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With Midland leading the Texas League Championship series 2-1, Game 4 will be played at 7 p.m. today at Security Bank Ballpark. See Sports for a recap of Thursday's game.

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Analyst describes oil industry's new normal

Increased efficiency, technical advances mean fewer rigs are needed

By Mella McEwen
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Oil and gas companies flying high on triple-digit oil prices, double-digit natural gas prices and nearly 2,000 rigs at work have had their wings clipped.

Jim Wicklund, managing director, equity research, for Credit Suisse, told members of the Permian Basin Petroleum Association on Thursday the next industry upswing "is upon us" but there will be no return to the high numbers seen before crude prices crashed in late 2014.

"It's your fault. You got too good," he said, speaking in the Petroleum Club ballroom.

He told his audience the United States increased its output 1.4 million barrels a day in just one year.

"No country in history has increased production that much. It wasn't production levels, but the fact the U.S. was increasing supplies 50 percent a year that meant the market had to slow that growth," he said. "The Saudis refused to do what they did in the 1980s, which was drop production from 10 million barrels a day to 2 million barrels a day. That had no impact at all. So the markets said the only way to get U.S. production to decline was to take money away from E&P companies. That's what the market has done."

Wicklund was in Midland from Dallas to address a joint meeting of the PBPA and the Petroleum Equipment Services Association. With PESA President Leslie Beyer in the audience, he offered little comfort for that segment of the industry, particularly drillers.

The U.S. rig count has plunged 80 percent in 20 months. And given technical advances that have greatly improved drilling efficiency and a move toward pad drilling, many of those laid-down rigs will not be returning to work, he said.

He illustrated that comment with a slide showing that in January 2014, the Permian Basin had 474 rigs operating, with production of 179 barrels per rig. Today,

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Rebel pride on parade

Photos by James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

The Lee homecoming game is 7:30 p.m. today at Grande Communications Stadium, where the Rebels face Lubbock Monterey. The homecoming king and queen will be crowned at halftime. See photos from the pep rally on **Page 8A.**

Council of PTAs throws support behind TRE

By Stewart Doreen
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The Midland Council of PTAs has thrown its support behind the upcoming tax ratification election.

Becky Page, president of the council, told the Reporter-Telegram in an email that its endorsement is about preventing further cuts to the 2016-17 school district budget.

On Oct. 8, Midland voters will have an opportunity to decide on the fate of a tax rate increase set by the school board for its current budget. Last month, the school board decided to raise its maintenance and operations tax rate from $1.04 per $100 valuation to $1.09. Combined with the lowering of the interest and sinking rate by 2 cents, Midland taxpayers face a net increase of 3 cents per $100 valuation on their tax bill if the tax rate is approved.

The impact on a property assessed at $200,000 (but with available homestead exemptions) would be $46.50. Currently, the tax bill for that property is $1,767, according to Midland ISD.

"As PTAs, who regularly fund-raise to provide our campuses with much-needed resources, we see daily the impact that less funding can have on students," Page wrote. "Now is not the time to try to send a message to those who make decisions about school finance. Now is the time to support our students' needs to work toward the success we all expect of MISD."

Midland ISD board President Rick Davis and Laura Roman, two of the TRE campaign chairs, were present at informational meeting Wednesday at Abell Junior High. While they didn't campaign for votes at the meeting, they provided information to MCFTA leaders about the district's budget situation and what the tax rate increase would cover.

After the informational meeting, the council voted to support the TRE.

"I am very pleased to announce that Midland Council of PTAs has voted to publicly support the Tax Ratification Election," Page wrote. "The net effect of the increase in the school tax combined with the decrease in the bond interest rate is very minimal in terms of cost to us, the taxpayers."

Page told the Reporter-Telegram after the meeting that she expects parents involved in schools to be much more in favor of any kind of increase in taxes to make things better at MISD. She said involved parents see the overcrowding and the upgrading that is needed.

Page has been in Midland since 2008, which makes her part of the wave of new people to the community. Those who have moved to Midland, generally due to oil industry, often have come from areas

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After Oklahoma quake, search is on for new ways to use fractured well water

By Jeffrey Weiss
The Dallas Morning News

DALLAS — The Oklahoma earthquake that shook people from Texas to North Dakota put a new dent in the idea that fracturing-linked temblors were too small to matter. Oklahoma and federal officials quickly ordered the closing of water disposal wells that may have caused the largest quake ever measured in the state.

And that leaves the question: What else can be done with that wastewater?

Industry experts say there are some answers. Some are already being tried. Some could be expensive. But either the water gets managed or there's the risk of shutting down thousands of oil and gas wells in Oklahoma and in other states, including Texas, where scientists have drawn links to earthquakes.

"The answers are not easy, by any means. There is a whole lot of economy at stake," said John Veil, a consultant who started studying the connections between water and petro-production when he worked for the Argonne National Laboratory.

The 5.8 magnitude quake was the biggest ever measured in Oklahoma and mostly shook lightly populated areas. Pawnee was most affected, but other towns reported damage ranging from cracks in walls and foundations to food on grocery shelves tossed to the floor.

The state ordered 37 water wells to be closed. Federal authorities expanded the closure to 17 wells on Native American

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The big number
The mother of Sandra Bland has reached a
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Former President George W. Bush visits with K-4 students Kendall Williams, left, and Eden Wesley in their art class during the dedication of George W. Bush Elementary School, the first Texas school named for him Thursday in St. Paul.

George W. Bush helps dedicate 1st school named for him

Former President George W. Bush sits next to Maricela Helm, principal of George W. Bush Elementary School during the dedication of the school.

Associated Press

ST. PAUL — Former President George W. Bush has helped dedicate the first school in Texas named for him by encouraging students to hit the books.

Bush, who lives in Dallas, was on hand Thursday at George W. Bush Elementary School in the town of St. Paul, in the nearby Wylie Independent School District.

The 43rd president visited an art class.

Bush also spoke to a gathering of adults and students, advising the youngsters: "Read more than you play games on electronic devices."

The 86,000-square-foot school, with more than 500 students, also salutes the education efforts of ex-first Lady Laura Bush — a former teacher and librarian.

Wylie ISD trustees, in unanimously voting to name the new campus for Bush, noted it's the first in Texas to carry his name.

QUAKE

From 1A

land nearby that the state has no authority over.

"This was an emergency response," said Matt Skinner, spokesman for the Oklahoma Corporation Commission. "We don't consider this a final step."

The commission oversees much of the state's regulation of the oil and gas industry. Earlier this year, it had called for a phased reduction of the amount of water that can be injected in wells considered most significant in increasing the risk of quakes.

Oklahoma has experienced a sharper rise than Texas in the number and strength or earthquakes. But both states have experienced significant increases over the past decade, as the number of oil and gas wells has increased.

The chain that many scientists say links petro-production with earthquakes has several links.

Geologists say the shaking is not connected directly to the oil production process called hydraulic fracturing. Wells using that system push treated high-pressure water and sand underground to blow cracks into rocks where oil and gas are trapped. Some of that water comes back up the well as "flowback." But much, much more water that had been trapped with the oil and gas also comes to the surface.

Geologists estimate that as much as 10 times more water comes out of U.S. wells during their lifetimes as oil. And while conventional wells have produced water for years, the boom in fracturing has vastly increased the number of active wells in the U.S.

"If it weren't for fracking, we would not be here talking about these earthquakes," said Johnson Bridgwater, head of the Oklahoma Sierra Club. Earlier this year, the club filed a federal lawsuit against three oil and gas production companies because of the Oklahoma earthquakes.

Veil did a study of what is called "produced water" from 2012. He estimates that about 20.3 billion barrels of water came out of onshore wells that year. Much of the waste is a greasy brine carrying the salt of ancient oceans plus toxic minerals dissolved over millions of years. So it can't simply be dumped into a lake or river.

Nationally, about 46 percent of that water got recycled directly in the oil fields. A lot of it is used to boost the pressure near conventional wells, which increases the oil and gas flow. Some of it can be processed and used to fracture another well. Neither of those have been tied to earthquakes in Texas or Oklahoma.

Some states re-use much more than others. Ohio, for instance, is recycling almost all of its oilfield water, said Brian Schwanitz, a consultant with Welltec, an oilfield service company.

But about 47 percent gets injected into wells that are much deeper than the oil formations and underground drinking water reservoirs.

Deep injections had been considered a safe way to get rid of the water. But as fracturing vastly increased the number of wells drilled in Texas and Oklahoma, producing more water needing disposal, seismologists noticed a rise in the number of earthquakes. Scientific studies indicate that the deep injection wells can put pressure on faults underground. When the faults slip, that creates earthquakes.

While Texas officials continue to deny the connection, Oklahoma has supported the scientific consensus for several years.

"It's not coincidental that the data indicates the earthquakes have increased

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PTA

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where voting for tax rate increases and bonds is more prevalent.

During the presentation Wednesday, Roman said that 78 percent of communities across the state pay a higher tax rate than those who pay taxes to MISD.

Midland voters have been reluctant to pass MISD bond propositions. Since 1996, only five of 11 have passed.

The trend is a reversal from 1947 to 1991, when Midland voters rejected only one proposition in 28 attempts.

However, within a decade, Midland voters pulled the trigger on what were the largest referendums at the time. In 2003, Midland voters approved a $67.1 million bond.

In 2012 — on the same ballot as the presidential election — 61.82 percent of Midland voters said yes to a $163 million referendum.

"I do see that things are changing," Page said. "I would hope people realize the need is not going away. The number of students in our schools is increasing and people are still moving here. ... We have to look at what we can do for our students."

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noun
1. a place name.
2. a name derived from the name of a place.

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Geneva Reed-Veal, left, mother of Sandra Bland, a black Chicago-area woman who died in a Texas jail after a contentious traffic stop last summer, waits with her daughter Shavon Bland in the family's attorney's office, Thursday in Chicago. Bland died in her cell at the Waller County Jail three days after she was arrested by a white Texas state trooper for a minor traffic offense in July 2015. Her death was ruled a suicide, and Bland's family later sued the county and the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Lawyer: $1.9 million settlement in Sandra Bland lawsuit

By Jason Keyser and Michael Graczyk
Associated Press

CHICAGO — The mother of Sandra Bland, a black woman who died last summer in a Texas jail after a contentious traffic stop, has reached a $1.9 million settlement in her wrongful-death lawsuit, her attorney said Thursday.

Local officials in Texas insisted the agreement was not yet final, but the mother's attorney said the deal was "absolute" and that the family's lawsuit would be dismissed in several days.

Bland, who was from the Chicago area, died in her cell days after she was pulled over by a white Texas state trooper for a minor traffic offense. Her death was ruled a suicide, and Bland's family later sued Waller County and the Texas Department of Public Safety.

The $1.9 million settlement includes a requirement that the jail have a nurse or emergency medical technician on duty 24 hours a day, the family's Chicago-based attorney, Cannon Lambert, told The Associated Press in an interview at his office.

The jail must also install electronic sensors to ensure guards are checking on detainees, and the defendants agree to help push for statewide legislation in Bland's name that would require training to ensure jail personnel are properly caring for inmates, Lambert said.

Bland's mother, Geneva Reed-Veal, said those requirements beyond the monetary settlement are what really mattered to her. And she vowed to make sure they are carried out.

"Today is a victory for all mothers across the country," she told the AP. "It was never just about Sandy. It was about all mothers who have lost their children unjustly to police brutality, to senseless gun violence."

Waller County attorney Larry Simmons confirmed Thursday that a potential settlement had been reached but said it was not final.

He also said the parties agreed in writing to keep the agreement confidential until it was complete, and the county intended "to honor this commitment."

Simmons said lawyers on both sides were "still working through a few details" and that any settlement must be approved by county commissioners. The county "vigorously" denies any fault or wrongdoing in Bland's death, he said, "and the settlement does not involve any such admissions."

The agreement would cost the county "a modest $1,000 deductible" under its liability insurance, he said.

The Texas Department of Public Safety, also named as a defendant, released a statement saying it "has not settled litigation regarding Sandra Bland and is not a party to any agreements between the plaintiffs and Waller County defendants."

Jeff Rensberger, a professor at the Houston College of Law, said the settlement showed that both the county and its insurance carrier wanted to "get this behind them."

"The cost of the settlement is good risk to them as compared to the risk what a jury might do in this case," he said.

The other provisions attached to the agreement, while unusual, are "not rare or unheard of," particularly in a wrongful-death lawsuit against a government agency, Rensberger said.

"Part of the motivation for bringing wrongful-death suits in cases like this is for reform purposes as well as compensation," he said. "So this goes to that reform purpose."

It was unclear how much those extra requirements would cost to implement, but Lambert said the reforms would certainly benefit local authorities, too.

Bland, 28, was pulled over by a state trooper in Prairie View, northwest of Houston, for changing lanes without signaling. The stop grew confrontational, and the trooper, Brian Encinia, ordered her from the car before forcing her to the ground. She was taken into custody on a charge of assaulting a public servant but could not immediately come up with the $500 bail, according to investigators.

Video from the July 10, 2015, traffic stop shows Encinia drawing his stun gun and telling Bland, "I will light you up!" She can later be heard screaming off-camera that the trooper was about to break her wrists and complaining that he knocked her head into the ground. The video provoked national outrage and drew the attention of the Black Lives Matter movement.

Encinia was later fired and charged with a misdemeanor perjury charge stemming from the arrest. He has pleaded not guilty.

In an affidavit, Encinia said he removed Bland "from her vehicle to further conduct a safer traffic investigation," but prosecutors said Waller County grand jurors found that statement to be false.

Bland, who attended Prairie View A&M University just outside Hempstead, was in the process of moving to Texas from the Chicago area to take a job at the school. Three days after her arrest, she was found hanging from a jail cell partition. A medical examiner ruled the death a suicide, and a grand jury declined to charge any sheriff's officials or jailers.

In their lawsuit, Bland's family contended jailers should have checked on her more frequently and that the county should have performed mental evaluations once she disclosed she had a history of attempting suicide.

The family's complaint also contended that the trooper who arrested Bland falsified the assault allegation to take her into custody and that jail personnel failed to keep her safe. County officials said Bland was treated well while locked up and produced documents that showed she gave jail workers inconsistent information about whether she was suicidal.

Man charged with endangering child

From staff reports

A Midland man was arrested Wednesday after allegedly endangering a child, according to court documents.

Jacob Matthew Clark, 24, was being held Thursday on a $15,000 bond for a state jail felony charge of abandoning or endangering a child by criminal negligence and a $2,500 bond for unlawful restraint.

Police were dispatched about 2 p.m. Wednesday in reference to a possible kidnapping of a woman.

The woman was arguing with Clark while he was driving and he pulled over aggressively and struck a curb, causing an infant's car seat to flip over in the back seat, according to the arrest affidavit. Clark had not buckled the child into the seat.

Clark

The woman got out of the car, but Clark forced her back in, according to the affidavit.

If convicted of the state jail felony charge, Clark could face up to 2 years imprisonment.

Reflective Clinton returns to campaign trail after pneumonia

By Julie Pace and Lisa Lerer
Associated Press

GREENSBORO, N.C. — Back on the campaign trail, a reflective Hillary Clinton said Thursday her three-day, doctor-mandated break gave her new perspective on why she's running to be president. She vowed to close her campaign against Donald Trump by giving Americans "something to vote for, not just against."

Clinton made no apologies for keeping her pneumonia diagnosis from the public until a video emerged showing her stumbling and being supported by aides. She also repeatedly sidestepped questions about when her running mate Tim Kaine was informed.

An upbeat Clinton walked onstage at a rally in North Carolina to James Brown's song, "I feel good." She said that while sitting at home this week was "pretty much the last place I wanted to be," the time helped clarify how she wants to close her campaign against Trump.

OIL

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the Permian has 187 rigs running with production per rig of 535 barrels. Average production per rig in the Permian has soared 400 percent since 2011, and Credit Suisse expects an additional 25 percent increase through 2017.

In order to meet oil demand, the U.S. will need to increase daily production from the current 8.7 million barrels a day to 12 million barrels a day by the end of 2018, and can accomplish that with about 900 rigs, according to Credit Suisse's forecast.

"If the rig count goes back up to 1,600 or to 1,200, you'll see $27 oil again," Wicklund said.

While Wicklund was issuing bad tidings for land drillers, he was offering great news for those in the frac sand and pressure pumping business.

The same technological advances that brought about a dramatic increase in drilling efficiency is bringing about greater frac intensity, he said. Proppant demand is expected to double by 2020, he said. Sand companies are already seeing price improvement, Wicklund said. Pressure pumping utilization is forecast to hit 100 percent in the first half of 2017, pushing prices higher to activate idle equipment, he said.

Amid the worst oil and gas downturn in a generation, 350,000 jobs have been shed, and Wicklund said many will not return. Field jobs will return, but not to the same levels seen before the downturn.

Of the corporate jobs that have disappeared, most won't be coming back, Wicklund said.

"It's good to be in Midland. Most jobs in Midland will come back. People in Houston won't have that opportunity," he said.

Doing more with less is the new normal, as global markets will balance, but without 1,600 drilling rigs and $100 oil prices.

"Business will get better, and the Permian will lead the way," he said.

WELL

From 2A

along with the number of wells," Skinner said.

Unless oil and gas operators can get rid of that wastewater, they'll have to close down production. Several companies across the country have developed options beyond injection. Clane LaCrosse, head of Fort Worth-based Bosque Systems, says his company has solutions.

His company processes about 30 million barrels of fluid a month in oil fields across the U.S. All of it goes back into the ground for newly fractured wells. And as long drilling stays active in the fields, he says, a lot of the produced water can be reused.

"In the Permian Basin, you can reuse 100 percent of the water," he said.

His company takes the waste and treats it with a variety of processes so it's the right level of purity for use in fracturing. He says he's seen an increase in business even though the oil business generally is in a slump.

The drop in crude oil prices has slowed drilling. But today's fracturing uses a lot more water than similar wells from a few years ago. And that means it takes far fewer rigs in the field to generate need for water, LaCrosse said.

Paradoxically, the increase in fracturing may eventually reduce the amount of water that needs to be managed, Veil said. From 2007 until 2012, fracturing increased oil and gas production in the U.S. by more than 20 percent. The volume of produced water barely budged, Veil said.

Conventional wells produce more and more water over time, he said. Fractured wells have an initial quick backflow. But the ratio of water to gas and oil actually drops as the well ages.

While the technology to reuse water has gotten better, the incentive to use the systems hasn't, Schwanitz said. Without pressure from new regulations, that's not likely to change, he said. But low oil prices may actually nudge some operators into considering recycling if the cost of reusing water goes down.

"When the price was high, they were drilling so many wells so fast, it was all about getting the well down and getting the production. Now they need to do real reservoir engineering," he said. "There's a business opportunity there."

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■ Permian Basin Fair and Exposition, 5 p.m., Ector Coliseum, Odessa. Permianbasinfair.com.

■ Wicked West, 5 p.m., The Bar, 606 W. Missouri Ave.

■ Eli Young Band, 6 p.m., Dos Amigos, 4700 Golder Ave. $25 advance, $30 door. Odessa. Dosamigos.com.

■ Craig Morgan, Matt Kimbrow, Brian Milson, 7 p.m., Permian Basin Fair and Exposition, Ector Coliseum, Odessa. Permianbasinfair.com.

■ Bingo Nights, 7 p.m., The American Legion Auxiliary, 501 Veterans Airpark Lane. 432-682-5511.

■ Hold 'em poker tournaments, 7 p.m., The Detour.

■ Jack Nelson, 9 p.m., Beer Garden, 7112 W. Highway 80.

■ DJ Wildman, 9 p.m., The Lift on 7th, 1401 E. Seventh St. Odessa.

■ "Sweeney Todd: The Demon Barber of Fleet Street" at Midland Community Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave. mctmidland.org.

Football in Midland

■ Dallas TACA at Midland Christian, 7 p.m.

■ Lee vs. Lubbock Monterey (homecoming), 7:30 p.m., Grande Communications Stadium

■ San Angelo Lake View at Greenwood, 7:30 p.m.

■ Midland High and Trinity are on the road

New movies in Midland

■ At Tall City 14: "Blair Witch," "Bridget Jones's Baby," "Hillsong: Let Hope Rise," "Snowden."

■ At Cinergy Cinemas: "Blair Witch," "Bridget Jones's Baby," "Hillsong: Let Hope Rise," "Snowden."

Gas prices in Midland

Cheapest price: $1.84 (Sam's Club, Tradewinds/SH 191)
Cheapest price (non-membership store): $1.85 (multiple locations across Midland)
Most expensive price: $2.29 (Texaco, Big Spring/Dorman)
Cheapest prices in West Texas: San Angelo $1.74, Odessa $1.78, Lubbock $1.79, Abilene $1.83, Midland $1.84

	Midland	Odessa
Thursday:	$1.968	$1.960
Last week:	$1.995	$1.986
Last month:	$1.982	$1.960
Last year:	$2.064	$2.090

Source: TexasGasPrices.com

AAA: Texas retail gasoline prices slip below $2 per gallon

COPPELL — Retail gasoline prices across Texas have slipped below the $2 per gallon mark during the last full week of summer.

