preventable, but it's not likely the federal government will draw up any specific regulations dealing with freezers. One reason: They're more inclined to enforce broad rules for employers, such as making clear exits available.

"This should never happen. It's tragic, and the families are left with devastation," said Kim Bartels, whose brother Jay Luther died in a walk-in freezer in 2012.

Luther, a 47-year-old chef and co-owner of a cafe in Nashville, Tennessee, went into his restaurant's freezer and the door shut behind him. For reasons not explained, there was no release mechanism to open the door, the U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration concluded in its report. Luther suffocated from breathing carbon dioxide vapors that came off dry ice inside the freezer, a medical examiner found.

"There's no question that technologies exist — old and new — that could address this issue," said David Ringholz, chairman of the industrial design department at Iowa State University.

Motion sensors, for instance, could disable doors anytime movement is detected inside a large walk-in freezer, he said. Other experts suggested alarms, a cellphone or even an axe kept inside to help someone get out.

Some safety upgrades would cost hundreds or thousands of dollars, and that expense can be a big obstacle to improvements.

Adam Finkel, a former OSHA regional administrator for the Rocky Mountain states, recalled when a 55-year-old woman died inside a freezer at a lodge in Colorado in 2002.

"That one really struck me as a terrible way to go," said Finkel, now executive director of the Penn Program on Regulation at the University of Pennsylvania.

There had been problems with the freezer door at the Westin Peachtree Plaza hotel in Atlanta, according to the lawsuit, which seeks unspecified damages. Several months before her death, an exit mechanism failed inside the 12-by-10 freezer, and a hotel employee "had to beat on a back wall in order for someone to let her out," the medical examiner's report states.

When Mangham died, the medical examiner, OSHA and a representative of an equipment servicing company performed more than 30 tests on the door's exit device, and it opened properly each time, hotel spokeswoman Sally McDonald said.

However, three weeks later, the exit button malfunctioned during a follow-up inspection, this time trapping two people, who had to beat on the door to alert others outside to free them, the autopsy report states.

OSHA found that the hotel exposed workers to hazards, and levied a fine of more than $12,000 in Mangham's death. The hotel agreed to frequent and regular inspections of its freezers, including the door-release mechanisms, the agency said.

After Mangham's death, her co-workers and their union, UNITE HERE, demanded that emergency buttons be placed inside the freezers so that if someone becomes trapped, that person can alert building security or the fire department. So far, the hotel hasn't said whether they plan to have the buttons.

Such devices would be similar to those already in most elevators, said Lee Gray, an architectural historian at the University of North Carolina-Charlotte who wrote a book about the passenger elevator.

Westin Peachtree Plaza workers are also pushing for a better way of tracking employees, so that if someone disappears as Mangham did, others will know to look for them. The hotel has agreed to develop a procedure for workers to check in and out with others when they enter remote areas, OSHA said.

The hotel and its parent company, Starwood Hotels and Resorts Worldwide, have not said whether they are considering changes at any other hotels in the company. Starwood was acquired this year by Marriott International for $13 billion, creating the world's largest hotel company.

In the wake of Mangham's death, the government could draft new rules and regulations or issue a bulletin or safety alert about the dangers of becoming trapped in freezers, which could raise awareness, said Celeste Monforton, a former OSHA official now with Texas State University.

But creating new, overly specific regulation is sometimes not helpful, said Wayne Li, director of the Innovation and Design Collaborative at the Georgia Institute of Technology. If regulations are too specific, they don't account for new technological advances and can become outdated and stifle innovative approaches, Li said.

Aaron Rabinowitz found his father dead inside the freezer of his family's San Diego cafe nine years ago. He said he thinks that some type of alarm would be a good idea, though it may not have helped his father because he was quickly overcome by the dry ice fumes.

"I'm in there myself daily," said Rabinowitz, who now runs the cafe. "There are safety latches. They can freeze up where you have to give it a really good kick. Somebody who is not strong enough might have trouble with it, so I think that (the alarms) would be a nice extra level of safety beyond a safety latch."

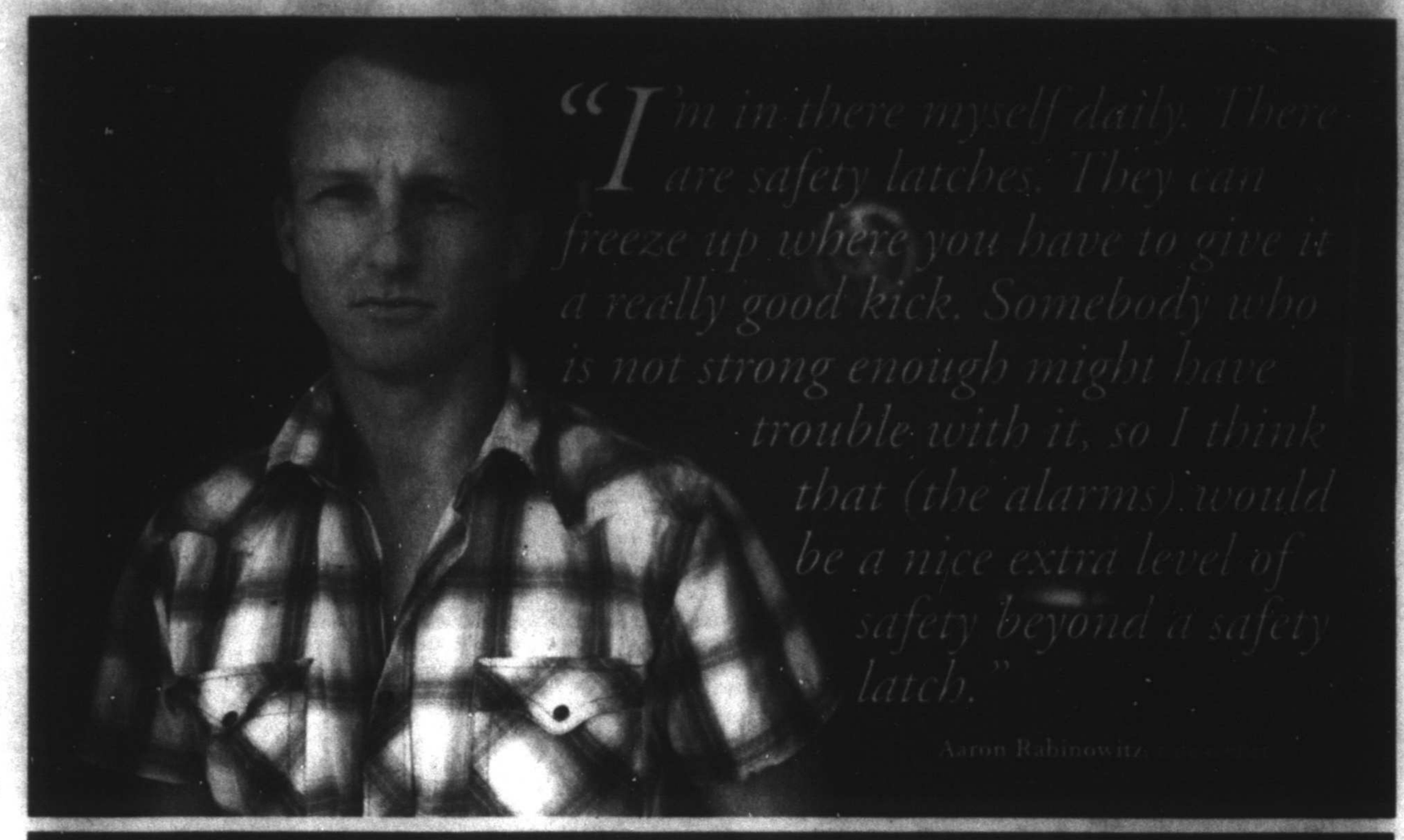

PHOTO: Aaron Rabinowitz poses for a picture Wednesday in front of the freezer where his father died, at the family's Gelato Vero Caffe in San Diego. Rabinowitz's father, Henry Rabinowitz, died inside the freezer in 2007. Experts say the deaths are preventable, but it's not likely the federal government will draw up any specific regulations dealing with freezers. One reason: They're more inclined to enforce broad rules for employers, such as making clear exits available. ***Gregory Bull/ Associated Press***

Broken doors, toxic gas claim lives in freezers around US

- ATLANTA — A worker enters a freezer and the door slams shut, with no one around to hear the cries for help. Other times, toxic gas from dry ice kills without warning. A handful of workers have been killed inside freezers since 2000, according to reports from the U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration.
- ATLANTA — Carolyn Robinson Mangham, a hotel kitchen worker at the Westin Peachtree Plaza downtown, walks into a freezer on her evening shift and is found dead about 13 hours later. Her family maintains that she was trapped inside and froze to death. The hotel has said the door worked properly when tested after her death.
- NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE — Chef Jay Luther enters a cooler at the cafe he co-owns, and the door closes behind him, OSHA reports. The release mechanism is missing, and Luther is found dead about 13 hours later. The 2012 death is attributed to dry ice, which led to him being asphyxiated.
- SANTA CLARA, CALIFORNIA — A worker dies of exposure to carbon monoxide while using a gas-powered pressure washer inside a freezer at American Food Service in 2010, OSHA reports.
- SAN DIEGO — Cafe owner Henry Rabinowitz is found dead by his son, inside his store's freezer in 2007. Dry ice had been temporarily used to keep food cold. Toxic levels of carbon dioxide, possibly caused by the dry ice, were found inside the freezer, OSHA reported. A new door on the freezer created a "vacuum seal," making it nearly impossible to open for 90 seconds after it had been closed, the agency reported.
- MEEKER, COLORADO — A lodge worker enters a walk-in freezer, closes the door and the handle breaks off in 2002. "This made it impossible for her to turn the mechanism to the 'open' position," and the woman froze to death, OSHA wrote.

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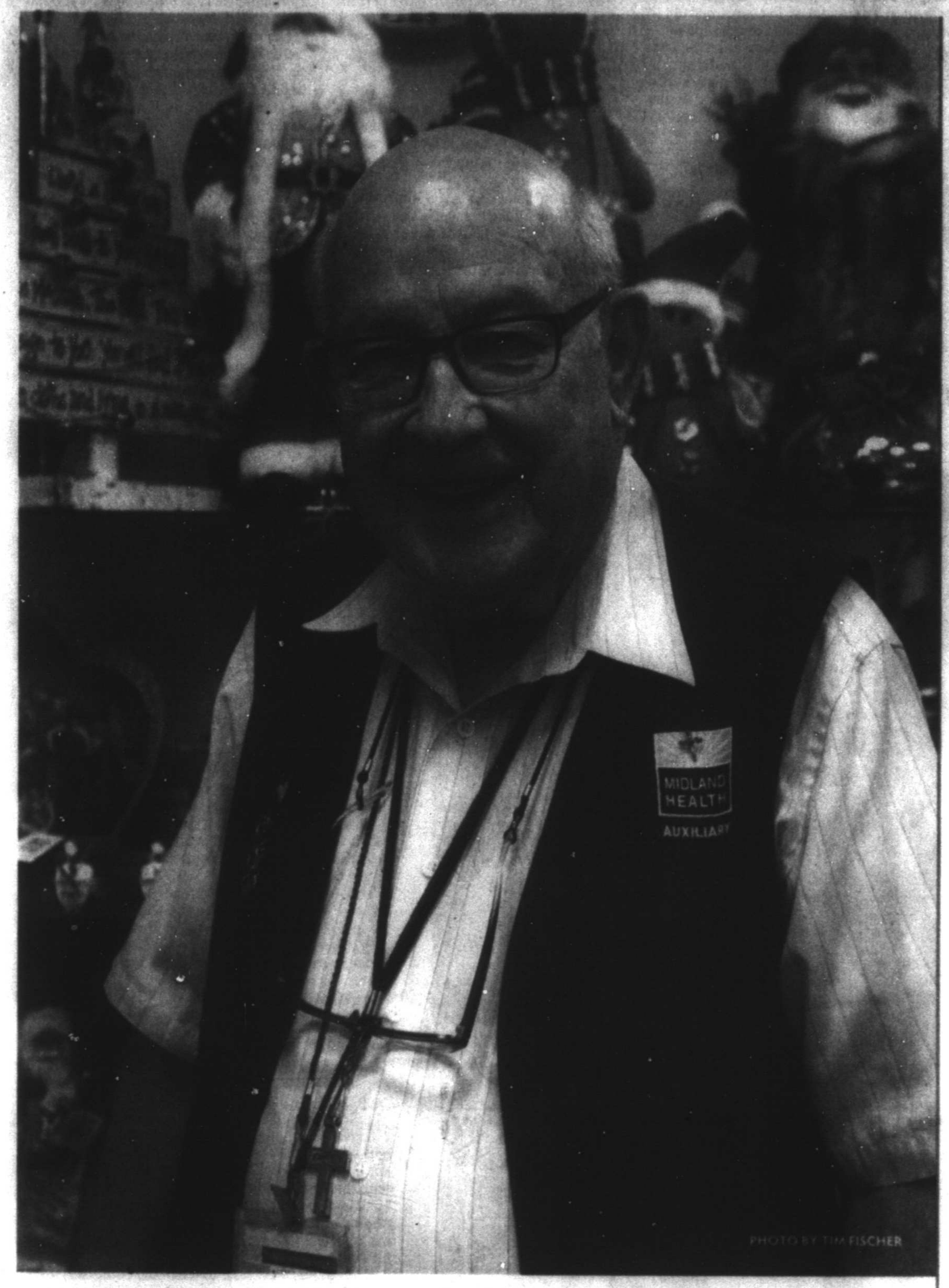

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JACK SWAN

MMH AUXILIARY VOLUNTEER

Community involvement: I volunteer with Midland Memorial Hospital Auxiliary. Also, I was the first probation officer for Judge Lucius Bunton in his court. I worked there from 1974 to 1989. I then spent the next 6 1/2 years as an investigator for the State Bar of Texas. My chief job was to investigate complaints from the general public concerning attorneys. I retired in 1996. Throughout my career I was an active Army reservist. The highest rank I achieved over my 40 years with the active Army reserve was a full colonel. I wore the eagle, and I am very proud of that achievement. I love my country.

How did you decide to serve your community as a volunteer with Midland Memorial Hospital Auxiliary? I had a dear sweet neighbor. Her name was Nada Loper. She was a volunteer at the hospital and loved what she did. She talked me into joining the auxiliary when I retired in 1996. I began my hospital work as a volunteer with the chaplain department. I helped with visitations. Then I discovered the surgery waiting room and found out that was my "calling" and one of my loves of life. I love to help people. About that time, my precious wife, Lynn, became very ill. So I took time off to be at home with her. After God took her home, I returned to the auxiliary, and of course, to the surgery waiting room. I currently serve on the executive board as the surgery waiting room chairman and am one of the gift shop food stockers. I have also served three terms as second vice president of the auxiliary. I am the membership chairman and keep up with meeting attendance.

What talents and skills do you share with the community through your role with the auxiliary? I am a people person. I have learned that I am a good listener and can help alleviate stress while someone is waiting on news from surgery. The waiting for some people is very tense. So providing coffee, magazines, newspapers to hospital families seems to help keep them occupied while the professionals do their work. I am a Christian, and through my love and patience with people I am able to serve my fellow man in a very meaningful way.

What unexpected lessons have you learned while serving as a volunteer? I have learned the peace that comes with understanding and patience that is the fruit of my efforts. I have learned that giving hugs and peppermint candies helps in more ways than you can imagine in relieving stress and reassuring families that their loved ones are receiving excellent care. I have also learned that what I give in terms of volunteering is returned to me in very unexpected and wonderful ways. It can be through a simple "thank you" for being there for them, or it can be through an unexpected gesture of "I am so happy ... thank you, and I have a new best friend."

What else would you like our readers to know about you? I have a son and a daughter and two grandsons that I adore. I love baseball. I love the RockHounds and am at the ballpark as often as I can be. I love sports, especially all the Texas teams. I have a brother, and I visit him as often as I can. Life is good for me. I enjoy every minute God gives me. Volunteering at Midland Memorial Hospital makes my life complete because I can be a "Jack of all trades."

"THE MAN WITH THE PLAN FOR EXCELLENT CUSTOMER SERVICE"

Jack Swan has been a volunteer at Midland Memorial Hospital for 17 years and has worked 12,500 hours. Jack works in the surgery waiting room. He always has a smile, a kind word and usually a hug for anyone who comes into the waiting room.

The surgery waiting room at Midland Memorial Hospital is a very busy place. Jack keeps up with the patients who are in pre-op, surgery or the recovery room. He is in constant contact with the nurses in surgery in order to keep his families well-informed as to the progress and location of their patients. He is the man with the plan.

In addition to his service to families in the waiting room, Jack helps stock food in the gift shop each Friday, and he keeps the drink cooler stocked with all types of drinks.

Jack is a member of the executive board of the MMH Auxiliary. He has served as second vice president and as chairman of the surgery waiting room for several years.

Jack is a tremendous asset to the auxiliary. He is kind-hearted and willing to help patients and their families in any way he can. He goes the extra mile to make sure his families have a great waiting-room experience. He knows that when a person is waiting on surgery news, it can be a hectic and nerve-wracking time. He is the man with the plan for excellent customer service.

Kimberly Modisett, *director of volunteers, Midland Memorial Hospital*

Want to help?

The Midland Memorial Hospital Auxiliary is in need of adult volunteers to help staff the information desk, popcorn service and golf cart service. Shifts are four hours once a week.

For more information, contact Kim Modisett at kim.modisett@midland-memorial.com or 221-1542, or visit the hospital's website, www.midland-memorial.com and click on "Ways to Give."

"JACK SWAN IS SPECIAL, KNOWS HOW TO MAKE PEOPLE FEEL AT EASE"

Jack Swan is one special man to the auxiliary. He is a person who always has a smile on his face.

He works in the surgery waiting room and adds his magic each time he is here. He knows how to make people feel at ease, and he keeps them informed on the progress of their patient. He is brilliant at multitasking because he keeps up with several dozen family groups at one time. He developed a chart that maps the surgery waiting room and provides the location of family members so they can be found quickly when the doctor arrives to talk to them.

Jack also helps us stock the food in the gift shop on Friday afternoons. In addition to stocking, he loves to shop for drink specials he can purchase at the best price so our gift shop can be profitable.

Another project Jack helps with in the auxiliary is the preparation and distribution of the gifts for new mothers. He calls his crew together every few weeks, and they stuff items into bags for the new mothers. Again, this takes organizational skills. Jack works his magic as he directs his crew to get these items ready for new mothers.

B.J. Caldwell, *MMH Auxiliary treasurer and past president*

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Three top takeaways for those who tweet

By Steven Overly
The Washington Post

■ TWITTER EARNINGS

The quarterly earnings Twitter released Thursday offered more than just financial data points for investors and analysts. The company gave insights on the future of the platform that are pertinent to those who use it regularly. Here are three key takeaways for Twitter users:

■ Expect more video — a lot more.

Twitter executives said Thursday that the company is focused on making more money from video advertising, its largest and fastest growing revenue segment. That means users will see the social network expand its offerings of both regularly scheduled programming and programming tied to major events.

The company already has a deal with the NFL to broadcast 10 games on its platform. Recent games have attracted more than 3 million viewers apiece, the company said. NBA-related content is next, with Twitter announcing plans last week for two sports talk shows during the upcoming season. You can expect more content around major league sports, including the NHL, to follow.

It might not be sports, but political gamesmanship has also been good for Twitter. The company live-streamed all three presidential debates and pulled in an average 3.3 million viewers on the last two. Its audience was mostly under the age of 35, a lucrative segment for advertisers, the company said. The election might end soon, but Twitter's foray into news broadcasting won't.

■ Expect greater use of artificial intelligence.

This year, Twitter altered its timeline algorithm so users see tweets they are likely to find important, not just those that were sent most recently. What's more, the company has built machine learning and artificial intelligence into its notifications to make them more relevant and keep users engaged with the platform.

Executives said they plan to build machine learning into more parts of the platform, including how it "onboards" new users, how it encourages users to tweet and how it serves up video advertisements. In all, the machine learning and artificial intelligence efforts are designed to make the user experience more personalized and seamless.

"We're looking more broadly at everything that we can do around technology, and machine learning specifically, to improve all of our experiences to make sure that Twitter continues to be the fastest way to see what's happening and also the highest-quality way," chief executive Jack Dorsey said during a conference call Thursday.

This should not come as a surprise to those following the company's acquisition history. In each of the past three years, Twitter has shelled out millions of dollars to scoop up artificial intelligence and machine learning start-ups. This summer, it paid $150 million for a firm called Magic Pony.

■ Expect more efforts to build online communities.

Users have traditionally turned to Twitter to follow the 140-character musings of individuals — from their friends and family to Donald Trump and Kim Kardashian West. Increasingly, though, the company wants to organize users around their shared interests.

One way Twitter plans to do that is to create timelines tailored to specific events, such as the aforementioned sporting events or political debates. Fans of a particular team or members of a political party could find the tweets of those with similar outlooks. Of course, in the long run, those communities could become markets for niche content and targeted advertising.

"In the past, we've definitely biased more toward helping people find individuals rather than meeting them around what they're interested in and what topics they care about most," Dorsey said. "We think Twitter is strongest around topics and interests, and we think we can do a much better job there."

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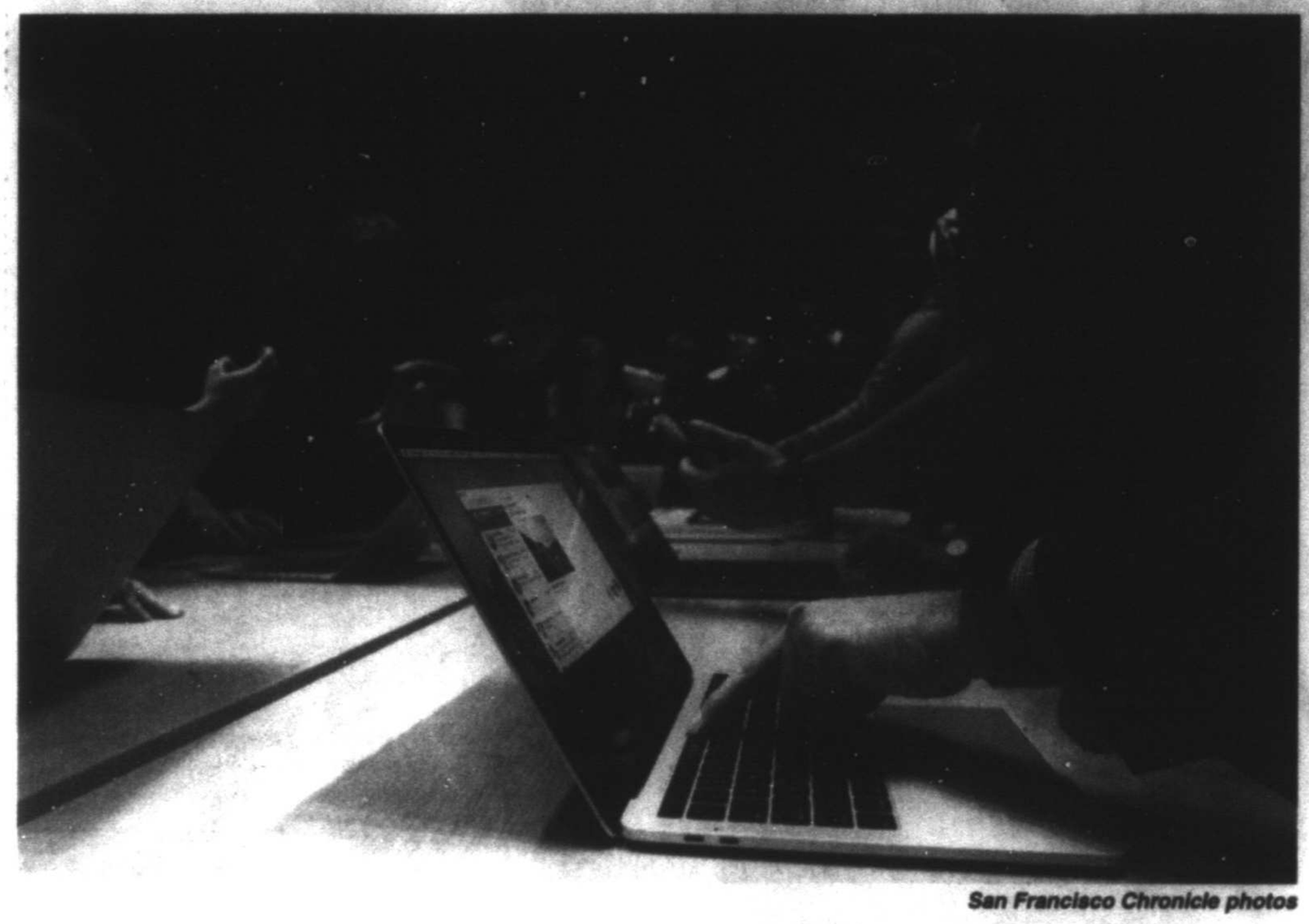

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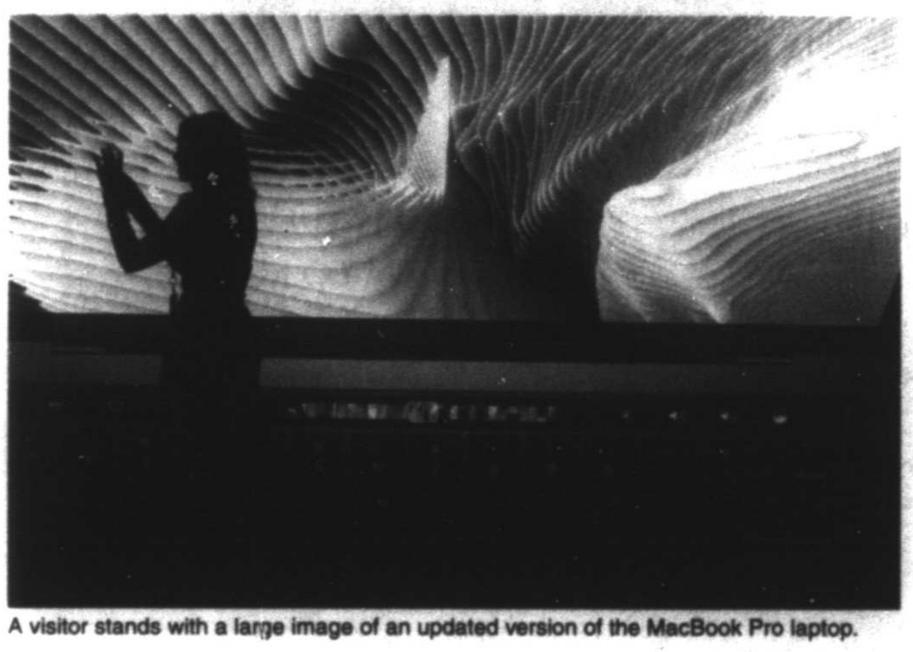
Guests try out the Touch Bar on the updated version of the MacBook Pro at Apple headquarters in Cupertino, Calif., on Thursday.