AAA Texas on Thursday reported the average price at the pump statewide was down 3 cents to settle at $1.97 per gallon. Nationwide gasoline prices held steady at $2.18 per gallon.

The association survey found Corpus Christi has the cheapest gasoline statewide at an average $1.92 per gallon. Drivers in El Paso have the most expensive gasoline in Texas at an average $2.03 per gallon.

AAA experts say the national average price for unleaded gasoline is expected to move lower heading into fall. Retail gasoline prices typically decline due to lower demand after the busy summer driving season. Refineries are also changing from summer-blend fuel to a cheaper-to-produce winter-blend gasoline.

Source: TexasGasPrices.com

This date in Midland

On Sept. 16, 2005, The Midland RockHounds defeated the Arkansas Travelers in four games to win the franchise's first outright Texas League Championship.

This date in Texas

On Sept. 16, 1940, Samuel T. Rayburn of Texas was elected speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives.

Lottery

Pick 3 morning: 9-2-6
Pick 3 day: 5-3-0
Pick 3 evening: 7-7-0
Pick 3 night: 0-7-6
Daily 4 morning: 5-8-9-2
Daily 4 day: 3-2-8-8
Daily 4 evening: 5-3-2-1
Daily 4 night: 2-9-1-5
Cash Five: 1-12-24-27-28
Triple Chance: 2-7-10-28-41-42-44-46-49-52
Texas Two Step: 3-4-15-17 BB: 21
All or Nothing morning: 2-3-4-6-7-8-11-19-20-21-22-24
All or Nothing day: 1-3-5-6-7-9-10-15-16-20-22-23
All or Nothing evening: 2-5-6-7-8-11-12-13-15-16-17-20
All or Nothing night: 1-2-5-7-11-14-16-17-18-19-21-24

Today in history

In 1810, Mexicans were inspired to begin their successful revolt against Spanish rule by Father Miguel Hidalgo y Costilla and his "Grito de Dolores (Cry of Dolores)."

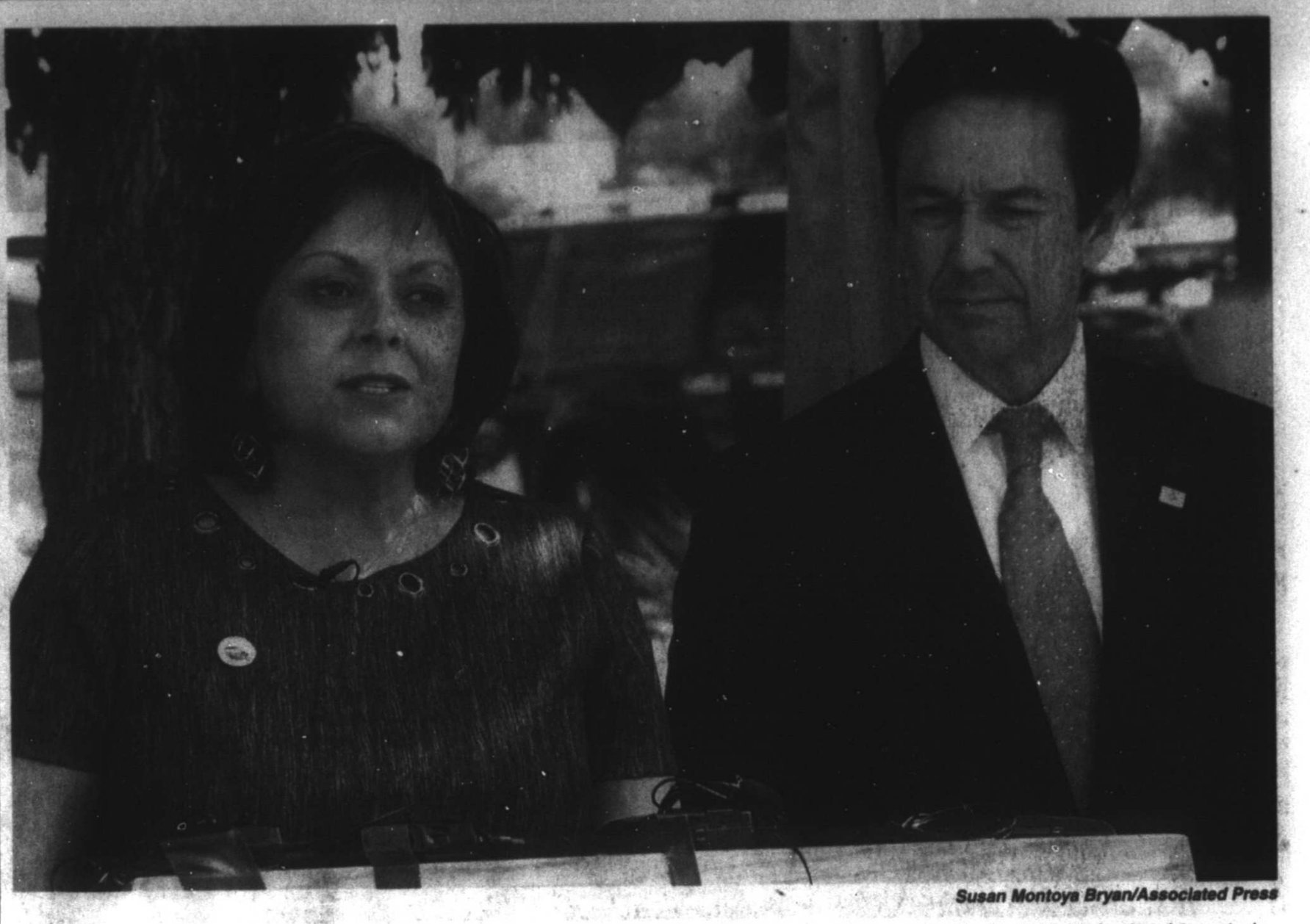
In 1919, the American Legion received a national charter from Congress.

In 1994, a federal jury in Anchorage, Alaska, ordered Exxon Corp. to pay $5 billion in punitive damages for the 1989 Exxon Valdez oil spill.

Mexican Independence Day

Diez y Seis de Septiembre, Sept. 16, not Cinco de Mayo, is Mexican Independence Day. It marks the day that Miguel Hidalgo y Costilla, a Catholic priest, is traditionally credited with inciting Mexican villagers to take up arms in 1810. Mexico's declaration of independence didn't come until Sept. 28, 1821. But Sept. 16 is observed as the beginning of Mexico's war for independence.

Source: Austin American-Statesman



Susan Montoya Bryan/Associated Press

New Mexico Gov. Susana Martinez is joined by outgoing Economic Development Secretary Jon Barela as she talks about Facebook's decision to locate a data center in the state during a news conference Thursday in Los Lunas, N.M. Martinez said New Mexico would not have been on the radar of the social media giant had it not been for a meeting she had with executives in August 2015.

Governor details fight for Facebook data center

By Susan Montoya Bryan
Associated Press

LOS LUNAS, N.M. — It won't be long before the bulldozers start clearing a lonely patch of rangeland in central New Mexico to make way for the newest of the massive data centers located around the globe that keep Facebook humming.

The social media giant plans to break ground in October, setting in motion what Gov. Susana Martinez and other officials hope to be a cascade of economic development in the high-tech sector.

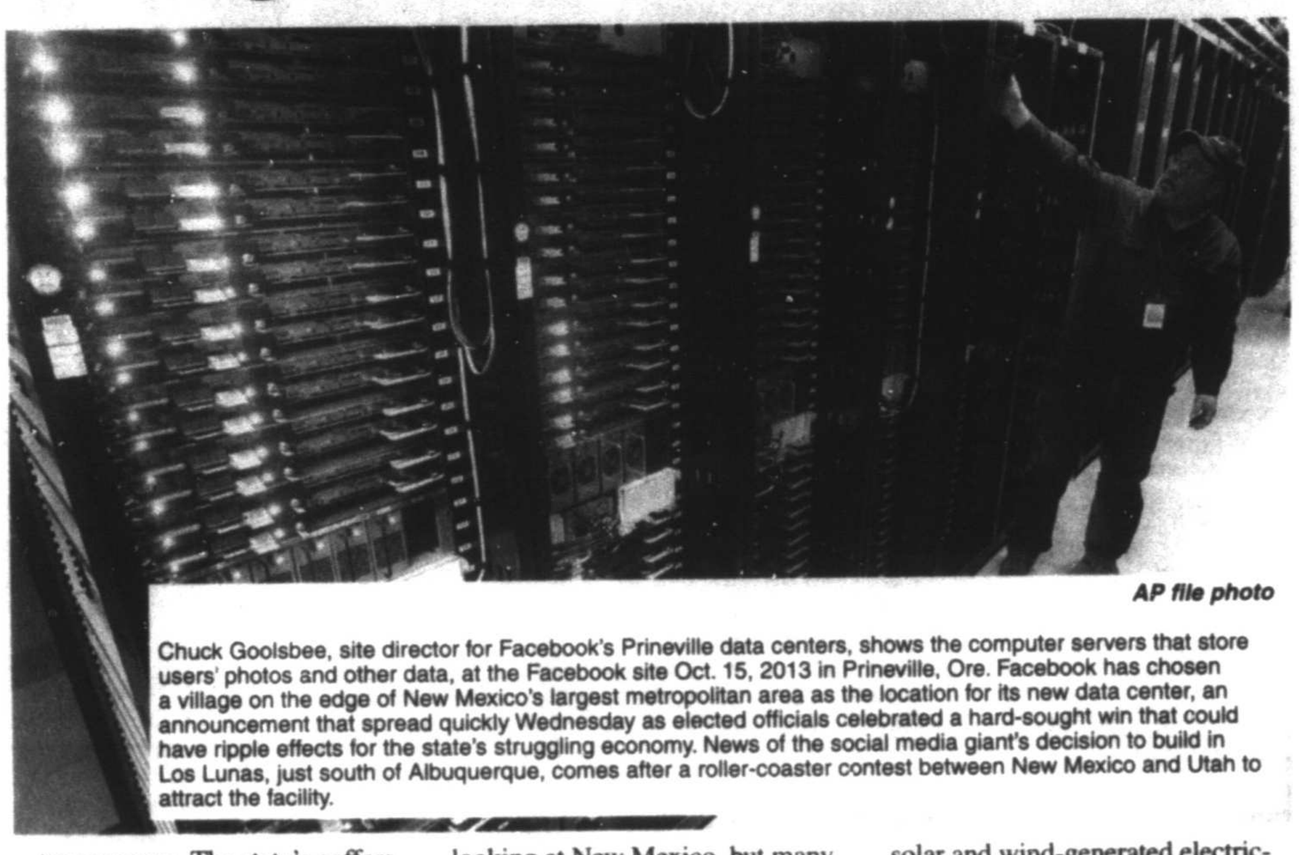
Martinez and other officials gathered in Los Lunas, just south of Albuquerque, on Thursday to celebrate the announcement that Facebook had chosen the usually sleepy village for its next data center.

More than 20 states were initially considered. Only New Mexico and Utah were competing until officials in that state began raising questions last month about the millions of dollars in incentives it would take to woo the company.

Martinez said Thursday that had it not been for her meeting with Facebook executives more than a year ago during a trip to California, New Mexico wouldn't have been a contender.

"They cast a wide net. Nearly half of the country was in the running, so as a state we should feel proud of ourselves. This was no minor feat," the Republican governor said. "Companies like Facebook don't just close their eyes and pick a place on the map."

The announcement comes as New Mexico struggles to rebound from a downturn in the oil and natural gas sector that has rippled throughout the state's entire economy, resulting in job losses in the energy sector and reduced tax revenues. The state's coffers are taking the hit, and lawmakers are preparing to debate options for shoring up a growing budget deficit.



AP file photo

Chuck Goolsbee, site director for Facebook's Prineville data centers, shows the computer servers that store users' photos and other data, at the Facebook site Oct. 15, 2013 in Prineville, Ore. Facebook has chosen a village on the edge of New Mexico's largest metropolitan area as the location for its new data center, an announcement that spread quickly Wednesday as elected officials celebrated a hard-sought win that could have ripple effects for the state's struggling economy. News of the social media giant's decision to build in Los Lunas, just south of Albuquerque, comes after a roller-coaster contest between New Mexico and Utah to attract the facility.

Martinez told a crowd of dozens of people Thursday that had it not been for the oil and gas downturn, the state's over-the-year job growth would have been the strongest it's been since 2006.

While the Facebook data center won't bring but several dozen permanent jobs with it, officials said the addition of such a globally recognized company to the state's portfolio will help attract other businesses.

Economic Development Secretary Jon Barela said New Mexico was in a very different position six years ago, with few prospects in the pipeline and policies that hampered recruitment.

"Businesses were not only not looking at New Mexico, but many businesses — large and small — were looking at leaving the state," he said.

He said bipartisan efforts and the governor's leadership have helped to make the state attractive. That work, he said, has culminated with the landing of Facebook, which he predicted will amount to the largest capital investment in the state since computer chip manufacturer Intel built its factory in Rio Rancho three decades ago.

Facebook expects to invest about $250 million in the first phase of the data center. Multiple phases are possible, officials have said.

Ken Patchett, one of Facebook's data center operations directors, said in a statement that the Los Lunas facility will be one of the most advanced, energy-efficient centers in the world. It will be powered by solar and wind-generated electricity and have an evaporative cooling system capable of protecting the servers inside from New Mexico's frequent dust storms.

Once the infrastructure is in place in Los Lunas, Martinez said she hopes others will take notice. "They'll be able to say, 'Let's go to this location. Let's make this a technology center that is going to be top-notch,'" she said.

State economic development officials have traveled to California several times in addition to making stops in Chicago and Boston to talk with business executives. Martinez said negotiations are ongoing with several companies, but nondisclosure agreements prevented her from revealing more details.

"It's not just one deal with Facebook. We've got other things in the pipeline," she said.

US regulators: Official recall of 1M Samsung Note 7 phones

By Brandon Bailey and Mae Anderson
Associated Press

SAN FRANCISCO — U.S. safety regulators announced a formal recall of Samsung's Galaxy Note 7 smartphone Thursday after a spate of fires led to injuries and property damage and created a global marketing headache.

Samsung had already initiated a voluntary recall, but the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission stepped in to coordinate. Commission Chairman Elliot Kaye blasted Samsung for trying to do the recall on its own, saying that anyone who believes that a unilateral effort would be sufficient "needs to have more than their phone checked."

Samsung sold about 2.5 million of its top-line smartphone, including about 1 million in the United States. Kaye said the South Korean company has now agreed to offer consumers the choice of a full refund or a replacement device. Before, Samsung was offering replacements only.

The recall comes as Samsung is locked in a fierce battle with Apple for the attentions of high-end smartphone purchasers. Apple just introduced the latest versions of its iPhone, which go on sale today. Samsung had beaten Apple to market with the Note 7 by several weeks, and it was drawing favorable reviews before consumers began reporting problems with the battery overheating, resulting in fires and explosions.

One family in St. Petersburg, Florida, reported that a Galaxy Note 7 left charging in their Jeep had caught fire, destroying the vehicle.

"Samsung has received 92 reports of the batteries overheating in the U.S., including 26 reports of burns and 55 reports of property damage," said a statement on the U.S. commission's website. The statement said property damage included fires in cars and a garage.

Samsung pledged Thursday to expedite the recall. "Consumer safety is always our highest priority," Tim Baxter, president of Samsung Electronics America, said in a statement.

AP file photo

The Galaxy Note 7, foreground, is displayed July 28 in New York. U.S. regulators issued an official recall of Samsung's Galaxy Note 7 phone on Thursday because of a risk of fire.

The company has been criticized for its response over the past two weeks. Samsung announced on Sept. 2 that it had stopped selling the phone and would replace any that had been sold. But Samsung didn't tell consumers at the time to stop using the device. The company also did not immediately coordinate its recall with the U.S. consumer safety agency.

Since then, the Consumer Product Safety Commission has not only stepped in, but U.S. aviation safety officials have also taken the unusual step of warning airline passengers not to turn on or charge the phone during flights, or put them in checked bags.

Gartner analyst Tuong Nguyen said Samsung's statements left many customers confused.

"Because it took a while, the messages were confusing, and that might have an impact on overall consumer confidence, especially since we're talking about a high-end device, their flagship phone," Nguyen said.

People who bought the phone did so to get the best possible quality and service, he said, and how the recall came about "kind of seems like a strike on both counts."

Samsung said Note 7 purchasers will be offered the choice of a refund or a replacement. For a replacement, customers can choose a new Note 7 when it is available again in the U.S. by Wednesday, or the smaller and cheaper Galaxy S7 or S7 Edge right away — with a refund of the price difference.

AP file photo

President Barack Obama signs the health care bill in the East Room of the White House on March 23, 2010 in Washington. With the nation still divided over "Obamacare," President Barack Obama is laying out a blueprint for addressing unsolved problems with his signature health law, including a renewed call for a "public option" to let Americans buy insurance from the government.

Behind health law's 'growing pains,' more serious problems?

By Ricardo Alonso-Zaldivar
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Barack Obama told insurers this week his health care overhaul has had some growing pains. But with premiums rising and marquee insurers bailing, could the real diagnosis be "failure to thrive?"

The medical term refers to when patients, often youngsters but also adults, fail to achieve or maintain proper weight.

This is the fourth election cycle in which the Affordable Care Act has been in play, struggling for political traction and a healthy level of acceptance from a divided public.

"Progress has not been without challenges," Obama wrote insurers. "Most new enterprises have growing pains and opportunities for improvement." He asked for help with the fourth sign-up season, which starts Nov. 1.

Here's a look at key indicators for the health of "Obamacare," now and in the future:

Uninsured: in remission, but no full cure

The uninsured rate is 8.6 percent, a historic low, according to the most up-to-date government numbers.

That means at least 21 million fewer people uninsured since the law passed in 2010, reversing decades-long coverage losses. Experts credit the law for nearly all the progress.

That's to be expected when the government requires most people to have health insurance, provides tens of billions of dollars a year to subsidize premiums, and imposes fines on holdouts remaining uninsured.

The law also bars insurers from turning away those in poor health.

The concern now is that so many remain uninsured — about 27 million people. Of those, the administration has estimated that nearly half would be eligible for private coverage through insurance markets like HealthCare.gov, where most consumers qualify for subsidies. More customers would help stabilize premiums.

Prognosis: Slower progress; risk of relapse.

Cost: temperature rising

So far, the Affordable Care Act has actually cost taxpayers less than what nonpartisan congressional experts estimated when it passed.

That's because fewer people than expected are covered, and also the average subsidy has been lower than originally projected.

But the story on costs looks different from the perspective of the 11 million customers in the law's insurance markets. Premiums in many communities are expected to go up significantly for 2017.

Not a big worry, says the administration, because subsidies will also rise, shielding most consumers.

Yet some may have to switch plans, or settle for a higher deductible.

Medicare chief Andy Slavitt, who oversees the health care law, says part of the problem is that insurers set their premiums too low and are now having to correct that. "Once these one-time effects kick in, our expectation is we will see a very normalized rate of growth," Slavitt said.

But if higher premiums cause some consumers to drop out, or turn off prospective customers, the remaining pool will be more expensive to cover. That could start a vicious cycle.

The cost of covering low-income beneficiaries through the law's Medicaid expansion also has increased faster than expected.

Prognosis: Frequent monitoring needed.

Quality and choice: still seen as a plus

Sixty-eight percent of consumers who have a plan through the health law's marketplaces rate their overall coverage as excellent or good.

A recent survey by the nonpartisan Kaiser Family Foundation also found high satisfaction with choice of hospitals and doctors, and with copays.

But only about half were satisfied with their annual deductibles.

In a worrisome sign, the survey found fewer customers than in previous years saying that overall, their plans are a good value for what they pay.

That has slipped below 50 percent.

So far, Obama's law seems to have helped with the financial health of many working families. Major government and private surveys have found fewer people struggling to pay medical bills, coinciding with the law's coverage expansion. Impacts on physical health will take more time to clearly discern.

A big test is looming next year. Insurers that have suffered steep financial losses are scaling back participation, and many consumers, particularly in small cities and rural areas, face reduced choice. That could have ripple effects on choice of medical providers.

Prognosis: Guarded.

Political acceptance: TBD

Major legislation often has problems and unintended consequences, forcing Congress to retool.

With very few exceptions, political polarization has shut down that option for the 2010 health care law. Polls show that the public remains divided, and opponents have an edge in terms of intensity.

On the political right, the prevailing view remains that the whole law must be repealed.

It's unclear if Republicans would be willing to leave millions of people uninsured to accomplish that.

On the left, the push is to expand the law by enriching subsidies and introducing a government-sponsored "public option" insurance plan.

Divided government has been able to bridge wide policy differences in the past, but partisanship has seldom been as heated.

Prognosis: Clearly, Obama's health care legacy is in the hands of his successor.

Bloomberg's $300M Hopkins gift focuses on public health

By Kasey Jones
Associated Press

BALTIMORE — Former New York City Mayor Michael Bloomberg is giving $300 million to Johns Hopkins University to deal with public health challenges.

The university announced the gift Thursday. Officials say the money will create the Bloomberg American Health Initiative.

The initiative will study ways to fight air pollution, gun violence and obesity.

Hopkins says Bloomberg has given $1.5 billion to the university since he graduated in 1964.

Spokesman Dennis O'Shea says officials believe Bloomberg is the first person to give this much to a single U.S. institution of higher education.

Maria di Mento, staff writer with the Chronicle of Philanthropy, says John D. Rockefeller Sr. gave tens of millions of dollars to what is now Rockefeller University in New York. She says with inflation, those donations might rival Bloomberg's.

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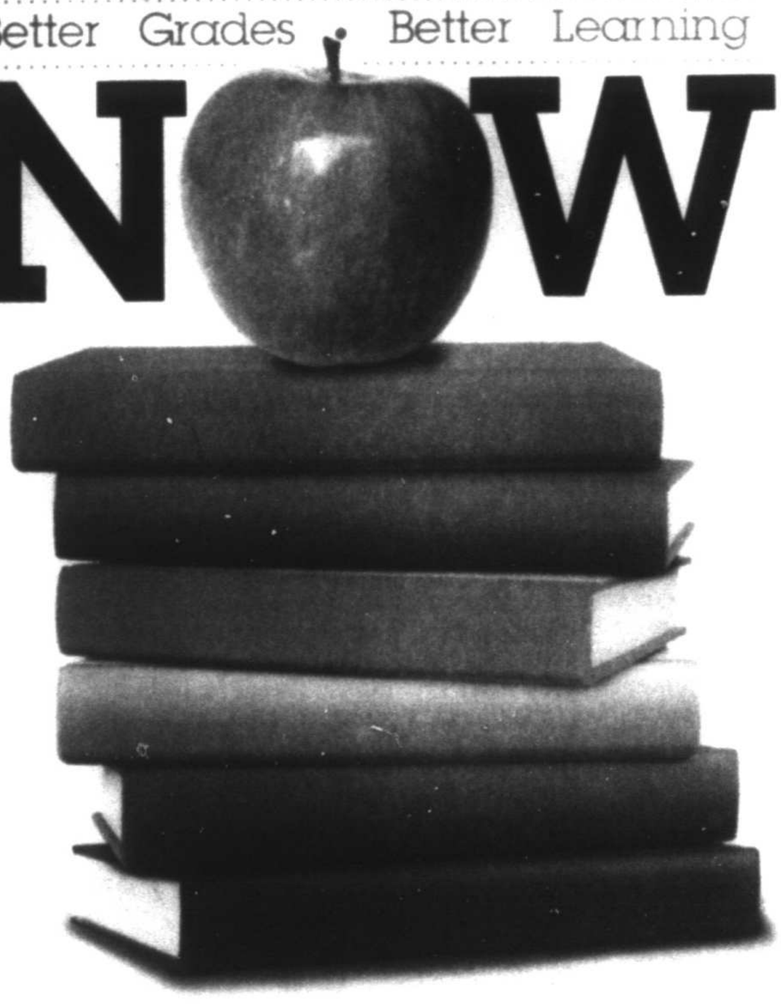

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OPINION

Clinton can't stop Trump's recent ascension

■ Republican's campaign goes from disasterous to brilliant with every failed attack by his opponent

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If you are the status quo candidate in a change election in which the national mood is sour and two-thirds of the electorate think the country is on the wrong track, what do you do? Attack. Relentlessly. Paint your opponent as extremist, volatile, clueless, unfit, dangerous. Indeed, Hillary Clinton's latest national ad, featuring major Republican politicians echoing that indictment of Donald Trump, ends thus: "Unfit. Dangerous. Even for Republicans."

That was the theme of Clinton's famous "alt-right" speech and of much of her $100 million worth of ads.

Problem is, it's not working.

Over the last month, Trump's new team, led by Kellyanne Conway, has worked single-mindedly to blunt that line of attack on the theory that if he can just cross the threshold of acceptability, he wins. In an act of brazen rebranding, they set out to endow him with stature and empathy.

Stature was acquired in Mexico whose president inexplicably gave Trump the opportunity to stand on the world stage with a national leader and more than hold his own. It's the same stature booster Sen. Barack Obama pulled off when he stood with the French president at a news conference in Paris in 2008.

That was part one: Trump the statesman. Part two: the kinder gentler Trump.

Nervy. Can you really repackage the boasting, bullying, bombastic, insulting, insensitive Trump into a mellow and caring version? With two months to go? In a digital age in which every past outrage is preserved on imperishable video?

Turns out, yes. How? Deflect and deny — and pretend it never happened. Where are they now — the birtherism, the deportation force, the scorn for teleprompters, the mocking of candidates who take outside money? Down the memory hole.

Orwell was wrong. You don't need repression. You need only the sensory overload of an age of numbingly ephemeral social media. In this surreal election season, there is no past.

Clinton ads keep showing actual Trump sound bites meant to shock. Yet her numbers are dropping, his rising.

How? Trump never goes on the defensive. He merely creates new Trumps. Hence:

■ The African-American blitz. It's a new pose and the novelty shows. Trump is not very familiar with the language. He occasionally slips, for example, into referring to "*the* blacks." And his argument that African-Americans inhabit a living hell and therefore have nothing to lose by voting for him hovers somewhere between condescension and insult.

But, as every commentator has noted, the foray into African-American precincts was not aimed at winning black votes but at countering Trump's general image as the bigoted candidate of white people.

Result? A curious dynamic in which Clinton keeps upping the accusatory ante just as Trump keeps softening his tone — until she finds herself way over the top, landing in a basket of deplorables, a phrase that will haunt her until Election Day. (Politics 101: Never attack the voter.)

■ The immigration wobble. A week of nonstop word salad about illegal immigration left everyone confused about what Trump really believes. Genius. The only message to emerge from the rhetorical fog is that he is done talking about deportation and/or legalization. The very discussion is off the table until years down the road.

Case closed. Toxic issue detoxified.

Again, that's not going to win him the Hispanic vote. But that wasn't the point. The point was to soften his image in the Philadelphia suburbs, pundit shorthand for white college-educated women that Republicans have to win (and where Trump trails Romney 2012 by 10 points). Which brings us to:

■ The blockbuster child care proposal. Unveiled Tuesday, it is liberalism at its best, Big Government at its biggest: tax deductions, tax rebates (i.e. cash), and a federal mandate of six weeks of paid maternity leave. The biggest entitlement since, well, Obamacare.

But wait. Didn't Trump's acolytes assure us that he spoke for those betrayed by the sold-out, elitist, GOP establishment that for years refused to stand up to Obama's overweening mandates, Big Government profligacy and budget-busting entitlements?

No matter. That was yesterday. There is no past. Nor a future — at least for Ivanka-care. It would never get through the GOP House.

Nor is it meant to. It is meant to signal what George H.W. Bush once memorably *read* off a cue card. "Message: I care."

And where do you think Trump gave this dish-the-Whigs cradle-to-college entitlement speech? Why, the Philadelphia suburbs!

Can't get more transparent than that. Or shameless. Or brilliant.

OPINION EXTRA

Root for Texas' dancing former governor while you still can

Here's something you need to understand about how this whole journalism thing works. Many journalists spend many years covering politicians, sometimes the same politicians. We get to know them, both professionally and personally. Some you like; some you don't. The goal is not to let that affect your journalism.

I've covered Rick Perry dating back to 1985 when he first showed up in the Texas House and sat at one of the desks closest to the press table. We've never gone to dinner together and about the only social events we shared were when he hosted annual holiday parties at the Governor's Mansion. Once, when he was ag commissioner, it was just the two of us in a small plane on a flight to a political event in East Texas. He was the pilot; I was the passenger.

I've always appreciated Perry as a friendly, personable guy who can take a barb as well as he can give one. Maybe that's why, quite unexpectedly, I found myself rooting for him Monday night on "Dancing With the Stars."

I'd never watched the show before. In fact, I was unaware my TV (one of those fancy new color ones) gets anything other than sports. Hmm, I wonder what else is on those other 982 channels I pay for and never watch.

(Something else I learned by broadening my horizons and watching DWTS: There are humans named Gleb, Maks and Sharna.)

We all know by now that Perry and partner Emma Slater are in last place, based on the judges' scores, after the first DWTS dance.

The whole thing is rigged. Vanilla Ice and partner had backup dancers. Swimmer Ryan Lochte and partner had a Rolls-Royce (and protesters). Laurie Hernandez is a gold medal gymnast, an athletic pursuit that includes dance moves. Kenny "Babyface" Edmonds is a professional musician. I have no idea who Amber Rose is, but I'm sure she, too, somehow cheated Perry.

And one of the judges is the sister of one of the dancers. FBI, hello?

The theme of Perry as good sport/bad dancer played well, including this screw-up in the canned intro to his dance segment:

"My name is Rick Perry. I'm the governor of the great state of Texas. I am not the governor of the great state of Texas. That's not right. I'm the former governor."

His partner, Slater, joining the low-expectations game, noted that Perry "has never danced before in his life."

Perry added, "People are probably watching this going 'What a dumb ass.' "

He full well knows that some people said that long before he signed on for this gig.

When I realized I was rooting for Perry, I got nervous when he and Slater danced onto the State Fair-theme set and he grabbed a corn dog from a stand labeled "Rick's Corn Dogs." He handed it to Slater without taking a bite.

This was good because some of you (the more immature among you) might remember a semi-famous photo of Perry eating a corn dog at the Iowa State Fair during the 2012 presidential campaign. Photos of people eating corn dogs can be unflattering.

The dance continued with Slater working her darnedest to keep Perry on beat during their cha-cha to "God Blessed Texas." Mostly Perry made faces. Faces count in dancing.

When it was over a minute later (insert your own short-presidential-campaigns joke here), Perry was infused with exuberance or the result of a mistake at the pharmacy.

"(A) presidential debate ain't even in this class," he proclaimed. "Oh, man, c'mon — this is crazy good. This is as good as it gets."

OK.

Judge Len Goodman said the Perry-Slater performance was "a little bit pedestrian at times." But he praised the effort.

"You've given it a go. Lots of recognizable cha-cha-cha in there. So good on you," said Goodman, who has something to do with dancing.

Judge Julianne Hough said, "What I always say is when in doubt, go full out, and you definitely did that. That was fun to watch, definitely a little crazy at times."

In the end, Perry and Slater got fives (out of a maximum 10) from each of the four judges. The total of 20 put them in last place.

"Five, I love you. You're awesome," Perry exclaimed inexplicably after the final judge announced his five.

"Spoken like a real politician," said DWTS host Tom Bergeron, who then told the audience, "If you want him to stay in this race you have to vote."

Post-dance, Slater tweeted that she was proud of Perry.

"You are a wonderful entertainer and I get inspired watching your joy."

The joy continues next week. "I promise we will deliver more surprises," Slater tweeted. The biggest surprise would be something that keeps them from being eliminated.

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Latino voters play second fiddle

■ Working-class whites are in search of a scapegoat

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People always complain that Latino immigrants displace native-born Americans from jobs and neighborhoods.

But this year, Latinos have been displaced from the political pecking order by the new kids on the block: working-class whites.

Que paso? The 2016 presidential election was supposed to let Latinos flex their muscles. After years of demographic growth, Latinos were ready to pick a president. It's about numbers; an estimated 12 million Latino voters are expected to cast ballots, out of more than 26 million Latinos who are eligible to vote. And atonement: Four years ago, the autopsy for Mitt Romney's failed presidential bid suggested that the GOP must make amends with Latinos in order to survive.

Given who they chose as their nominee, Republicans must have decided that survival is overrated. Now they're smitten with working-class whites.

These voters are Donald Trump's bread and butter. On their behalf, the GOP nominee promises to renegotiate trade deals and return manufacturing jobs.

And Hillary Clinton is also interested in these voters. Many of them are union members, and organized labor is a cornerstone of the Democratic coalition. And so Clinton has stopped giving speeches on Wall Street and started her working-class rap about how the American Dream is out of reach for many working-class Americans.

Yet, the courtship can get complicated when Clinton tries to dismiss Trump by attacking his supporters. Half of those folks, she told those gathered at a New York City fundraiser last week, fit in a "basket of deplorables" because they're "racist, sexist, homophobic, xenophobic, Islamaphobic."

The remarks were shameful and condescending, and Clinton should never have made them. And despite the spin from her enablers in the media, she didn't really apologize. What she said in a statement was: "Last night I was 'grossly generalistic,' and that's never a good idea. I regret saying 'half' -- that was wrong." Then she changed the subject and laid out a litany of things about Trump that she found deplorable. Some apology.

Clinton wants to cherry pick Trump voters and make a pitch for the redeemable 50 percent who "feel that the government has let them down" and are "desperate for change." Those are the folks who, she says, need empathy from the enlightened Manhattan elites.

The former secretary of state has even visited the working class in their natural habitat. In July, she toured a steel-wire-product manufacturer in Pennsylvania's Cambria County, which is more than 90 percent white. She told the crowd that she would defend "places that have been left out and left behind."

So when did Latinos get left out and left behind in this election?

For Republicans, interest may have tapered off in February after a GOP debate in South Carolina where Ted Cruz and Marco Rubio got into a verbal shoving match over who was *el mas macho*, where Cruz actually challenged Rubio to argue *en espanol*. The cringe-worthy spectacle suggested that Latinos aren't ready for primetime.

Meanwhile, Democrats probably stopped courting Latinos a couple months later when it became clear that Trump was on track to secure the GOP nomination. The businessman had by then so deeply offended Latinos that they gladly flocked to the Democratic Party without requiring anything in return.

In the big picture, Latinos and working-class whites have been on a collision course for decades. When blue-collar workers gripe about losing a job, the culprit is often either a Latino immigrant or a trade deal with Latin American countries.

Just listen to the white reader who was furious over my Labor Day column telling working-class folks to quit whining. "Maybe if the 1 percent were not so greedy as to ship the jobs to Mexico, working whites would still have jobs," he wrote.

Others blame lost jobs on immigrants -- especially if they come from Mexico and Latin America. In his immigration speech in Phoenix, Trump advanced the sketchy claim that "most illegal immigrants are lower-skilled workers with less education who compete directly against vulnerable American workers."

This thesis is simplistic and self-defeating. Americans don't have bad trade deals. And we're not attracting bad immigrants. But we do have some native-born people with a bad attitude, some of whom made bad decisions and bad mistakes such as thinking they were entitled to keep the same job for 30 years. Now they're looking for someone to be the bad guy. And, in the long-term, that'll be bad for them and the country.

From the Right | Mallard Fillmore

Trump job forecast not so bold

By Christopher S. Rugaber and Calvin Woodward
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Donald Trump's prediction that 25 million jobs would be created by his economic plan in a decade isn't nearly as bold as it might sound. Jobs have already been growing at that rate and Trump's goal is actually a bit less ambitious than what happened under President Barack Obama in the last few years.

Here's a look at some of the statements in the plan he laid out in New York on Thursday and how they compare with the facts:

Trump, on 14 million people leaving the workforce during Obama's presidency: "My economic plan rejects the cynicism that says our labor force will keep declining."

The facts: It's not cynicism that's the problem, it's mostly aging.

Roughly 10,000 baby boomers turn 65 every day, and many of them retire. That reduces the number of Americans working or looking for work and limits how fast the economy can grow. Fewer people working translates into slower growth. The nonpartisan Congressional Budget Office estimates that the labor force participation rate will be 60.2 percent in 2026, down from 62.8 percent today, based partly on population trends.

To be sure, aging isn't the only factor. The proportion of Americans in their prime working years — from age 25 through 54 — who have jobs or are looking for work is still about 1.5 percentage points below pre-recession levels. Some have given up looking, while others have joined the disability rolls.

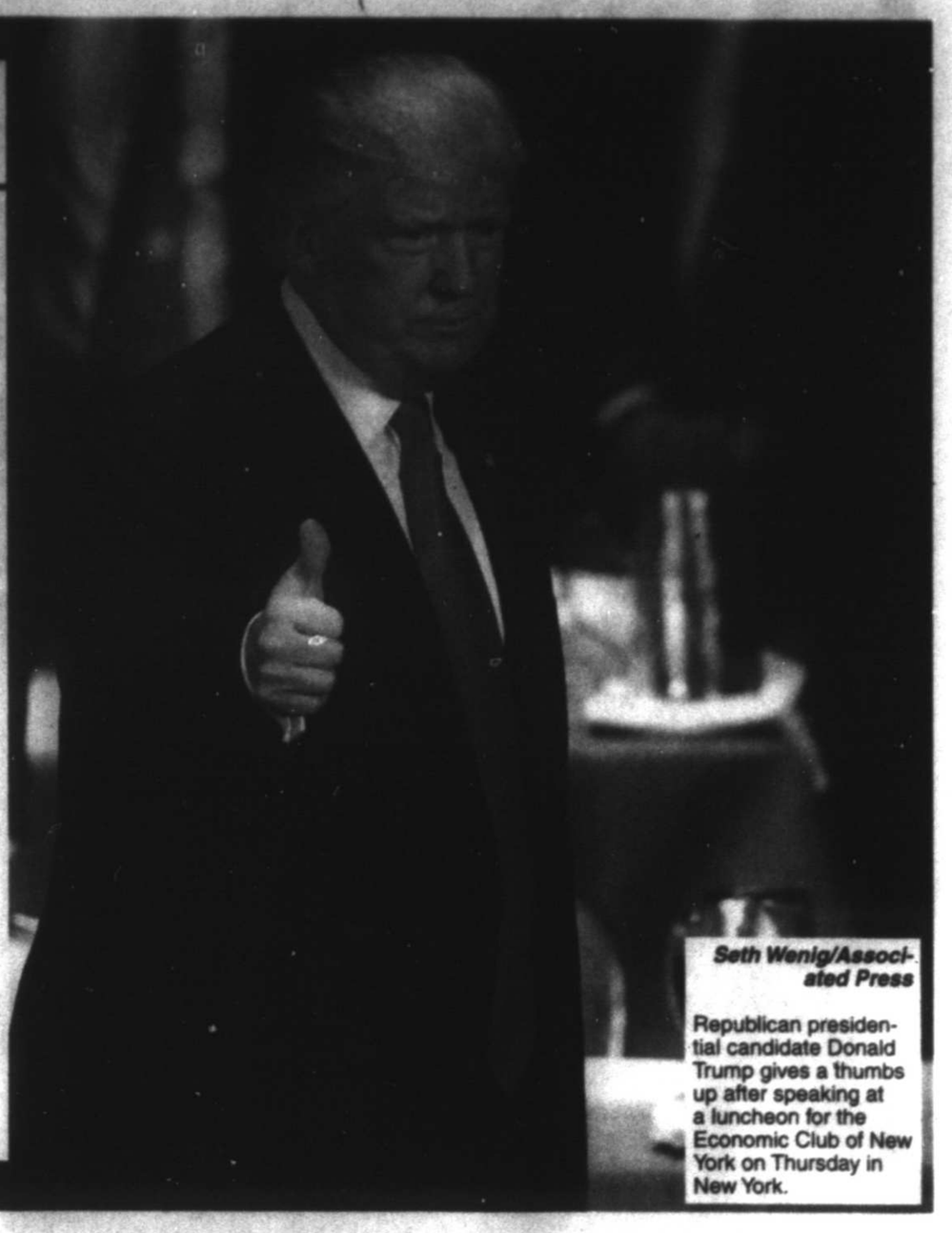
It's also true that the number of Americans outside the workforce has increased to 94 million from about 80 million when Obama was inaugurated. That also reflects increasing retirements, and the rising likelihood that those aged 16 through 24 will stay in school rather than seek work.

Trump: "Over the next 10 years, our economic team estimates that under our plan, the economy will average 3.5 percent growth and create a total of 25 million new jobs."

The facts: That sounds like a lot, but it's the current pace of job growth, which is a little slower than in 2014 and 2015.

In the past 12 months ending in August, the U.S. economy has added nearly 2.5 million jobs — the same annual pace Trump is promising. In 2015, the economy added 2.7 million, and the year before that, 3 million. Those were the two best years of hiring since 1998-99.

Trump's goal, then, could be quite realistic, but it might be hard to square with his declaration that his plan is "the most pro-growth, pro-jobs, pro-family plan put forth perhaps in the history of our country."



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Republican presidential candidate Donald Trump gives a thumbs up after speaking at a luncheon for the Economic Club of New York on Thursday in New York.

New note from doctor says Trump's health is excellent

By Lauran Neergaard
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Donald Trump released a letter from his doctor on Thursday that showed the Republican presidential candidate takes cholesterol-lowering medication and is overweight, but concludes that overall he is "in excellent physical health."

Trump had a physical exam last week and first revealed some details on "The Dr. Oz Show." He said he'd like to shed a few pounds and that his exercise consists of giving campaign speeches, which he called "a lot of work." His campaign then released a one-page letter from his longtime physician that said a number of test results were normal.