Apple unveils redesigned MacBook Pro

Hayley Tsukayama
The Washington Post



A visitor stands with a large image of an updated version of the MacBook Pro laptop.

CUPERTINO, CALIF. — Apple unveiled a redesigned MacBook Pro, which incorporates smartphone-like touch-screen features into the keyboard and carries a higher price tag of $1,800.

Apple has been furiously updating its smartphones every year, but it has been years since customers saw much more than basic refreshes of the company's highest-end laptop. At its event, Apple spent considerable time showing off its newest innovation for its new MacBook Pro. The company called it the "Touch Bar," which replaces the long-standing function keys at the top of the keyboard with a small touch-screen strip.

The Touch Bar changes depending on the program that is running on the computer. It offers quick typing suggestions in a word processor, emojis in a texting program, or volume and play buttons in a music program. It also offers "touch id," allowing the computer to be unlocked with a fingerprint.

The 13-inch MacBook Pro without the touch bar costs $1,500. The new feature brings that price up to $1,800. The 15-inch screen starts at $2,000. Previously the MacBook Pro line started at $1,300.

The rising price of Apple's notebooks is unusual in the consumer electronics world, where products such as big-screen TVs and computers become cheaper over time. But Apple has been making a bid to become an upscale retailer, something some analysts long ago thought was difficult to do in mass-produced hardware computers.

"The price points for the new MacBook Pro models sit in a rarified stratum of the PC market," J.P. Gownder, a technology analyst at Forrester, said Thursday. Laptops and tablets designed by Microsoft, he added, "have eaten away at Apple's lead among both high-end buyers and creators, so Apple had to fight back ... but Apple's deep brand loyalty will make the products successful among the target audience anyway."

Price also appears to be the way that Apple is distinguishing its somewhat confusing lineup of laptops. The new 13-inch MacBook Pro is actually thinner and weighs the same as Apple's 13-inch MacBook Air, which was originally intended to be the company's ultra-light laptop. The MacBook Air is priced at $1,000 and is Apple's cheapest notebook. Beyond these computers, Apple also offers its traditional MacBooks at various screen sizes, starting at $1300.

Apple said its new MacBook Pro has a 67 percent brighter screen, a faster processor, and is lighter — four pounds for the 15-inch notebook, which Phil Schiller, Apple senior vice president of worldwide marketing, said was "almost unheard of" for a high-performance professional notebook. It can be ordered online at apple.com.

Reporter loves the Touch Bar: How much will she use it?

■ REVIEW

Hayley Tsukayama
The Washington Post

Two seconds into using Apple's Touch Bar on the MacBook Pro, and I'm in love. The new touch-sensitive control bar, a second display that will display different controls based on the program you're using, is silky smooth, beautiful to behold and incredibly easy to use. What I'm not at all sure about, however, is how much I'll love the control bar once it's no longer in front of me.

There are two models with the Touch Bar, a 13-inch and a 15-inch one, which cost at least $300 more than the model without it. (The Touch Bar itself isn't the only difference; the more expensive models also have better processors, more ports and other upgrades.) When you're in front of these machines, it's hard not to be wowed. Both are impressive to look at, with their huge trackpads and bright screens. Both have Touch ID's fingerprint sensor built into the power button, which works as snappily as on the iPhone.

Apple also provided me with a 13-inch MacBook Pro without the Touch Bar to review, and I found the keyboard very pleasant to type on. I use a 12-inch MacBook myself as my usual laptop, and found that I liked the keyboard on the new MacBook Pro much better than on my own machine. Both use the same, slimmer "butterfly" technology that Apple introduced with the MacBook in 2015, which cuts down on bulk but can also feel too shallow to some users. Apple improved the design on the MacBook Pro by making the keys feel like they're traveling a little more deeply into the keyboard.

Even in the short time I've had the computer, it feels more powerful and impressive than its predecessors. If you're upgrading from an older MacBook Pro, this will feel like an upgrade: the screen is brighter, the performance is noticeably better and the computers themselves are lighter. Not bad, as a total package.

But the focus of this new line really is the Touch Bar. It changes depending on what program you're using. For example, if you're using Safari, the bar may feature your favorite sites. I have nothing bad to say about it — apart from the fact that it may require some creative ergonomics to use comfortably.

The display on the Touch Bar is impressive, particularly when showing off color much more vibrantly than you'd expect from that tiny strip. Apple's made it easy and intuitive to customize. I'm a person who likes physical, clicky buttons, but even I have to admit that the added functionality of the adaptable software controls on the Touch Bar is intriguing. Not all of the Touch Bar controls are necessarily time-savers. For example, some observers of Thursday's event remarked that the Touch Bar adds steps in Photoshop.

But some of the controls do save you having to go through annoying drop-down menus, instead putting them at your fingertips. Being able to customize the Touch Bar is a huge perk for often-used functions. For example, if you have an abnormal devotion to flagging messages, or if you're an "Archive" person instead of a "Trash" person in Mail (or vice-versa) you can add those quick shortcuts right to your keyboard through the Touch Bar. In other programs, it gives you finer, more visceral control — you can slide through a spectrum to get just the right shade in Photos, or hit just the right decibel level in iTunes without making your finger do a jackhammer impression on your volume keys.

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Photo of fallen service members is one for the history books

By Hal Bernton
The Seattle Times

SEATTLE — More than a dozen years ago, Tami Silicio, a native of Edmonds, Washington, took a photo of the tunnel-like interior of a cargo plane that held more than 20 flag-draped coffins of U.S. service members killed in Iraq and soon to be flown home.

First published by The Seattle Times, the image quickly gained a global audience and helped to fuel a volatile debate about a U.S. government policy that prohibited the media from taking pictures of such scenes. It also cost Silicio her job in Kuwait with a military contractor. This month, the 2004 picture is included in a Time anthology book, "100 Photographs: The Most Influential Images of All Time," and will be part of a companion digital display scheduled for rollout later this fall.

Though the picture would become a rallying point for those opposed to U.S. policy in Iraq, Silicio said that, at the time, she did not intend an anti-war image. The aircraft interior felt almost like a shrine, she said, and she hoped the photo would convey the respect and the dignity with which the workers went about their tasks.

"I feel honored," Silicio said. "The photo was honest. It captured the respect for the dead, and that's what it should have been about. That photo stirred up a whole lot of stuff around this nation. People's emotions were touched."

In the Time book, Silicio's photograph is included along with images that range from a Mathew Brady photo of Abraham Lincoln to the iconic shot of the World War II flag-raising on Iwo Jima by Joe Rosenthal. The book's publication marks the 175th anniversary of photography.

"This was a censored photograph published on the front page of a major newspaper in 2004 and was extremely influential," said Kira Pollack, Time's director of photography and visual enterprise.

The Seattle Times first received Silicio's picture, taken with a Nikon Coolpix, from one of her stateside friends, Amy Katz, who had worked

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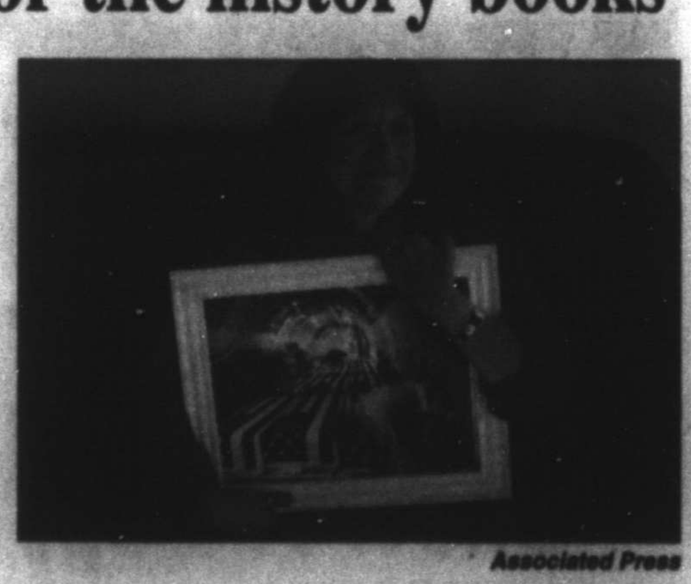

Associated Press

Tami Silicio poses in Seattle on Oct. 21 with the photographer she made as an air cargo worker in 2004 that shows flag-draped coffins being transported back to the United States.

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TNT	24 34	40 26	50 (5:00) The Green Mile Tom Hanks.		S.W.A.T. A drug lord offers a large reward to anyone who can break him out of police custody.				Eraser A United States marshal becomes a target when he vows to protect a female witness.			
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Perry's 'Madea' stuns Hanks' 'Inferno' in box office upset

By Jake Coyle
Associated Press

NEW YORK — Tom Hanks. Tom Cruise. Ben Affleck. None of them have been a match for Tyler Perry's Madea.

In a surprise victory at the weekend box office, Perry's "Boo! A Madea Halloween" toppled another A-lister as Hanks' and Ron Howard's new Dan Brown adaption, "Inferno," went up in flames. Perry's latest movie about his tough-talking grandmother remained No. 1 for the second straight week with an estimated $16.7 million.

That was enough to scare away the third installment of the "Da Vinci Code" franchise. According to studio estimates Sunday, "Inferno" bombed with $15 million, about half of what more bullish predictions anticipated.

Sony Pictures and "Inferno" could take solace in stronger overseas business. In three weeks of international release, the Italy-set film has earned nearly $150 million. The studio also stressed that the $75 million budget for "Inferno" was half that of 2006's "The Da Vinci Code" or 2009's "Angels & Demons."

But the unexpectedly poor performance of "Inferno" was yet another example of an anxious trend in the movie business: More of the same isn't working.

Poorly reviewed and coming seven years after the last Robert Langdon thriller, "Inferno" arrived long after the Dan Brown craze. "Angels & Demons" opened with $46.1 million in 2009. Efforts to adapt the third book in Brown's series, "The Lost Symbol," were scuttled in favor of Brown's fourth installment, "Inferno."

Next week's big North American opening, Marvel's "Doctor Strange," opened in 33 territories abroad where it kicked things off with $86 million.

Estimated ticket sales for Friday through Sunday at U.S. and Canadian theaters, according to comScore. Where available, the latest international numbers for Friday through Sunday are also included. Final domestic figures will be released today.

1. "Boo! A Madea Halloween," $16.7 million.
2. "Inferno," $15 million ($29.1 million international).
3. "Jack Reacher: Never Go Back," $9.6 million ($11.6 million international).
4. "The Accountant," $8.5 million ($7.9 million international).
5. "Ouija: Origin of Evil," $7.1 million ($8.3 million international).
6. "The Girl on the Train," $4.3 million ($7 million international).
7. "Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children," $4 million ($7.5 million international).
8. "Keeping Up With the Joneses," $3.4 million ($1.4 million international).
9. "Storks," $2.8 million ($5.2 million international).
10. "Ae Dil Hai Mushkil," $2.1 million ($10.7 million international).

Estimated ticket sales for Friday through Sunday at international theaters (excluding the U.S. and Canada), according to comScore:

1. "Doctor Strange," $86 million.
2. "Trolls," $30 million.
3. "Inferno," $29.1 million.
4. "Jack Reacher: Never Go Back," $11.6 million.
5. "Ae Dil Hai Mushkil," $10.7 million.
6. "Mr. Donkey," $8.7 million.
7. "Ouija: Origin of Evil," $8.3 million.
8. "Mechanic: Resurrection," $8 million.
9. "The Accountant," $7.9 million.
10. "Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children," $7.5 million.

Touch Bar

From 2B

And, in any case, the Touch Bar controls are about intuition — not necessarily about saving time for power users who've memorized all of the keyboard shortcuts, but for making various features more available to the average user. With zero training, I knew exactly how to use the Touch Bar. That's not nothing.

So, in a vacuum, these are really exciting and excellent computers. In the real world, they are still excellent — but there are other things to consider.

Price is a big one. The MacBook Pro line has always been Apple's premium line, and that's never been more apparent. The new entry-level 13-inch MacBook Pro without the Touch Bar is $1,500. If you want the Touch Bar, you have to pay at least $1800. If you wanted, you could spend about $4800 on a fully tricked-out 15-inch MacBook Pro with all the bells, whistles and software that Apple offers. That's not insignificant.

There's also the fact that Apple is really pushing its users into new technology — which means we're going to have a transition

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iTunes list

Music

The top 10 songs and albums on the iTunes Store
The Associated Press iTunes' Official Music Charts for the week ending Oct. 27:

Top Songs
1. Closer (feat. Halsey), The Chainsmokers
2. Starboy (feat. Daft Punk), The Weeknd
3. Fake Love, Drake
4. Heathens, twenty one pilots
5. 24K Magic, Bruno Mars
6. Hallelujah, Pentatonix
7. Side To Side (feat. Nicki Minaj), Ariana Grande
8. Sneakin' (feat. 21 Savage), Drake
9. Starving (feat. Zedd), Hailee Steinfeld & Grey
10. i hate u, i love u (feat. olivia o'brien), gnash

Top Albums
1. Joanne, Lady Gaga
2. A Pentatonix Christmas, Pentatonix
3. Nobody But Me , Michael Bublé
4. Cosmic Hallelujah, Kenny Chesney
5. The Serenity of Suffering, Korn
6. Hamilton, Original Broadway Cast of Hamilton
7. You Want It Darker, Leonard Cohen
8. Lifelines, I Prevail
9. Lady Wood, Tove Lo
10. WALLS, Kings of Leon

Source: Apple Inc.

Apps

The top iPhone and iPad apps on App Store
The Associated Press App Store Official Charts for the week ending Oct. 23:

Top Paid iPhone Apps:
1. Minecraft: Pocket Edition, Mojang
2. Heads Up!, Warner Bros.
3. Earn to Die, Not Doppler
4. Facetune, Lightricks Ltd.
5. Enlight, Lightricks Ltd.
6. Bloons TD 5, Ninja Kiwi
7. Toca Lab, Toca Boca AB
8. Plague Inc., Ndemic Creations
9. Plants vs. Zombies, PopCap
10. iSchedule, HotSchedules

Top Free iPhone Apps:
1. Plants vs. Zombies Heroes, Electronic Arts
2. Messenger, Facebook, Inc.
3. Snapchat, Snap, Inc.
4. YouTube, Google, Inc.
5. Facebook, Facebook, Inc.
6. Instagram, Instagram, Inc.
7. Bitmoji - Your Personal Emoji, Bitstrips
8. Ever - Free Photo Storage, Everalbum, Inc.
9. Google Maps - Navigation & Transit, Google, Inc.
10. SMILE Inc., Super Lame Games

Top Paid iPad Apps:
1. Minecraft: Pocket Edition, Mojang
2. Toca Lab, Toca Boca AB
3. Toca Boo, Toca Boca AB
4. XtraMath, XtraMath
5. Toca Kitchen 2, Toca Boca AB
6. Five Nights at Freddy's, Scott Cawthon
7. Geometry Dash, RobTop Games AB
8. Terraria, 505 Games (US), Inc.
9. Amaranthine Voyage: The Orb of Purity (Full), Big Fish Games, Inc
10. Five Nights at Freddy's 2, Scott Cawthon

Top Free iPad Apps:
1. Plants vs. Zombies Heroes, Electronic Arts
2. Best Fiends Forever, Seriously
3. YouTube, Google, Inc.
4. Netflix, Netflix, Inc.
5. Minecraft: Story Mode, Telltale Inc
6. SMILE Inc., Super Lame Games
7. FIFA Mobile Football, Electronic Arts
8. Messenger, Facebook, Inc.
9. Facebook, Facebook, Inc.
10. Trolls: Crazy Party Forest!, Ubisoft

Source: Apple Inc.

Movies

The top 10 movies on the iTunes Store
The Associated Press iTunes Movies U.S. charts for week ending Oct. 23:

iTunes Movies US Charts:
1. Bad Moms
2. Independence Day: Resurgence
3. Ghostbusters (2016)
4. Alice Through the Looking Glass (2016)
5. The Infiltrator
6. The Legend of Tarzan (2016)
7. Café Society
8. Central Intelligence
9. Neighbors 2: Sorority Rising
10. Mike and Dave Need Wedding Dates

iTunes Movies US Charts - Independent:
1. The Infiltrator
2. Our Kind of Traitor
3. In a Valley of Violence
4. Emelie
5. Hunt for the Wilderpeople
6. Blood Father
7. Hello, My Name Is Doris
8. Captain Fantastic
9. Swiss Army Man
10. King Cobra

Source: Apple Inc.

Users mourn as Twitter kills Vine video app

By Barbara Ortutay
Associated Press

NEW YORK — You can watch any video for six seconds, played on an infinite loop. The funniest ones only get more ridiculous with repetition.That was the beauty of Vine, the simple, pioneering mobile video app that Twitter has decided to kill off. Its loyal users are mourning its weirdness, humor and creativity-boosting constraints.

There are alternatives, sure, but nothing as simple as Vine, which did just one thing and one thing well. Instagram has photos and videos of all sorts. Snapchat keeps expanding features, and it isn't really meant for mindless scrolling of humorous content. Facebook, well, we all know Facebook.

Vine's demise is a story of what happens when a cool, edgy, but money-losing service fails to take off with the masses amid competition from heavyweight rivals. On the other hand, had Vine gained mass popularity, it might have lost its edge, the essence of what made Vine Vine, and instead got gobbled up by big brands and sanitized into the mainstream — a bit like what's happened to Twitter, or Instagram.

Twitter bought Vine a few months before the service launched in 2013. The service enjoyed a brief surge in popularity before it got overtaken by Snapchat and Instagram, which introduced 15-second videos later that year.

Jessica Vasquez, a makeup artist and self-described "professional potato" who goes by Jessi Smiles on Vine, hasn't posted to that account since March. On Instagram, though, she was active five days ago and on Twitter, as recently as Thursday, when she lamented the demise of the beloved app.

Vine also attracted some unlikely fans, such as the Kansas-based Westboro Baptist Church, perhaps best known for protesting the funerals of fallen soldiers with inflammatory anti-gay signs.

More importantly perhaps, Vine was popular with black and Hispanic teens and 20-somethings, often more so than with their white counterparts. According to the Pew Research Center, 31 percent of black teens used Vine as of 2015, compared with just 22 percent of white, non-Hispanic teens.

In a 2015 op-ed piece in the Guardian, commentator Hannah Giorgi wrote that "Black users utilize Vine in hilarious, multi-faceted, complex and game-changing ways."

"At a time when barriers to entry in Hollywood and formal creative industries continue to be almost insurmountable for black media-makers, the ability to simply record a video with one's phone and share it widely presents a more widely accessible opportunity for creative ingenuity," she added.

REVIEW

From 3B

period here. Although the MacBook Pro fixes one of users' greatest laments about the MacBook — the MacBook has a single USB-C port; the new MacBook Pros have four — people will still need to use adapters for most of their accessories. This, quite frankly, can be annoying. I personally have forgotten adapters on business trips before, making my job unnecessarily harder. (In my case, I need an adapter for my digital voice recorder. Your mileage may vary.)

That problem won't last forever; USB-C is likely to become the new standard. But that isn't the case now, and prospective buyers should know they're going to have to wait for an adapter-free existence. Transition periods can be annoying like that.

Even the Touch Bar itself, while an intriguing addition that gives an honestly wonderful experience, will take some time to get used to. And if developers other than Apple don't embrace the technology and add some tricks of their own, a worst-case scenario could see the Touch Bar going down in history as a great missed opportunity: a piece of tech that was interesting, but never lived up to its full potential.

That grim picture of the Touch Bar's future is not a prediction, by any means. It could easily become second nature to swipe, tap and slide at the top of my keyboard. I sort of hope it does, because it's a lot of fun in the demos. But it will take me — and, likely, most other Mac users — some time to figure out just how to make the Touch Bar personally useful to justify the MacBook Pro's price tag for all but the most faithful Mac users. That hurdle may prove a hard one for Apple to overcome, and it will have to make a strong case to users and developers to get all of us to jump it.

PHOTO

From 2B

with Silicio for a different contractor in Kosovo.

Silicio, at the time, was based at Kuwait International Airport for Maytag Aircraft, and took the image after boarding a plane where a half-dozen colleagues labored largely in silence to secure the coffins.

The photo arrived at the newspaper in early April 2004, a pivotal period in the invasion and subsequent occupation of Iraq, as the death toll of U.S troops rose amid a growing insurgency.

It was also taken at a crossroads moment in technology, when photos could be easily emailed around the world, but Facebook, then only a few months old, did not yet offer an instantaneous platform to self-publish.

The newspaper did not rush to release the photo but held onto it for more than a week. In phone calls with Silicio, Barry Fitzsimmons, then a Seattle Times photo editor, said this was a potent and important image. But he warned of the potential implications of the public release, including the risk that Silicio would lose her job.

On April 18, 2004, the photograph was published, paired with an article about Silicio's work in Kuwait and why she took the picture.

"Those of us at The Times knew the picture would be important, if only because the government prohibits the press from taking such photos. But we didn't dream it would spark so much interest worldwide," wrote Mike Fancher, then the executive editor of The Times, in a May 2, 2004, column written after two weeks of fielding media interviews and poring through an avalanche of reader responses.

Some were critical of the decision to publish, assuming political motivation. But most were positive, including several from parents of fallen service members who did not want to conceal the sacrifice their children had made.

"Hiding the death and destruction of this war does not make it easier on anyone except those who want to keep the truth away from the people," wrote Bill Mitchell, father of Staff Sgt. Michael Mitchell, who was killed in Iraq just days before Silicio took her photo and whose remains may have been on the aircraft.

Within days after the photo was published, Silicio was let go from Maytag for violating company and government regulations.

In the years that followed, Silicio couldn't get other military-contracting jobs. Back home, she struggled financially, losing the home she had purchased in Everett to a bank, as she was unable to keep up with her mortgage payments.

Now 62, Silicio says she has spent much of the past 12 years helping to raise her grandchildren. She now lives in Seattle and says she does not regret her decision to allow publication of the photo.

The policy that prohibited the media from taking such pictures was put in place in 1991 during the Gulf War. In 2009, the Obama administration decided to lift the ban.

"This photo absolutely had something to do with that," said Fitzsimmons, the former Times editor. "It was eye-opening. It made the war more real, and the sacrifice more real. When you see it, it hits home."

Today, the war in Iraq continues.

The numbers of U.S. troops, numbering nearly 6,000, has once again been on the rise, although greatly reduced from a peak of more than 165,000 during the Bush administration.

The week before last, a U.S. service member was killed by a roadside bomb.

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They say Dr. Syed is a girl's best friend—learn why this Thursday, November 3 between 12 & 7 p.m.

Have you been telling yourself you were going to find a way to look younger and feel better—but just couldn't find an opportunity to actually do that?

This Thursday, November 3, from noon to 7:00 p.m. Medical Spa of Midland's 12th Annual Open House will give you the perfect opportunity to take that first step. Not only will there be giveaways of treatments worth thousands of dollars, you'll also have the chance to consult with experts on all the health and aesthetic services Medical Spa of Midland offers.

This will include several exciting procedures new to Medical Spa of Midland such as Facial Thread Lifts, vaginal rejuvenation, the Oh-Mazing Shot and Facial Rejuvenation with your own growth factors. There you can begin to decide which treatments will help you the most.

During their Open House Medical Spa of Midland will give you the chance to receive some of the $15,000-plus worth of treatments they'll be giving away every 30 minutes (you must be present to win one of these) including Botox and dermal fillers as well as advanced treatments like platelet rich plasma (PRP), laser with ultrasound liposuction, CoolSculpting and of course the amazing Grand Prize, laser with ultrasound liposuction.

There will be an additional prize, the Liquid Laser Facelift, valued at $3500 that you do not have to be present to win but you must attend and register during the event. This will be awarded through an end-of-the-day drawing. The winner will be announced on Facebook.

There will be two CoolSculpting demos, one at 1:00 p.m. and the other at 4:00 p.m.. Cool Sculpting is a non-surgical fat-reduction treatment that uses controlled cooling to eliminate stubborn fat that resists all efforts through diet and exercise.

While you're there you can also learn how Dr. Syed is making it possible to do medical practice in the calm, fully engaged way it used to be. Known as ConciergeMD Midland, a patient pays a flat fee and receives more in-depth consultation and treatment than is possible under insurance-based plans, allowing Dr. Syed time to delve further into health and wellness issues including hormone imbalance and treatment with hormone pellets.

All those resolutions, all those times you told yourself, "Someday I'll call Medical Spa of Midland and make an appointment"—well, THIS is your day. Call now to preregister for this event. Make that simple commitment to showing up on Thursday no matter what other temptations there are. Take advantage of the amazing giveaways and sales—and you'll already be on your way to looking younger and feeling better. It's no wonder they say Dr. Syed is a girl's best friend!

"Look younger, feel better" is more than a slogan at Medical Spa of Midland—it's what they can do for you. They are located at 4506 Briarwood. Call (432) 689-6300 today to preregister for the open house happening Thursday, November third. The web address is www.medical-spaofmidland.com.

This Thursday, November 3, find out why Dr. Mohsin Syed, is a girl's best friend. Take that step toward looking younger and feeling better by calling Medical Spa of Midland today to register for their open house. It features free consultations, more than $15,000 in prizes, and demonstrations of treatments designed to help you look younger and feel better.