Until now, Trump had released far less health information than Democratic rival Hillary Clinton, and Thursday's TV show and letter were an attempt to address that disparity. Clinton has faced her own increased scrutiny this week after a bout of pneumonia. On Wednesday, she released updated details from her doctor declaring her fit to serve as president.

Trump's latest letter was more detailed than a four-paragraph summary that his physician, Dr. Harold Bornstein, had issued last December. Still, it doesn't offer a complete picture of the candidate's health. Here's a closer look:

Heart health:

Trump's blood pressure was a good 116 over 70. His total cholesterol was 169; his LDL or "bad" cholesterol was 94, and his HDL or "good" cholesterol was 63. Those are healthy levels, but he does use a cholesterol-lowering statin medication — rosuvastatin, better known as the brand Crestor.

Unusually, the letter doesn't say what prompted the prescription, presumably cholesterol levels that at some earlier time were high, said Dr. Danforth Lincoln, a family physician at the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center who examined the released information.

Trump has recently undergone an EKG, chest X-ray and echocardiogram that were normal. His cardiac calcium score was 98, reflecting only mild plaque in arteries.

His only other listed medication was a low-dose aspirin, which doctors often recommend to lower the risk of heart disease and colon cancer.

Weight

The letter put Trump's weight at 236 pounds and his height at 6 feet, 3 inches. That would give him a body mass index, or BMI, of 29.5, which falls into the category of overweight for his height.

However, Pittsburgh's Lincoln said that's not abnormal for a man Trump's age, especially if the weight contributed to no other problems such as knee pain or hypertension.

While typically people are urged to have a BMI under 25, Lincoln noted that increasingly studies suggest that a slightly higher one may be healthier for seniors. Trump is 70, and if elected would be the oldest incoming president.

Judging by the way Trump appears on the campaign trail, "he appears to be healthy," Lincoln said.

Preventive health

Trump's blood sugar was normal. He had a normal colonoscopy in 2013 and isn't due for another any time soon. He had a normal PSA, a test for prostate abnormalities, and liver and thyroid tests were within a normal range. He doesn't use tobacco or alcohol.

The letter doesn't disclose other information typically included in health reports, such as details about Trump's eating and exercise habits and vaccination history. But Trump openly discusses his love for steak, hamburger and fast food in general, and said on the Oz show Thursday that delivering his campaign speeches "is really a healthy act."

Federal health guidelines urge people over age 65 who have no health conditions that would limit exercise to get about 2 1/2 hours a week of moderate activity, such as brisk walking, and to do some muscle-strengthening activities at least two days a week.

The campaign trail itself is arduous, said Dr. William Schaffner of Vanderbilt University.

"After the campaign, I hope both candidates have a regular exercise schedule because that's good for all of us," he said.

Family history

Thursday's letter doesn't disclose any previous health conditions Trump has had, except that his only hospitalization was for a childhood appendectomy.

It cited no family history of cancer or early heart disease, but mentioned no other conditions. Trump's parents lived into their 80s and 90s. His father had Alzheimer's late in life, according to his obituary.

Trump outlines vision for economy, promising large tax cuts

By Jonathan Lemire and Jill Colvin
Associated Press

NEW YORK — Donald Trump outlined his vision for managing the nation's economy as president Thursday, promising that his plans to lower taxes by $4.4 trillion over a decade and cut regulations would lead to booming growth, create millions of jobs and even cut into the nation's budget deficit.

"My plan will embrace the truth that people flourish under a minimum government burden and will tap into the incredible, unrealized potential of our workers and their dreams," Trump said in a speech to the Economic Club of New York.

The Republican nominee said his plans would raise the nation's economic growth rate to at least 3.5 percent, well above its current rate of about 2 percent, and create 25 million new jobs over the next 10 years.

Trump's proposals are sharply different than those of his Democratic rival Hillary Clinton. She has proposed free college tuition, universal child care for 4-year-olds, infrastructure investments and other expensive government programs to be paid for with a tax hike on the wealthy and businesses.

For Trump's plans to succeed, they would have to overcome forces in the economy, such as rising automation, an aging population and low-wage competition overseas, that have led even conservative economists to say a 3.5 percent growth rate is improbable.

The U.S. economy is already creating 2.5 million jobs a year, the same pace promised by Trump over the next decade.

The heart of Trump's plan is a revised tax code, which includes a pledge that no business should pay more than 15 percent of its income in taxes, down from the current 35 percent corporate tax rate. Few businesses now pay the full 35 percent rate, taking advantage instead of many deductions in the existing tax code.

He also proposes simplifying the U.S. tax code for individuals, reducing the current seven tax brackets to three: 12 percent, 25 percent and 33 percent of income after deductions.

Trump called for the elimination of what's known as the carried interest loophole, which is used by hedge funds and other investment funds to reduce their tax burden.

As president, Trump said he would cut the number of regulations imposed by the federal government, including some that are designed to combat climate change and protect the food Americans eat. The celebrity businessman said that "excessive regulation" costs Americans nearly $2 trillion a year.

Among those he plans to target: Environmental Protection Agency regulations for coal-fired power plants and standards for ground-level ozone. Before Trump's speech, his campaign also said he would target the Food and Drug Administration's "food police" and rules that govern "food production hygiene, food packaging and food temperatures."

Later Thursday, the campaign removed the FDA regulations from its online "fact sheet" and from an email on Trump's plans to more closely match his remarks. The deleted language closely tracked that in a May report from the conservative Heritage Foundation that aimed to assess the costs of regulations enacted under the Obama administration.

Trump said he will lift restrictions on energy production, including offshore drilling, scrap trade deals like the North American Free Trade Agreement and the Trans-Pacific Partnership, and implement a child care plan, including six weeks of paid maternity leave, he outlined earlier this week.

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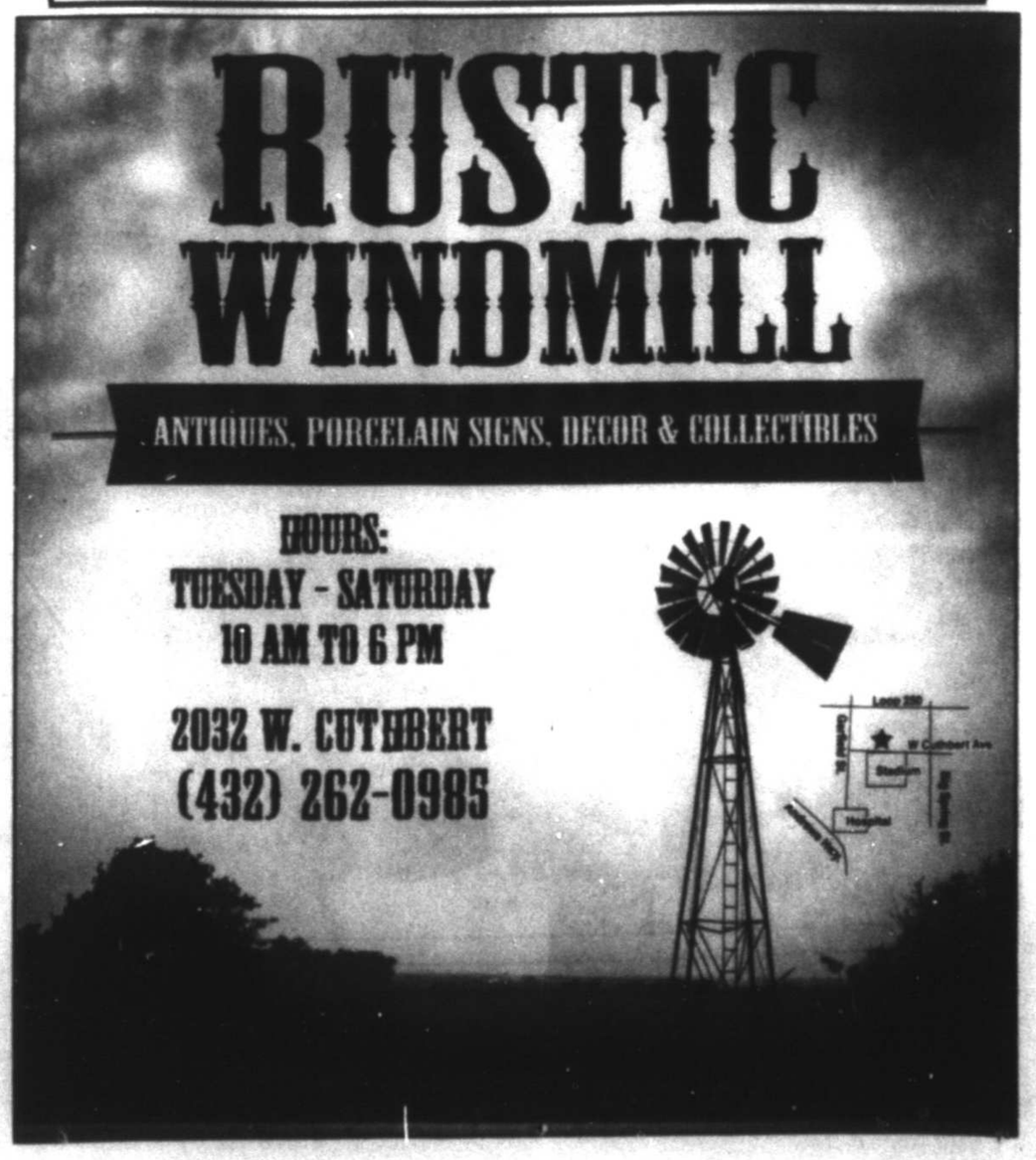

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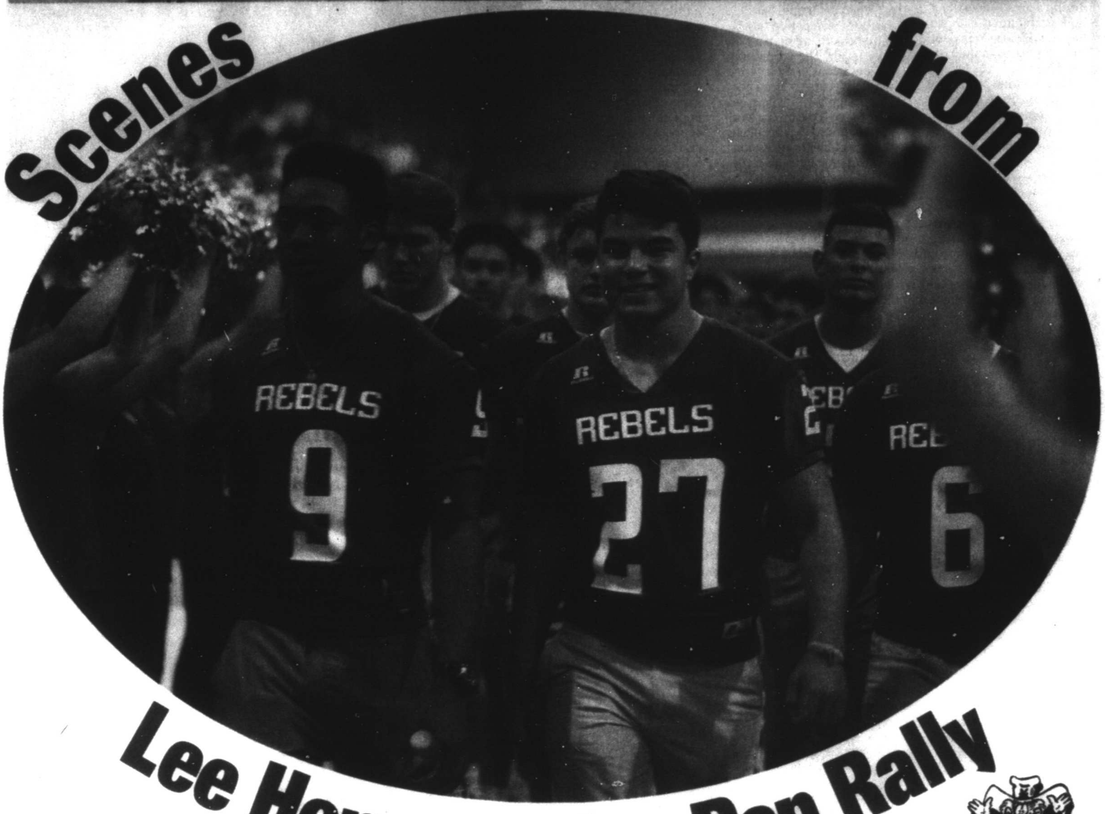

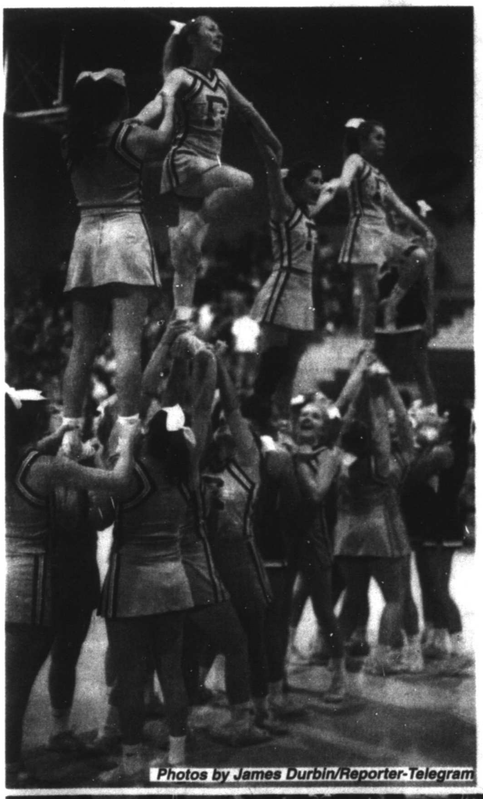

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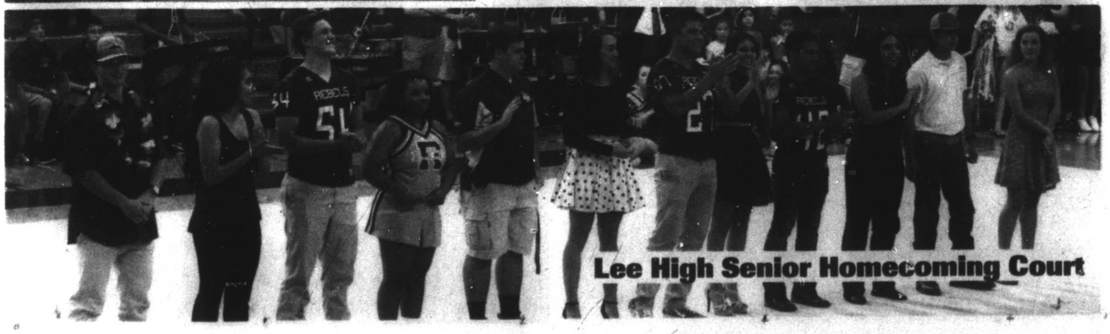

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THIS WEEK

TODAY

CELEBRATION
Christian Church of Midland will celebrate its 50th anniversary throughout the weekend starting today with food, bouncers for children and even a classic car show.

SATURDAY

MORNING STRETCH
Grab your mat and take advantage of Universalist Unitarian Church's weekly free yoga classes. 9 a.m.

TUESDAY

SPEAKING OUT
Heidi Hughes of the I-20 Wildlife Preserve will speak as part of the Brown Bag Lunch and Lecture series, at the Petroleum Museum. Drinks and dessert provided. 11:30 a.m.

THURSDAY

GRAND OPENING
3:11 Ministries celebrates its new building on 12 E. Industrial Loop with a ribbon cutting and open house and building tours. 4:30 p.m.

See more calendar events on Page 6B.

ONLINE

Visit mrt.com and see photos from Project Literacy 2016.

GOOD NEIGHBORS

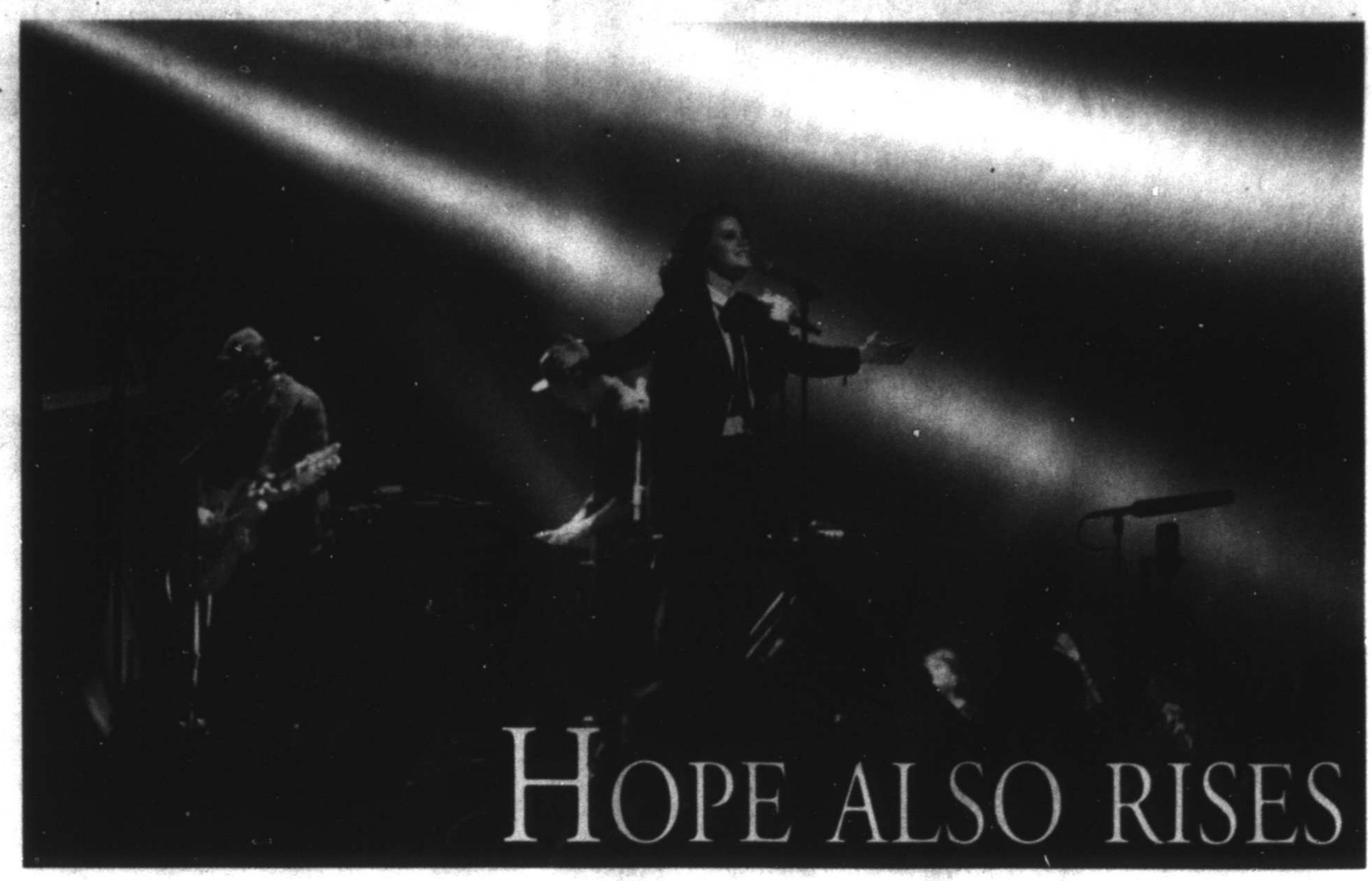
Ae recent fundraiser was held by **Medical Center Pharmacy** to provide ballistic vests for the Midland Police Department. The pharmacy raised more than $28,000 to buy 70 vests. Girls Scouts also donated more than $600 to MPD, as well.

IN NEED

VOLUNTEER READERS The Recording Library of West Texas needs volunteer readers to help with morning shifts. Call 432-682-2731.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES Midland Volunteer Connections offers an online list of opportunities at midlandvolunteerconnections.com for current needs by area nonprofits.

MEALS ON WHEELS Volunteers are needed this summer for the Meals on Wheels program. Call 432-689-6693.



"Hillsong — Let Hope Rise" is a documentary about the Australian Christian pop band Hillsong United. The film takes a deeper look at the 11-member band through concert performances, behind-the-scenes footage and interviews during a 2014 concert in California. Directed by Michael John Warren, the film tells the story of the band's rise from a group of friends interested in music out of a one-room church in Sydney to playing in packed stadiums around the world. The film opens today at Cinergy and Regal.

Courtesy photo

F&P Roundup: Greenwood Baptist holds first Impact Week, food pantry celebrates 30 years

From staff reports

Big Brothers Big Sisters needs volunteers for school program

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Midland is expanding its school-based program and is short of volunteers. The agency needs help because it added Houston Elementary to its program, which already serves Milam and Crockett elementaries.

"We've been asked to bring our program to several elementary schools in the past but have not had the volunteers to make it happen," Executive Director Kay Crites said. "We could provide positive role models for hundreds of Midland's children if we had the volunteers.

It is not a tutoring program, Crites said.

"The mentors are there to provide friendship and to be a positive role model. It seems like such a small thing, but it can have a big impact in a child's life. According to the surveys we conduct, children who are matched with a mentor show improvements in their behavior, peer relationships and school performance."

To volunteer or for more information, visit bbbsmidland.org.

Greenwood Baptist Church sets goal of 200 community service hours

This week has been the inaugural Impact Week for Greenwood Baptist Church. With a pledge to donate 200 hours of community service to Midland, the church has been partnering with different organizations and

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ERICA RICHARDSON

Resident teacher at Bodhichitta Kadampa Buddhist Center in Lubbock

Spare 10 minutes for meditative peace

Meditation has become very popular in recent years. It has been featured in many well-known magazines, discussed in the news and written about in many books about the practice. Most people like the idea of meditating. For many, it feels like something that other people can do, but my mind can't do it. We tend to think things such as, "I am too busy to meditate," or even, "Meditation is for those interested in some religion."

The meditation master Geshe Kelsang Gytso, who has been meditating for well more than 70 years, explains, "The purpose of meditation is to make our mind calm and peaceful. If our mind is peaceful we will be free from worries and mental discomfort, and so we will experience true happiness. If we train in meditation, gradually our mind will become more and more peaceful, and we will experience a purer and purer form of happiness. Eventually, we will be able to stay happy all the time, even in the most difficult circumstances."

We all want to be free from worry, stress, anxiety and all the other painful feelings we experience. In life, we try to control our circumstances, people, and our environment to feel happy and often

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Pope honoring French priest: Killing in God's name 'satanic'

By Nicole Winfield
Associated Press

VATICAN CITY — Pope Francis honored the French priest who was killed by Islamic extremists while celebrating Mass, calling him a martyr on Wednesday and urging all people of faith to have the courage to denounce such killings as "satanic."

Francis celebrated a morning Mass in memory of the Rev. Jacques Hamel, who had his throat slit July 26 in his Normandy church. Police killed the assailants, and the Islamic State group claimed responsibility.

Hamel's relatives, members of his Saint-Etienne-du-Rouvray parish and the Rouen bishop attended the intimate Mass in Francis' hotel chapel. In his homily, Francis lamented the persecution of Christians today and denounced Hamel's slaying as the "satanic thread of persecution."

Francis recalled that before being killed, Hamel cried out to his killers: "Satan, get out!"

"This example of courage, and the martrydom of one's own life, to give everything of oneself to help others, to make brotherhood among others, helps all of us to go forward without fear," Francis said.

He said Hamel was a martyr to whom all people of faith should pray for peace "and also the courage to tell the truth: killing in the name of God is satanic."

Francis placed a photo of the elderly priest on the altar, and told the bishop that his photo could be exhibited in churches since as a martyr, he was already considered a "blessed" — the first step to possible sainthood.

Francis has previously sought to distinguish individual attacks against Christians by Islamic extremists and Islam itself. Immediately after Hamel was killed, he declined to label Islam as "terrorist," but said every religion has extremist fringes.

Rouen Bishop Dominique Lebrun was asked by reporters afterward about the implications of the pope terming Islamic extremist attacks as "satanic," and whether some might believe his criticism was an indictment of Islam itself.

"The assassins, I think they accepted influence of the devil, of Satan. The assassins — just this," he said.

Hamel's sister, Roslyne, who joined the Rouen pilgrimage group and attended the pope's Mass, was clear that Islam itself wasn't the inspiration for her brother's death.

"Our Muslim brothers pray to a God who is our God and who is a God of love, of tolerance of sharing," she told reporters. "It is certain that these young men killed my brother, they assassinated him, in the name of a God who kills, and that is not the God of Islam and it is not the God of Christianity."

ROUNDUP

From 1B

Greenwood ISD to bring an impact to Midland as a "tangible expression of God's love," Pastor Zach Crook said in a press release.

"We see Impact Week as an exciting way for our church to partner with other organizations that are serving Midland and the Greenwood Community. We want to show God's love to our community in a practical way," he said. "We know God has done so much for us and it compels us to serve others and love them in the same way that Christ has loved us."

The 109-year-old church teamed with the Genesis Center, the Baptist Crisis Center and Helping Hands. Added endeavors have included nursing home visits, cookies for first responders and park cleanup.

For further information about Impact Week, visit gwoodbc.com.

Masonic Lodge hosts 28th annual fish fry

The Midland Centennial Masonic Lodge will host its annual fish fry fundraiser Saturday. The yearly event helps with the maintenance of the Midland Masonic Temple and goes toward nonprofits the lodge partners with.

The event will feature door prizes, live entertainment, baked goods auction and a fried catfish and steak finger meal. Guests are invited to dine in but food can be prepared to go.

The fish fry is 5 p.m. at the American Legion Building, 501 Veterans Airpark Lane. Tickets are $12 for adults and $6 for children.

Disciples Food Pantry celebrates 30 years with fundraiser

When Memorial Christian Church Disciples of Christ closed its doors, First Christian Church D.O.C. stepped in to take over MCC's food pantry that started 30 years ago when a few church members served food to those in need. The food pantry, renamed the Disciples Food Pantry, serves more than 350 client families each month.

The pantry will mark 30 years at its annual fundraiser, Beans and Jeans, on Sunday.

"We' have been overjoyed with the enthusiastic welcome extended to the pantry's outreach, volunteer leader Peggy Jones said.

Since FCC's acquisition of the pantry, Jones and other leaders have seen an increase in the number of volunteers with the combined congregations.

In the past six months alone, the pantry has provided for more than 4,800 individuals in the area.

"We have been blessed through the years with volunteers from several different congregations, financial assistance and constant prayers from many in the community, said H.A. Tuck, who has volunteered with the pantry for 22 years.

Beans and Jeans is set for 5 p.m. Sunday at the First Christian Church Family Life Center, 1301 W Louisiana Ave.

Casa de Amigos announces new coordinator

Former teacher Yolanda Ramirez is the new coordinator of Adult Education for Casa de Amigos. She will oversee the ESL, GED and citizenship classes at the organization.

Ramirez was a bilingual teacher at Ector County ISD and taught at University of Texas of the Permian Basin. Her courses included multicultural education and educational leadership.

She has also served as a volunteer for the Tri-Ethnic Committee, which helped ECISD build a bilingual education model.

In 2010 she was appointed to the Texas Education Agency's Textbook Review Panel and has continued to help ECISD with ESL program development.

Obituaries

Betty Jean Box Meador

February 15, 1933 - September 8, 2016

Betty Jean Box Meador, 83, passed away on Thursday, September 8, 2016.

She was born in Littlefield, Texas. She graduated from Jacksboro High School in Jacksboro, Texas and received her Bachelor's degree in Education, then called a Teaching Certificate, from North Texas State University in Denton, Texas. She was a member of the Chi Omega Sorority there, and later served as President on the Panhellenic Council in San Antonio, Texas, remaining active with Alumni Associations and Reunions.

Betty continued her parents' legacy and taught elementary school throughout much of her life in Virginia, Hawaii, and Kingsville, Garland, and Pecos, Texas.

An interlude from teaching, she was a blessing to her family and raised four children in Dallas and San Antonio. She co-owned an art gallery in San Antonio, Texas for over 10 years, and made many lifetime friends through her work and faithful service to Coker United Methodist Church, and later First Baptist Church of Midland, Texas, where she and her husband worshipped together. She contributed greatly to the books authored by her husband and enjoyed travelling with him to showcase those books around the states of Texas and New Mexico. She enjoyed art, music, family history, traveling, Sunday school, and singing in her church choirs. She laughed a lot and enjoyed her children and grandchildren.

Betty was preceded in death by her parents, Roy and Edna Box, and her sister, Billy Burford.

Betty is survived by her husband, Bill; her children; daughter, Karen and husband Donald Brice of Edmond, Oklahoma; son, Charles Knight, Jr. and wife Machelle of Dripping Springs, Texas; daughter, Suzanne and husband Alan Kupfernagel of New Braunfels, Texas; and, son, Michael Knight of Escondido, California; grandchildren, Jonathan Brice and wife Amy, Kenton Brice and wife Ashley, David Brice, Kristin Knight-Constantine and husband Fadi, Clayton Knight and wife Iveth, Carleigh Knight-Fryrear and husband Stephen, Charles Knight, III, David Kupfernagel and wife Bethany, Steven Kupfernagel, and Miranda Knight; step-children, Karla Poe, Allan Meador and wife Emily, and Edwin "Sandy" Meador; step-grandchildren, Paul Poe and wife Julie, Shannon and husband Doug Hamm, Lauren and husband Reggie Shepherd, Holly and husband Luke Harper, Will Meador, Jake Meador and wife Dallas, and Meri Meador; six great-grandchildren and six step-great-grandchildren; and by nieces and nephews.

Following a private service, Betty will be interred in Jayton, Texas, within view of the Double Mountains which provided inspiration to Betty and Bill through their more than 30 years together and found their way into many of the stories told in Bill's books.

Charles H. Hale

Charles H. Hale, 77, of Stanton, died Wednesday, September 14, 2016 at his residence.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m., Friday, September 16, 2016 at the First Baptist Church, Stanton. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park North in Midland.

Charles was born February 10, 1939 in Stanton and married Sylvia Richardson, February 3, 1961 in Big Spring.

Charles served in the United States Army. He was born and raised in Stanton. Charles shared the responsibility of farming the family land in Martin County for 50 years. He loved pulling antique tractors and his grandchildren.

Charles is survived by his wife, Sylvia Hale of Stanton; two daughters, Shanna Ginder and husband Brian of Midland and Brenna Beasley and husband Randy of Stanton; one son, Bryan Hale and wife Kitty of Stanton; 11 grandchildren, Jared Hale and wife Kayla, Jason Hale and wife Amanda, Jami Gray and husband Dalton, Jordan Hale, Kyle McCarty and wife Lisa, Stacy Cox and husband Jason, Amber Nolan and husband Robbie, Jennifer Patterson and husband Luke, Robin Beasley, Cody Beasley, and Haley Ginder; eight great-grandchildren, Mackenzie Hale, Hagan Hale, Kolten Hale, Braxton Nolan, Landon Villareal, Madelyn McCarty, Kyler Cox, and Kinley Cox; four brothers, Doyle Hale of Stanton, Bill Hale and wife Juanita of Brownwood, Hubert Hale and wife Flo of Stanton, and Kenneth Hale and wife Bobbie Faye of Proctor; and by two sisters, Lura Davis of Midland and Betty Sue Crocker and husband Sonny of Big Spring.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Charlie and Nettie Hale, and four sisters, Averille Badgett, Berniece Vannoy, Jean Ann Padgett, and Mamie McFerrin.

The family suggests memorials to a charity of choice.

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

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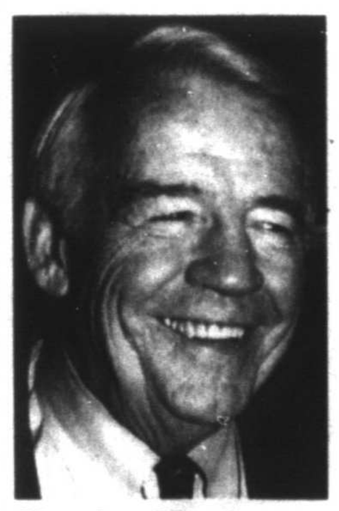

Charles Wesley Perry, Jr.

Charles Wesley Perry, Jr., 87, of Midland, passed away on Wednesday, September 14, 2016.

A Memorial Mass will be on Saturday, September 17, 2016 at 10:00 a.m. at St. Ann's Catholic Church with Monsignor Larry Droll officiating.

Charles was born on May 27, 1929 in Cotton Valley, Louisiana to Madge Griffin Perry and Charles Wesley Perry. After moving to Rodessa, Louisiana to Plackman, Louisiana and Atlanta, Texas, he settled in Texarkana, Texas.

Charlie attended Texas High School in Texarkana where he played football. He graduated in 1946 and went on to Southern Methodist University on a football scholarship where he was coached by Mattie Bell and Rusty Russell. He played with several great players, including Doak Walker. Charlie played in the Cotton Bowl on January 1, 1949 as SMU was victorious over the University of Oregon.

He majored in Business Administration, was a member of Phi Delta Theta fraternity and lettered in football in 1949 and 1950.

After graduation, Charlie began his career with Magnolia Petroleum, where he had worked for several summers during college. He attended summer training camp for the Dallas Texans in Kerrville, Texas but went on to work for Magnolia full time in 1951. He was active in the Naval Reserves from 1947-1963.

After working many years offshore, he began working in the land department for Magnolia. He met and married his wife of 60 years, Margaret Rankin Perry (Ricki) in 1955 in Dallas and they soon moved to Midland.

In 1962, Charlie went to work for Ralph Lowe and in 1966 he went out on his own as an independent landman. Charlie was dedicated to providing for his family and loved working in the oil business. He was a longtime member of the Permian Basin Landmen's Association, American Association of Petroleum Landmen, Petroleum Club, Midland Country Club, and St. Ann's Catholic Church.

Charlie is survived by his wife, Ricki; sons, Wes Perry and his wife Roni, and Sam Perry and his wife Tracey; daughters, Wende Perry, Page Bezner and her husband Chris, and Mae-dee Jones and her husband Sport; as well as 10 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Honorary pallbearers are Joe Liberty, Mike Ketter, Glen Ellis, Walt Laufer, Scot Northern, Morris Willams, Don Dycus, and Dizon Ramirez.

The family would like to thank Dr. Ganta for the wonderful care given.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in memory of Charles Perry to Midland Memorial Hospital, 400 Rosalind Redfern Grover Parkway, Midland, Texas 79701; Midland College, 3600 N. Garfield, Midland, TX 79705; or Manor Park, Inc., 2208 North Loop 250 West, Midland, TX 79707.

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

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Louisa Garza

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Louisa Garza, 91, passed on to a better life on September 13, 2016.

Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m. on September 17, 2016 at the First Baptist Church in Stanton, with Pastor Baldemar Gonzales officiating. Interment will follow at Evergreen Cemetery in Stanton.

The family will receive friends Friday September 16, 2016 from 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. at the Stanton Memorial Funeral Home and Chapel.

Louisa was born October 20, 1924 to Juan and Josefa Chapa in Beeville. She married the love of her life, Adolfo Garza, June 28, 1940 in Corpus Christi. They were married 75 wonderful years.

Louisa and Adolfo took a job at Menard Baptist Camp, now known as Camp Menard, overseeing and maintaining the grounds to the camp. They later came to Stanton and owned a restaurant in the 80s known as Louisa's Restaurant.

She loved playing cards, dominoes, and cooking, especially for family. She was a member of Iglesia Bautista Calvario in Stanton. The most important things in life were her family.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Adolfo Garza, Sr.; three infant children, Ruben Mary Lou, and Diana; and by her siblings.

She is survived by her daughter, Mary Jane Gonzalez and husband Joe of Stanton; two sons, Pat Garza of Albuquerque, New Mexico and Adolph Garza and wife Sarah of Stanton; 10 grandchildren, Mark Gonzalez and wife Amanda, Miranda Hinojosa, Chris Garza and wife Tara, Stacie Garza, Bree Ann Garza, Brittani Gomez and husband Jason, Eric Garza and wife Erin, Monica Garza, Tiffani Diaz and husband Anthony, and Alicia Perez and husband Matt; and by 26 great-grandchildren and 10 great-great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to the Martin County Senior Citizens Center, P.O. Box 1233, Stanton, Texas 79782.

Pallbearers are Mark Gonzalez, Chris Garza, Eric Garza, Mark Gonzalez, II, Jason Gomez, Matt Brazill, and Anthony Diaz.

Lovie D. Lewis

Love D. Lewis, of Midland, Texas, went home to be with the Lord on Sunday morning, September 11, 2016.

She was born to Charlie and Phyllis Lewis on October 31, 1925 in Eastland, Texas. She moved to Midland at an early age. She worked in private homes and at First National Bank for many years.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her son, Alvin Allen; sisters, Blanche Connely and Ruby Delce; and brothers, James Lewis, L.T. Lewis, and Jake Lewis.

She leaves to mourn her, two sons, Ervin Lewis (Margin) and Keron Lewis; daughter, Jackie Norris (Mike), all of Midland; 10 grandchildren and 10 ten great-grandchildren; sisters, Billie Ruth Henderson of Wichita Falls, Texas and Charlene Brown of Midland; and by several nieces, nephews, and a host of relatives and friends.

Momma will be sorely missed by those who loved her but will never be gone for those whose lives she blessed.

Services will be held on Saturday September 17, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. at Lee Street Church of Christ; burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park.

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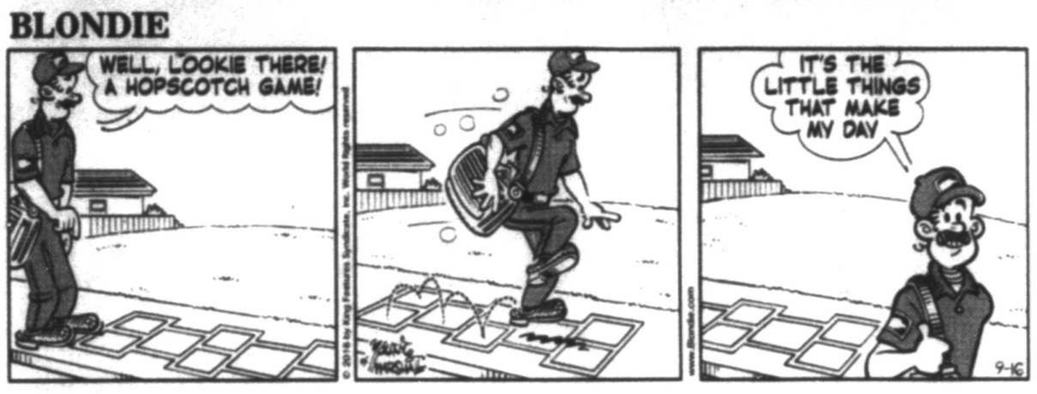

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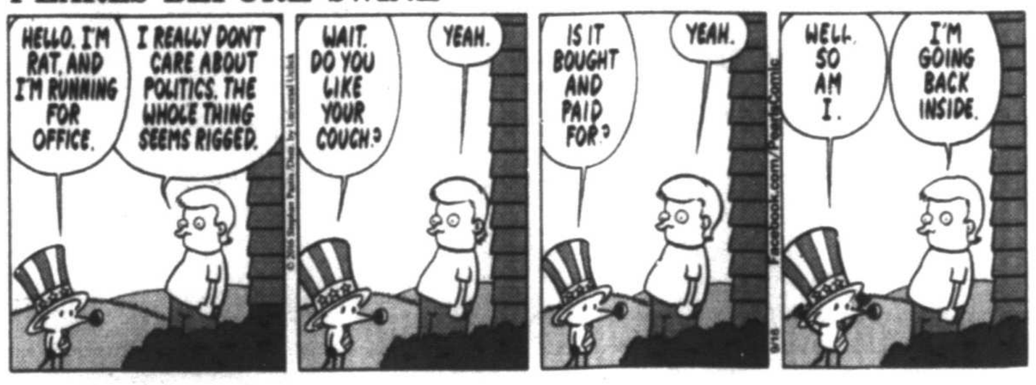

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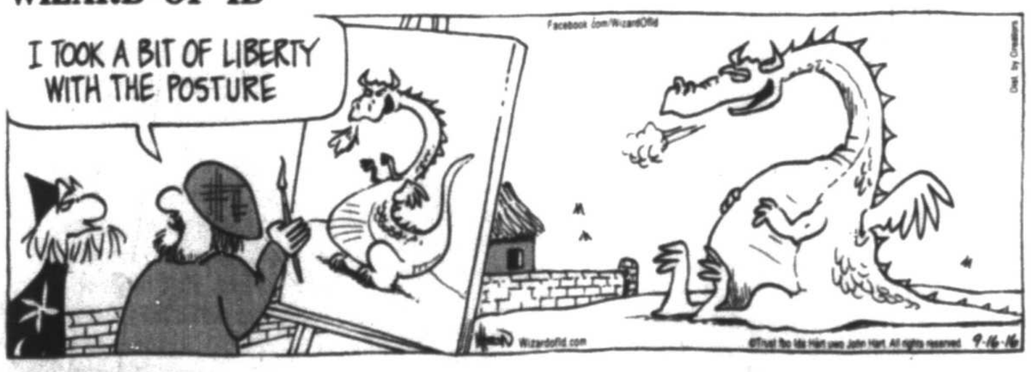

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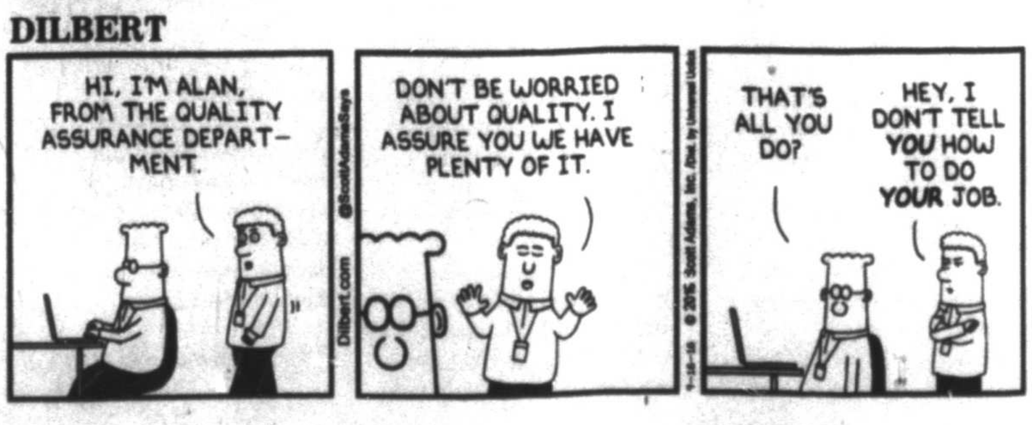

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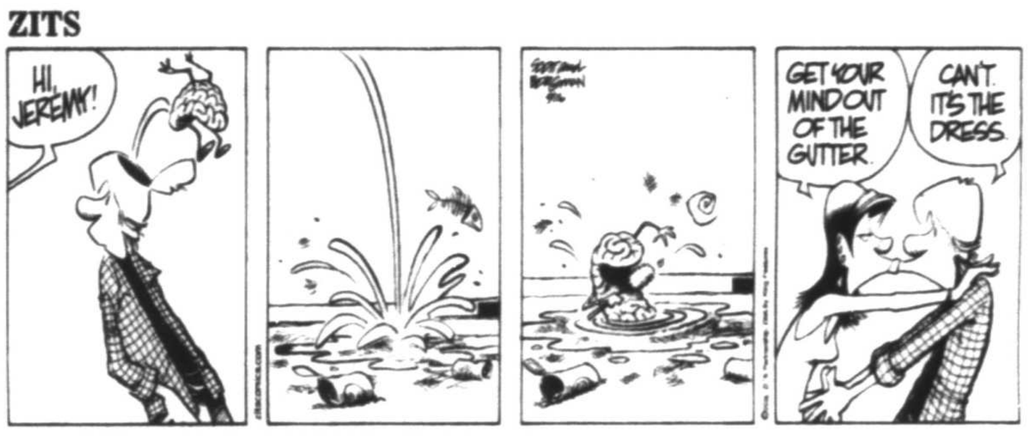

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Fifth-grader Owen Chaidez, 10, plays during recess on Sept. 9 at Hillcrest Elementary School in Downers Grove, Ill.