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Cubs stop Indians, cut World Series deficit to 3-2

By Ronald Blum
Associated Press

CHICAGO — They've waited 108 years for a championship. So with this World Series on the verge of slipping away, the Chicago Cubs could not wait any longer.

Manager Joe Maddon summoned closer Aroldis Chapman from the bullpen in the seventh inning for the first eight-out save of his big league career, needing to hold off the Cleveland Indians in Game 5.

As nervous fans fretted at Wrigley Field, Chapman fired his 100 mph heat and preserved the Cubs' 3-2 win Sunday night, cutting Cleveland's lead to 3-2.

The Cubs won a Series game at Wrigley for the first time since Game 6 in 1945.

Now, the team that led the majors in wins this year will try to extend its season again Tuesday night when Chicago right-hander Jake Arrieta faces Josh Tomlin at Cleveland in Game 6.

Chicago is trying to become the first club to overcome a 3-1 Series deficit since the 1985 Kansas City Royals and the first to do it by winning Games 6 and 7 on the road since the 1979 Pittsburgh Pirates.

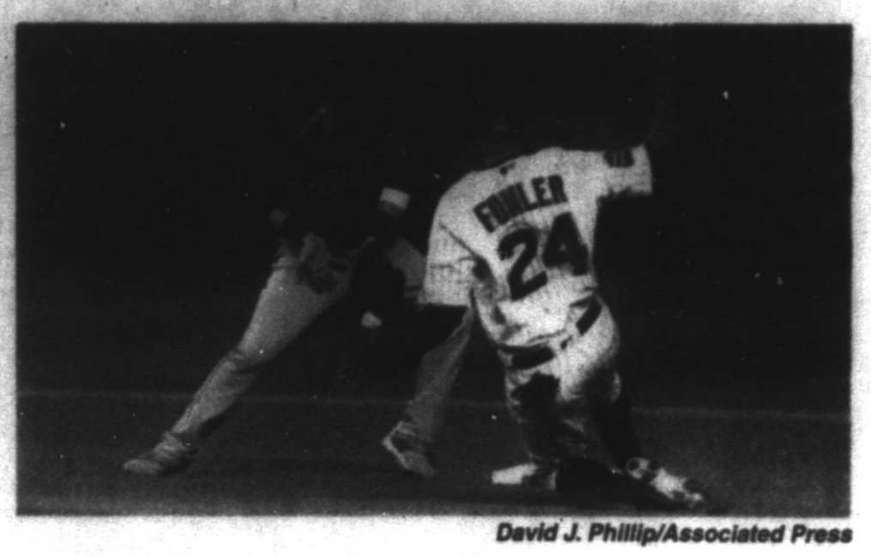
Cleveland, in search of its first title since 1948, is in search of its third-ever title and has won the championship at home just once, in 1920.

Chapman hadn't pitched in the seventh inning since 2012. He threw 42 pitches, 15 of them at least 100 mph.

The lefty struck out four and fanned Jose Ramirez, who had homered earlier, with 101 mph heat to end it.

World Series Glance

WORLD SERIES
(Best-of-7; x-if necessary)
All games televised by Fox
Cleveland 3, Chicago 1
Tuesday, Oct. 25: Cleveland 6, Chicago 0
Wednesday, Oct. 26: Chicago 5, Cleveland 1
Friday, Oct. 28: Cleveland 1, Chicago 0
Saturday, Oct. 29: Cleveland 7, Chicago 2
Sunday, Oct. 30: Chicago 3, Cleveland 2
Tuesday, Nov. 1: Chicago (Arrieta 18-8) at Cleveland (Tomlin 6-8), 7:08 p.m.
x-Wednesday, Nov. 2: Chicago at Cleveland, 7:08 p.m.



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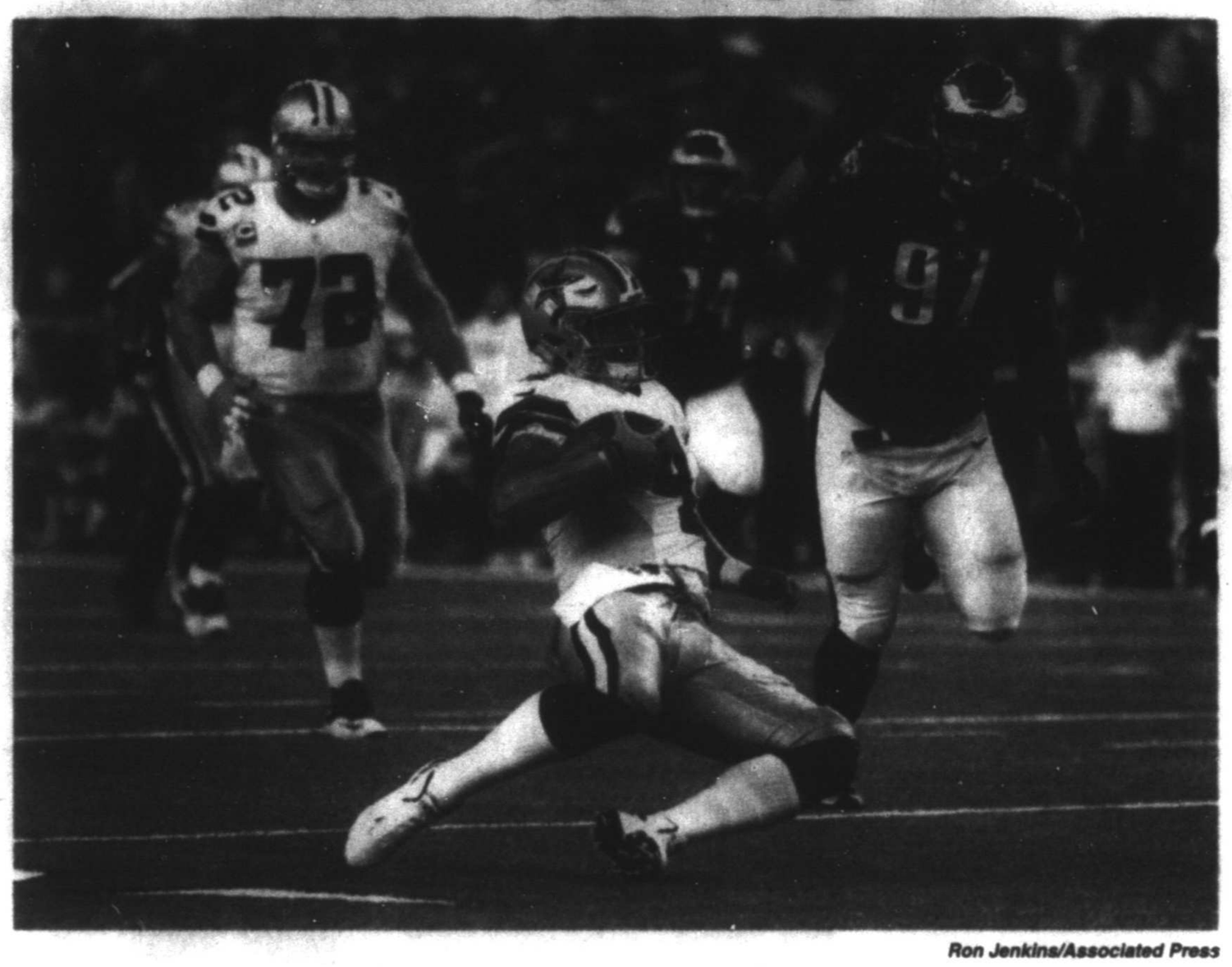
Cleveland Indians' Jason Kipnis takes the throw as Chicago Cubs' Dexter Fowler steals second during the seventh inning of Game 5 of the Major League Baseball World Series on Sunday in Chicago.

Dak saves it



Ron Jenkins/Associated Press

Dallas Cowboys quarterback Dak Prescott (4) slides to the ground after running the ball as Philadelphia Eagles defensive tackle Destiny Vaeao (97) gives chase in the first half of an NFL game Sunday in Arlington.

Prescott rallies Cowboys to OT win over Eagles

By Schuyler Dixon
Associated Press

ARLINGTON — Dak Prescott threw a 5-yard touchdown pass to Jason Witten in overtime to give the Dallas Cowboys their sixth straight victory, 29-23 over the Philadelphia Eagles on Sunday night.

Prescott won the rookie quarterback duel with Carson Wentz, rallying the Cowboys with a late tying pass to Dez Bryant. Dallas (6-1) overcame a 10-point deficit in the fourth quarter to take a two-game division lead.

The 23-year-old Prescott recovered from a shaky start, finishing 19 of 39 for 287 yards with two scores and an end zone interception that cost the Cowboys points late in the first half.

Wentz had the Eagles (4-3) in position for a win with another efficient performance. But he couldn't move Philadelphia late in regulation with the game tied. The Eagles never got the ball in overtime after Prescott led the 75-yard scoring drive.

On the winning play, Prescott started to his right before spinning back to his left and finding a wide-open Witten, who broke Ed "Too Tall" Jones' franchise record with his 204th start.

Bryant had four catches for 113 yards, including a 53-yarder to set up the first Dallas touchdown, in the 2014 All-Pro's return after missing three games with a hairline fracture in his right knee.

Ezekiel Elliott's NFL rookie record of four straight games with at least 130 yards rushing end, but the NFL's rushing leader played a big part on the winning drive with 18 yards rushing and a 10-yard catch that set up Witten's score. He finished with 96 yards on 22 carries.

Prescott's TD pass to Witten tied Troy Aikman's rookie franchise record of nine scoring passes after Wentz broke Donovan McNabb's rookie mark of eight from 1999 with his ninth of the season, a 5-yarder to Jordan Matthews that put Philadelphia up 20-10 in the third quarter.

Darren Sproles had a season-high 86 yards rushing on 15 carries for the Eagles. Matthews had 11 catches for 65 yards.

Not so special: The Cowboys had a rough first quarter on special teams. Lucky Whitehead fumbled the opening kickoff but recovered it. The Eagles later got the ball back after punting when Dallas was called for too many men on the field. Then the Cowboys were called for running into Sturgis, although replays showed a pretty good acting job and the penalty was declined because it wasn't a personal foul and Sturgis made the 30-yarder.

Injuries: Eagles OL Allen Barbre left in the first half with a hamstring injury and didn't return. ... Cowboys S Barry Church left with an arm injury in the second half and didn't return. ... Cowboys CB Morris Claiborne left with a groin injury late in the fourth quarter.

Sunday's Week 8 NFL Scoreboard

Texans 20	Patriots 41
Lions 13	Bills 25
Cowboys 29	Saints 25
Eagles 23 (OT)	Seahawks 20
Redskins 27	Raiders 30
Bengals 27 (OT)	Buccaneers 24 (OT)
Panthers 30	Broncos 27
Cardinals 20	Chargers 19
Chiefs 30	Falcons 33
Colts 14	Packers 32
Jets 31	
Browns 28	

Texans stay perfect at home with 20-13 win over Lions

By Kristie Rieken
Associated Press

HOUSTON — Despite mounting criticism in recent weeks, Brock Osweiler continues to look pretty comfortable in Houston.

Osweiler bounced back from an ugly performance by throwing for 186 yards and a touchdown to help the Texans remain perfect at home this season with a 20-13 win over the Detroit Lions on Sunday.

The Texans (5-3) have lost all of their road games, including a 27-9 loss to Denver on Monday.

"He had a good day," coach Bill O'Brien said. "You're judged as a quarterback by helping your team win and I thought he did a nice job of helping us win."

Osweiler has struggled in his first season with the Texans, but has been better at home where he's thrown eight of his nine touchdown passes.

"I'm not concerned about the criticism," Osweiler said. "Getting a win at home going into the bye to really put an exclamation mark on the first half of the season means so much to me."

On Sunday, he gave the Texans a 7-0 lead on a 6-yard touchdown pass to C.J. Fiedorowicz in the second quarter. The Texans made it 14-0 when Lamar Miller bulled his way into the end zone from a yard out later in the quarter. That score was set up when DeAndre Hopkins used one hand to make a 12-yard reception.

Osweiler believes he's starting to find chemistry with his star receiver.

"Every time I break the huddle, I'm looking to see where he's at ... trying to see if I can get him the football," he said.

Hopkins finished with four receptions for 44 yards.

The Lions (4-4) cut the lead to seven when Theo Riddick connected with Matthew Stafford on a 1-yard touchdown reception early in the fourth quarter.

Houston added a field goal after that before a 34-yard field goal by Matt Prater got Detroit back within a score. But Houston recovered an onside kick and ran out the clock to secure the victory.

"We couldn't put enough points on the board, offensively, in the first half, we were just stagnant," Lions coach Jim Caldwell said. "Defensively, we stopped the run until midway through the third quarter and they really took control on the ground. We just didn't play as well as we're capable of."

Stafford threw for 240 yards and a touchdown for Detroit, which had a three-game winning streak snapped as the Lions

Please see TEXANS/3C

Brett Coomer/Houston Chronicle

Houston Texans quarterback Brock Osweiler (17) calls a play at the line of scrimmage during the first quarter of an NFL game against the Detroit Lions at NRG Stadium on Sunday in Houston.

DAILYRUNDOWN

FROM STAFF AND WIRE REPORTS

ON THE AIR

College Golf
East Lake Cup, Individual Championship, 2 p.m., GOLF

Men's Soccer
Premier League: Stoke City vs. Swansea City, 3 p.m., NBCSN

National Basketball Association
Chicago at Brooklyn, 6:30 p.m., NBAtv

National Football League
Minnesota at Chicago, 7:30 p.m., ESPN, ESPNDEP

Tennis
ATP: Paris, 5 a.m., TENNIS

Women's Soccer
SEC 1st Round: Tennessee vs. Ole Miss, 3:30 p.m., SEC
SEC 1st Round: Texas A&M vs. Alabama, 6 p.m., SEC

COLLEGE FOOTBALL POLLS

AP Top 25 Poll

The Top 25 teams in The Associated Press college football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Oct. 2, total points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote, and previous ranking:

	Record	Pts	Pv
1. Alabama (60)	8-0	1524	1
2. Michigan (1)	8-0	1435	2
3. Clemson	8-0	1401	3
4. Washington	8-0	1369	4
5. Louisville	7-1	1282	5
6. Ohio St.	7-1	1207	6
7. Texas A&M	7-1	1150	9
8. Wisconsin	6-2	1122	11
9. Nebraska	7-1	951	7
10. Florida	6-1	929	14
11. Auburn	6-2	927	15
12. Oklahoma	6-2	835	16
13. Baylor	6-1	693	8
14. West Virginia	6-1	620	10
15. LSU	5-2	586	19
16. Utah	7-2	506	17
17. W. Michigan	8-0	481	20
18. North Carolina	6-2	423	21
19. Florida St.	5-3	409	12
20. Penn St.	6-2	390	24
21. Colorado	6-2	375	23
22. Oklahoma St.	6-2	355	NR
23. Virginia Tech	6-2	345	25
24. Boise St.	7-1	203	13
25. Washington St.	6-2	139	NR

Others receiving votes: Houston 65, Southern Cal 40, San Diego St. 21, Troy 20, Tennessee 17, South Florida 10, Arkansas 7, Wyoming 5, Tulsa 3.

Amway Top 25 Poll

The Amway Top 25 football coaches poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Oct. 2, total points based on 25 points for first place through one point for 25th, and previous ranking:

	Record	Pts	Pvs
1. Alabama (63)	8-0	1599	1
2. Michigan	8-0	1492	2
3. Clemson (1)	8-0	1488	3
4. Washington	8-0	1434	4
5. Louisville	7-1	1322	5
6. Ohio State	7-1	1269	8
7. Texas A&M	7-1	1207	10
8. Wisconsin	6-2	1147	11
9. Florida	6-1	1039	12
10. Nebraska	7-1	963	6
11. Oklahoma	6-2	907	15
12. Auburn	6-2	896	17
13. Baylor	6-1	810	6
14. LSU	5-2	652	19
15. West Virginia	6-1	642	9
16. Utah	7-2	523	16
17. North Carolina	6-2	500	20
18. Western Michigan	8-0	448	21
19. Florida State	5-3	432	14
20. Colorado	6-2	394	23
21. Virginia Tech	6-2	335	25
22. Oklahoma State	6-2	298	NR
23. Penn State	6-2	296	NR
24. Boise State	7-1	266	13
25. Washington State	6-2	146	NR

Others receiving votes: Houston 111; Tennessee 38; San Diego State 36; South Florida 34; Southern California 28; Arkansas 10; Troy 7; Navy 6; Middle Tennessee 5; Wyoming 5; Appalachian State 4; Northwestern 3; Tulsa 3; Minnesota 2; Louisiana Tech 1; Mississippi 1; Pittsburgh 1.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL STANDINGS

Big 12 Conference

	Conference W	L	PF	PA	All Games W	L	PF	PA
Oklahoma	5	0	257	165	6	2	363	260
Oklahoma St	4	1	192	137	6	2	325	212
Baylor	3	1	163	108	6	1	296	138
West Virginia	3	1	119	80	6	1	218	144
Kansas St	3	2	132	140	5	3	243	173
TCU	2	3	145	156	4	4	275	241
Texas	2	3	154	158	4	4	288	262
Texas Tech	2	3	196	201	4	4	379	331
Iowa St	0	5	125	182	1	7	192	259
Kansas	0	5	72	228	1	7	155	314

Southeastern Conference

East

	Conference W	L	PF	PA	All Games W	L	PF	PA
Florida	4	1	150	75	6	1	206	82
Kentucky	4	2	125	161	5	3	222	247
Tennessee	2	3	141	177	5	3	234	233
Georgia	2	4	127	161	4	4	106	209
South Carolina	2	4	88	127	4	4	142	170
Vanderbilt	1	3	46	62	4	4	166	171
Missouri	0	4	69	145	2	6	255	243

West

	Conference W	L	PF	PA	All Games W	L	PF	PA
Alabama	5	0	213	103	8	0	351	119
Texas A&M	4	1	157	124	7	1	307	158
Auburn	4	1	168	88	6	2	290	128
LSU	3	1	116	66	5	2	209	[illegible]
Arkansas	1	3	91	180	5	3	247	251
Mississippi St	1	3	99	115	3	5	243	240
Mississippi	[illegible]	4	168	174	3	5	288	260

American Athletic Conference

East Division

	Conference W	L	PF	PA	All Games W	L	PF	PA
South Florida	4	1	207	153	7	2	391	265
Temple	4	1	178	122	6	3	304	204
UCF	2	2	120	102	4	4	249	197
East Carolina	1	3	111	119	3	5	228	230
Cincinnati	1	4	89	158	4	4	182	205
UConn	1	5	97	186	3	6	158	248

West Division

	Conference W	L	PF	PA	All Games W	L	PF	PA
Navy	4	1	182	158	5	2	248	202
Tulsa	3	1	183	135	6	2	337	255
Houston	4	2	207	169	7	2	346	195
Memphis	2	2	116	142	5	3	299	217
SMU	2	2	133	135	4	4	212	243
Tulane	0	4	86	130	3	5	227	221

Conference USA

East Division

	Conference W	L	PF	PA	All Games W	L	PF	PA
W. Kentucky	4	1	253	139	C	3	374	235
Middle Tenn	3	1	153	126	6	2	324	239
Old Dominion	3	1	140	116	5	3	259	233
FIU	3	2	154	164	3	6	208	313
Charlotte	2	2	98	126	3	5	198	295
Marshall	1	3	86	110	2	6	241	277
FAU	0	4	78	140	1	7	160	302

West Division

	Conference W	L	PF	PA	All Games W	L	PF	PA
Louisiana Tech	4	1	222	137	6	3	396	269
UTSA	4	1	168	141	5	3	236	209
Southern Miss	3	1	134	104	5	3	275	221
North Texas	2	2	110	117	4	4	297	221
Rice	0	5	106	207	1	7	195	320
UTEP	0	5	102	177	1	7	161	306

MLS PLAYOFF GLANCE

Knockout Round
(Single-game elimination)
Eastern Conference

Wednesday, Oct. 26: Toronto FC 3, Philadelphia 1, Toronto advances

Thursday, Oct. 27: Montreal 4, D.C. United 2, Montreal advances

Western Conference

Wednesday, Oct. 26: LA Galaxy 3, Real Salt Lake 1, LA Galaxy advances

Thursday, Oct. 27: Seattle 1, Sporting Kansas City 0, Seattle advances

Conference Semifinals (Leg 1)
Sunday, Oct. 30

Montreal 1, NY Red Bulls 0
LA Galaxy 1, Colorado 0
Toronto FC 2, NYCFC 0
FC Dallas at Seattle, 8:30 p.m.

Conference Semifinals (Leg 2)
Sunday, Nov. 6

Toronto at NYCFC, 2, 4, 6:30 or 8 p.m.
Seattle at FC Dallas, 2, 4, 6:30 or 9 p.m.
Montreal at NY Red Bulls, 2, 3, 6:30 or 9 p.m.
LA Galaxy at Colorado, 2, 4, 6:30 or 9 p.m.

Eastern Conference Championship

Tuesday, Nov. 22: TBD at TBD, 7 p.m.
Wednesday, Nov. 30: TBD at TBD, 6 p.m.

Western Conference Championship

Sunday, Nov. 20: TBD at TBD, 7 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 27: TBD at TBD, 3 p.m.

MLS Cup

Saturday, Dec. 10: Eastern champion vs. Western champion, 7 p.m.

NHL GLANCE

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Montreal	9	8	0	1	17	31	14
Detroit	10	6	4	0	12	28	24
Tampa Bay	9	5	4	0	10	27	29
Florida	9	4	4	1	9	25	23
Ottawa	7	4	3	0	8	23	25
Boston	8	4	4	0	8	18	23
Buffalo	8	3	3	2	8	20	21
Toronto	9	2	4	3	7	26	35

Metropolitan Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Pittsburgh	9	6	2	1	13	25	27
N.Y. Rangers	9	6	3	0	12	35	22
New Jersey	8	4	2	2	10	18	16
Washington	7	4	2	1	9	19	16
Philadelphia	10	4	5	1	9	36	38
N.Y. Islanders	9	4	5	0	8	27	25
Columbus	7	3	3	1	7	18	17
Carolina	8	2	4	2	6	24	30

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Central Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Minnesota	9	6	2	1	13	32	19
St. Louis	9	5	2	2	12	22	21
Chicago	9	5	3	1	11	31	27
Colorado	7	4	3	0	8	19	19
Winnipeg	9	4	5	0	8	22	26
Dallas	8	3	4	1	7	18	26
Nashville	8	2	5	1	5	19	28

Pacific Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Edmonton	8	7	1	0	14	29	17
San Jose	9	6	3	0	12	23	21
Vancouver	9	4	4	1	9	17	24
Calgary	9	4	4	1	9	30	32
Los Angeles	9	4	5	0	8	20	26
Anaheim	9	3	4	2	8	21	23
Arizona	8	2	6	0	4	24	33

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

Sunay's Scores

Buffalo 3, Winnipeg 1
Philadelphia 4, Carolina 3
Florida 5, Detroit 2
N.Y. Islanders 5, Toronto 1
N.Y. Rangers 6, Tampa Bay 1
Chicago 3, Los Angeles 0
Ottawa at Edmonton, late
Washington at Calgary, late

Today's Games

No games scheduled

Tuesday's Games

Dallas at Columbus, 6 p.m.
St. Louis at N.Y. Rangers, 6 p.m.
Edmonton at Toronto, 6:30 p.m.
Carolina at Ottawa, 6:30 p.m.
Tampa Bay at N.Y. Islanders, 6:30 p.m.
Boston at Florida, 6:30 p.m.
Washington at Winnipeg, 7 p.m.
Buffalo at Minnesota, 7 p.m.
Calgary at Chicago, 7:30 p.m.
Nashville at Colorado, 8 p.m.
San Jose at Arizona, 9 p.m.
Anaheim at Los Angeles, 9:30 p.m.

TRANSACTIONS

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

NHL — Fined Detroit F Steve Ott $2,222.22 for spearing Boston D Zdeno Chara during Saturday's game.

ANAHEIM DUCKS — Reassigned D Shea Theodore and G Dustin Tokarski to San Diego (AHL).

LOS ANGELES KINGS — Placed D Brayden McNabb on injured reserve.

TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING — Reassigned F Cory Conacher to Syracuse (AHL).

ECHL

ALLEN AMERICANS — Released G Dave Weninger as emergency backup goalie. Added G David DeSander as emergency backup goalie.

ATLANTA GLADIATORS — Released G Steve Racine.

BRAMPTON BEAST — Loaned D Justin Baker to Utica (AHL).

ELMIRA JACKALS — Released G Nick Niedert as emergency backup goalie.

GREENVILLE SWAMP RABBITS — Loaned F Allan McPherson to Utica (AHL).

INDY FUEL — Released D Kyle Shapiro.

COLLEGE

ATLANTIC COAST CONFERENCE — Fined Florida State $20,000 and publicly reprimanded football coach Jimbo Fisher for making remarks criticizing officials after Saturday night's game against No. 3 Clemson.

FIGHT SCHEDULE

Nov. 4

At Corona, Calif. (SHO), Taras Shelestyuk vs. Jaime Herrera, 10, welterweights; Stivens Bujaj vs. Constantin Bejenaru, 10, for the vacant WBC International/WBC Continental Americas cruiserweight titles.

Nov. 5

At Brandenburg, Germany, Giovanni De Carolis vs. Tyron Zeuge, 12, for De Carolis' WBA World super middleweight title; Jack Culcay vs. Demetrius Andrade, 12, for Culcay's WBA World junior lightweight title.

At Thomas & Mack Center, Las Vegas (PPV), Jessie Vargas, vs. Manny Pacquiao, 12, for Vargas' WBO welterweight title; Nonito Donaire vs. Jessie Magdaleno, 12, for Donaire's WBO junior featherweight title; Oscar Valdez vs. Hiroshige Osawa, 12, for Valdez's WBO featherweight title; Shiming Zou vs. Prasitsak Papoem, 12, for the vacant WBO World flyweight title.

Nov. 12

At Salle des Etoiles, Monte Carlo (HBO), Jamie McDonnell vs. Liborio Solis, 12, for McDonnell's WBA World bantamweight title; Jason Sosa vs. Stephen Smith, 12, for Sosa's WBA World junior lightweight title; Malik Scott vs. Luis Ortiz, 12, for the vacant WBA intercontinental heavyweight title.