Parents, nonprofits unite to create inclusive playgrounds

By Vikki Ortiz Healy
Chicago Tribune

DOWNERS GROVE, Ill. — Before the start of first grade four years ago, Owen Chaidez excitedly waited on the playground at Hillcrest Elementary School in Downers Grove. But when the bell rang and his friends ran inside, the boy, who uses a wheelchair, became stuck in the wood chips covering the playground's surface. His mother found him moments later, crying and alone.

"The more he tried to dig out of it ... the deeper he was getting in the wood chips," Peg Chaidez said. "I promised him that day I would do something to make a difference."

Last month, the 46-year-old mother made good on her promise when Owen cut the ribbon welcoming the public to "Owen's Playground." The new $600,000, fully accessible playground at the District 58 school is designed to be used by all students — including those with physical and cognitive disabilities.

With extra-wide ramps, rubberized flooring, sensory stations and other custom-designed features, the playground is the latest in a wave of inclusive playgrounds being constructed across the Chicago area in recent years. The passionate parents and nonprofit organizations behind them say they couldn't wait for cash-strapped communities and school districts to find the time and money to follow rules laid out in the Americans with Disabilities Act. The act requires all playgrounds to offer equipment, materials and designs that provide children with disabilities the same play opportunities as other children.

"For many communities and many school districts, they're working hard to accommodate students in the classroom," said Heather Binder, development and outreach manager for Rebuilding Together Aurora. "Sometimes they don't have enough bandwidth to look beyond those four walls."

So the nonprofit partnered with a local volunteer project, Gateway to Laughter, and last month, completed an inclusive playground at John Gates Elementary School, the hub for students with disabilities in the East Aurora school district. Before the playground was remodeled, five classrooms of students with disabilities were regularly left on the sidelines at recess, Binder said.

Today, they play alongside their classmates on six pieces of equipment built by volunteer contractors and laborers. The structures, from spinning contraptions to musical stations, were designed to be accessible for both typical children and those with mobility impairment or cognitive challenges, Binder said.

"Just like any move toward equality, it's a slow march sometimes," Binder said. "We just felt really compelled to go above and beyond."

For many decades, there were no enforceable standards for playgrounds across the country. In 2010, a section was added to the Americans with Disabilities Act that for first time required new or remodeled playgrounds to include, among other guidelines, low-sitting structures for someone using a wheelchair, according to Sherril York, executive director of the National Center on Accessibility.

In roughly the same amount of time, York said she has noticed a growing number of playground equipment manufacturers offer products that take into account children and caregivers with special needs, she said.

Chicago playgrounds all meet the latest ADA standards, with offerings such as bucket seating on swings for children who may not be able to sit upright, said Jessica Maxey-Faulkner, spokeswoman for the Chicago Park District.

And once parents of children with disabilities — or caregivers with special needs themselves — learned of the new requirements and possibilities, grass-roots efforts to construct state-of-the-art playgrounds grew across the country, as it has in the Chicago area, York said.

In Elmhurst, Illinois, the community's Park District is scheduled to open "The Playground for Everyone" in November, after years of partnering with nonprofits for fundraisers and planning. The municipality each year designates $350,000 to remodel one of its 18 playgrounds. That sum covers the design and construction of a playground that meets ADA standards, such as smooth surfaces and low structures.

But advocates for people with special needs in Elmhurst dreamed of a playground that would go beyond the bare minimum: extra handicapped parking spaces nearby, double-wide ramps where children using wheelchairs could pass each other and ample seating for caregivers who are often left without a place to rest, said Ginger Wade, marketing director for the Elmhurst Park District.

Together with a nonprofit group called Special Kids Day, as well as several other community groups, the Park District raised another $250,000 for the creation of The Playground for Everyone, which is now under construction.

"We've always had playgrounds that were accessible, but this is kind of taking that to the next level," said Wade, who noted similar projects in Wheaton and South Elgin. "It's like when you go to the restaurant and they have one thing that's gluten-free. This is where it's all gluten-free. The specialty becomes the standard. Now, I think it's becoming more and more expected."

York, of the National Center on Accessibility, which is considered by advocates as the leading authority on access issues unique to park and recreation programs and facilities, said she has been encouraged to see playground organizers interested in addressing more than the needs of children with physical disabilities. The new parks are also geared toward caregivers with disabilities and children with autism spectrum disorders, vision loss and hearing impairments.

CALENDAR

Today

Christian Church of Midland 50th Anniversary, through Sunday at 2608 Neely Ave.

Permian Basin Writers Workshop will feature guest speakers including authors, publishers and agents, though Sunday. Visit permianbasinwriterswork shop.org for schedule and locations.

Saturday

Yoga classes are offered weekly, 9 a.m. Universalist Unitarian Church, 3301 Neely Ave. Free. uumidland.org.

Monday

Grief Support six-week session, 6:30-8 p.m. Mondays at Hospice Midland. hospiceofmidland.org

Belly Dancing Class, 8 p.m. at Unitarian Universalist Church, 3301 Neely Ave. uumidland.org.

Tuesday

Brown Bag Lunch and Lecture: Heidi Hughes of the I-20 Wildlife Preserve. 11:30 a.m. at the Petroleum Museum. Free. Drinks and dessert provided. Pbpetro.org.

Wednesday

Caregiver Support group, noon-1 p.m. at Hospice Midland. hospiceofmidland.org.

Thursday

Brothers in Christ is a weekly men's group with studies that range from the Bible to topical issues. 6:30 a.m. at Midland Bible Church, 5900 Whitman Drive. midlandbible.org.

3:11 Ministries ribbon cutting and open house with refreshments and building tours. 4:30 p.m. at 12 E. Industrial Loop.

"Huicholes: People Walking in Search of Sunlight" celebrates Hispanic Heritage Month with the works of Huichol artist and shaman Jose Benitez Sanchez. Opening reception at 5:30 p.m. Sept. 22 at the Ellen Noel Art Museum, 4909 E. University Blvd., Odessa. noelartmuseum.org.

Family Science Night: Bits and Bots, 6:30 p.m. Sept. 22 at the Petroleum Museum. Free. pbpetro.org.

Revival with evangelist John Wakabi, Roy Smith and the True-Life Choir, Buddy Helms and Pastor Eli Wyatt and more. Sept. 28-Oct. 1 at Solid Rock Fellowship Out West, 4601 Interstate 20.

To include your event on this calendar, please email Rich Lopez at rlopez@mrt.com

Crafty Minnesota teen finds helping other sick kids is best medicine

By Sharyn Jackson
Star Tribune (Minneapolis)

"I'm one of those people that likes to know everything, so not knowing what's going on inside of me kind of sucks. ... I started seeing cancer patients, or patients who are immobilized or have it far worse than I do. I wanted to make other children's stay at the hospital easier, because I know what it's like to be scared."

Alexis Doucette, founder of Allyhoo

MINNEAPOLIS — When Alexis Doucette moved to college last month, she packed an unusual item for a dorm room: a sewing machine. Between classes in entrepreneurship this fall, she'll be at the machine, running a business of her own.

The 18-year-old from Belle Plaine, Minnesota, is the founder of Allyhoo, a nonprofit that donates handmade stuffed animals to hospitalized children. Doucette launched it in 2014, a year and a half after she landed in the hospital herself.

She was 13, and her joints ached so much that there were days she couldn't get out of bed. It turned out to be arthritis caused by an unknown autoimmune disease.

"I'm one of those people that likes to know everything, so not knowing what's going on inside of me kind of sucks," Doucette said.

She quit the track team and started chemotherapy, with three self-administered injections a day and constant nausea.

She admits to having "pity parties" for herself. But that changed when she met other kids at Children's Hospitals of Minnesota. "I started seeing cancer patients, or patients who are immobilized or have it far worse than I do," she said. "I wanted to make other children's stay at the hospital easier, because I know what it's like to be scared."

After Doucette gave up track, her parents got her a sewing machine. She learned fast, and designed an owl-shaped pillow she dubbed the Allyhoo. She made 10 brightly colored, cuddly creatures, and donated them to Children's.

People often will donate handmade blankets and pillowcases to pediatric patients, but the owls are different, said Maggie Overman Larson, senior development associate for the Children's Minnesota Foundation.

"It's unique in that it's a homegrown stuffed animal," she said. "We don't have anybody else doing what she's doing."

Doucette threw herself into Allyhoo. She designed more characters, and her father helped her launch a website.

To date, she has donated more than 200 huggable owls, puppies and penguins.

"It really helped put her medical condition on the back burner," said Kate Pauly, Doucette's mother. "Now when I think of Ally, I no longer think of my sick daughter. I think of this wonderful person starting this cause."

Doucette clipped coupons for fabric and stuffing, but she needed Allyhoo to become self-sufficient. So she came up with twins: When customers buy an Allyhoo for themselves, they pay to donate an identical one to a child.

Doucette recruited friends to stitch. They'll stay on while she sews from Vermilion Community College in Ely, Minn.

She now has six "team members," including Haley Johnson, 18, who was inspired by her friend's idea. "Everyone's like, 'Teenagers are so bad,'" Johnson said, "but then you look at what Ally's doing."

Before creating Allyhoo, Doucette considered studying neuroscience. Now, she's all about business. "I want Allyhoo to become my career, so I have to learn more," she said. "I don't know all the official business terms." Her goal is to have her own office building teeming with staff and volunteers.

Although she's back on chemotherapy, in pill form now, "I don't have pity for myself anymore," Doucette said. The pain has never been so bad, she said, that she couldn't sew.

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History put on hold as Naturals avoid sweep

By Christopher Hadorn
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RockHounds lead series 2-1

An announced crowd of 3,805 fans showed up Thursday night to Security Bank Ballpark hoping to see history as the Midland RockHounds needed only one more win to capture their third straight Texas League championship.

The Northwest Arkansas Naturals had other plans. Fighting to stay alive and avoid a sweep, the Naturals leaned on the right arm of starting pitcher Josh Staumont.

Staumont came through by spinning 6 1/3 shutout innings to lead the Naturals to a 4-0 win over the RockHounds in Game 3 of the best-of-five Texas League Championship Series.

With Midland leading the series 2-1, Game 4 will be played at 7 p.m. today at Security Bank Ballpark, and if needed, Game 5 will be held at 7 p.m. Saturday at the same site.

Staumont, a second round pick of the Kansas City Royals in the 2015 amateur draft, was masterful as he limited the RockHounds to only three hits and one walk, while striking out eight.

The 6-foot-3, 200-pound right-hander exhibited a blazing 100 mph fastball and was able to keep the RockHounds off-balance by throwing both his curveball and changeup for strikes.

"The biggest thing is keeping them off the fastball," Staumont said. "Those are the two pitches that are always going to be there, always kind of messing up timing."

While Staumont was pitching, the RockHounds weren't able to advance a runner to second base.

"The kid was just throwing a good game," Midland manager Ryan Christenson said. "He had his control tonight and when he has his control, he has overpowering stuff."

After Staumont was pulled, the Naturals relief corps of Daniel Stumpf, Aroni Nina and Eric Stout combined to throw 2 2/3 hitless innings to put the finishing touches on the shutout. Stumpf, who pitched seven games for the Philadelphia Phillies this year as a Rule 5 pick, struck out two over 1 1/3 perfect innings.

Center fielder Alfredo Escalera

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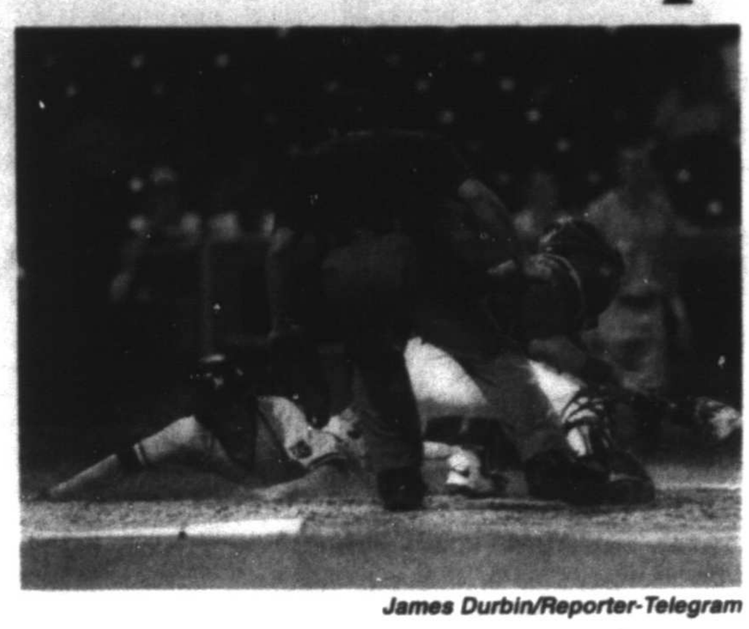

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RockHounds play against Northwest Arkansas in Game 3 of the Texas League Championship series on Thursday at Security Bank Ballpark.

TEAMS SHOWING A LOT OF HEART

Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

Zane Spraglin, left, Johnathan Villavicencio, far right, and other offensive lineman run blocking drills Thursday during a walk-through practice.

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Midland running back Ricky Hubert moves the ball against DeSoto on Sept. 9 at Grande Communications Stadium.

Villavicencio, Spraglin have stepped up for Lee O-Line

By Will Korn
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Every successful football program needs players willing to set aside personal desires and do whatever it takes for the benefit of the team.

Over the last couple of weeks, Lee has emphasized becoming a more balanced offense and when asked for help, Rebel lineman Johnathan Villavicencio and Zane Spraglin answered the call.

The Lee coaching staff felt the offense was becoming too pass-heavy too early in the season. In an effort to bolster the team's running game, the coaches converted Villavicencio and Spraglin from the defensive line to starting offensive lineman just three days before Lee's 62-35 road loss against El Paso El Dorado.

"We didn't like where we were at (offensively), we were having to throw the football every play," said Lee head coach Clint Hartman. "We wanted to make sure we could be a more balanced football team. For us to do that, we've had to ask kids to maybe do some things they didn't want to do. (But) the kids here stuck together."

Villavicencio and Spraglin impressed immediately in practice and helped the Rebels' offensive line generate a strong push in the second half against the Aztecs. As a team, Lee produced a season-high 241 yards on the ground in the game, highlighted by 138 yards and three scores from sophomore running back Josh Traylor.

The Rebels (1-2) hope to continue to make waves in the trenches when they host Lubbock Monterey (3-0) for Homecoming at 7:30 p.m. today at Grande Communications Stadium.

Prior to his switch, Villavicencio, a senior, spent all of last season and the first couple of games this season as a rotational player on the Rebels' defensive line.

Villavicencio said he was comfortable in his part-time defensive niche, but when the Lee coaches approached him about moving to left guard, he embraced the challenge with enthusiasm.

The game against the Aztecs was his first playing as a varsity offensive lineman.

"You get used to (playing) defense and they ask you to move over and you think, 'What the heck? Go for it,'" Villavicencio said. "It's for the team, we'll get it done. Let's go and take it to the house."

Meanwhile Spraglin, a junior, is a making a return to the offensive line after playing the position last season on Lee's junior varsity team. Like Villavicencio, he began the 2016 season rotating in on the Rebels' D-line.

But aided by familiarity, Spraglin assumed his old role without a hiccup and started at right tackle against El Paso El Dorado.

"The transition was pretty smooth," said Spraglin. "Coming back, the offensive line was welcoming and they taught me a lot, the coaches gave me a lot of pointers. Everything has been smooth."

Hartman was pleased with the pair's

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RB Hubert embodies Bulldogs' fighting spirit

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Perhaps no player personifies Midland High's fighting spirit more so than running back Ricky Hubert.

Last week the Bulldogs were praised for their fortitude and grit in a 49-43 loss to No. 2-ranked DeSoto and Hubert embodied all those characteristics on one play.

In the second quarter, Hubert broke through three tackles en route to a 25-yard touchdown run that sent the Grande Communications Stadium crowd and the MHS bench into a frenzy. Hubert appeared stopped in his tracks on an open-field tackle attempt, but used his legs, lower half strength and determination to get across the goal line.

"Like (MHS running backs coach Ector Lopez) said, 'have a nose for the end zone,'" Hubert said. "When I saw it, I just had to get to the end zone, like coach says. When you see that goal line, just have a nose for the goal line."

Bulldogs head coach Craig Yenzer said the senior's jaw-dropping run had a lasting impact on the whole team.

"It was not only an inspirational-type run for his effort, but it inspired the team," Yenzer said.

Hubert rose to the occasion in a spotlight game, rushing 21 times for 188 yards and two touchdowns against a loaded DeSoto team that had 24 players with scholarship offers.

"It was just fun, just knowing that they had a lot of D1 players," Hubert said. "We just wanted to go there and show that we can play with them."

At 7:30 p.m. today, Hubert and Midland High (2-1) will try to get back into the win column when they visit Keller (0-3) at the Keller ISD Athletic Complex in their final non-district game.

Hubert spearheads a new-look Bulldogs rushing scheme, patterned after the University of Tulsa's no-huddle attack.

Even though it's more fast-paced, it shouldn't be mistaken for a finesse attack, as Hubert has done a lot of damage as a downhill, inside runner.

Through three games, Hubert has rushed 52 times for 381 yards and six touchdowns, while averaging 7.3 yards per attempt.

"He's really seeing the inside run game, which he has been excellent with," Yenzer said. "He's not trying to outrun people to the perimeter."

One of the most glaring traits about Hubert is he is constantly pushing piles forward with his rushing attempts.

"Just like (MHS running backs coach Ector Lopez) said, 'keep your feet moving,'" Hubert said. "Don't stop your feet no matter what. It could be three or four people on you, as long you keep your feet moving, the power will go forward."

The 5-foot-11, 185-pound senior packs a mean punch for his size. In addition to rushing success, Yenzer praised Hubert for his blocking in pass protection. Yenzer said Hubert "shot out like a cannon" by delivering a key block on Jalen Childress' 72-yard reception in the team's 56-28

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Medrano spearheading Greenwood's dominant O-Line

By Oscar LeRoy
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Greenwood coach Shad Hanna calls senior center Nick Medrano one of his "papa bears."

Medrano

Not only is the 6-foot, 280-pounder a four-year varsity veteran for the Rangers but he is the unquestioned leader of an offensive line, which has paved the way for 3-0 Greenwood to average just more than 494 yards per game.

"When Nick is not there in practice, practice suffers," Hanna said. "Our offensive line struggles to stay consistent when he's not there because he's taken on that leadership role and he's really done a great job of leading those guys and leading everybody. He's not a boisterous leader, but when he's there everything is different."

Added Medrano: "When I'm not there I really miss my brothers. I believe that they need me and I need them. I think I've shown how really dedicated I am."