At Liacouras Center, Philadelphia (Spike), Danny Garcia vs. Samuel Vargas, 10, welterweights; Jarrett Hurd vs. Jo Jo Dan, 10, super welterweights; Javier Fortuna vs. Omar Douglas, 10, lightweights.

At Nayarit, Mexico, Jose Argumedo vs. Jose Antonio Jimenez, 12, for Argumedo's IBF minimumweight title.

Nov. 19

At Fantasy Springs Resort Casino in Indio, Calif., Mauricio Herrera vs. Pablo Cesar Cano, 10, super lightweights.

At Downtown Las Vegas Event Center (CBSSN), Demond Brock vs. Reynaldo Blanco, 12, for the vacant WBA-NABA USA lightweight title; Daniel Rosario Cruz vs. Norberto Gonzalez, 10, super lightweights.

Bulldogs humbled in loss at No. 7 Central

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As far as a regular season game, it would have been hard to beat the atmosphere of Friday night's showdown at 17,500-seat San Angelo Stadium.

Midland High was visiting San Angelo Central in a clash of District 2-6A unbeatens, with the winner assured at least the share of the Little Southwest Conference title.

The de facto District 2-6A Championship Game attracted an impressive crowd as the home side stands were filled with orange, the visiting side stands were approximately 80-90 percent to capacity and there were even fans sitting in the bowl end seats.

It felt like a college football crowd.

The website texashsfootball.com billed the affair as the "Game of the Week" in the state.

The game lived up to the hoopla for one half before the No. 7-ranked Bobcats controlled the second half in a 40-21 victory over the Bulldogs.

While Midland High supporters are certainly down about the outcome, Central head coach Brent Davis thought highly of the way the Bulldogs (7-2, 4-1 in District 2-6A) played.

The Bobcats (9-0, 5-0) and MHS were mired in a 14-14 tie at halftime, a first this season and unfamiliar territory for a Central team that has outscored its foes comfortably, 461-151.

"What a great ballgame," Davis said. "Those are the kind (of games) that you have a lot of fun when you come out victorious. It was a great Midland team that came in here and fought hard. It was just a really good football game."

Midland High, which had been able to carve up opponents with big yardage plays all season long, wasn't able to sustain offensive consistency against the Angry Orange defense.

The Bulldogs had only three plays over 20 yards, and none of them were for scores. Only one of the big plays -- a 27-yard reception by Courtney McMaryion in the second quarter -- contributed toward an actual TD drive.

Midland High had its most success running the ball with Ricky Hubert, who gained 110 tough yards and scored a touchdown on 23 carries.

But ultimately, MHS head coach Craig Yenzer had to wonder how the game would have turned out if the Bulldogs hadn't lost the turnover battle, 5-3, to the Bobcats.

The most costly turnover was Dedrick Howard's 71-yard interception return for a touchdown in the first quarter, which flipped a potential Midland High scoring drive into seven points for the Angry Orange.

While the offense wasn't its usual self, the Bulldogs' defense held a potent Central offensive attack to only seven first-half points.

Keep in mind, this is a Bobcats offense that has a quarterback with Cal Vincent who carries an eye-popping 28:2 touchdown-to-interception ratio, a Division I-quality running back with Daven Manning and a Harvard-bound wideout with Adam West.

Yenzer relayed that in his post-game comments, that he was pleased with the defensive effort, which put MHS in a position to leave the Concho Valley with a victory.

Now for the aftermath.

The Midland High loss didn't just cost the team a chance at its first outright district title since 1951.

The defeat will probably send the playoff-bound Bulldogs on the road to El Paso in the bi-district round of the Class 6A Division I playoffs.

The latest Dave Campbell's Texas Football playoff projections had Midland High hosting a Class 6A Division I playoff game, but that was assuming that 3,044-enrollment Lee would notch a postseason berth.

Following the Rebels' 58-28 loss to Wolfforth Frenship, it appears Central, Midland High, Amarillo Tascosa (3-2) and Frenship (3-2) will represent the district in the playoffs.

Midland High (2,980) and Central (2,862.5) have the highest enrollments so they will be relegated to the Division I bracket, while Tascosa (2,215.5) and Frenship (2,548.5) get Division II nods.

MHS, even with a shared district championship with Central, can't win a head-to-head tiebreaker so the Bulldogs will get the No. 2 seed and spend Nov. 11 in the Mountain time zone.

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AP Top 25: Alabama, Michigan, Clemson, Washington at top

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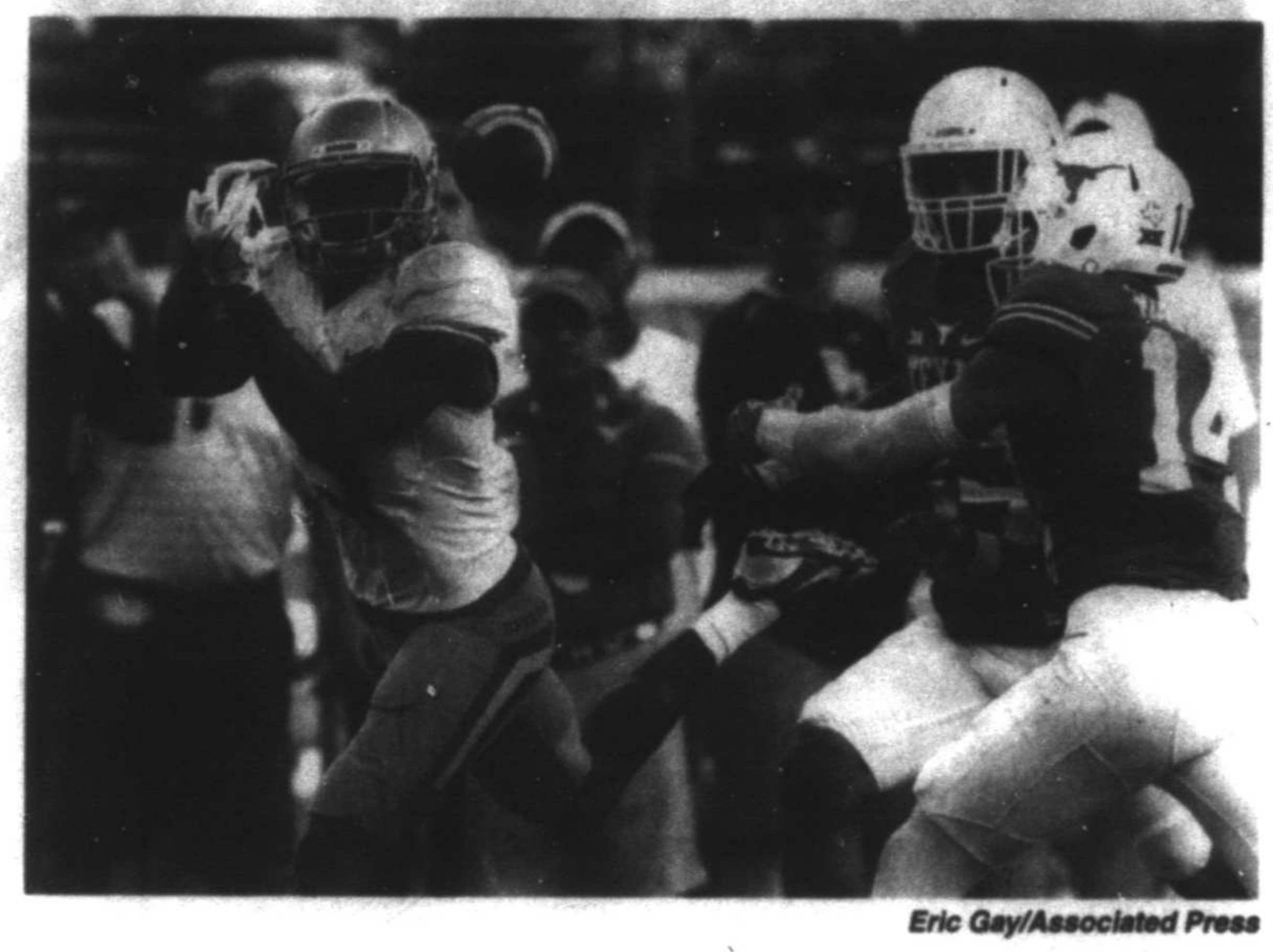

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The ball bounces off the hands of Baylor wide receiver KD Cannon (9) as he tires to make a catch in front of Texas safety Dylan Haines (14) during the second half on a NCAA football game Saturday in Austin. Texas won 35-34.

Alabama, Michigan, Clemson and Washington are at the top of The Associated Press Top 25 college football poll and the Big 12 was left without a top-10 team after a weekend during which four unbeaten teams lost.

Two days before the College Football Playoff selection committee unveils its first rankings of the season, the AP Top 25 provided a likely preview.

Alabama is No. 1, receiving all but one of the 61 first-place votes from the media panel. Michigan received a first-place vote. Both No. 3 Clemson and No. 4 Washington won road games against ranked teams Saturday.

West Virginia and Baylor from the Big 12 were not so fortunate. The Mountaineers slipped to No. 14 after their first loss. The Bears dropped to 13th after losing to Texas.

Poll points

This is the first time in the history of the Big 12 — which started in 1996 — that it enters November with no top-10 teams in the AP poll. No. 12 Oklahoma is the highest ranked of four Big 12 teams in the Top 25.

Up

■ No. 16 Utah moved up a spot after losing 31-24 to Washington.

■ No. 8 Wisconsin moved up three spots after 23-17 victory in overtime against previously unbeaten Nebraska.

■ No. 11 Auburn moved up four spots.

Down

■ No. 9 Nebraska slipped only two spots after its first loss.

■ No. 19 Florida State dropped seven spots after a 37-34 loss. The Seminoles' other two losses are to No. 5 Louisville and No. 18 North Carolina.

■ No. 24 Boise State fell 11 spots after its first loss of the season. The Broncos lost 30-28 at Wyoming.

In

■ No. 22 Oklahoma State is back in the rankings for the second time this season after beating West Virginia.

■ No. 25 Washington State is ranked for the first time this season and did it after starting 0-2 with a loss to Eastern Washington of the FCS. The Cougars and rival Huskies were last ranked at the same time Sept. 28, 2003. Washington was 18th and Washington State was 14th.

Out

■ Tennessee fell out of the rankings for the first time this season after losing at South Carolina.

■ Navy dropped out after losing to USF, leaving the American Athletic Conference with no ranked teams for the first time this season.

Conference call

ACC — 5
SEC — 5
Big Ten — 5
Pac-12 — 4
Big 12 — 4
MAC — 1
Mountain West — 1

Ranked vs. ranked

No. 1 Alabama at No. 15 LSU. The Tigers still have SEC title hopes.

No. 9 Nebraska at No. 6 Ohio State. Fifth meeting between the Huskers and Buckeyes and first with both in top-10.

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Dec. 31st **Toasting for Tails New Year's Eve Party** at DoubleTree 7-1

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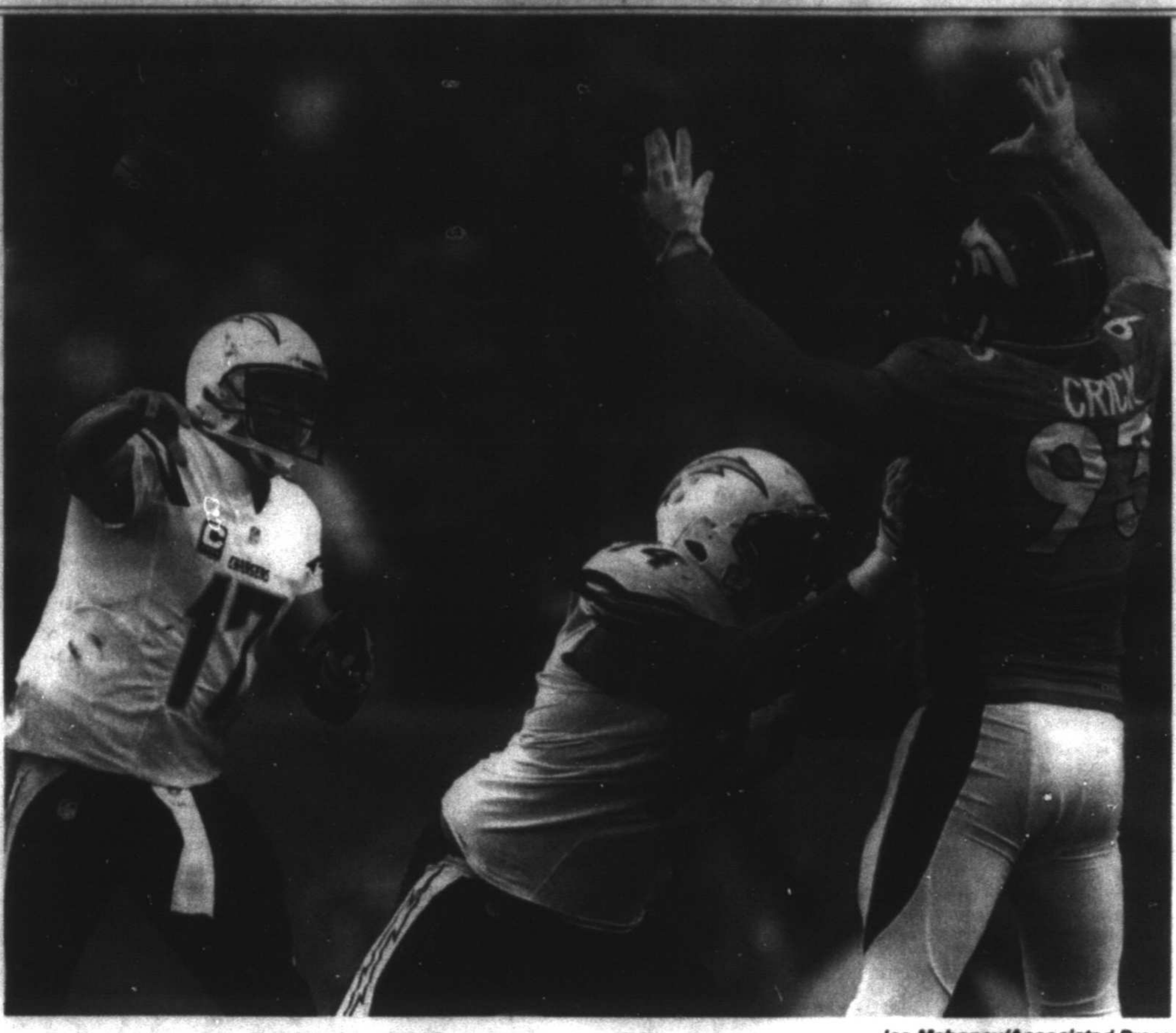

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San Diego Chargers quarterback Philip Rivers (17) throws as Denver Broncos defensive end Jared Crick (93) defends during an NFL game Sunday in Denver. The Broncos won 27-19.

RAIDERS 30, BUCCANEERS 24

TAMPA, Fla. — Derek Carr threw a 41-yard touchdown pass to Seth Roberts with 1:45 remaining in overtime, capping a record-breaking day for the Oakland Raiders in a 30-24 victory over the Tampa Bay Buccaneers on Sunday.

Carr threw for a franchise-record 513 yards, completing 40 of 59 passes without an interception, and the Raiders overcame an NFL-record 23 penalties for 200 yards.

Carr also threw touchdowns to offensive tackle and ex-Buc Donald Penn, Amari Cooper and Mychal Rivera as the Raiders (6-2) improved to 5-0 on the road.

Jameis Winston threw for 180 yards and two touchdowns for the Bucs (3-4), who took a 24-17 lead on a 1-yard run by Jacquizz Rodgers and 2-point conversion.

REDSKINS 27, BENGALS 27

LONDON — Washington and Cincinnati played to the second NFL tie game in seven days, the first time there have been two draws in a season since 1997.

The sold-out crowd of 84,000 at Wembley Stadium left deflated and even puzzled as the regulation-time shootout between Kirk Cousins and Andy Dalton turned into an overtime comedy of errors.

Washington (4-3-1) appeared to have the game won with 2:13 left in overtime, but Dustin Hopkins hooked his 34-yard field goal attempt wide left.

The Redskins got the ball back with 1:11 remaining when Dalton fumbled at the Bengals 47 on a quarterback sneak. Cousins couldn't connect downfield and tossed his final desperate pass tamely into the sideline to preserve the draw. Cincinnati is 3-4-1.

SAINTS 25, SEAHAWKS 20

NEW ORLEANS — Drew Brees passed for 265 yards and a touchdown and scored on a quarterback keeper.

The victory wasn't assured until New Orleans' much-maligned defense, ranked 29th, came up with a stop on Seattle's final drive. Russell Wilson took the Seahawks (4-2-1) to the New Orleans 10, where on one final play he lofted a pass toward the corner of the end zone. Jermaine Kearse caught the ball, but landed out of bounds.

Wilson finished with 253 yards passing and was intercepted once by linebacker Nathan Stupar — a play that set up the Saints' first TD on Brees' 1-yard dive over a pile of players. Brees' lone touchdown pass went to Brandin Cooks on a 2-yard slant, which gave the Saints the lead for good early in the fourth quarter.

PATRIOTS 41, BILLS 25

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y. — Patriots quarterback Tom Brady asserted his on-field ownership of the Bills again, matching an NFL record in beating them for the 26th time.

Brady went 22 of 33 for 315 yards and threw four touchdowns. He improved to 26-3 against Buffalo , and matched a record set by Brett Favre, who went 26-9 against Detroit.

The Patriots (7-1) have won four straight since Brady returned after opening the season serving the NFL's four-game "Deflategate" suspension. His absence included New England's only blemish, a 16-0 home loss to Buffalo (4-4) on Oct. 2, the first time the Patriots were shut out at home since 1993.

After a Bills field goal, Brady threw touchdowns passes on his first two drives. They included a 53-yarder to former Bills receiver Chris Hogan.

PANTHERS 30, CARDINALS 20

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — Jonathan Stewart ran for 95 yards and two touchdowns, Thomas Davis returned a fumble 46 yards for a score and the Panthers.

In a game reminiscent of last season's NFC championship, a 49-15 Carolina victory, the Panthers jumped to a 24-0 lead and kept the pressure on Carson Palmer all day.

Carolina, which has struggled to generate a pass rush all season, sacked Palmer eight times — three of those by Star Lotulelei — and forced two turnovers. The Panthers also limited running back David Johnson to 24 yards rushing.

Forced into a one-dimensional game, Palmer finished 35 of 46 for 363 yards with three touchdowns, two to J.J. Nelson.

Carolina (2-5) needed a boost to save a sinking season and got one from Davis, its longest-tenured player and emotional leader, on the opening series. Lotulelei sacked Palmer, who attempted to push the ball forward to avoid the sack while in the grasp of the 315-pound defensive tackle. Davis picked up the loose ball and delivered a stiff arm on the way to the first touchdown of his 12-year NFL career.

CHIEFS 30, COLTS 14

INDIANAPOLIS — Nick Foles threw two touchdown passes in relief of the injured Alex Smith.

It was a rough game for the Chiefs (5-2), who lost Smith twice after hits to the head and finished with Charcandrick West as their only healthy running back.

Smith was checked for a concussion in the first half and cleared to return. He left again early in the third quarter after Clayton Geathers shoved Smith's head to the turf as the quarterback tried to slide underneath the tackle.

Smith was then diagnosed with a concussion and did not return.

Foles' 14-yard TD pass to Travis Kelce early in the second quarter made it 10-0. Smith made it 17-7 at halftime with a 13-yard TD pass to Jeremy Maclin, and after Smith's second departure, Foles hooked up with Tyreek Hill on a 34-yard scoring pass for a 24-7 lead.

JETS 31, BROWNS 28

CLEVELAND — Matt Forte ran for 82 yards and a pair of second-half touchdowns, helping the Jets rally to a second straight victory.

Ryan Fitzpatrick shook off an ugly first half to throw for 222 yards and a touchdown while leading the Jets (3-5) on three long scoring drives after spotting the Browns (0-8) a 13-point lead.

Josh McCown passed for 341 yards with two touchdowns to Andrew Hawkins and two interceptions in his return to the lineup from a broken collarbone. Terrelle Pryor caught six passes for 101 yards, but couldn't keep Cleveland from its worst start since the 1975 team dropped its first nine games.

FALCONS 33, PACKERS 32

ATLANTA — Matt Ryan threw an 11-yard touchdown pass to Mohamed Sanu with 31 seconds remaining, rallying the Falcons.

The Falcons (5-3) snapped a two-game losing streak, driving 75 yards for the winning score after Aaron Rodgers put the Packers (4-3) ahead with his fourth TD pass of the game.

With Julio Jones shut down in the second half, Ryan turned to Sanu to bail out Atlanta. He caught five passes for 50 yards on the final possession, the last a touchdown pass in the back of the end zone after he lined up in the slot and got matched against linebacker Jake Ryan.

Sanu finished with nine catches for 84 yards, both season highs in his first season with the Falcons. Ryan was 28 of 35 for 288 yards and three touchdowns.

BRONCOS 27, CHARGERS 19

DENVER — The Denver Broncos took turns picking off and pummeling Philip Rivers.

But defensive coordinator Wade Phillips was taken to a hospital after getting knocked down during Brady Roby's 51-yard touchdown return in the second quarter, tempering their enthusiasm.

San Diego running back Melvin Gordon was blocked into the 69-year-old assistant, who was strapped to a backboard and carted off the field. The Broncos said Phillips was alert and had movement in his arms and legs when he arrived at the hospital via ambulance.

With linebackers coach Reggie Herring taking over Denver's defensive calls for Phillips, the Broncos (6-2) had a goal-line stand in the closing minutes and picked off Rivers twice more in the second half. They only turned one of those takeaways into points, however, and that allowed the hard-luck Chargers (3-5) to stay in it until the end, forcing Denver to make two stands in the closing minutes.

TEXANS

From 1C

were unable to continue a string of late-game comebacks.

"I wish I could have done it earlier in the game," Stafford said. "I've got to play better and we have to play better as a team, as an offense, earlier in the game so we're not in that situation."

Injuries: The Lions were without top cornerback Darius Slay, who missed the game because of a hamstring injury. Houston receiver Jaelen Strong injured his ankle in the second quarter and didn't return. Texans nose tackle Vince Wilfork didn't return after injuring his groin in the third quarter and receiver Will Fuller left the game in the fourth quarter with a leg injury.

O'Brien's outburst: Houston coach Bill O'Brien was seen yelling at special teams coach Larry Izzo after the Texans had just 10 men on the field for the opening kickoff of the second half. O'Brien got in Izzo's face and yelled for several seconds before being pushed away by another member of the staff.

TEXANS 30, LIONS 13

Detroit	0	3	0	10	—13
Houston	0	14	3	3	—20

Second Quarter

Hou—Fiedorowicz 6 pass from Osweiler (Novak kick), 12:56.

Hou—L.Miller 1 run (Novak kick), 7:04.

Det—FG Prater 47, :02.

Third Quarter

Hou—FG Novak 33, 5:51.

Fourth Quarter

Det—Riddick 1 pass from Stafford (Prater kick), 14:50.

Hou—FG Novak 36, 4:09.

Det—FG Prater 34, 2:53.

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	Det	Hou
First downs	19	20
Total Net Yards	289	269
Rushes-yards	14-58	31-105
Passing	231	164
Punt Returns	3-5	5-35
Kickoff Returns	5-134	1-10
Interceptions Ret.	1-3	0-0
Comp-Att-Int	27-41-0	20-29-1
Sacked-Yards Lost	1-9	3-22
Punts	5-44.6	4-50.8
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	8-75	6-49
Time of Possession	26:02	33:58

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Detroit, Riddick 11-56, Zenner 3-2. Houston, L.Miller 17-56, Blue 9-41, Grimes 2-11, Osweiler 3-(minus 3).

PASSING—Detroit, Stafford 27-41-0-240. Houston, Osweiler 20-29-1-186.

RECEIVING—Detroit, Riddick 6-77, Ebron 7-79, Tate 7-42, M.Jones 3-33, Zenner 1-5, Boldin 1-4. Houston, Fiedorowicz 6-43, Hopkins 4-44, Griffin 3-34, B.Miller 3-18, Anderson 2-17, L.Miller 2-7, Fuller 1-23.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Detroit, Prater 49.

NFL GLANCE

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
New England	7	1	0	.875	217	132
Buffalo	4	4	0	.500	212	172
Miami	3	4	0	.429	146	159
N.Y. Jets	3	5	0	.375	150	208

South

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Houston	5	3	0	.625	137	167
Tennessee	4	4	0	.500	182	183
Indianapolis	3	5	0	.375	208	230
Jacksonville	2	5	0	.286	139	196

North

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Pittsburgh	4	3	0	.571	170	150
Cincinnati	3	4	1	.438	167	189
Baltimore	3	4	0	.429	133	139
Cleveland	0	8	0	.000	158	238

West

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Denver	6	2	0	.750	194	136
Oakland	6	2	0	.750	215	203
Kansas City	5	2	0	.714	166	137
San Diego	3	5	0	.375	225	212

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Dallas	6	1	0	.857	188	130
Philadelphia	4	3	0	.571	179	117
N.Y. Giants	4	3	0	.571	133	141
Washington	4	3	1	.563	186	189

South

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Atlanta	5	3	0	.625	262	231
Tampa Bay	3	4	0	.429	152	189
New Orleans	3	4	0	.429	201	215
Carolina	2	5	0	.286	191	196

North

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Minnesota	5	1	0	.833	129	84
Green Bay	4	3	0	.571	172	156
Detroit	4	4	0	.500	183	190
Chicago	1	6	0	.143	111	169

West

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Seattle	4	2	1	.643	131	109
Arizona	3	4	1	.438	179	140
Los Angeles	3	4	0	.429	120	154
San Francisco	1	6	0	.143	144	219

Sunday's Scores

Cincinnati 27, Washington 27, OT
Houston 20, Detroit 13
New Orleans 25, Seattle 20
N.Y. Jets 31, Cleveland 28
New England 41, Buffalo 25
Carolina 30, Arizona 20
Kansas City 30, Indianapolis 14
Oakland 30, Tampa Bay 24, OT
Atlanta 33, Green Bay 32
Denver 27, San Diego 19
Philadelphia at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.
Open: Los Angeles, San Francisco, N.Y. Giants, Miami, Baltimore, Pittsburgh

Today's Games

Minnesota at Chicago, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday's Game

Atlanta at Tampa Bay, 7:25 p.m.