Medrano and the Rangers look to stay unbeaten during non-district action tonight when they host San Angelo Lake View (1-2) for Homecoming at J.M. King Memorial Stadium.

This year, Medrano had to take on a new role as he switched from guard to center after the graduation of Jesus Rodriguez, who was the line's unquestioned leader for the previous couple of seasons. Medrano knew how important that position was to the team and its chances of winning games and didn't hesitate to take on the new challenge.

"It's been real different, having to step up as a leader and know which blocks I have to take hold of," he said. "It's really helped me become a better football player. I felt that was a real important position because all the centers we've had have stepped up and become leaders."

Hanna said Medrano had practiced at center before when Rodriguez was not available but was still unsure how well he could handle the transition. Needless to say, Hanna now believes that it was indeed the right move for Medrano.

Hanna added that while Medrano may be quiet, he doesn't doubt that if he needs to get on somebody, he'll do it behind the scenes.

"However he does it, he handles it right," he said.

Medrano said his time on the varsity and as a starter has made him a more experienced player in many ways.

"I've gotten a lot more experience on being a leader and a lot more experienced in run blocking, making my key blocks," he said. "I've also improved the quickness in my feet and doing things right."

Medrano now hopes that his team continues its strong start to the season. He attributes the success to all-around team effort.

"These past few weeks we have worked really hard and it has really shown what we're capable of in practice and games," he said. "I think the key has

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THURSDAY'S SCORE
NW Arkansas 4, Midland 0

TODAY'S GAME
NW Arkansas at Midland 7 p.m.

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Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Today	Saturday
Midland 5, NW Arkansas 4	Midland 6 NW Arkansas 4	NW Arkansas 4, Midland 0	NW Arkansas at Midland 7 p.m.	NW Arkansas at Midland 2 p.m.

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FROM STAFF AND WIRE REPORTS

ON THE AIR

ON TV

COLLEGE FOOTBALL
Baylor at Rice, 7 p.m., ESPN
Arkansas State at Utah State, 8 p.m., CBSSN
Arizona State at UTSA, 8:30 p.m., ESPN2

GOLF
Web.com: Albertsons Boise Open, 2nd Round, 2 p.m., GOLF
Champions: Nature Valley First Tee Open at Pebble Beach, 1st Round, 5 p.m., GOLF

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL
St. Joseph Prep (PA) at Archbishop Wood (PA), 6:30 p.m., ESPNU
Football Friday, 7:30 p.m., FSSW+, FCSC
Long Beach Poly at Mission Viejo, 9:30 p.m., FCSP

MLB
Milwaukee at Chic. Cubs, 1 p.m., MLB
NY Yankees at Boston, 6 p.m., MLB
Oakland at Texas, 7 pm.., FSSW
Houston at Seattle, 9 p.m., ROOT

MEN'S SOCCER
MLS: Chicago Fire vs. DC United, 7 p.m., UniMas, UDN
Liga MX: CD Tiburones Rojos de Veracruz vs. CF Monarcas Morelia, 8:50 p.m., AZTECA
NCAA: Harvard at Stanford, 10 p.m., P12 BAY

MOTORSPORTS
XFINITY: Drive for Safety 300, Practice, 11:30 a.m., NBCSN
Camping World Truck Series: American Ethanol E15 225, Qualifying, 3:30 p.m., FS1
NHRA: Carolina Nationals, Qualifying, 5 p.m., FS1
Sprint Cup: TMNT 400, Qualifying, 5:30 p.m., NBCSN
Camping World Truck Series: American Ethanol E15 225, 7:30 p.m., FS1

TENNIS
Davis Cup Semifinals, 7 a.m., TENNIS

WNBA
Minnesota at Indiana, 6 p.m., NBAtv
San Antonio at Los Angeles, 9:30 p.m., NBAtv

ON RADIO

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL
Big Spring at Canyon, 7 p.m., KBEST 95.7 FM, KBYG 106.1 FM/1400 AM (Big Spring)
Abilene at Odessa, 7:30 p.m., KMCM 96.6 FM
Lubbock Monterrey at Midland Lee, 7:30 p.m., KFZX 102.1 FM
Midland High at Keller, 7:30 p.m., KCRS 97.5 FM/550 AM
Andrews at Monahans, 7:30 p.m., KACT 105.5 FM/1360 AM (Andrews)
Stanton at Christoval, 7:30 p.m., KBTS 94.3 FM (Big Spring)
Forsan at Reagan County, 7:30 p.m., KXCS 105.5 FM (Big Spring)
Coahoma at Bangs, 7:30 p.m., KBST 1490 AM (Big Spring)
Lamesa at Slaton, 7:30 p.m., KPET 105.1 FM/690 AM (Lamesa)
San Angelo Lakeview at Greenwood, 7:30 p.m., GreenwoodSportsRadio.com

TEXAS LEAGUE BASEBALL
Texas League Championship, Gm 4 (if necessary): Northwest Arkansas at Midland, 7 p.m., KMRK 96.1 FM

WHAT'S ON DECK

High school

FOOTBALL
Lee vs. Lubbock Monterey, 7:30 p.m., Grande Communications Stadium
Midland High at Keller, 7:30 p.m.
Abilene High at Odessa High, 7:30 p.m.
Killeen Shoemaker at San Angelo Central, 7:30 p.m.
Abilene Cooper at Wolfforth Frenship, 7:30 p.m.
San Angelo Lake View at Greenwood, 7:30 p.m.
Dallas TACA at Midland Christian, 7 p.m.
Big Spring at Canyon, 7:30 p.m.
Andrews at Monahans, 7:30 p.m.
Christoval at Stanton, 7:30 p.m.
Coahoma at Bangs, 7:30 p.m.
Forsan at Reagan County, 7:30 p.m.
Trinity at Imperial Buena Vista, 7:30 p.m.
Balmorhea at Garden City, 7:30 p.m.
Rankin at Grady, 7:30 p.m..

VOLLEYBALL
Odessa Permian at Lee, 5 p.m.
Midland High at Odessa High, 5 p.m.
Midland Christian at Grapevine Faith Christian, 6 p.m.
Trinity at Lubbock All Saints, 6 p.m.

Junior college

VOLLEYBALL
Midland College at Lee College Invitational, Baytown

LOCAL SPORTS

GASSER WINS LGA MATCH PLAY

Lacy Gasser won the championship flight of the 2016 Ladies Golf Association's Match Play tournament that ran Tuesday through Thursday at Green Tree Country Club.

Michelle Bradford was the runner up in the championship flight, while Merlyn Westbrook won the consolation.

Karen McDonald won the tournament's first flight.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE — Suspended San Diego executive vice president and general manager A.J. Preller 30 days for his conduct in the trade of Drew Pomeranz to Boston.

American League
LOS ANGELES ANGELS — Reinstated RHP Cory Rasmus from the 60-day DL. Transferred RHP Matt Shoemaker to the 60-day DL.
NEW YORK YANKEES — Placed OF Aaron Judge on the 15-day DL. Transferred RHP Nathan Eovaldi to the 60-day DL. Agreed to terms with DH/1B Billy Butler.
SEATTLE MARINERS — Traded RHP Joe Wieland to Atlanta for a player to be named.

National League
CHICAGO CUBS — Traded RHP Josh Colmenter to Atlanta for cash.

American Association
SIOUX CITY EXPLORERS — Exercised 2017 options on RHPs Shawn Blackwell, Bryan Escano, PJ Francescon, Hasten Freeman, Jake Keubler, Dylan Rheault, Jordan Risse, Reiner Roibal, Rob Wort and Ryan Zimmerman; LHPs Cody Forsythe and Hobbs Johnson; Cs Ralph Henriquez and C Brenden Slattery; INFs Mike Abreu, Bryan Johns, Tom Mendonca, Ino Patron and Nate Samson; and OFs Michael Lang, Derrick Robinson and Levon Washington.
SIOUX FALLS CANARIES — Exercised the 2017 option on RHP James Jones.

BASKETBALL

NBA Development League
WINDY CITY BULLS — Named Nate Loerser coach.

Women's National Basketball Association
MINNESOTA LYNX — Signed F Seimone Augustus and G Lindsay Whalen to multiyear contract extensions.

FOOTBALL

National Football League
NFL — Suspended N.Y. Giants FB Nikita Whitlock 10 games for violating the NFL policy on performance-enhancing substances.
BUFFALO BILLS — Released LB Bryson Albright. Signed OL Gabe Ikard from the practice squad.
LOS ANGELES RAMS — Agreed to terms with DT Michael Brockers on a three-year contract extension.
NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS — Released OL Clay DeBord from the practice squad. Signed OL Ian Silberman to the practice squad.
WASHINGTON REDSKINS — Signed C Austin Reiter to the practice squad.

ECHL
SOUTH CAROLINA STINGRAYS — Agreed to terms with F Mads Eller.

SOCCER

Major League Soccer
FC DALLAS — Signed F Carlos Ruiz.
NEW YORK RED BULLS — Named Andrew Vazzano senior manager for digital and social media and Chris Orihuela digital and social media coordinator.
SEATTLE SOUNDERS — Announced D Zach Scott intends to retire at the end of the 2016 season.

COLLEGE
AMERICAN ATHLETIC CONFERENCE — Elected Alyssa Drachsin national representive. Bailee Longsdon vice chair. Samantha Wolkoff coordinator of student-athlete engagement. Jake Pierce coordinator of public relations. Jacob Martin coordinator of alumni relations and Georgi Dolence coordinator of community engagement for the Student-Athletic Advisory Committee.
HOFSTRA — Named Brandon Mangan men's volunteer assistant lacrosse coach.
LANDER — Named Renee Horton women's assistant soccer coach.
SAN FRANCISCO — Announced the resignation of women's basketball coach Jennifer Azzi.
SHENANDOAH — Named Paul VanThol men's assistant lacrosse coach.
SIU EDWARDSVILLE — Named Emily Skowron assistant athletic director for internal operations. Sandy Montgomery associate athletic director for alumni relations and Jason Coomer deputy athletic director.

SPORTS ODDS

		NFL Sunday		
at DETROIT	3½	5½	(47)	Tennessee
at HOUSTON	1½	2	(43½)	Kansas City
at NEW ENGLAND	4½	7	(42)	Miami
Baltimore	4	7	(43)	at CLEVELAND
at PITTSBURGH	4	3½	(OFF)	Cincinnati
at WASHINGTON	3½	3½	(OFF)	Dallas
at NY GIANTS	4½	5	(53)	New Orleans
at CAROLINA	13½	14	(OFF)	San Francisco
at ARIZONA	8	6½	(50½)	Tampa Bay
Seattle	4	OFF	(OFF)	at LOS ANGELES
at DENVER	4	6	(45)	Indianapolis
at OAKLAND	5½	4½	(48)	Atlanta
at SAN DIEGO	3	3	(48)	Jacksonville
Green Bay	+1	2½	(45)	at MINNESOTA
		Monday		
at CHICAGO	3	3	(43)	Philadelphia

HIGHSCHOOLFOOTBALLROUNDUP

FROM STAFF REPORTS

ODESSA PERMIAN 55, BISHOP TIMON ST. JUDE 12

ODESSA — The Odessa Permian football team cruised past visiting Bishop Timon St. Jude (N.Y.), 55-12 in non-district action on Thursday at Ratliff Stadium.

The Panthers (4-0) started out slow, but reeled off 28 points in the second quarter to break the game open and take a 35-12 halftime lead.

Between the two teams, three players were ejected from the game. Statistics and scoring summary were unavailable at press time Thursday.

Permian will begin District 2-6A play at 7:30 p.m. next Friday when they face Wolfforth Frenship in Wolfforth.

ODESSA PERMIAN 55, BISHOP TIMON ST. JUDE 12

BTSJ	6	6	0	0	—12
Permian	7	28	20	0	—55

LAWTON MACARTHUR 27, AMARILLO TASCOSA 24

LAWTON, Okla. — Amarillo Tascosa suffered its first loss of the season, as it fell 27-24 against Lawton MacArthur on Thursday in non-district action.

MacArthur, the AP No. 4-ranked Class 5A team in Oklahoma, led 7-3 at halftime before the two teams combined to score 41 points in the second half.

Tascosa (2-1) took a 17-13 lead on a 7-yard touchdown run by King Doerue with 6:59 left in the third, but couldn't hang on.

Statistics were unavailable at press time Thursday.

Tascosa will open District 2-6A play at 7:30 p.m. next Friday when it takes on Odessa High at Ratliff Stadium in Odessa.

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Tascosa	3	0	14	7—24
MacArthur	7	0	13	7—27

First Quarter
MacArthur — Ronnie Kimble 45 pass from Anthony Love-Kemper (kick good), 9:39
Tascosa — FG Carlos Lopez 25, 4:49
Third Quarter
Tascosa — Rambo Luhizo 20 run (Lopez kick), 0:18
MacArthur — Kimble 90 kickoff return (pass failed), 9:06
Tascosa — King Doerue 7 run (Lopez kick), 6:59
MacArthur — B.J. Davis 2 run (kick good), 5:31
Fourth Quarter
MacArthur — J.R. Winningham 4 run (kick good), 11:29
Tascosa — Lamaron Smith 3 run (Lopez kick), 2:17

No. 6 Houston gets 40-16 win over Cincinnati

By Joe Kay
Associated Press

CINCINNATI — Greg Ward Jr. returned from a one-game absence and ran for two fourth-quarter touchdowns to help No. 6 Houston — steadied by its fabulous defense — pull away to a 40-16 victory over Cincinnati on Thursday night.

The Cougars (3-0, 1-0 American Athletic) trailed 16-12 early in the fourth quarter before Ward and the defense took over. Ward had the scoring runs to regain the lead, and the Cougars returned a pair of interceptions for touchdowns to close it out.

Ward sat out a 42-0 win over Lamar on Saturday with a sore shoulder. He came through pregame warmups fine Thursday and dispelled any worries about his arm with a 39-yard touchdown pass on the Cougars' second series.

Houston's defense took away any semblance of a running game from Cincinnati (2-1, 0-1) and accounted for 16 points on its own — a safety and the two interception returns.

The Cougars haven't allowed any of their last five opponents to rush for 100 yards. Cincinnati managed only 30 yards rushing, putting too much pressure on redshirt sophomore Hayden Moore.

The takeaway

HOUSTON: Oh that defense. The Cougars didn't need to get a lot out of their offense — and Ward wasn't at his best — in order to win a tough league game on the road. That's another good sign in a season that opened with a 33-23 win over Oklahoma.

CINCINNATI: The Bearcats have been overly reliant on a pass-heavy offense the last two years. The defense's showing on Thursday was encouraging — it simply wore down. The defense also looked solid during a 38-20 win at Purdue on Saturday, coming up with five interceptions.

Poll Implications

HOUSTON: The Cougars have their highest ranking since they were No. 3 in 1990. Any chance to move up? The top three teams in the poll all play road games against ranked teams this week, while Michigan and Clemson are at home.

CINCINNATI: The Bearcats got one vote in this week's poll, and did nothing to suggest they deserve more.

Bears looks to improve against Rice before Big 12 play

By Kristie Rieken
Associated Press

HOUSTON — No. 21 Baylor is looking to improve in its last tuneup game before conference play when the Bears visit Rice tonight.

The Bears (2-0) beat SMU 40-13 on Saturday, but were disappointed with their start in that game that was tied 6-6 at halftime. They don't want to get off to a slow start against the Owls (0-3) in their first road game of the season. Baylor coach Jim Grobe said playing away from home for the first time makes him anxious, especially as it relates to the team's younger players.

"Besides playing in a hostile environment it's just getting young guys to focus. You're in an unfamiliar setting, you're in a different hotel, you're liable to find the youngest guys out in the hallway throwing ice at each other and running up and down the hallways and doing crazy stuff," Grobe said. "We are not going on vacation, it's not spring break, we're going to play football."

The Owls hope to avoid starting 0-3 for the second time in three seasons before Conference USA play begins on Sept. 24 against North Texas.

Baylor aims to start 3-0 for the sixth straight season, which would be the longest such streak in school history. They open Big 12 play hosting Oklahoma State next weekend.

Quarterback Seth Russell led Baylor's second-half surge last weekend by throwing for one touchdown and running for another to start the third quarter and help the Bears pull away. Those scores were part of a performance where he threw for 261 yards and two touchdowns and ran for 43 yards and another score.

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been the leadership that everybody is showing on the team among the (older players). And the (younger players) have really improved and stepped up.

"The line is coming along great because these guys are real athletes," he added. "When we run certain plays where we have to step up and get pancake blocks, I really trust these guys making pancakes and doing their job."

It's also not a surprise that Medrano has high expectations for the team beyond the non-district schedule.

"Hopefully we get past the first round (of the playoffs)," he said. "I don't know about the other guys, but that's my main objective. Hopefully if we go past the first round, I believe we can go to state. Knowing I can trust them, I think we can go to state."

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San Angelo Lake View at Greenwood

When/where: 7:30 p.m., J.M. King Memorial Stadium
On the web: towntalkradio.com/greenwood-sports-radio/
Records: Greenwood 3-0; Lake View 1-2
Last game: Greenwood 42, Shallowater 10; Sweetwater 52, Lake View 6
Last meeting/series: Greenwood defeated Lake View 27-9 last year and leads the all-time series 6-5
What to watch:
■ Greenwood is off to its best start since 2006 after its dominating win over Shallowater last week. Senior QB Ben Brockman threw for 149 yards, rushed for 134 yards and accounted for five touchdowns (4 rushing). Senior RB Stace Bell added 95 yards rushing and a TD on 16 carries.
■ Greenwood Shad Hanna said the Chiefs are complicated defensively as they have shown a lot of different fronts. He added that his offense needs to adjust and score points.
■ The Chiefs are coming off a blowout loss to Greenwood District 2-4A Division II rival Sweetwater in which they turned the ball over three times. The Chiefs seem to be relying on their rushing attack this year as junior RB Alex Ayala led the team last week with 116 yards on 15 carries and leads the team with 301 yards rushing on the season.
■ Lake View is a Class 5A team, while Greenwood is a Class 4A Division II team.
■ This will be the last non-district tune-up for the Rangers before beginning district play next week on the road.
Next: Greenwood at Fort Stockton, 7 p.m., Sept. 23; Lake View at Lubbock Estacado

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First Round

Sung Hyun Park	32-31—63
In Gee Chun	29-34—63
Shanshan Feng	33-31—64
Annie Park	32-32—64
Angela Stanford	30-35—65
Eun-Hee Ji	33-33—66
So Yeon Ryu	33-33—66
Gerina Piller	32-35—67
Brittany Lincicome	33-35—68
Haru Nomura	34-34—68
Danielle Kang	32-36—68
Xi Yu Lin	33-35—68
Jennifer Song	35-33—68
Jin Young Ko	34-34—68
Megan Khang	34-35—69
Laura Davies	36-33—69
Candie Kung	33-36—69
Amy Yang	35-34—69
Brooke M. Henderson	35-34—69
Jenny Shin	34-35—69
Jessica Korda	35-34—69
Sei Young Kim	36-33—69
Sarah Jane Smith	32-37—69
Yani Tseng	33-36—69
Marina Alex	36-33—69
Moriya Jutanugarn	35-34—69
Tiffany Joh	35-34—69
Brittany Altomare	34-36—70
Stacy Lewis	35-35—70
Ryann O'Toole	35-35—70
Lydia Ko	35-35—70
Ha Na Jang	35-35—70
Carlota Ciganda	33-37—70
Lizette Salas	38-32—70
Ally McDonald	35-35—70
In-Kyung Kim	35-35—70
Hee Young Park	36-34—70
Maude-Aimee Leblanc	31-39—70
Lee-Anne Pace	34-37—71
Austin Ernst	36-35—71
Alison Lee	35-36—71
Charley Hull	33-38—71
Sakura Yokomine	32-39—71
Jane Park	35-36—71
Cheyenne Woods	35-36—71
Chella Choi	34-37—71
Sandra Gal	34-37—71
Nanna Koerstz Madsen	36-35—71
Karine Icher	33-38—71
Minjee Lee	36-35—71
Anna Nordqvist	33-38—71
Mi Jung Hur	35-36—71
Kim Kaufman	36-36—72
Hyo Joo Kim	32-40—72
Caroline Masson	35-37—72
Karrie Webb	37-35—72
Ilhee Lee	33-39—72
Celine Herbin	35-37—72
Katie Burnett	34-38—72
Emily K. Pedersen	35-37—72
Mariajo Uribe	34-38—72
Isabelle Boineau	34-38—72
Joanna Klatten	36-36—72
Min Seo Kwak	36-36—72
Paula Creamer	36-37—73
Pernilla Lindberg	34-39—73
Azahara Munoz	34-39—73
Lexi Thompson	35-38—73
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Su Oh	31-42—73
Christina Kim	37-36—73
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HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL CAPSULES

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Lee players shake hands with El Paso Coronado players after winning the season-opening game Aug. 26 at Grande Communications Stadium.