Sunday's Games (Nov. 6)

Dallas at Cleveland, 12 p.m.
N.Y. Jets at Miami, 12 p.m.
Philadelphia at N.Y. Giants, 12 p.m.
Jacksonville at Kansas City, 12 p.m.
Detroit at Minnesota, 12 p.m.
Pittsburgh at Baltimore, 12 p.m.
New Orleans at San Francisco, 3:05 p.m.
Carolina at Los Angeles, 3:05 p.m.
Tennessee at San Diego, 3:25 p.m.
Indianapolis at Green Bay, 3:25 p.m.
Denver at Oakland, 7:30 p.m.
Open: Washington, Arizona, Chicago, New England, Houston, Cincinnati

Today's Game

Buffalo at Seattle, 7:30 p.m.

NFLBOXES

REDSKINS 27, BENGALS 27

Washington	7	3	7	10	0	—27
Cincinnati	7	0	13	7	0	—27

First Quarter

Was—Kelley 4 run (Hopkins kick), 7:38.

Cin—Bernard 8 run (Nugent kick), 3:51.

Second Quarter

Was—FG Hopkins 20, 8:16.

Third Quarter

Cin—Eifert 15 pass from Dalton (kick failed) 10:42.

Cin—Dalton 1 run (Nugent kick), 5:15.

Was—Reed 23 pass from Cousins (Hopkins kick), 3:02.

Fourth Quarter

Was—Crowder 33 pass from Cousins (Hopkins kick), 9:30.

Cin—Hill 1 run (Nugent kick), 6:54.

Was—FG Hopkins 40, 1:07.

A—84,488.

	Was	Cin
First downs	30	35
Total Net Yards	546	415
Rushes-yards	31-100	36-152
Passing	446	263
Comp-Att-Int	38-56-1	27-42-1
Sacked-Yards Lost	1-12	3-21
Punts	3-42.7	5-52.2
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	2-1
Penalties-Yards	15-106	7-85
Time of Possession	39:42	35:18

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Washington, Kelley 21-87, Thompson 7-14, Cousins 3-(minus 1). Cincinnati, Hill 20-76, Bernard 11-52, Dalton 4-21, Boyd 1-3.

PASSING—Washington, Cousins 38-56-1-458. Cincinnati, Dalton 27-42-1-284.

RECEIVING—Washington, Crowder 9-107, Reed 9-99, Garcon 6-67, Davis 5-93, Thompson 5-27, Jackson 3-48, Grant 1-17. Cincinnati, Green 9-121, Eifert 9-102, Boyd 5-38, Bernard 1-14, LaFell 1-6, Kroft 1-6, Hill 1-(minus 3).

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Washington, Hopkins 55, Hopkins 34. Cincinnati, Nugent 51.

PANTHERS 30, CARDINALS 20

Arizona	0	7	7	6	—20
Carolina	14	10	6	0	—30

First Quarter

Car—Davis 46 fumble return (Gano kick), 11:48.

Car—Stewart 2 run (Gano kick), 2:24.

Second Quarter

Car—Stewart 1 run (Gano kick), 11:05.

Car—FG Gano 43, 2:45.

Ari—Nelson 5 pass from Palmer (Catanzaro kick), :20.

Third Quarter

Car—FG Gano 52, 11:56.

Car—FG Gano 21, 7:18.

Ari—J.Brown 17 pass from Palmer (Catanzaro kick), 1:45.

Fourth Quarter

Ari—Nelson 4 pass from Palmer (pass failed), 5:01.

A—74,088.

	Ari	Car
First downs	22	19
Total Net Yards	340	349
Rushes-yards	10-24	36-141
Passing	316	208
Comp-Att-Int	35-46-1	14-27-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	8-47	1-4
Punts	6-43.2	3-52.3
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-1
Penalties-Yards	10-88	5-40
Time of Possession	29:12	30:48

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Arizona, D.Johnson 10-24. Carolina, Stewart 25-95, Newton 7-43, Tolbert 2-2, Whittaker 2-1.

PASSING—Arizona, Palmer 35-46-1-363. Carolina, Newton 14-27-0-212.

RECEIVING—Arizona, Fitzgerald 10-74, Nelson 8-79, D.Johnson 7-84, J.Brown 4-49, Gresham 3-32, B.Golden 2-29, Ellington 1-16. Carolina, Ginn 5-53, Funchess 3-38, Benjamin 2-73, Stewart 1-25, Olsen 1-11, Whittaker 1-9, C.Brown 1-3.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

CHIEFS 30, COLTS 14

Kansas City	3	14	7	6	—30
Indianapolis	0	7	7	0	—14

First Quarter

KC—FG Santos 33, 10:20.

Second Quarter

KC—Kelce 14 pass from Foles (Santos kick), 12:58.

Ind—Gore 18 pass from Luck (Vinatieri kick), 10:07.

KC—Maclin 13 pass from A.Smith (Santos kick), :19.

Third Quarter

KC—Hill 34 pass from Foles (Santos kick) 7:34.

Ind—Moncrief 3 pass from Luck (Vinatieri kick), 2:05.

Fourth Quarter

KC—FG Santos 22, 8:00.

KC—FG Santos 44, 3:35.

A—65,417.

	KC	Ind
First downs	20	18
Total Net Yards	422	277
Rushes-yards	27-88	21-105
Passing	334	172
Comp-Att-Int	25-41-0	19-35-1
Sacked-Yards Lost	3-16	6-38
Punts	5-49.0	7-49.6
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	3-1
Penalties-Yards	6-40	5-45
Time of Possession	33:36	26:24

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Kansas City, West 14-52, Ware 7-19, A.Smith 2-9, Hill 1-7, Thomas 2-2, Foles 1-(minus 1). Indianapolis, Luck 9-60, Gore 9-37, Turbin 2-9, Moncrief 1-(minus 1).

PASSING—Kansas City, A.Smith 9-19-0-127, Foles 16-22-0-223. Indianapolis, Luck 19-35-1-210.

RECEIVING—Kansas City, Kelce 7-101, Hill 5-98, Conley 3-59, Maclin 3-43, Harris 3-13, Ware 2-28, West 2-8. Indianapolis, Dorsett 5-33, Moncrief 4-41, Turbin 3-25, Doyle 2-36, Swoope 2-30, Gore 2-25, Hilton 1-20.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Kansas City, Santos 28.

JETS 31, BROWNS 28

N.Y. Jets	0	7	14	10	—31
Cleveland	10	10	0	8	—28

First Quarter

Cle—Hawkins 5 pass from McCown (Parkey kick), 11:45.

Cle—FG Parkey 41, 3:11.

Second Quarter

NYJ—Powell 35 run (Folk kick), 12:44.

Cle—Crowell 1 run (Parkey kick), 1:51.

Cle—FG Parkey 27, :00.

Third Quarter

NYJ—Enunwa 24 pass from Fitzpatrick (Folk kick), 8:15.

NYJ—Forte 4 run (Folk kick), 2:11.

Fourth Quarter

NYJ—Forte 2 run (Folk kick), 9:38.

NYJ—FG Folk 24, 4:04.

Cle—Hawkins 1 pass from McCown (T.Pryor pass from McCown), :12.

A—67,431.

	NYJ	Cle
First downs	21	22
Total Net Yards	393	407
Rushes-yards	35-171	18-68
Passing	222	339
Comp-Att-Int	16-34-0	27-51-2
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-6	1-6
Punts	6-47.0	5-41.4
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	5-37	2-10
Time of Possession	33:41	26:19

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—New York, Forte 25-82, Powell 6-76, Fitzpatrick 4-13. Cleveland, D.Johnson 4-29, Crowell 11-29, McCown 3-10.

PASSING—New York, Fitzpatrick 16-34-0-228. Cleveland, McCown 25-49-2-341, Hogan 2-2-0-4.

RECEIVING—New York, Enunwa 4-93, B.Marshall 4-68, Anderson 3-31, Forte 2-16, Peake 1-13, Bostick 1-4, Powell 1-3. Cleveland, T.Pryor 6-101, D.Johnson 6-87, Hawkins 5-31, Barnidge 3-42, Crowell 2-34, Louis 2-32, Higgins 1-10, DeValve 1-5, Payton 1-3.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

PATRIOTS 41, BILLS 25

New England	14	10	14	3	—41
Buffalo	3	7	7	8	—25

First Quarter

Buf—FG Carpenter 23, 11:05.

NE—Amendola 9 pass from Brady (Gostkowski kick), 4:35.

NE—Hogan 53 pass from Brady (Gostkowski kick), 1:33.

Second Quarter

Buf—Gillislee 3 run (Carpenter kick), 6:26.

NE—Gronkowski 53 pass from Brady (Gostkowski kick), 4:18.

NE—FG Gostkowski 51, :00.

Third Quarter

NE—Edelman 12 pass from Brady (Gostkowski kick), 14:00.

Buf—Taylor 26 run (Carpenter kick), 7:57.

NE—Blount 1 run (Gostkowski kick), 3:05.

Fourth Quarter

NE—FG Gostkowski 32, 7:08.

Buf—J.Williams 1 run (O'Leary pass from Manuel), :30.

A—70,442.

	NE	Buf
First downs	23	25
Total Net Yards	357	376
Rushes-yards	23-72	26-167
Passing	285	209
Comp-Att-Int	22-33-0	20-40-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	5-30	2-9
Punts	3-44.7	3-43.7
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-0
Penalties-Yards	10-116	12-84
Time of Possession	29:51	30:09

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—New England, Blount 18-43, Brady 1-15, J.White 2-15, Edelman 1-0, Garoppolo 1-(minus 1). Buffalo, Gillislee 12-85, Taylor 5-48, Schmidt 1-16, Tate 1-14, J.Williams 5-12, Bush 2-(minus 8).

PASSING—New England, Brady 22-33-0-315. Buffalo, Taylor 19-38-0-183, Manuel 1-2-0-35.

RECEIVING—New England, Gronkowski 5-109, Hogan 4-91, Edelman 4-37, Bennett 4-35, Amendola 3-29, J.White 2-14. Buffalo, Woods 4-50, Powell 3-59, Gillislee 3-9, Bush 2-34, Felton 2-26, Tate 2-17, Clay 2-6, O'Leary 1-10, Hunter 1-7.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Buffalo, Carpenter 49.

SAINTS 25, SEAHAWKS 20

Seattle	7	7	3	3	—20
New Orleans	0	13	3	9	—25

First Quarter

Sea—E.Thomas 34 fumble return (Hauschka kick), 7:53.

Second Quarter

NO—FG Lutz 22, 11:33.

Sea—Michael 2 run (Hauschka kick), 9:53.

NO—FG Lutz 53, 5:15.

NO—Brees 1 run (Lutz kick), :49.

Third Quarter

Sea—FG Hauschka 44, 8:56.

NO—FG Lutz 21, 3:14.

Fourth Quarter

NO—Cooks 2 pass from Brees (pass failed), 12:24.

Sea—FG Hauschka 21, 6:38.

NO—FG Lutz 41, 1:57.

A—73,188.

	Sea	NO
First downs	15	28
Total Net Yards	359	375
Rushes-yards	17-74	35-123
Passing	285	252
Comp-Att-Int	23-36-1	27-35-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	1-11	2-13
Punts	3-48.7	2-46.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	11-76	2-10
Time of Possession	23:48	36:12

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Seattle, Michael 10-40, Prosise 4-23, Wilson 3-11. New Orleans, Hightower 26-102, Lasco 5-15, Ingram 3-5, Brees 1-1.

PASSING—Seattle, Wilson 22-34-1-253, McEvoy 1-1-0-43, Ryan 0-1-0-0. New Orleans, Brees 27-35-0-265.

RECEIVING—Seattle, Prosise 4-80, Kearse 4-57, Baldwin 4-51, Lockett 4-32, Graham 3-34, Richardson 2-33, Vannett 1-7, Michael 1-2. New Orleans, M.Thomas 6-63, Snead 6-56, Cooks 4-44, Fleener 4-36, Coleman 2-44, Kuhn 2-12, Cadet 1-7, Hill 1-3, Hightower 1-0.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

RAIDERS 30, BUCCANEERS 24

Oakland	0	3	14	7	6	—30
Tampa Bay	3	7	0	14	0	—24

First Quarter

TB—FG Aguayo 41, 3:53.

Second Quarter

TB—Shepard 19 pass from Winston (Aguayo kick), 14:54.

Oak—FG Janikowski 31, 8:15.

Third Quarter

Oak—Penn 1 pass from Carr (Janikowski kick), 10:24.

Oak—Cooper 34 pass from Carr (Janikowski kick), 5:30.

Fourth Quarter

TB—Brate 5 pass from Winston (kick failed) 14:55.

TB—Rodgers 1 run (Evans pass from Winston), 3:48.

Oak—Rivera 7 pass from Carr (Janikowski kick), 1:38.

Overtime

Oak—Roberts 41 pass from Carr, 1:45.

A—61,068.

	Oak	TB
First downs	27	18
Total Net Yards	626	270
Rushes-yards	24-128	27-102
Passing	498	168
Comp-Att-Int	40-59-0	16-32-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-15	2-12
Punts	6-40.0	8-48.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	2-0
Penalties-Yards	23-200	6-64
Time of Possession	44:12	29:03

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Oakland, Murray 11-48, Richard 5-34, Washington 5-32, Carr 1-13, Holton 1-2, Olawale 1-(minus 1). Tampa Bay, Rodgers 19-69, Winston 3-16, A.Smith 4-16, Barber 1-1.

PASSING—Oakland, Carr 40-59-0-513. Tampa Bay, Winston 16-32-0-180.

RECEIVING—Oakland, Cooper 12-173, Crabtree 8-108, Murray 5-23, Roberts 3-69, Rivera 3-36, Walford 3-31, Olawale 2-69, Richard 2-3, Penn 1-1, Holmes 1-0. Tampa Bay, Evans 4-50, Humphries 3-58, Brate 3-22, Shepard 2-24, Stocker 2-8, Rodgers 1-8, A.Smith 1-8.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Oakland, Janikowski 50, Janikowski 52.

BRONCOS 27, CHARGERS 19

San Diego	7	0	6	6	—19
Denver	3	7	7	10	—27

First Quarter

Den—FG McManus 28, 11:05.

SD—Gates 7 pass from Rivers (Lambo kick), 7:24.

Second Quarter

Den—Roby 49 interception return (McManus kick), 9:10.

Third Quarter

Den—Booker 3 run (McManus kick), 12:45.

SD—Benjamin 14 pass from Rivers (kick failed), 4:02.

Fourth Quarter

Den—Thompson 1 run (McManus kick), 12:32.

SD—Hayward 24 interception return, 8:02.

Den—FG McManus 22, 5:19.

A—76,756.

	SD	Den
First downs	21	15
Total Net Yards	369	324
Rushes-yards	26-123	25-57
Passing	246	267
Comp-Att-Int	20-47-3	20-38-1
Sacked-Yards Lost	4-21	1-9
Punts	5-57.0	5-50.6
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	4-2
Penalties-Yards	8-52	6-45
Time of Possession	33:08	26:52

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—San Diego, Gordon 23-111, Farrow 3-12. Denver, Booker 19-54, Bibbs 2-4, Thompson 1-1, Siemian 3-(minus 2).

PASSING—San Diego, Rivers 20-47-3-267. Denver, Siemian 20-38-1-276.

RECEIVING—San Diego, Inman 4-72, Gordon 4-44, Gates 4-33, Benjamin 3-44, Henry 2-14, Watt 1-53, Ty.Williams 1-4, McCluster 1-3. Denver, Thomas 5-79, Booker 5-30, Sanders 4-66, Green 4-55, Taylor 1-35, Norwood 1-9.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—San Diego, Lambo 45.

FALCONS 33, PACKERS 32

Green Bay	7	17	0	8	—32
Atlanta	10	9	7	7	—33

First Quarter

Atl—FG Bryant 36, 9:41.

GB—Nelson 5 pass from A.Rodgers (Crosby kick), 6:08.

Atl—Gabriel 47 pass from M.Ryan (Bryant kick), 4:28.

Second Quarter

GB—Allison 4 pass from A.Rodgers (Crosby kick), 11:53.

Atl—FG Bryant 40, 8:52.

GB—T.Davis 9 pass from A.Rodgers (Crosby kick), 4:22.

Atl—Freeman 5 pass from M.Ryan (run failed), :27.

GB—FG Crosby 29, :00.

Third Quarter

Atl—Freeman 1 run (Bryant kick), 3:31.

Fourth Quarter

GB—Janis 7 pass from A.Rodgers (A.Rodgers run), 3:58.

Atl—Sanu 11 pass from M.Ryan (Bryant kick), :31.

A—70,165.

	GB	Atl
First downs	24	25
Total Net Yards	331	367
Rushes-yards	19-108	19-90
Passing	223	277
Comp-Att-Int	28-38-0	28-35-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	3-23	2-11
Punts	3-54.3	2-50.5
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	6-68	7-46
Time of Possession	31:17	28:43

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Green Bay, A.Rodgers 6-60, Ripkowski 6-34, D.Jackson 4-10, K.Davis 3-4. Atlanta, Ward 6-45, Freeman 11-35, M.Ryan 2-9.

PASSING—Green Bay, A.Rodgers 28-38-0-246. Atlanta, M.Ryan 28-35-0-288.

RECEIVING—Green Bay, Adams 12-74, Nelson 4-84, Janis 4-30, T.Davis 3-24, Allison 2-21, K.Davis 2-4, Ripkowski 1-(minus 1). Atlanta, Sanu 9-84, Hooper 5-41, Freeman 4-23, Gabriel 3-68, J.Jones 3-29, Tamme 2-19, Hardy 1-13, Ward 1-11.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

NBA ROUNDUP

ROCKETS 93, MAVERICKS 92

HOUSTON — James Harden made a free throw with 0.1 seconds left, lifting the Houston Rockets over the Dallas Mavericks 93-92 in their home opener Sunday night.

Harden had 28 points, seven rebounds and seven assists. He was fouled by Wesley Matthews on a driving layup at the buzzer with the game tied, then made the second of two free-throw attempts.

After trailing by 10 entering the fourth quarter, Dallas tied it at 92 with a 3-pointer by Matthews with 4.1 seconds remaining.

Matthews led Dallas with 25 points and J.J. Barea scored 18 points off the bench. In falling to the Rockets for the second time in three days, the Mavericks fell to 0-3 for the first time since 2011-12, the lockout-shortened season following their title.

SPURS 106, HEAT 99

MIAMI — Kawhi Leonard scored 14 of his 27 points in the final 6:04, doing so with a bandage under his right eye and helping the San Antonio Spurs hold off the Miami Heat 106-99 on Sunday night to remain unbeaten.

Leonard left the game with 8:29 remaining to be tended to and returned for the final 6:48.

Pau Gasol had 20 points and 11 rebounds for the Spurs, who wasted a 16-point first-half lead before recovering. Patty Mills added 18 for San Antonio, the first team to get to 4-0 in this young NBA season.

Hassan Whiteside made his final seven shots and tied a career-high with 27 points for Miami, also grabbing 15 rebounds. Goran Dragic scored 25 points and Justise Winslow added 18 for the Heat.

Down big early, Miami kept chipping away — getting within eight by halftime, one in the third and finally taking the lead back on a layup by Dragic right before Leonard returned.

CLIPPERS 88, JAZZ 75

LOS ANGELES — Austin Rivers scored 19 points, Blake Griffin added 18 and the Los Angeles Clippers routed the Utah Jazz 88-75 in their home opener Sunday.

Jamal Crawford had 12 points, and DeAndre Jordan had 16 rebounds despite spraining his right thumb.

George Hill led the Jazz with 18 points and reserve Dante Exum added 10. Joe Johnson, who had 29 points in his Utah debut, was held to seven points on 3-of-9 shooting.

The Clippers took the lead for good in the second quarter on Griffin's fast-break dunk. It was part of a 22-4 run over both halves that pushed their lead to 49-35. Six different Clippers contributed to the spurt, led by Griffin's seven points.

Rivers scored six of the Clippers' first eight points in the fourth, extending their lead to 77-56. The backup was 8 of 11 from the floor.

PISTONS 96, BUCKS 83

AUBURN HILLS, Mich. — Andre Drummond had 20 points and 23 rebounds, helping the Detroit Pistons cruise to a 98-83 victory over the Milwaukee Bucks on Sunday night.

Kentavious Caldwell-Pope added 21 points for the Pistons, who scored seven straight points in the final minute of the third quarter to build a 10-point lead. Drummond reached 20 rebounds for a second consecutive game, and this was his 10th career game with at least 20 points and 20 rebounds.

Tobias Harris scored 16 points for Detroit, and Marcus Morris and Ish Smith added 11 each. Giannis Antetokounmpo led the Bucks with 17.

Milwaukee never led in the second half.

Detroit lost its opener at Toronto but has bounced back with double-digit victories at home over Orlando and Milwaukee.

WARRIORS 106, SUNS 100

PHOENIX — Kevin Durant scored 37 points, Stephen Curry added 28 and the Golden State Warriors held off the pesky Phoenix Suns 106-100 on Sunday.

The Warriors didn't seal the victory until Curry's two free throws with 12.9 seconds to play. Durant added a pair of free throws with seven seconds left to provide the final margin.

T.J. Warren scored 26 points and Eric Bledsoe had 21 for the winless Suns, who took the Thunder into overtime in Oklahoma City on Friday night. Tyson Chandler grabbed 18 rebounds for Phoenix.

The Suns led by as many as 13 in the first half. The Warriors finally took somewhat shaky control midway through the final quarter.

THUNDER 113, LAKERS 96

OKLAHOMA CITY — Russell Westbrook scored 33 points as part of another triple-double to help the Oklahoma City Thunder beat the Los Angeles Lakers 113-96 on Sunday night to remain unbeaten.

Westbrook, coming off a 51-point triple-double against the Phoenix Suns on Friday, also had 16 assists and 12 rebounds against the Lakers. According to the Thunder, he joined Magic Johnson, Jerry Lucas and Oscar Robertson as the only players in NBA history with two triple-doubles in the first three games of a season.

The Thunder have won 20 straight regular-season games when Westbrook registers a triple-double. He clinched this one, the 39th of his career, in the third quarter. He ended the game with season averages of 38.7 points, 12.3 rebounds and 11.7 assists.

Victor Oladipo added 20 points for the Thunder.

D'Angelo Russell and Julius Randle each scored 20 points for the Lakers.

GRIZZLIES 112, WIZARDS 103

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — Marc Gasol scored 20 points, including a 3-pointer to send the game into overtime, then helped Memphis beat the Washington Wizards 112-103 Sunday night.

The game was tied in regulation after

Gasol's 3 from 27 feet with 15.7 seconds left in regulation tied the score at 100-all. John Wall's 9-foot attempt at the horn was off, sending the game to an extra period.

Gasol then connected on two more 3s in overtime as Memphis opened a 112-100 advantage to seal the win.

Mike Conley had 24 points and 11 assists for the Grizzlies. Zach Randolph had 22 points, while Vince Carter added 18 while shooting 5 for 6 on 3s.

John Wall led the Wizards with 22 points and 13 assists as all five Washington starters reached double figures. Bradley Beal and Marcin Gortat had 14 points apiece, with Gortat also grabbing 12 rebounds. Otto Porter had 13 points, while Markieff Morris and Marcus Thornton added 11 each.

NBA GLANCE

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	2	1	.667	—
Toronto	1	1	.500	½
New York	1	1	.500	½
Brooklyn	0	2	.000	1
Philadelphia	0	2	.000	1½

Southeast Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Atlanta	2	0	1.000	—
Charlotte	2	1	.667	½
Miami	2	1	.333	1½
Washington	0	2	.000	2
Orlando	0	3	.000	2½

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Cleveland	3	0	1.000	—
Chicago	2	0	1.000	½
Detroit	2	1	.667	1
Milwaukee	1	2	.333	2
Indiana	1	2	.333	2

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Southwest Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
San Antonio	4	0	1.000	—
Houston	2	2	.500	2
Memphis	2	1	.667	1½
New Orleans	0	3	.000	3½
Dallas	0	3	.000	3½

Northwest Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Oklahoma City	3	0	1.000	—
Portland	2	1	.667	1
Denver	1	1	.500	1½
Utah	1	2	.333	2
Minnesota	0	2	.000	2½

Pacific Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
L.A. Clippers	2	0	1.000	—
Sacramento	2	1	.667	½
Golden State	2	1	.667	½
L.A. Lakers	1	2	.333	1½
Phoenix	0	3	.000	2½

Sunday's Scores

L.A. Clippers 88, Utah 75
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Golden State 106, Phoenix 100
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Houston 93, Dallas 92
Memphis 112, Washington 103, OT

Today's Games

Chicago at Brooklyn, 6:30 p.m.
Denver at Toronto, 6:30 p.m.
Sacramento at Atlanta, 6:30 p.m.
Phoenix at L.A. Clippers, 9:30 p.m.

Johnson wins Martinsville to gain spot in NASCAR's finale

By Jenna Fryer
Associated Press

MARTINSVILLE, Va. — A slot in NASCAR's record books is absolutely within reach for Jimmie Johnson.

Johnson earned one of four spots in next month's title-deciding season finale Sunday with his ninth career victory at Martinsville Speedway. The six-time NASCAR champion will race for his seventh championship, which would tie him for the record with Hall of Famers Richard Petty and the late Dale Earnhardt.

"I've been trying to ignore this conversation about seven, and now I can't," said Johnson, who doesn't particularly want to start thinking about the stakes just yet.

"I'll probably lie to all of you guys and say I'm not going to think about it at all. But it's inevitable. Fortunately, I don't have to think about it for three weeks. But we're going to enjoy this and savor it. We're going to get our ducks in a row for Homestead."

The victory blocked Joe Gibbs Racing from placing all four of Toyota drivers in the final round of the Chase for the Sprint Cup title. There are only three spots still open in the Nov. 20 finale at Homestead-Miami Speedway, and JGR's hope of sweeping the final four ended Sunday.

Most likely to miss the final? Carl Edwards, who had a tire problem and finished 36th at Martinsville — lowest of the eight Chase drivers. Also in trouble: Stewart-Haas Racing teammates Kevin Harvick and Kurt Busch, who finished 20th and 22nd.

Brad Keselowski, eliminated from the Chase last week, finished second and was irritated by a lengthy caution earlier in the race when NASCAR struggled to figure out the running order. Had those laps not been wasted under yellow, Keselowski absolutely believed he could have beat Johnson.

"We don't need to run 100 laps under yellow with the field, not trying to figure out where they're at, and it probably cost us the race," Keselowski said.

The caution took 29 laps, and left some grumbling the order still wasn't correct when the race restarted.

"I think the stakes are so high, I really wish we would have red flagged the race, gone, reviewed it and gotten it right," said third-place finisher Denny Hamlin. "There's a 100 percent chance it was not right at the end. It changed the running order.

"Hopefully, that doesn't change what happens going into Homestead. I know that NASCAR is doing everything they can with the scoring they have and things like that. But you have to get it right. It definitely was not right."

JGR finished third, fourth and fifth as Hamlin, Matt Kenseth and Kyle Busch are inside the top-four as the series heads to Texas Motor Speedway. But all was not well in the Gibbs camp after the race.

Busch felt Hamlin — finished the highest by holding up Kenseth and Busch in the waning laps. Although the teammates worked well together on restarts, Busch felt that Hamlin not getting out of the way allowed Johnson to win and Keselowski to finish second.

"We work so good together that we just gave the win to (Johnson). So, JGR all the way," Busch said. "At the end, you had the slowest Gibbs car holding up the rest of the line, and all we did was let somebody else from another organization pass us and go up there and chase down (Johnson)."

Hamlin disputed Busch's view.

"I may have held those guys up for a little bit of that final run, but definitely don't think I was holding anyone up at the end, for sure," Hamlin said.

Jeff Gordon finished sixth in his final scheduled race as the replacement driver for Dale Earnhardt Jr. It is presumably the final race of Gordon's career. He retired last season, but was pressed into eight races when Earnhardt suffered a concussion.

Martin Truex Jr. finished seventh and was followed by Jamie McMurray and Joey Logano, winner last week at Talladega but now the first driver below the cutline in the Chase.

It was an unusually fast race for Martinsville standards, and the five cautions were the fewest since April of 1989.

It was an unusual victory for Johnson, who tangled with Hamlin early in the race and contact between the two forced Johnson to pit road.

With about 200 laps remaining, Hamlin grew rapidly annoyed trying to pass Johnson, and grumbled that Johnson "thinks we're bluffing" about the strength of his car. Out of patience, he moved Johnson out of his way.

The aggressive move caused damage to Johnson's car, but he was saved when a torn banner forced NASCAR to call a caution. Hamlin was still aggravated as Johnson head to pit road for repairs.

"He thinks he's a (expletive) king, doesn't do anything wrong," Hamlin radioed.

Johnson was 25th on the restart, and crew chief Chad Knaus quickly reminded the driver that Hamlin had dropped deep into the field earlier in the race because of a speeding penalty and had driven back into the top-five.

Johnson did climb back into the top 10, but a long green-flag run combined with an untimely caution caused him to run out of gas.

NASCAR Sprint Cup-Goody's Fast Relief 500 Results
Sunday
At Martinsville Speedway
Ridgeway, Va.
Lap length: .526 miles
(Start position in parentheses)

1. (3) Jimmie Johnson, Chevrolet, 500.
2. (19) Brad Keselowski, Ford, 500.
3. (6) Danny Hamlin, Toyota, 500.
4. (17) Matt Kenseth, Toyota, 500.
5. (9) Kyle Busch, Toyota, 500.
6. (10) Jeff Gordon, Chevrolet, 500.
7. (1) Martin Truex Jr, Toyota, 500.
8. (14) Jamie McMurray, Chevrolet, 500.
9. (2) Joey Logano, Ford, 500.
10. (4) AJ Allmendinger, Chevrolet, 500.
11. (22) Kasey Kahne, Chevrolet, 499.
12. (5) Chase Elliott, Chevrolet, 499.
13. (25) Greg Biffle, Ford, 499.
14. (11) Kyle Larson, Chevrolet, 499.
15. (16) Aric Almirola, Ford, 498.
16. (13) Ryan Newman, Chevrolet, 499.
17. (32) Austin Dillon, Chevrolet, 499.
18. (38) Michael McDowell, Chevrolet, 498.
19. (15) Ryan Blaney, Ford, 498.
20. (20) Kevin Harvick, Chevrolet, 498.
21. (35) Casey Mears, Chevrolet, 497.
22. (23) Kurt Busch, Chevrolet, 497.
23. (31) Trevor Bayne, Ford, 497.
24. (24) Danica Patrick, Chevrolet, 497.
25. (18) Paul Menard, Chevrolet, 496.
26. (8) Tony Stewart, Chevrolet, 496.
27. (29) Chris Buescher, Ford, 495.
28. (26) Clint Bowyer, Chevrolet, 495.
29. (33) Landon Cassill, Ford, 494.
30. (21) Regan Smith, Chevrolet, 494.
31. (37) Dylan Lupton, Toyota, 493.
32. (27) Matt DiBenedetto, Toyota, 489.
33. (36) Jeffrey Earnhardt, Ford, 488.
34. (30) Brian Scott, Ford, 484.
35. (40) Michael Annett, Chevrolet, 479.
36. (7) Carl Edwards, Toyota, 477.
37. (12) David Ragan, Toyota, 424.
38. (34) Reed Sorenson, Chevrolet, 407.
39. (39) Gray Gaulding, Chevrolet, Rear Gear, 360.
40. (39) Ricky Stenhouse Jr, Ford, Accident, 21.

Race Statistics

Average Speed of Race Winner: 78.54 mph.
Time of Race: 03 Hrs20 Mins55 Secs. **Margin of Victory:** 1.291 Seconds.
Caution Flags: 5 for 54 laps.
Lead Changes: 15 among 9 drivers.
Lap Leaders: M. Truex Jr 1-24; J. Logano 25-45; M. Truex Jr 46-82; R. Smith 83-84; M. Truex Jr 85-173; K. Larson 74-79; M. Truex Jr 80-110; Kyle Busch 111-113; M. Truex Jr 114-150; M. Kenseth 151; M. Truex Jr 152-180; M. Kenseth 181-359; D. Hamlin 356; A. Allmendinger 357-381; D. Hamlin 382-408; J. Johnson 409-500.
Leaders Summary (Driver/Times Led/Laps Led): M. Kenseth 2 times for 176 laps; M. Truex Jr 6 times for 147 laps; J. Johnson 1 time for 92 laps; D. Hamlin 2 times for 48 laps; J. Logano 1 time for 21 laps; K. Larson 1 time for 6 laps; A. Allmandinger 1 time for 5 laps; Kyle Busch 1 time for 3 laps; R. Smith 1 time for 2 laps.
Top 16 In Points: J. Johnson, 4,044; D. Hamlin, 4,039; M. Kenseth, 4,039; Kyle Busch, 4,037; J. Logano, 4,033; K. Harvick, 4,021; Kurt Busch, 4,019; C. Edwards, 4,005; M. Truex Jr, 2,226; B. Keselowski, 2,207; A. Dillon, 2,187; C. Elliott, 2,165; K. Larson, 2,163; T. Stewart, 2,156; J. McMurray, 2,143; C. Buescher, 2,123.

Hamilton wins Mexican Grand Prix in Rosberg chase

By Jim Vertuno
Associated Press

MEXICO CITY — Lewis Hamilton is in top form and winning races again. His problem is that he's running out of time to win another Formula One championship.

Hamilton survived a nervous start to win the Mexican Grand Prix on Sunday, his second victory in a row in a desperate chase to catch Mercedes teammate and rival Nico Rosberg for the season title.

"History has shown it is not too late," Hamilton said.

He's pressing Rosberg as much as he can and cut his deficit to 19 points. But with just two races left in Brazil and Abu Dhabi, Rosberg is still in pole position for his first career title, one that would match the championship won by his father Keke Rosberg in 1982.

Rosberg finished second Sunday and can clinch the season title if he wins in Brazil in two weeks. And even if Hamilton wins both races, a second- and third-place finish would crown Rosberg champion.

"Sounds good," Rosberg said. "At the moment, I'm thinking of the missed chance to win today ... Lewis was too quick today and all weekend."

Hamilton started on pole position and held the front despite locking a wheel and cutting through the grass on the first corner out of the start. With dirt and grass flying, he recovered to hold position and drove off to grab his 51st career victory, tying Alain Prost for second most in F1 history.

Ferrari's Sebastian Vettel was third when Red Bull's Max Verstappen was penalized 5 seconds after the race for leaving the track and gaining an advantage. The move came in a late-race duel between the drivers for third.

Rebecca Blackwell/Associated Press

First place finisher, Mercedes driver Lewis Hamilton, of Britain, left, celebrates with third place finisher, Ferrari driver Sebastian Vettel, of Germany, following the Formula One Mexico Grand Prix auto race at the Hermanos Rodriguez racetrack Sunday in Mexico City.

"Move! Move for God's sake," Vettel shouted over his car radio when Verstappen ignored his team's orders to yield position to Vettel.

As they crossed the finish line, Vettel pulled alongside Verstappen and wagged his finger at him. The Dutch teenager responded by shaking his fist. The penalty pushed Verstappen back to fifth behind his Red Bull teammate Daniel Ricciardo.

Verstappen had already gone to the podium-finishers' cool-down room before the penalty was announced. He quickly stormed out and Vettel was rushed in for the post-race champagne celebration.

"I was quicker, put him under a lot of pressure and he made a mistake," Vettel said. "It was clear he should have moved."

Ricciardo had his own late-race issue with Vettel, accusing the Ferrari driver of moving in a braking zone to denying his pass attempt. Formula One officials recently said that such moves would be punished after drivers, including Vettel, complained about Verstappen.

"Seb did what everyone's been complaining about lately," Ricciardo said. "He doesn't deserve to be on the podium."

Hamilton has been bedeviled by poor starts all season, but got a good bolt off the line into one of the longest straights in Formula One. A right front brake problem caused the lockup and smoke billowed from his screeching tire. He veered wide but kept Rosberg in his rearview mirror.

"I was carrying such speed I was lucky I didn't go into the wall," Hamilton said.

Hamilton's drive through the grass looked a lot like Verstappen's move that was penalized. They came on the same corner but Hamilton insisted they were different racing situations.

"I think I was still in the lead going in. I was still in the lead going out," Hamilton said.

Rosberg battle Verstappen all afternoon in a duel that could have impacted the title chase had the Mercedes car been damaged.

Their cars bumped tires on the first corner out of the start, sending Rosberg into the grass, just not as wide as Hamilton. Rosberg held position and race stewards decided there would be no penalty. Without the bump, Verstappen might have emerged in second for the early laps.

Verstappen made a late charge to pass Rosberg with a bold move on lap 50, but again couldn't hold the position through a corner, missing a chance to close Rosberg's margin for error over the final two races.

F1 Grand Prix of Mexico Results
Sunday
At Autodromo Hermanos Rodriguez
Mexico City
Lap length: 2.69 miles

1. Lewis Hamilton, Britain, Mercedes, 1:40.31, 25.
2. Nico Rosberg, Germany, Mercedes, 8.35 seconds behind, 18.
3. Sebastian Vettel, Germany, Ferrari, 17.31, 15.
4. Daniel Ricciardo, Australia, Red Bull Racing Tag Heuer, 20.86, 12.
5. Max Verstappen, Netherlands, Red Bull Racing Tag Heuer, 21.32, 10.
6. Kimi Raikkonen, Finland, Ferrari, 49.38, 8.
7. Nico Hulkenberg, Germany, Force India Mercedes, 58.95, 6.
8. Valtteri Bottas, Finland, Williams Mercedes, 1:05.81, 4.
9. Felipe Massa, Brazil, Williams Mercedes, 1:16.21, 2.
10. Sergio Perez, Mexico, Force India Mercedes, 1:16.80, 1.
11. Marcus Ericsson, Sweden, Sauber Ferrari, +1 lap.
12. Jenson Button, Britain, McLaren Honda, +1.
13. Fernando Alonso, Spain, McLaren Honda, +1.
14. Jolyon Palmer, Britain, Renault, +1.
15. Felipe Nasr, Brazil, Sauber Ferrari, +1.
16. Carlos Sainz, Spain, Toro Rosso Ferrari, +1.
17. Kevin Magnussen, Denmark, Renault, +1.
18. Daniil Kvyat, Russia, Toro Rosso Ferrari, +1.
19. Esteban Gutierrez, Mexico, Haas Ferrari, +1.
20. Romain Grosjean, France, Haas Ferrari, +1.
21. Esteban Ocon, France, MRT Mercedes, +2.
22. Pullcal Wehrlein, Germany, MRT Mercedes, DNF.

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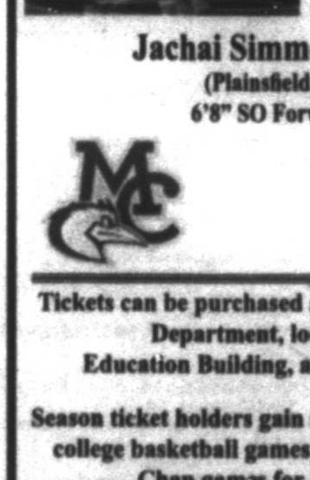

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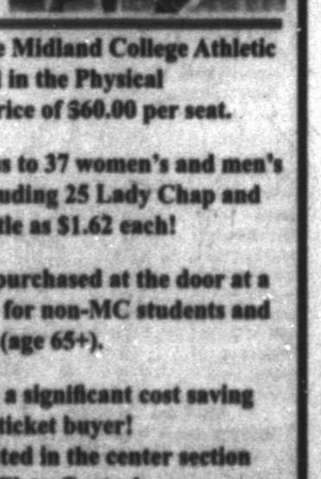

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(Plainfield, NJ)
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Matsuyama finishes off dominant victory in Shanghai

By Doug Ferguson
Associated Press

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Japan's Hideki Matsuyama lifts the trophy after winning the 2016 WGC-HSBC Champions golf tournament at the Sheshan International Golf Club on Sunday in Shanghai, China.

SHANGHAI — Hideki Matsuyama waved to a cheering crowd from the top balcony of a corporate suite over the 18th green at Sheshan International, where moments earlier he finished up a thorough beating of a world-class field in the HSBC Champions.

He never felt higher. His game never felt better.

And the 24-year-old Japanese star can only hope that he's just getting started.

Matsuyama never gave anyone a chance Sunday, closing with a 6-under 66 for a seven-shot victory that made him the first Asian to win a World Golf Championships event since the series began in 1999.

And it was only fitting that he won at the event billed as "Asia's major."

"He was brilliant," said defending champion Russell Knox, who played in the last group and was along for the ride. "No weaknesses the last two days. He drove the ball well and far, and his iron play was very good. And he made it look very easy."

The only trouble came when it no longer mattered. Matsuyama realized that one last birdie would give him 30 for the week, so he went for the green on the par-5 18th and his shot bounced out of a bush and tumbled into the water. No problem. He took his drop in the rough, hit wedge to 18 feet and made one last putt to extend a streak of playing the final 45 holes without a bogey.

"No special number," he said of his goal to make 30 birdies. "I made 19 birdies the first few days, so then I was thinking, 'Well, if I make 11 more, I can win.' So that was kind of my goal was to get to 30 birdies."

He really didn't need any of them.

Matsuyama finished at 23-under 265, one short of the tournament record that Dustin Johnson set three years ago. He won by seven over British Open champion Henrik Stenson (65) and Daniel Berger (69).

One week after becoming the first Japanese player since Jumbo Ozaki in 1998 to reach the top 10 in the world, the victory moved Matsuyama up to No. 6.

There was one moment early in the round when it looked as though there would be a two-shot swing would have cut his deficit to two shots over Berger. Matsuyama made his 15-foot par putt on the par-3 fourth hole, hit his approach to 4 feet on the next hole for birdie and was on his way. Three straight birdies on the back nine, including a 9-iron out of the rough on the tough 15th that settled 3 feet away, turned this into a rout.

"I've never won by that many even in Japan," Matsuyama said.

It was the largest margin of victory in the HSBC Champions, and the largest in a WGC event since Tiger Woods won by seven in the 2013 Bridgestone Invitational.

He won for the 10th time in his career, and his third PGA Tour-sanctioned victory tied him with Shigeki Maruyama for most by a Japanese player. Matsuyama won the Memorial in 2014, and he won the Phoenix Open in February in a playoff over Rickie Fowler.

"Shigeki Maruyama is a good friend of mine, and he always said that I was going to pass his records," Matsuyama said. "But at least I've tied him now. That was a great honor, because I have great respect for him."

The next stop is a major. Y.E. Yang at the 2009 PGA Championship is the only Asian to win a men's major.

"Winning today I feel has got me closer to being able to compete a lot better in the major tournaments, and so my next goal is, of course, to win a major," he said. "And I'm going to do all that I can to prepare well for that."

In the last three weeks since he finished his best PGA Tour season with fifth place at the Tour Championship, Matsuyama won the Japan Open, was runner-up in Malaysia to Justin Thomas in the CIMB Classic, and then won his biggest tournament yet.

"Hideki played just unbelievable and it was a pleasure to watch. You can learn a lot from watching Hideki play," Berger said. "He's struck it well. He's putted well. He's chipped well. He's done everything well, and that's why he's won by so many."

HSBC Champions Scores
Sunday
At Sheshan International Golf Club
Shanghai
Purse: $9.5 million
Yardage: 7,261; Par: 72
Final

H.Matsuyama (550), $1,620,000	66-65-68-66—265
Daniel Berger (258), $787,000	66-70-67-69—272
Henrik Stenson (258), $787,000	69-71-67-65—272
Bill Haas (128), $372,000	67-67-70-69—273
Rory McIlroy (128), $372,000	71-66-70-66—273
Ross Fisher, $235,333	69-68-69-68—274
Rickie Fowler (96), $235,333	65-73-68-68—274
F. Molinari (96), $235,333	67-69-68-70—274
Sergio Garcia (81), $170,000	68-72-69-67—276
Russell Knox (81), $170,000	66-68-69-74—276
Emiliano Grillo (73), $148,000	72-67-71-67—277
Paul Casey (67), $134,000	67-70-72-69—278
Alexander Noren, $134,000	68-72-70-68—278
Thomas Pieters, $118,500	71-70-66-72—279
Adam Scott (61), $118,500	69-80-64-66—279
Matthew Fitzpatrick, $103,667	72-74-70-65—281
Joost Luiten, $103,667	72-68-71-70—281
Jason Kokrak (55), $103,667	70-73-67-71—281
R. C. Bello (52), $93,000	71-74-68-69—282
Rikard Karlberg, $93,000	64-75-71-72—282
Matt Kuchar (48), $88,000	73-66-68-76—283
Xinjun Zhang, $88,000	68-69-70-76—283
Ashun Wu, $80,167	73-69-73-69—284
Tyrrell Hatton, $80,167	70-76-67-71—284
Justin Thomas (39), $80,167	71-70-72-71—284
Chris Wood, $80,167	69-70-70-75—284
Shane Lowry (39), $80,167	74-68-65-77—284
Ryan Moore (39), $80,167	71-72-66-75—284
Lee Westwood, $75,000	69-70-77-69—285
Richard Bland, $72,000	68-68-75-75—286
Roberto Castro (28), $72,000	73-74-73-66—286
Branden Grace (28), $72,000	73-75-71-67—286
Thongchai Jaidee, $72,000	70-73-73-70—286
Charl Schwartzel (28), $72,000	72-71-72-71—286
Dean Burmester, $67,000	68-70-74-75—287
Kevin Chappell (22), $67,000	70-71-72-74—287
J.B. Holmes (22), $67,000	71-74-70-72—287
Dustin Johnson (22), $67,000	74-74-70-69—287
Bernd Wiesberger, $67,000	71-72-73-71—287
George Coetzee, $62,000	69-79-68-72—288
Zecheng Dou, $62,000	77-70-72-69—288
Martin Kaymer, $62,000	72-68-74-74—288
Soren Kjeldsen (16), $62,000	73-75-72-68—288
Brooks Koepka (16), $62,000	73-70-69-76—288
Louis Oosthuizen (12), $58,500	71-75-69-74—289
Jhonattan Vegas (12), $58,500	79-71-73-66—289
Bradley Dredge, $55,000	72-73-74-71—290
Andrew Johnston (10), $55,000	75-69-69-77—290
K.T. Kim, $55,000	74-74-71-71—290
WC Liang, $55,000	72-75-72-71—290
Gary Woodland (10), $55,000	71-74-73-72—290
Gregory Bourdy, $51,500	74-70-76-71—291
Young-han Song, $51,500	75-74-72-70—291
Scott Hend, $49,250	72-72-72-77—293
Kevin Na (7), $49,250	75-71-73-74—293
Hideto Tanihara, $49,250	73-73-73-74—293
Bubba Watson (7), $49,250	71-73-76-73—293
Alexander Levy, $47,750	72-75-73-74—294

PRO GOLF SCORES

Sime Darby LPGA Malaysia Scores
Sunday
At TPC Kuala Lumpur (East Course)
Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
Purse: $1.8 million
Yardage: 6,246; Par: 71
Final
a-amateur

Shanshan Feng, $270,000	66-70-64-67—267
Suzann Pettersen, $165,829	66-72-66-66—270
Amy Yang, $106,678	63-69-71-69—272
Anna Nordqvist, $106,678	67-68-67-70—272
So Yeon Ryu, $68,093	72-68-66-67—273
Azahara Munoz, $68,093	66-70-70-67—273
Kim Kaufman, $48,119	69-70-68-67—274
Danielle Kang, $48,119	67-70-69-68—274
Carlota Ciganda, $37,073	71-67-70-67—275
Paula Creamer, $37,073	72-71-64-68—275
Mi Jung Hur, $37,073	70-65-72-68—275
Ryann O'Toole, $26,692	73-67-71-65—276
Charley Hull, $26,692	71-70-68-67—276
Jenny Shin, $26,692	66-70-72-68—276
Jessica Korda, $26,692	71-68-67-70—276
Beatriz Recari, $26,692	69-69-68-70—276
Lydia Ko, $26,692	71-69-65-71—276
Ha Na Jang, $26,692	69-67-68-72—276
Marina Alex, $21,606	65-72-69-71—277
Gerina Piller, $19,792	70-69-72-67—278
Karine Icher, $19,792	67-73-70-68—278
Brittany Lang, $19,792	71-68-68-71—278
Hee Young Park, $19,792	74-65-67-72—278
Moriya Jutanugarn, $17,341	72-69-69-69—279
Brittany Lincicome, $17,341	68-69-70-72—279
Chella Choi, $17,341	73-65-67-74—279
Eun-Hee Ji, $15,139	72-70-70-68—280
Michelle Wie, $15,139	66-70-73-71—280
Pornanong Phatlum, $15,139	71-69-68-72—280
Candie Kung, $15,139	70-65-69-76—280
Sakura Yokomine, $13,437	72-73-67-69—281
Jodi Ewart Shadoff, $13,437	69-72-68-72—281
Stacy Lewis, $11,871	70-72-70-70—282
Caroline Masson, $11,871	72-69-71-70—282
Pernilla Lindberg, $11,871	72-67-72-71—282
Lee-Anne Pace, $11,871	69-75-66-72—282
Mi Hyang Lee, $10,055	75-70-71-67—283
Haru Nomura, $10,055	70-72-71-70—283
Mirim Lee, $10,055	70-72-69-72—283
Sydnee Michaels, $10,055	71-70-68-74—283
Annie Park, $8,896	72-70-70-72—284
Mo Martin, $8,896	66-75-71-72—284
Maude-Aimee Leblanc, $8,020	69-76-71-69—285
Yani Tseng, $8,020	71-74-70-70—285
Ariya Jutanugarn, $8,020	68-75-70-72—285
Paula Reto, $6,779	70-74-73-69—286
Kris Tamulis, $6,779	71-71-75-69—286
Ai Miyazato, $6,779	71-75-70-70—286
Mariajo Uribe, $6,779	73-73-69-71—286
Tiffany Joh, $6,779	75-74-69-73—286
Nontaya Srisawang, $6,779	69-72-72-73—286
Aditi Ashok, $5,992	71-69-73-74—287
Catriona Matthew, $5,720	75-72-70-71—288
Sandra Gal, $5,720	74-71-70-73—288
Jennifer Song, $5,266	72-75-71-71—289
Alena Sharp, $5,266	71-75-70-73—289
Megan Khang, $5,266	74-67-72-76—289
Ayako Uehara, $4,653	73-73-73-71—290
Katie Burnett, $4,653	76-75-67-72—290
Sarah Jane Smith, $4,653	73-74-70-73—290
Kelly Tan, $4,653	72-74-69-75—290
Lee Lopez, $4,357	77-75-67-73—292
Brooke M. Henderson, $4,176	70-79-74-70—293
Kelly W Shon, $4,176	73-76-70-74—293
Gaby Lopez, $4,176	72-72-71-78—293
Cheyenne Woods, $3,995	78-70-72-74—294
Jing Yan, $3,905	76-75-71-73—295
a-Ashley Lau	73-75-76-72—296
Nur Durriyah, $3,767	75-71-77-74—297
Christina Kim, $3,767	72-77-70-78—297
Michelle Koh, $3,632	73-77-74-74—298
Aretha Pan, $3,587	77-79-74-70—300
Jean Chua, $3,540	71-86-70-74—301
Natasha Andrea Oon	80-74-75-74—303
Na Yeon Choi, $3,495	75-76-74-86—311
Ainil Johani Bakar, $3,450	75-80-78-81—314
a-Winnie Ng	78-81-77-79—315

PGA-Sanderson Farms Championship Scores
Sunday
At Country Club of Jackson
Jackson, Miss.
Purse: $4.2 million
Yardage: 7,421; Par 72
Final

Cody Gribble (300), $756,000	73-63-67-65—268
Chris Kirk (117), $313,600	67-70-65-70—272
Luke List (117), $313,600	71-66-65-70—272
Greg Owen (117), $313,600	67-67-70-68—272
Lucas Glover (60), $153,300	66-69-68-70—273
Hiroshi Iwata (60), $153,300	66-70-69-68—273
X.Schauffele (60), $153,300	67-70-70-66—273
Graham DeLaet (45), $121,800	66-69-68-72—275
Grayson Murray (45), $121,800	67-65-72-71—275
Seung-Yul Noh (45), $121,800	67-70-70-68—275
Ryan Blaum (35), $96,600	68-70-70-68—276
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WEST TEXAS SPORTS

To submit an item for West Texas Sports, please either fax, bring in, mail or email your information in hard-copy form to the Reporter-Telegram sports department.

Please make your submission as detailed as possible, including dates of events, deadlines, fees, age groups, etc.

To bring your item to the MRT, come to 201 E. Illinois Ave. in Midland. To mail your information, send it to Reporter-Telegram, c/o Sports Department, 201 E. Illinois Ave., Midland, TX 79701.

You can email it to sports@mrt.com.

Baseball

GCM Baseball Academy
What: Professional private baseball lessons & clinics covering pitching, fielding, catching and hitting provided by three former professional players.
For: Ages 5 & up.
Cost: Individual lessons $65 an hour or $40 for 30 minutes. Bulk purchases & group lesson rates available at discount.
For more info: Call (432) 425-6108

Private batting and pitching instruction
For more info: Call Danny Jordan at 230-0096 for instruction on mechanics and pitch selection in a one-on-one setting

Private hitting and catching instruction
For more info: Call Scott Chapman at 967-2364 for instruction in a one-on-one environment.

Pitching, hitting and fielding lessons
For more info: Call Midland High baseball coach Barry Russell at 296-2438

Private Baseball/Softball lessons
For more info: Contact Extra Innings Midland/Odessa at (432) 617-4487 or visit www.extrainnings-midlandodessa.com

Midland Little League Umpires Needed
For more info: Contact 889-6080

WTX Baseball
What: Instruction for players 5 and up
For more info: wtxbaseball.com; facebook.com/wtxbaceballmidland; 413-0329

Private lessons
For more info: Call Mike Munguia 432-230-6477 or email mmungia@midlandchristianschool.org

Wayland Baptist tryout
For: Graduating high school seniors and junior college players with remaining eligibility
When/where: 1 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 12, Wilder Field, Wayland Baptist University, Plainview. Registration begins at noon at front entrance of Wilder Field.
Cost: Free
For more info: Contact Brad Bass at 806-291-3820 or email bradbass1@wbu.edu

Basketball

Permian Basketball Association needs officials
For more info: Jim Cox, 685-4143 or 553-3714

YMCA needs basketball referees
For more info: 682-2551

Midland Hoops 32 Basketball Skills Training
Cost: $25 per session, one to two people; $15 for groups of three or more
For more info: Contact Eddie Venzant at 254-6894 or go to midlandhoops32.com; venzanteddie@yahoo.com.

Bowling

Tuesday Night Petroleum Men's League
When: Meets at 6:45 p.m.
For more info: Melton Post 684-5176 or Cactus Lanes 694-0177

Edith McElmore Three-Person League
When: 10 a.m. Wednesdays
Where: AMF Lanes
For more info: Call AMF Lanes at 689-9725

Reed's Super Bowl
What: Fall/winter leagues registration is currently ongoing.
For more info: Call 432-704-5385

Rock n' Bowl
When: 8 p.m.-1 a.m. Saturdays
Where: Reed's Super Bowl, 3920 W. Wall St.
Cost: $10-25
For more info: Call Zoe Reed at 575-399-5241 or Kevin Reed at 575-441-6646

Color Pin Bowling
When: 7:30 p.m. Fridays
Where: Reed's Super Bowl
Cost: $18 for three games. Cash prizes awarded.
For more info: Call Zoe Reed at 575-399-5241 or Kevin Reed at 575-441-6646

Camps/Clinics

Ten Star All Star Camp
For whom: Boys and girls ages 10-19
For more info: Call (704) 373-0873 for a brochure

COM Aquatic Camps
What: Swimming, diving, snorkeling
Ages: Preschool and grade school
For more info: Call 684-7755

Tennis clinics and lessons
Contact Coach Jon Lanier for clinics and lessons at jlanier@midlandchristianschool.org

Cycling

Permian Basin Bicycle Association Meetings
When: 7 p.m., third Monday of every month
Where: MCH Mission Fitness, corner of Highway 191 and Faudree Road, Odessa
Dues: $25/$30 for a family
For more info: Peyton's Bikes 699-1718 or go to www.pbbatx.com

Dodgeball

Sticks and Kicks Leagues
Who: Kids, adults, co-ed players
Cost: $35 per player (8 game season)
Where: Register at Sticks and Kicks, 3918 W. Wall
For more info: Call 520-6633

Flag Football

YMCA Officials Needed
What: The YMCA needs officials for Youth Flag Football games Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.
For more info: Call 682-2551

Football

Permian Basin Officials Chapter seeks officials

Note: Education and training will be provided
For more info: Call Terrell Pierce at 559-5004 or Jesse Mendoza at 432-254-9214

Martial Arts

Aikido
When: Monday-Friday, 7 to 9 p.m.; Saturdays, 12:30 p.m.
Note: Specializing in traditional Hombu style Aikido
For more info: Call John Riggs, 684-7008 or 770-3155

Private Martial Art/Self-Defense Lessons
For: Men-Women-Children
What: Learn Basic Skills to Advanced Techniques
Note: Private, Semi-Private and Group Lessons are available
For more info: Call Master Oscar Jimenez, 432-559-5009, ojimenez3@att.net

Matthews Martial Arts
When: Monday through Thursday, 5-8 p.m.
What: Karate-Judo-Jujitsu-Kempo-KungFu
For: Ages 3 and up
Where: 3205 Cuthbert
For more info: Contact Jason Matthews at 488-7467 or 689-8444

Miscellaneous

Student-Athlete Sports Consultant
For: Assisting high school student athletes with academic-athletic scholarships.
For more info: Call Jacob Santillano at (915) 240-1030

Poker

Lone Star Poker League
What: Free to play Texas Hold 'em Poker tournaments.
For: Beginners to experienced players. Ages 21 and up.
When/where: 6:30 p.m., Sunday, Wednesday and Friday at Woofers & Tweeters; 6:30 p.m., Tuesday and Thursday at Rednecks Drafthouse. Players must be signed in by 6:15 p.m. each night.
For more info: Go to www.lonestarpokertour.net

Professional Wrestling

Old School Wrestling School
What: Professional wrestling school for all ages.
Where: 404 E. 61st St., Odessa
When: 7-10 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays; 2-6 p.m. Sundays
Cost: $50 down; $35 a month.
For more info: Call Fred, 770-7001, or Sam, 349-3055

Rugby

Mad Dog Rugby Football Club
Practices: Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7-9 p.m. at Reyes-Mashburn Park (north field)
For more info call: 432-697-6418

Running

Permian Basin Running Club
Cost: $20 per year for individual membership; $30 for per year for family membership
For more info: Go to www.pbrunningclub.com or email Shawn Hailey, president at haileyshawn@pbrunningclub.com

Gazelles Training Group
When: 6 a.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday
For more info: Call Popcorn Leonard at 512-762-1020 or 682-0988

Shooting

Comanche Trail Shootists
What: Single Action Shooting Society affiliated club in Midland
When: Monthly shoots first Saturday and third Sunday of each month, first Saturday beginning at 10 a.m.; Third Sunday from 1 p.m. (Mandatory safety meeting at 12:30 p.m.) Also shoot on fifth Sunday on months that have them (begin at 1 p.m. and are no cost to the shooter); Mandatory safety meeting at 9:30 a.m.
Where: Timberline Ranch adjacent to Jake's Clays
For more info: Go to comanchetrailshootists.org or call Hoodoo Brown 682-1422.

Midland Shooters Association
What: All types of shooting practice and competition, featuring archery, benchrest rifle, bulls-eye rifle, high power rifle, pistol silhouette, rimfire silhouette, 3 gun, practical pistol, skeet, trap 5 state and sporting clays.
When: Members can access rifle and pistol ranges from sunrise to sunset seven days a week. Shotgun ranges open 11 a.m. until dusk Wednesday to Sunday.
For more info: Go to www.midlandshooters.com

Soccer

Permian Basin Soccer Association
What: Registration for women's spring/summer season
Where: Dunagan Park, located at corner of Gist and Terrell
When: Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 7-8:30 p.m.
For more info: Contact Jesus Chavez at 557-7032 anytime or Josh Chavez at 238-6947 after 6:30 p.m.

Midland Soccer Association
For: Youth Recreational League Ages 4-18
When: Spring/Fall Games
Note: Also information on becoming a certified referee
For more info: Register online at www.midlandsoccer.com and go to 432-684-5425

Softball

Midland Softball Association Tournament Schedule
Now available at www.midlandsoftball.com.
For more info: call Tommy Hawkins at 520-9100

Midland Men's Woodbat Fastpitch Association
For more info: Call 634-6474 or visit www.facebook.com/pages/Midland-Texas-Mens-Fastpitch or wyofastpitch@gmail.com

Swimming

COM Pre-competitive swimming
Where: Mabee Aquatic Center
Cost: $49 per month
Prerequisite: Must be able to swim 25 yards or freestyle or backstroke
For more info: Call 684-7755

COM Water Aerobics Classes
When: All times, Monday through Saturday
Who: All skill levels
For more info: Call Tommy McAlister at 684-7755

COM Learn to Swim
Ages: All ages
Note: Private, semi-private and group lessons are available
For more info: Call 684-7755

COM Masters Swimming
What: Competitive or non-competitive program for adults of all skill levels
When: 5-6 a.m., 11:45 a.m. to 1 p.m., Monday, Wednesday, Friday
Cost: $40 per month (includes cardio training)
For more info: Call 684-7755

COM Diving Instruction
Who: All ages and levels invited
For more info: Call 684-7755

COM Learn to Dive
What: Learn basic skills for beginners then advance to pre-competitive and competitive diving that emphasize skilled diving techniques and participation in diving meets
Ages: 4 and up
For more info: Call 684-7755

COM Competitive Dive Team
Who: Try out for Bronze, Silver, Gold Prep or Gold levels of COM Dive Team.
What: Emphasizes is on diving techniques and participation in local and out of town competitive meets
For more info: Call 684-7755

COM Elite Dive Team
What: Highest level of COM diving. Concentrates on perfecting Olympic level skills, national and international travel
For more info: Call 584-7755

COM Competitive Swim Team
Who: Try out for COM Swim Team, tryouts available by appointment
What: Emphasizes stroke correction and participation in local and out of town competitive meets
For more info: Call 684-7755

COM Adult Conditioning
What: Allows adult participation use of top quality lap pools and fitness room during specified hours
For more info: Call 684-7755

COM Water Walking Class
What: Unstructured, self-paced class
For more info: Call Tommy McAlister at 684-7755

COM Senior Fitness Class
Who: Senior citizens that need help with physical conditions resulting from injury, disease, chronic conditions, advanced age, etc.
For more info: Call Tommy McAlister at 684-7755

Central YMCA Water Aerobics Classes
When: Early morning, morning and evening
For more info: Call Leaf Faller 682-2551

Central YMCA Arthritis Water Exercise Classes
When: Monday, Wednesday, Friday
For more info: Call Leaf Faller 682-2551

Central YMCA Swimming Lessons
Who: All ages and ability
For more info: Call Leaf Faller 682-2551

Central YMCA Synchronized Swimming
For: Ages 6 and up
For more information: Call Leaf Faller 682-2551

Tennis

West Texas Tennis Association
What: West Texas Tennis Association, a non-profit community tennis association, promotes and oversees USTA leagues, programs and events in the area.
For more info: Call 432-210-0611 or www.westtexastennis.com for more information.

Bush Tennis Center Clinics
What: Balloon Tennis 34 (ages 3-4); Redball 58 (ages 5-8); Orange and Green Ball 910 (ages 9-10); Junior Development (6th-8th grade; freshman-JV); Junior Select (varsity); RSR Adults (adult beginners); Intermediate Adults; 4.0-5.0 Adults (advanced adults); Also Junior Team Tennis registration now open
Where: Bush Tennis Center
For more info: Visit www.bushtenniscenter.com or call, 620-8180.

USTA Team Tennis Adult Leagues
When: Leagues run May through November
Where: Midland College Tennis Center
For more info: Sherry 620-8610 or Email www.midlandtennis@aol.com

Midland College Tennis
What: Clinics, lessons, leagues, tournaments
Where: Midland College Tennis Center
For more info: Call 687-4046

Midland College Tennis Club
When: A community tennis club
Where: Midland College Tennis Center
Annual Dues: Adults $65, youths $30, families $140
For more info: Call 563-1333 or email midlandtennisclub@aol.com
Note: Will be holding its annual meeting on Saturday, Jan. 30 at 11 a.m.

Midland Women's Tennis Association
Social women's doubles tennis, all levels
When: 9 a.m. Tuesdays
Where: Midland College
For more info: Call 954-707-0622 or email jmalcolmtexas@gamil.com. Or go to the Midland Women's Tennis Association Facebook page

Ultimate Frisbee

Midland Drought Ultimate Frisbee Club
What: The Club plays weekly casual pick-up games on Monday (from 7 p.m. to dark) and Saturday mornings (from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.) and offer occasional opportunities for tourney travel
For ages: Males and females from the high school level to adult
For more info: Go to www.midlandultimatefrisbee.weebly.com or call Matt at 432-288-3139

Walking

Midland Walkabout AVA Club
For: All Ages
Annual dues: $15 per family
Walks: One Saturday morning per month
When: First Monday of the month at Murray's Deli on Wadley at 6 p.m.
Who: All ages
For more info: Call 432-697-4310, email gpetersen3@suddenlink.net or visit midlandwalkabout.wordpress.com

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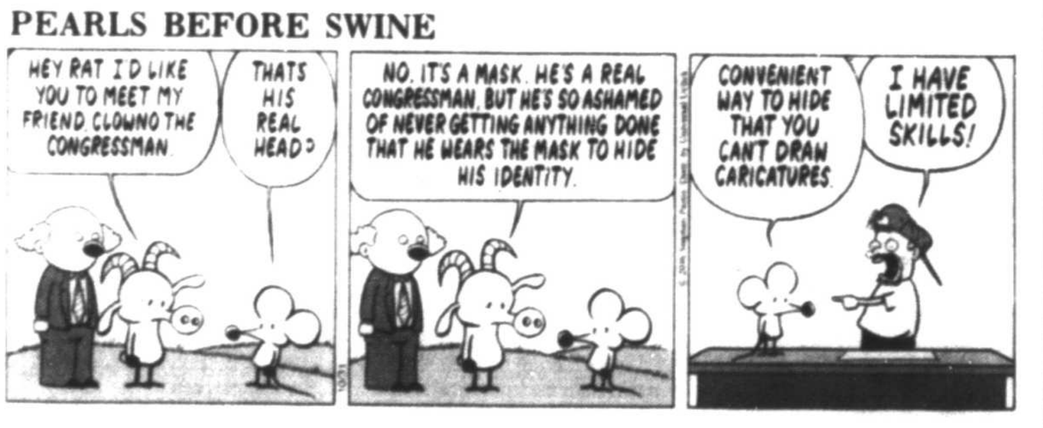

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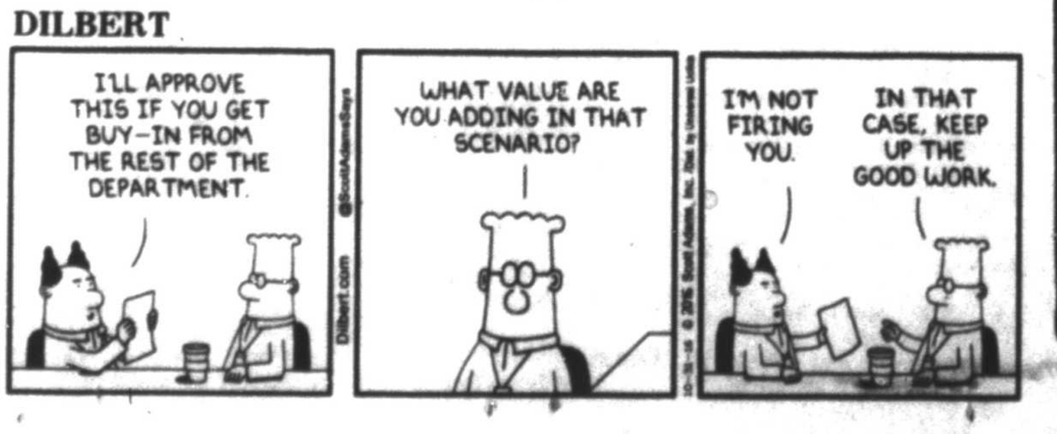

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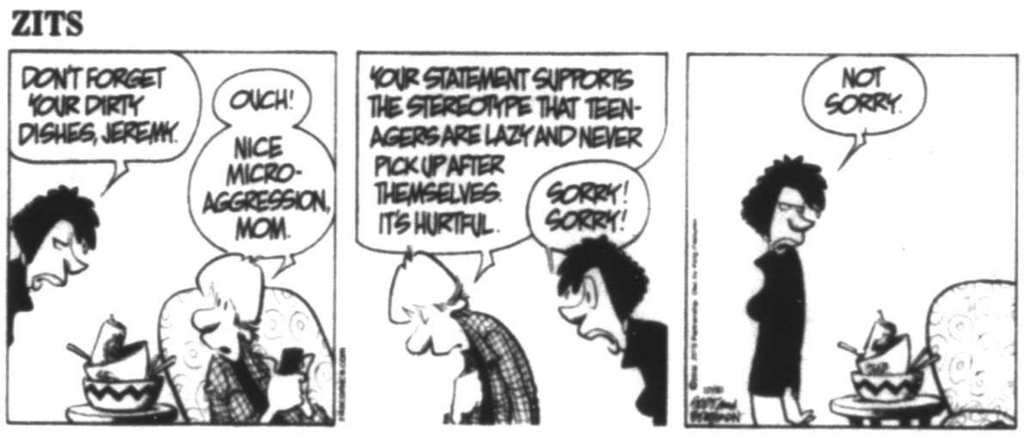

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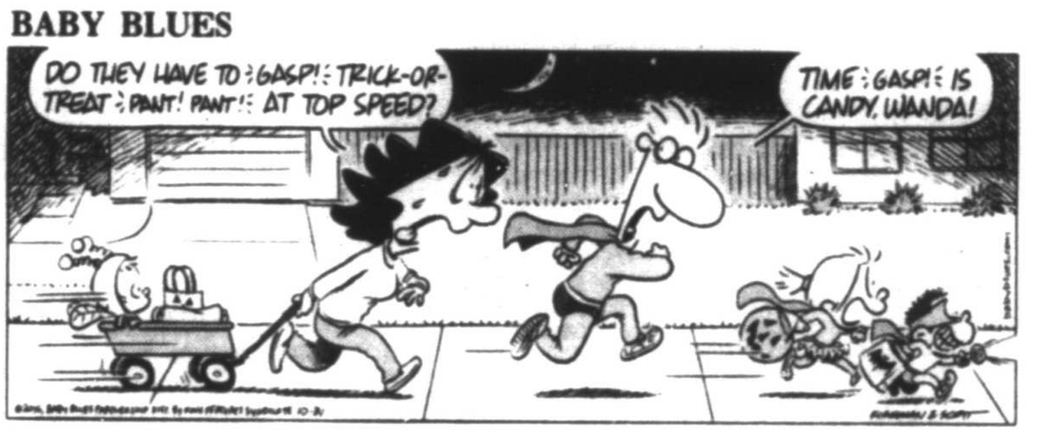

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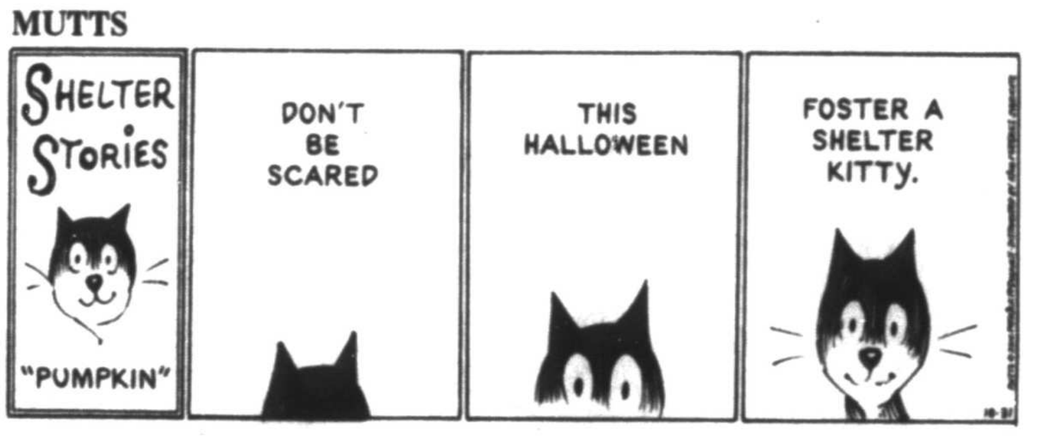


CLOSE TO HOME

"Hey, hon, have you seen my tube of pumpkin spice hemorrhoid cream?"

DENNIS THE MENACE

"NOW THAT'S TYPECASTING."

FAMILY CIRCUS

"Can we trick-or-treat at Santa Claus' house this year?"

LOCKHORNS

"I GUESS THEY HAVEN'T FORGOTTEN YOUR HOMEMADE FUDGE FROM LAST YEAR."

TODAY: Sunny — High: 87 Low: 62

TUESDAY: Sunny — High: 88 Low: 64

WEDNESDAY: Showers — High: 81 Low: 59

THURSDAY: Mostly Cloudy — High: 71 Low: 59

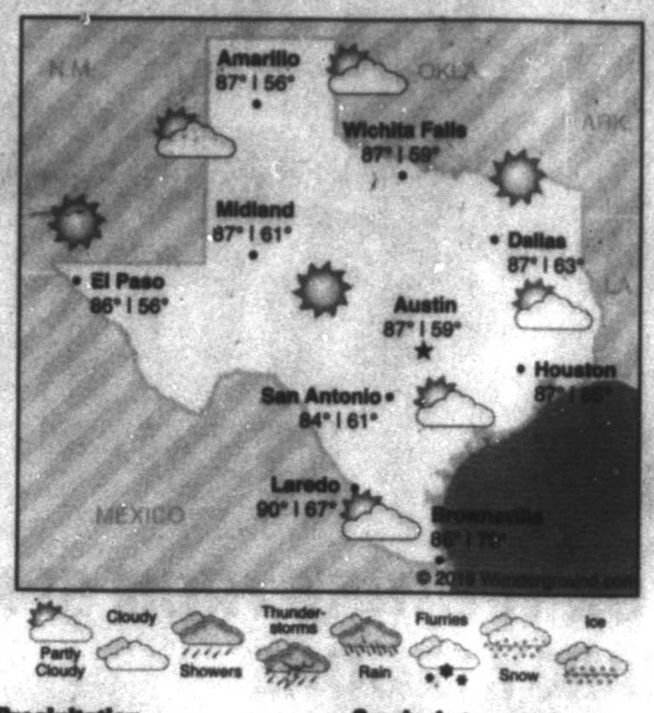
FRIDAY: Partly sunny — High: 70 Low: 55

SATURDAY: Partly sunny — High: 73 Low: 55

Local forecast

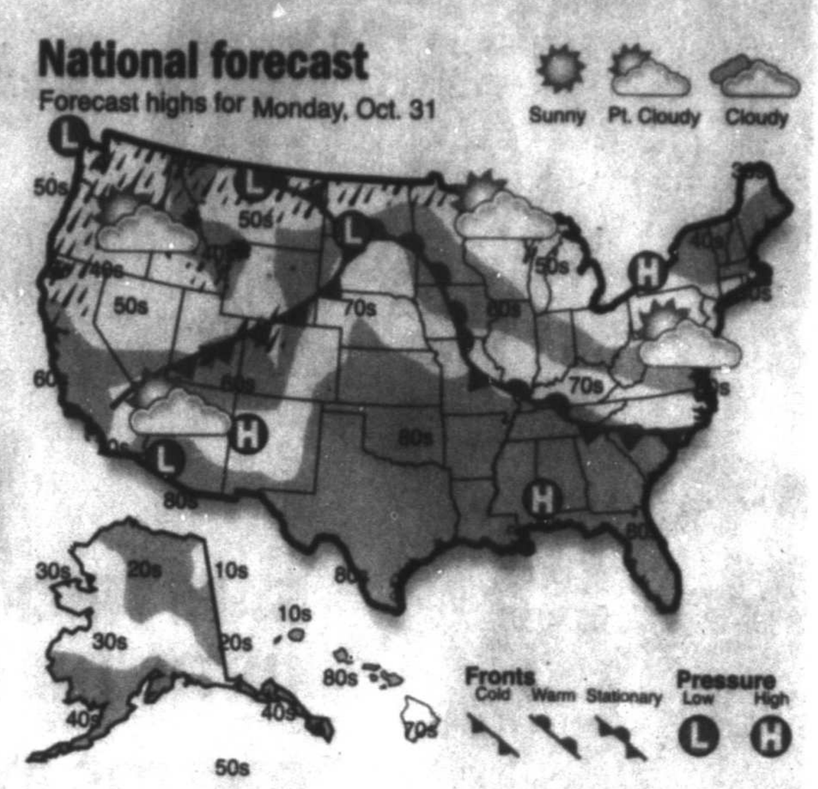
After another record high temperature (90 degrees) on Sunday, expect another two days of temperatures around 15 degrees above normal. The National Weather Service is calling for a 50 percent chance of showers Wednesday night and normal high temperatures after that.

The previous record high for Oct. 30 was 89, set in 2010. The record low is 24, set on 1993. On Oct. 30 of last year, the high was 75 and the low was 57



National forecast

Forecast highs for Monday, Oct. 31



Weather brief

Pacific storm brings needed rain to California

LOS ANGELES — A Pacific storm spread needed rain to much of California on Friday, causing traffic snarls but no immediate trouble for communities near slopes left barren by wildfires.

Northern and central sections of the state felt the brunt of the storm's impacts but the threat of heavy rain rapidly diminished as it spread into Los Angeles and flash flood watches in local mountains were canceled.

Source: Associated Press

Precipitation

Saturday	0.00 in.
Sunday	0.00 in.
Month total	0.31 in.
Year total	12.76 in.
Normal total (year to date)	13.27 in.

Sunday's temperatures

High	87
Low	57
Normal high	73
Normal low	47
Sunrise	8:05 a.m.
Sunset	6:59 p.m.

Mom resents supporting her daughter who's deep in debt

DEAR ABBY

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

DEAR ABBY: My 34-year-old daughter, "Martha," is a single mom. I adore my granddaughter. Martha needs me to give her $500 a month, plus cover emergencies (new tires, hospital bills for baby, etc.) in order to get by. She has said repeatedly that she wants to have another baby before she's 35.

Abby, it's a financial burden to help her as much as we have. My husband (her stepdad) believes, along with me, that we should help until her finances improve. Martha is awash in student debt and has a low-paying job. She lives 12 hours away, so we have to fly out to see them, which means we don't see them often.

My question: How can I tell her that having a second baby when she can't support the first is something I can't handle financially? I am becoming resentful. Our retirement has been dismal because all our money is going to her.

My daughter has a hair-trigger temper and would use access to my granddaughter as leverage to keep the money coming. I'm appalled that she's in this position and upset that I have to pay for her choices. — **APPALLED IN OHIO**

DEAR APPALLED: You DON'T have to pay for your daughter's choices. Tell Martha that as an adult it is HER responsibility — not yours — to provide for herself and her child, and that if she becomes pregnant before her finances improve to the point that she's self-supporting, not to expect one more penny from you.

Please consider starting to reduce the amount you give her and set a deadline beyond which you will no longer supplement her income. Martha may need to find a second job, but that's better than you spending all your retirement money shouldering her responsibilities.

Expect her to be angry. If she threatens to blackmail you with access to your grandchild, tell her that the person she'll be punishing is the little one, not you, and stick to your guns.

DEAR ABBY: My husband has purchased different pieces of equipment over the years. He recently bought a small tractor that he's very proud of and enjoys using around our property. He also has purchased a large trailer that he often uses to haul his equipment and other things.

His problem is friends who seem to think they can help themselves to his stuff. They actually have the audacity to say, "I may borrow your tractor, trailer, etc., tomorrow." I find this to be rude in that they are not asking — they are TELLING him they will.

I told him to say he doesn't loan his equipment out, but he can't seem to be able to say that. Do you have a good comeback that he could use without offending his friends? — **FRAZZLED WIFE**

DEAR FRAZZLED: You, not your husband, appear to be the person with the problem. Nowhere in your letter did you mention that HE thinks he has one. If he resents what these friends are doing, a solution might be for him to tell them to talk to YOU about borrowing the equipment, so you can refuse for him.

JACQUELINE BIGAR'S STARS

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

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Monday, Oct. 31, 2016:

This year creativity marks your ideas and your thinking. Others seek you out in order to help them solve problems. You feel as though you are finally appreciated. Curb a tendency to be too me-oriented. If you are single, you could meet someone of interest, only to discover that he or she is emotionally unavailable. Take your time getting to know a potential suitor. If you are attached, the two of you enjoy each other's company more and more. Remember that a relationship is a two-way street — it is not all about you. A fellow SCORPIO understands you almost too well.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★★ Give more credence to a resourceful person's ideas. Understand that your logic might be different. Compromise with a partner if you want good results. A higher-up could push hard to get what he or she wants. Change the topic, if need be. Tonight: Time for trick-or-treating.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★★ You see life from a very different viewpoint from the majority of people, yet you are willing to go along with others' thinking. You are likely to enjoy a conversation with someone who also accepts different points of view. Tonight: Go along with established plans.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★ You might be in the mood to get into Halloween fun. You come from a place of openness. As a result, you can work with a disparaging person who seems to be evolving. You stand a good chance of being a part of this person's transformation. Tonight: Make it an early night.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★★ Your imagination will find the answer to help a changing relationship. Sometimes you get frustrated when interacting with the other party. Accept that stability is not going to happen. Know that you can't pigeonhole this person. Tonight: Get into the Halloween spirit.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★ Stay centered, and know what needs to happen in order to make a situation work. This project might be a lot harder than you realize. You are fiery and direct in your dealings; you might need to wait until you can be a little more subtle and easygoing. Tonight: Out late.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★★ You'll say what is needed, and as a result, you are likely to receive the expected reaction. You might be able to merge two different ideas together once everyone voices his or her opinions. Perhaps you need to mask your reaction. Tonight: Catch up on a friend's news.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★ Take a hard look at your finances before you overspend. You could feel as if you must say "yes" to an expenditure for your home. A partner might not agree, and before you know it, you could find yourself in an argument with this person. Tonight: Balance your budget.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★★★ Your smile goes a long way in relieving tension. No matter what you do or suggest, you seem to find yourself in a disagreement. Everyone involved seeks a response to one problem. Try to remember that fact, and you might find a resolution. Tonight: In the Halloween spirit.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★ What is happening behind the scenes could dominate your thinking. Be willing to explain to those around you that you have an important matter to work out, hence your preoccupation. Nevertheless, use self-discipline to handle what you must. Tonight: Make it a personal night.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★ Zero in on your priorities. You have the energy and the ability to change a problematic situation. Others naturally work well with you at the moment, so you don't need to challenge anyone. People support you and your ideas. Tonight: Do absolutely what you want.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★★ Others look to you for answers and leadership. Though you might enjoy the attention and trust that surrounds you, you need to understand that you will have to take on additional responsibilities. Think carefully before accepting this role. Tonight: A force to be dealt with.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★ Deal with a partner on a one-on-one level. This person will give you a lot to think about. Sometimes you get locked into your thinking and can't seem to get past your own opinions. Step back, detach and consider what is happening on all different levels. Tonight: Watch a movie.

BORN TODAY

Journalist Dan Rather (1931), film director Peter Jackson (1961), rapper Vanilla Ice (1967)

GOREN BRIDGE

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Bidding Quiz

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

♠ K Q ♡ K 7 ◇ K J 9 8 3 ♣ 9 7 6 5

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1◇	1♡	Dbl*	2♡

*Negative, values with no clear bid

What call would you make?

A — This hand, with most of its values in the short suits, is not worth a free bid at the three level. Pass. Partner will act again if it's right to compete further.

Q 2 — North-South vulnerable, as South, you hold:

♠ Void ♡ A Q 10 5 3 2 ◇ J 9 2 ♣ Q 9 8 2

Right-hand opponent opens one no-trump, 15-17. What call would you make?

A — This is exactly what an overcall of a strong no-trump opening should look like — a good weak two-bid. Bid two hearts.

Q 3 — East-West vulnerable, as South, you hold:

♠ Q 4 2 ♡ 10 9 8 7 5 4 3 ◇ 8 3 ♣ A

As dealer, what call would you make?

A — Pass, quickly. Imagine that you bid hearts and partner leads the king of hearts against three no-trump. Neither the hand nor the suit are worth an opening bid at any level.

Q 4 — Both vulnerable, as South, you hold:

♠ 7 ♡ J 8 7 4 ◇ A 10 9 8 7 4 3 ♣ K

Right-hand opponent opens one club. What call would you make?

A — A potential pre-emptive hand usually has flaws, and you can easily find reasons to pass. Good players look for reasons to bid. Bid three diamonds.

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1 Words before "Tricked you!"
5 Whirled
9 Exxon merger partner
14 Musk of Tesla Motors
15 Syllables from Santa
16 Get away from, as pursuers
17 Tooth anchor
18 Border on
19 Female 33-Across
20 Bovine skin once used as a painting surface by Native Americans
23 Nocturnal flier
24 Partner
25 Peruvian peaks
27 Music room system
30 Zsa Zsa, to Eva
32 Toasty
33 Untamed equines
37 Baba who outwitted thieves
38 Actor Mineo
39 Med. care option
40 Rio Grande feeder
45 Italia's capital
46 Halloween goodies
47 Equal to, with "with"
49 Like sheep sans wool
50 Pained cry
51 Guerrilla Guevara
52 Stack for the bookkeeper to pay ... or, literally, what 20-, 33- and 40-Across' first words constitute
58 Western writer Bret
60 Many
61 Tidy
62 "Know what __?"
63 Rural storage cylinder
64 Scarlett O'Hara's home
65 IRS examination
66 Go berserk
67 "Not great, not bad"

DOWN

1 Basil or rosemary
2 Baseball family name
3 Pig's foot part
4 Insect nest with tunnels
5 Perfect for wading
6 N'awlins sandwich
7 "Nope"
8 "The Little Red Hen" denial
9 Souvenir
10 Eggs in a lab
11 Clip joint?
12 Imagination output
13 For fear that
21 Stein filler
22 Pinch from a chef
26 German article
27 Trade
28 "Cautionary" account
29 Leif's father
30 Poles and Serbs
31 Not doing much of anything
34 "What time __?"
35 Poet Lazarus
36 Fly high
41 Guatemala gold
42 Eden tempter
43 Rajah's mate
44 Santa's landing spot
45 Met by chance
48 Catch, as a crook
49 SeaWorld orca
50 Dough in a wallet
51 "Pet" with Smiley and Winky versions
53 Young lady
54 Model Nordegren once married to Tiger Woods
55 Radiator problem
56 Tomb Raider's __ Croft
57 Stick around
59 Mai __

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

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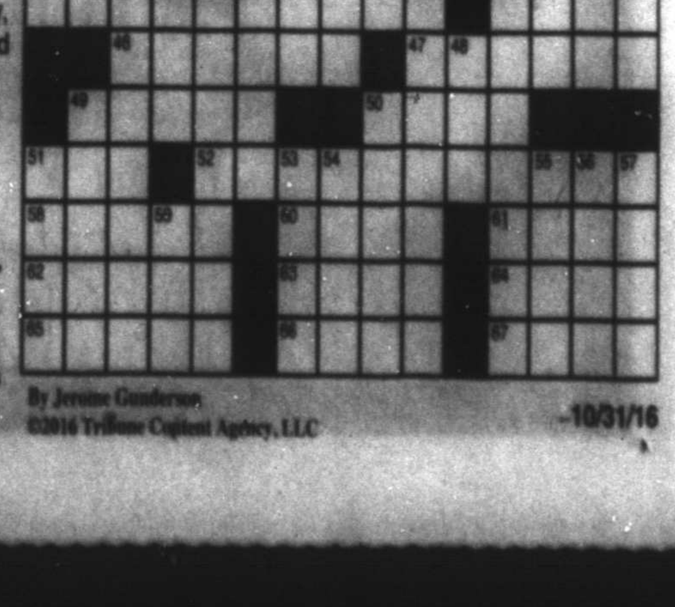

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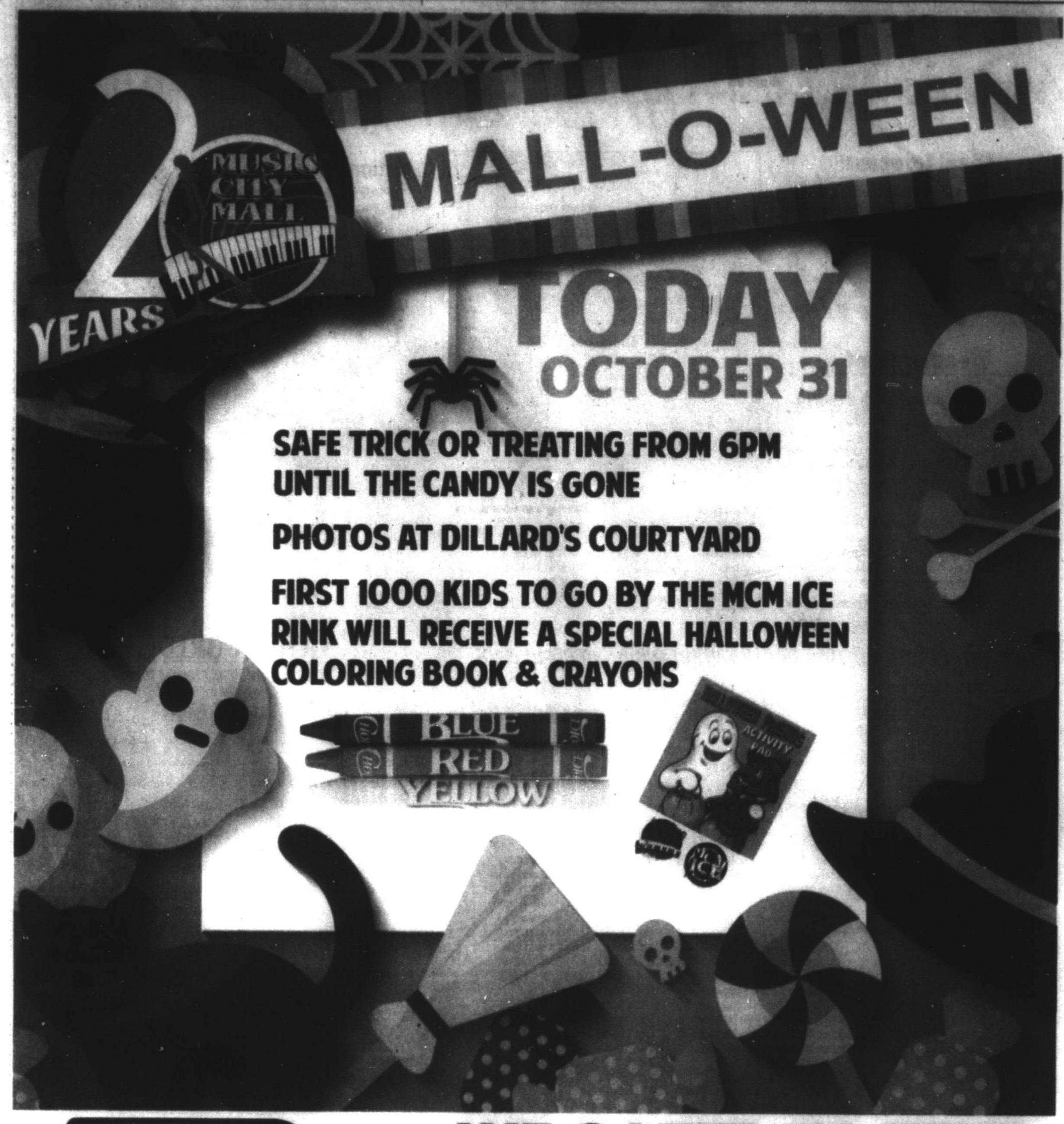

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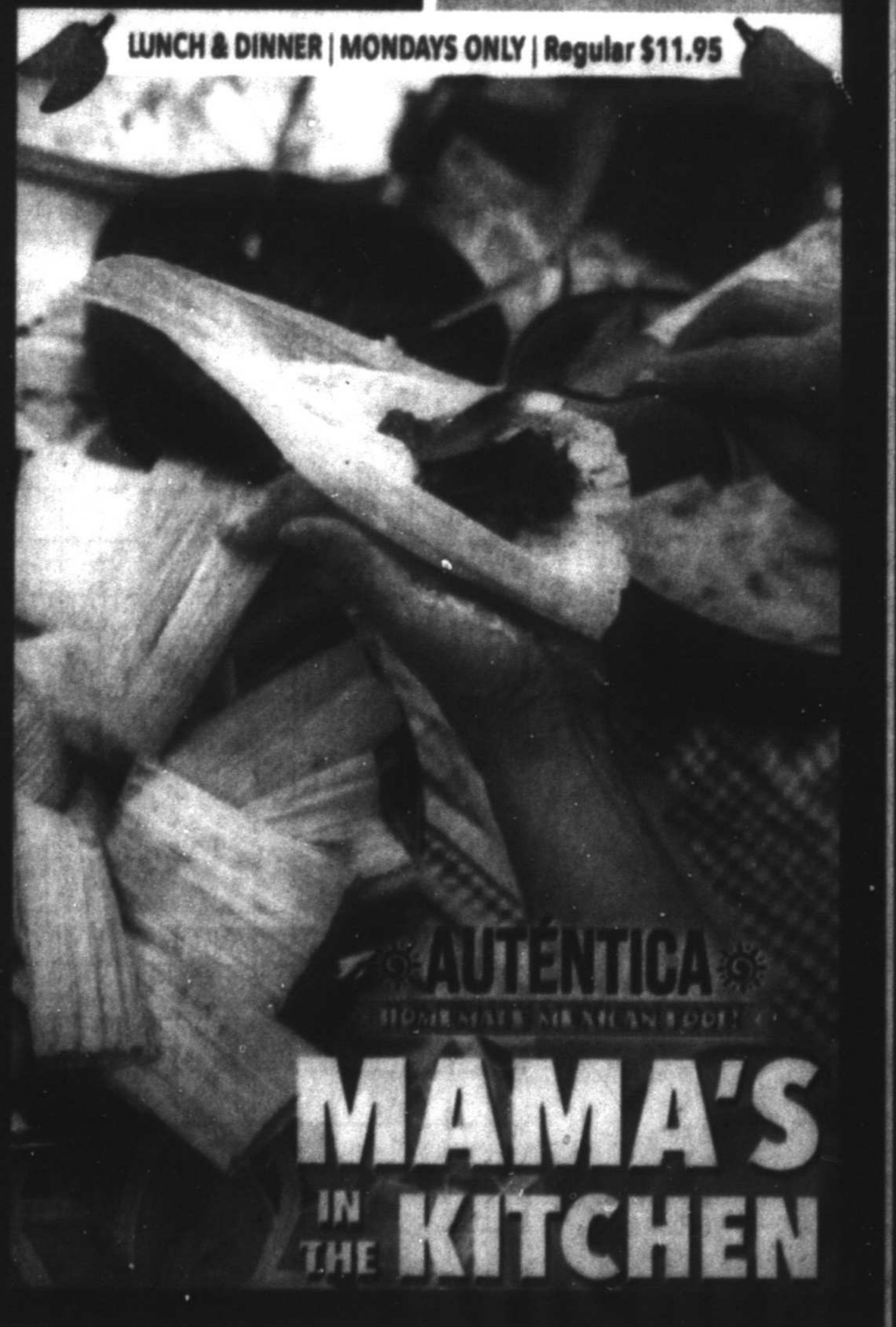

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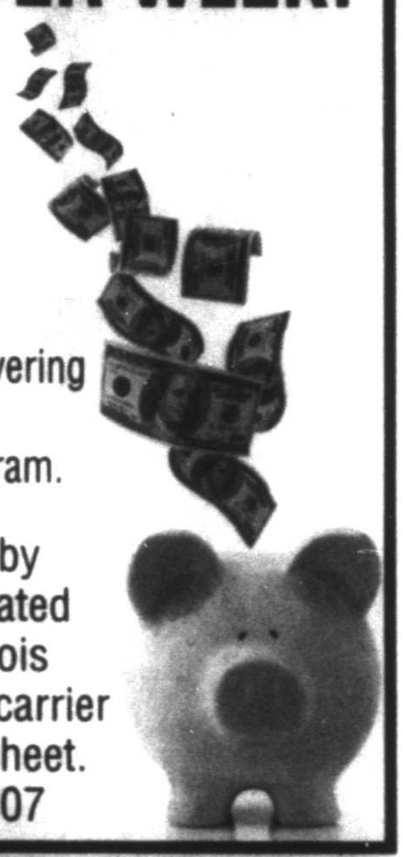

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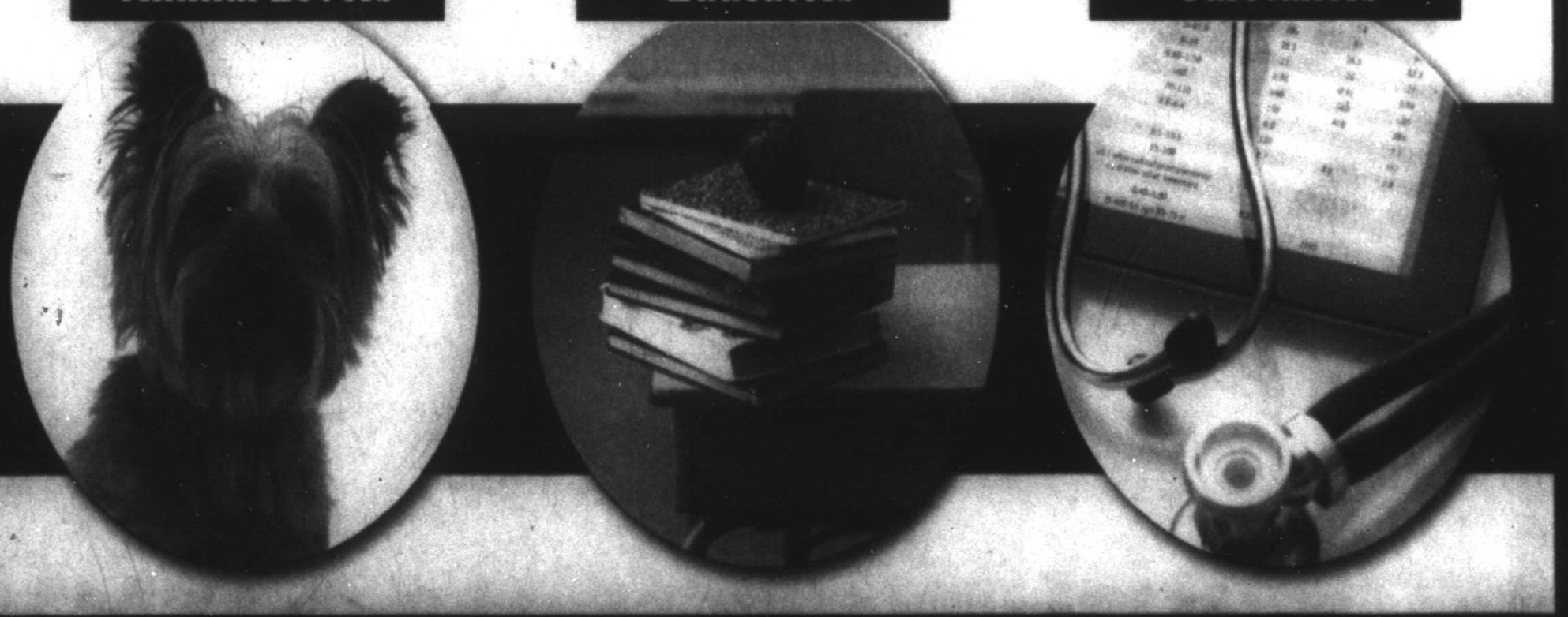

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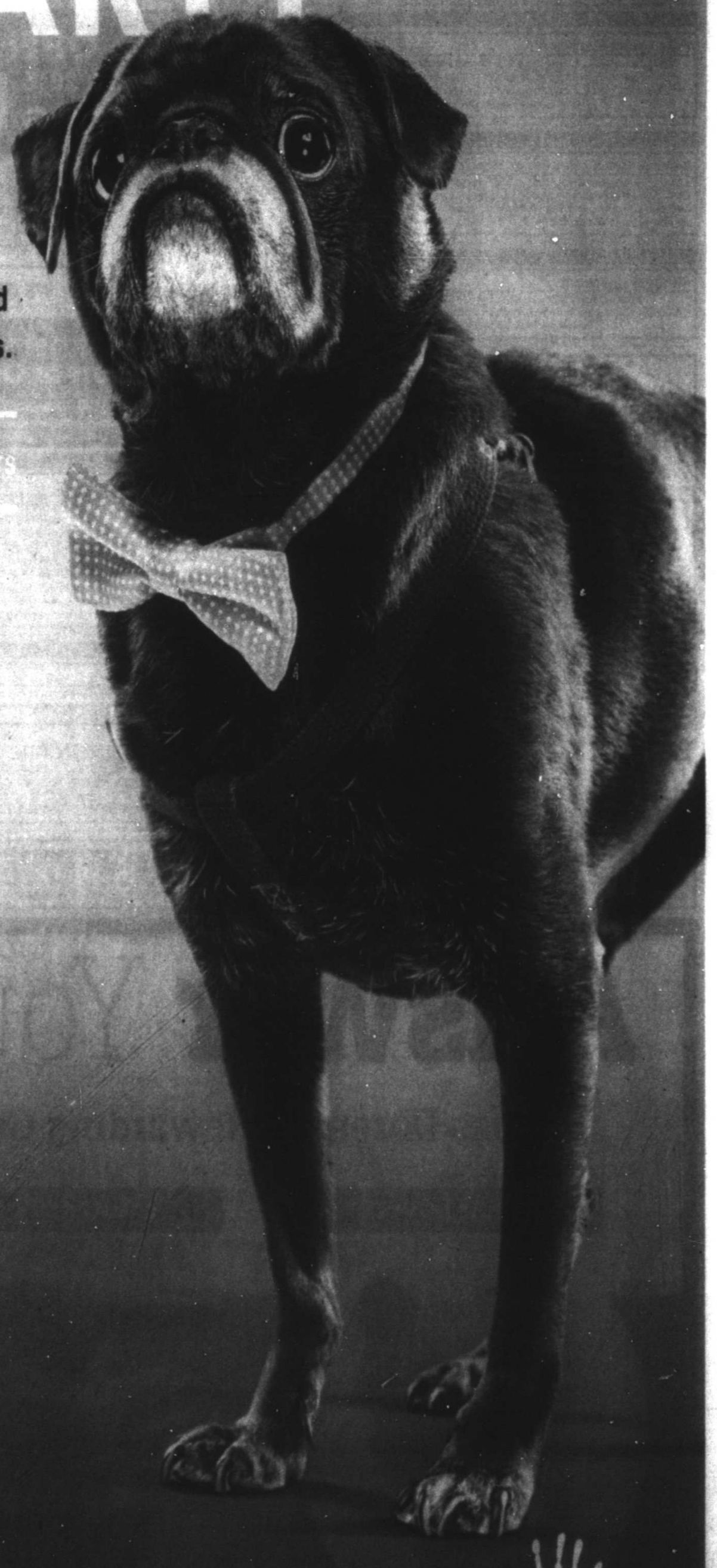

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