ABILENE HIGH AT ODESSA HIGH

When/where: 7:30 p.m. today, Ratliff Stadium, Odessa

Radio: KMCM (96.6 FM)

Records: Abilene High 2-1; Odessa High 0-3

Last game: Abilene High 55, Abilene Cooper 38; Lubbock Coronado 63, OHS 14

Last meeting/series: In 2015, Abilene High def. OHS 56-14, to take a 40-35 lead in the series.

Three things to watch

■ Eagles running back Abram Smith, a University of Tulsa commit, set a school record with seven TDs scored in last week's win versus rival Cooper. Smith has rushed for 386 yards, averaging 8.6 yards a carry, through three contests.

■ Junior running back Keve Robinson has been a pleasant surprise for the Bronchos, rushing the ball 21 times for 144 yards and a touchdown in last week's loss to Coronado. Robinson leads OHS with 264 yards rushing.

■ Dating back to 2000, Abilene High holds a 12-2 edge in this historical rivalry.

Next: Amarillo Tascosa at Odessa High, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 23; Abilene High at Heltom, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 23

KILLEEN SHOEMAKER AT SAN ANGELO CENTRAL

When/where: 7:30 p.m. today, San Angelo Stadium, San Angelo

Records: Shoemaker 0-3; Central 3-0

Last game: Central 52, Kerrville Tivy 0; Round Rock Cedar Ridge 44, Shoemaker 7

Last meeting/series: In 2011, Central defeated Shoemaker, 21-7 to take a 2-0 lead in the all-time series.

Three things to watch

■ The Bobcats have scored an eye-popping 187 points through three games. Central quarterback Cal Vincent has played efficiently, completing 48 of 66 passes for 677 yards, 11 touchdown passes and no interceptions.

■ Central received 27 points in the latest Associated Press Class 6A state poll, just missing the top 10 at No. 11.

■ The Grey Wolves have a new head coach in Johnnie Fair following three straight appearances in the playoffs. Shoemaker has been outscored, 128-35 in its first three games, which includes a 23-14 season opening loss to Autonoma de Nuevo Leon of Monterrey, Mexico.

Next: Odessa High at Central, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 30; Killeen Ellison at Shoemaker, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 23

ABILENE COOPER AT WOLFFORTH FRENSHIP

When/where: 7 p.m. today, Peoples Bank Stadium, Wolfforth

Records: Abilene Cooper 1-2; Frenship 2-1

Last game: Lubbock Cooper 35, Frenship 0; Abilene High 55, Abilene Cooper 38

Last meeting/series: In 2009, Abilene Cooper defeated Frenship, 21-7 to even series at 1-1.

Three things to watch

■ The Tigers were blanked by crosstown rival Lubbock Cooper last week. The Pirates held Frenship's respectable running game to a paltry 2.7 yards per carry.

■ Frenship running back Garrison Johnson was held to 85 rush yards on 22 attempts versus Lubbock Cooper after the sophomore totaled 561 rushing yards in his first two games. Last week Abilene Cooper yielded seven rushing touchdowns to Abilene High's Abram Smith, so this could be the right matchup for Johnson to get back on track.

■ The Cougars' passing attack has accounted for 79.2 percent of its offense this season. Abilene Cooper has three separate quarterbacks that have thrown at least 19 passes through the first three games.

Next: Odessa Permian at Frenship, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 23; Austin Bowie at Abilene Cooper, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 23

BIG SPRING AT CANYON

When/where: 7:30 p.m., Kimbrough Memorial Stadium, Canyon

On the radio: KBEST-FM (95.7), KBYG (106.1 FM/1400 AM), Big Spring

Records: Big Spring 0-2; Canyon 2-0

Last game: Sweetwater 60, Big Spring 20 (Sept. 2); Canyon 55, Monahans 34 (Sept. 2)

Last meeting/series: Big Spring defeated Canyon 21-13 in 2009 and leads the all-time series 3-0

Three things to watch:

■ Big Spring looks to play a complete game after last week's home game against Monahans was called with 9:14 left in the first half because of weather and declared a no contest. Big Spring was leading 26-21 at the time.

■ Big Spring coach Clint Finley said his team is executing better but needs to keep improving in that area. "Kids are starting to figure it out," Finley said "They just need to get to the point where they start thinking less and play a little more."

■ The Eagles, who received votes in the latest Associated Press Class 5A poll, run a spread offense but seem to be running the ball more than they're throwing it. Junior RB Jaelin Ford, a transfer from Amarillo High, is leading the team with 322 yards and four TDs. Finley said the keys for his team is to execute on both sides of the ball and tackle well.

Next game: Andrews at Big Spring, 7:30 p.m. Sept. 23; Hereford at Canyon, 7:30 p.m., Sept. 23

ANDREWS AT MONAHANS

When/where: 7:30 p.m., Estes Memorial Stadium, Monahans

On the radio: KACT (105.5 FM, 1360 AM), Andrews; KCKM (1330 AM), Monahans

Records: Andrews 3-0; Monahans 1-1

Last game: Andrews 77, Levelland 76, OT;

Last meeting/series: Andrews defeated Monahans 48-27 last year and leads the all-time series 32-28-1

Three things to watch:

■ Andrews is coming off a thrilling win last week as it came back from 14 points down in the final 1:04 of regulation. QB Triston Williams completed 28 of 46 passes for 416 yards, six touchdowns and two interceptions to go with two rushing TDs. RB Torry Kelley added 156 yards rushing, 111 yards receiving and four TDs for the Mustangs.

■ Monahans' game last week vs. Big Spring was called early in the second quarter because of weather and was declared a no contest.

■ Unlike last week, Andrews will face a Loboes team that runs the Wing-T offense and will look to control the game with its rushing attack. Andrews coach Ralph Mason said it's going to be key to get crucial stops and make critical plays on offense.

DALLAS TACA AT MIDLAND CHRISTIAN

When/where: 7:30 p.m. today, Mustang Field

Online: Live streaming available at http://bit.ly/watchmcs

Records: Dallas Texas Alliance of Christian Athletes 1-3; MCS 0-3

Last game: El Paso Americas 41, MCS 28; Austin Regents 42, TACA 3

Last meeting/series: First meeting

Three things to watch

■ MCS scrambled to schedule Dallas Texas Alliance of Christian Athletes after Class 3A program Elysian Fields backed out of the date. Dallas TACA is a home school that plays a freelance schedule.

■ Mustangs head coach Greg McClendon says the Storm like to run the ball out of a two-back, I-formation, but have the flexibility to throw out of the spread in passing situations. On defense, TACA typically runs out of a 4-3, but it can go to a 3-4, odd-man front, if teams attack out of a spread offense.

■ MCS sophomore Peyton Powell has taken off since winning a preseason quarterback battle, as he has passed for 606 yards, rushed for 630 yards and combined on 12 total touchdowns.

Next: MCS at Pearland Shadow Creek, 6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 24; TACA at Fort Worth Christian, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept 30

CHRISTOVAL AT STANTON

When/where: 7:30 p.m., Buffalo Stadium, Stanton

On the radio: KBTS-FM (94.3), Big Spring

Records: Stanton 0-3; Christoval 3-0

Last game: Forsan 34, Stanton 0; Christoval 10, Colorado City 0

Last meeting/series: This is the first meeting between the two programs

Three things to watch:

■ Stanton looks to get its offense going after it was shut out last week in one half of play against Forsan because of weather.

■ Stanton coach John Peterson said his team is experiencing growing pains as many sophomores have been forced into varsity action because of key injuries to older, more experienced players.

■ Stanton will face a huge challenge tonight as Christoval, which is coached by Greenwood grad Casey Otho, has not allowed a point this season and shut out Stanton's District 2-3A Division II foe Colorado City last week. Peterson said it's going to be important for his team to control the ball and keep the Cougars off the field.

Next game: Stanton at Merkel, 7:30 p.m., Sept. 23; Christoval at Ranger, 7:30 p.m., Sept. 23

COAHOMA AT BANGS

When/where: 7:30 p.m., Dragon Memorial Stadium, Bangs

On the radio: KBST-AM (1490), Big Spring

Records: Coahoma 0-3; Bangs 2-1

Last game: Reagan County 47, Coahoma 14; Bangs 14, Winters 13

Last meeting/series: This is the first meeting between the two programs

Three things to watch:

■ Reagan County used a 20-point second quarter to pull away from Coahoma last week. The Bulldogs finished with 333 yards of offense but turned the ball over twice and had trouble picking up first downs early. QB Mason Moore threw for 209 yards and two TDs in the loss.

■ Coahoma coach Fred Dietz said Bangs will mostly run the veer but has shown multiple formations on offense

■ Dietz said he likes the way his team played defense last week until it eventually wore down. He said it's going to be important for his team to take care of the football, create turnovers and limit big plays in special teams.

Next game: San Angelo Grape Creek at Coahoma, 7:30 p.m. Sept. 23; Bangs at Jim Ned, 7:30 p.m. Sept. 23

FORSAN AT REAGAN COUNTY

When/where: 7:30 p.m., James H. Bird Memorial Stadium, Big Lake

On the radio: KXCS (105.5 FM), Big Spring

Records: Forsan 3-0 Reagan County 3-0; Reagan County 47, Coahoma 14

Last game: Forsan 34, Stanton 0; Reagan County 47, Coahoma 14

Last meeting/series: Reagan County defeated Forsan 22-12 last year and leads the all-time series 4-1-1

Three things to watch:

■ Forsan just needed a half last week to run past Stanton as the game was called because of weather. The Buffaloes had 350 yards of offense, led by RB Tearell McVae, who rushed for 122 yards and two TDs on just four carries. Forsan coach Jason Phillips said his team executed the script really well and had some great downfield blocking, which helped break off some long runs.

■ The Owls had 483 yards of total offense in their win against Coahoma last week, which included 392 of those yards on the ground. Carlos Del Rio leads the team with 427 yards and eight TDs this season.

■ Phillips said he expects the Owls to be as physical as Stanton, to go with size up front. He added that it's going to be important for his team to control the line of scrimmage.

Next game: Forsan at Morton, 7:30 p.m. Sept. 23; Ozona at Reagan County, 7:30 p.m. Sept. 23

RANKIN AT GRADY

When/where: 7:30 p.m., Tunnell Stadium, Lenorah

Records: Grady 0-3; Rankin 1-2

Last game: Rankin 54, Sanderson 8; Water Valley 94, Grady 49

Last meeting/series: Grady defeated Rankin 84-48 last year and leads the all-time series 4-3

Three things to watch:

■ Rankin got its first win under first-year coach Jeff Shelton last week and Shelton said it was good to get "that monkey off your back." He added that the win brought some legitimacy of what they're trying to get accomplished and the team played really well as a whole.

■ Grady continues to go through its growing pains as once a again the Wildcats played an opponent close early, only to see Water Valley pull away in the second half. Taylor Boydston had 304 yards rushing, 144 yards passing and accounted for all seven TDs for the Wildcats.

■ Shelton said Grady looks like it has improved each week but said his team's main concern should be itself and playing fundamentally-sound football. Grady coach Brent Lucas said it's going to be important for his team to limit turnovers and get some turnovers, which is something his team hasn't done this year.

Next game: Rankin at Garden City, 7:30 p.m. Sept. 23; Grady at Westbrook, 7:30 p.m. Sept. 23

NO. 2 BALMORHEA AT NO. 6 GARDEN CITY

When/where: 7:30 p.m., Bearkat Stadium, Garden City

Records: Balmorhea 3-0; Garden City 2-0

Last game: Garden City 52, Santa Anna 6 (Sept. 2); Balmorhea 56, Marfa 8

Last meeting/series: Balmorhea defeated Garden City 84-56 last year to spilt the all-time series 1-1

Three things to watch:

■ The game will feature the return of coach Vance Jones to Garden City. The current coach of the Bears led Garden City to back-to-back six-Man Division I state titles in 2009 and 2010.

■ Garden City, the No. 6-ranked team in Division I by sixmanfootball.com, had the bye last week and coach Jeff Jones said he likes the way his team is playing right now. He said his team worked on conditioning last week and hopes his Bearkats keep building toward district.

■ Balmorhea, ranked No. 2 in Division II by sixmanfootball.com, has only allowed eight points all season. Jeff Jones said not only are the Bears playing good defense, but running the ball very well. He added that his running backs need to take advantage of any holes they see to get some yards.

Next game: Rankin at Garden City, 7:30 p.m. Sept. 23; Klondike at Balmorhea, 7:30 p.m. Sept. 23

NO. 6 TRINITY AT IMPERIAL BUENA VISTA

When/where: 7:30 p.m. today, Longhorn Stadium, Imperial

Records: Trinity 2-1; Buena Vista 2-1

Last game: Lubbock Titans 68, Trinity 46; Buena Vista 54, Midessa Home School 0

Last meeting/series: In 2015, Buena Vista def. Trinity, 77-30 to take 4-0 lead in all-time series.

Three things to watch

■ This matchup features two of the state's top six-man teams from 2015, as the Chargers were runner-ups in TAPPS Division I and the Longhorns were state semifinalists in Class 1A Division II.

"This will be a game that will be tough on us physically and mentally," Trinity head coach Antwan Alexander said.

■ Buena Vista has a good portion of its team back, including first-team, all-state quarterback Ethen Evans.

"Their quarterback is the brains of the operation of their team," Alexander said. "He's the leader. He's very smart with the ball."

■ The Chargers have amassed 557 of their total 731 yards on the ground, which accounts for 76 percent of their offense. Logan Ramsey leads the Trinity rushing game with 332 rushing yards and seven rushing TDs.

Next: Balmorhea at Trinity, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 30; Sanderson at Buena Vista, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 23

HS FOOTBALL TOP 10 SCHEDULE

Schedule for the teams ranked in The Associated Press Texas high school football poll, Sept. 16-26.

Class 6A

1. Allen (3-0) idle.
2. DeSoto (3-0) idle.
3. Converse Judson (3-0) vs. New Braunfels, Friday
4. Lake Travis (2-1) vs. Pflugerville Hendrickson, Friday
5. Euless Trinity (3-0) idle.
6. Austin Westlake (2-1) at Austin Bowie, Friday
7. Cedar Hill (2-1) idle.
8. Cibolo Steele (2-1) at Smithson Valley, Friday
9. Galena Park North Shore (2-1) idle.
10. The Woodlands (3-0) at Richmond George Ranch, Friday

Class 5A

1. Cedar Park (3-0) vs. Georgetown East View, Friday
2. Aledo (3-0) idle.
3. Denton Ryan (3-0) vs. Frisco Lone Star, Friday
4. Manvel (3-0) idle.
5. Frisco Lone Star (3-0) at Denton Ryan, Friday
6. Richmond Foster (3-0) at Tomball, Friday
7. Denton (3-0) at Keller Timber Creek, Thursday
8. Lancaster (2-1) vs. Mansfield Lake Ridge, Friday
9. Texarkana Texas (3-0) vs. Kilgore, Friday
10. Waxahachie (3-0) at Mansfield Summit, Friday

Class 4A

1. West Orange-Stark (3-0) vs. Houston KIPP, Friday
2. Argyle (3-0) at Abilene Wylie, Friday
3. Gilmer (3-0) at Carthage, Friday
4. Waco La Vega (3-0) at Mexia, Friday
5. Carthage (2-0) vs. Gilmer, Friday
6. Cuero (3-0) at Gonzales, Friday
7. China Spring (3-0) vs. Troy, Friday
8. Liberty Hill (2-0) vs. Port Lavaca Calhoun, Friday
9. Abilene Wylie (2-1) vs. Argyle, Friday
10. Henderson (3-0) vs. Longview Pine Tree, Friday

Class 3A

1. Brock (3-0) vs. Dallas Triple A Academy, Friday
2. Newton (3-0) vs. Bridge City, Friday
3. Franklin (3-0) vs. Waco Connally, Friday
4. Malakoff (2-0) vs. Tyler Grace Community, Friday
5. Sunnyvale (3-0) at Palmer, Friday
6. La Marque (3-0) at West Columbia, Friday
7. Cameron Yoe (2-1) vs. Bay City, Friday
8. White Oak (3-0) vs. Daingerfield, Friday
9. Big Sandy Harmony (3-0) at Quitman, Friday
10. Canadian (1-2) vs. Stratford, Friday

Class 2A

1. Refugio (2-0) at Edna, Friday
2. Bremond (3-0) vs. Waco Reicher, Friday
3. Iraan (3-0) vs. Mason, Friday
4. Stratford (2-0) at Canadian, Friday
5. Albany (3-0) at Anson, Friday
6. Mart (3-0) at Kerens, Friday
7. Tenaha (3-0) at Clarksville, Friday
8. Lovelady (2-0) at Jewett Leon, Friday
9. Shiner (2-1) vs. Palte City, Friday
10. Wellington (3-0) vs. Tulia, Friday

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Midland High running back Ricky Hubert (4) is hit by DeSoto's Mike Gardner (21) on Sept. 9 at Grande Communications Stadium.

HUBERT

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season opening win over El Paso Franklin.

Hubert says he admires Chicago Bears great Walter Payton, a running back that was known for his fierceness despite not having the frame of a power back.

"We got to have a big heart when you come out here and put it on the football field," Hubert said. "You got to have the heart of the lion. The lion doesn't back down to any challenge so why should we?"

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Midland High at Keller

When/where: 7:30 p.m. today, Keller ISD Athletic Complex, Keller

Radio: KCRS (97.5 FM/550 AM)

Records: MHS 2-1; Keller 0-3

Last week: DeSoto 49, MHS 43; Hurst L.D. Bell 26, Keller 14

Last meeting/series: In 2015, Keller def. MHS, 35-28 to take a 1-0 lead in the series.

Five things to watch

■ The Indians are going through a rebuilding year after graduating eight starters from both sides of the ball in 2015. Keller lost nine college signees, with Texas Tech freshman defensive end Houston Miller being one of them.

"They're a young football team this year," MHS head coach Craig Yenzer said. "They're very similar to us last year. You go through a time when you have a lot of youngsters starting so they've been up and down."

■ For Midland High, Keller is sandwiched between playing No. 2 DeSoto and rival Lee in MHS' District 2-6A opener. That scenario worries Yenzer.

"I cautioned to our team, it's their homecoming," Yenzer said. "It's a long trip for us. It's kind of another one of those trap games."

■ MHS cornerback Noah Marquez and center Turner Phillips are questionable to play because of injuries. With district opening up in a week, Yenzer said that having healthy bodies for Lee is the top priority.

If Phillips can't play, right guard Brandon Nanez would likely play at center, while junior Fidel Lopez will man the right guard spot. Both players logged playing time at those spots against DeSoto last week.

Bulldogs linebacker Santiago Hernandez won't play because of a knee injury.

■ Keller has leaned on its rushing game in the early going, as Camron Jones has 251 yards rushing and Liam Ardigo ranks second with 218 yards on the ground. Fifty-nine percent of the Indians' offensive production has occurred on the ground.

■ In each of the last two games, Midland High has had a 300-yard passer (Jackson Anuszkiewicz), a 100-yard rusher (Ricky Hubert) and two 100-yard receiving performances (Jalen Childress 2, McLane Mannix 1, Courtney McMaryion 1).

Next: MHS vs. Lee, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 23; Keller at Weatherford, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 23

LEE

From 1C

performance against the Aztecs. He and the coaching staff have high hopes for their development over the remainder of the season, as well as for the potential of the O-line as a unit going forward.

"They were a huge difference in the push that we had up front," Hartman said. "We're excited for those guys. They both played pretty well over there. They haven't had as many reps, but we think those two are only going to get better."

Though newcomers to the O-line, Villavicencio and Spraglin both believe that the unit's chemistry is improving with each game. That's evidenced in part by how the Rebels' total rushing offense has increased in each of the team's three games so far.

"I think we're doing pretty well," Villavicenio said. "We had a little bit of trouble in the beginning and now we're getting it together. Us, as an offensive line, we're ready to push.

"Anybody who's on that defensive side, you better watch out because we're going to run right up (through you)."

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Lubbock Monterey at Lee

When/where: 7:30 p.m. today, Grande Communications Stadium

On the air: KFZX (102.1 FM)

Records: Lubbock Monterey 3-0; Lee 1-2

Last game: Lubbock Monterey 28, Canyon Randall 7; El Paso El Dorado 62, Lee 35

Last meeting/series: Lee defeated Lubbock Monterey 31-21 in 2009. The all-time series is tied 3-3.

What to watch:

■ The undefeated Plainsmen, a Class 5A program, enter this game having collected three convincing wins by a combined score of 106-43. Through Monterey has averaged just 341 yards of offense per game thus far, the Plainsmen haven't been giving up much at all defensively.

■ Monterey boasts two capable dual threat quarterbacks in senior Jaron Jones and junior Brylon Lawson-Young. The two will alternate and so far this season have attempted a nearly identical number of passes.

Coming into the game, Jones is Monterey's leading rusher, with 310 yards and six touchdowns on 49 carries. Through the air, Jones has completed 14 of his 29 passes for 197 yards and a score.

■ In the Plainsmen's passing game, Kallan Noseff is indisputably the favorite target of both Jones and Lawson-Young. Noseff, who stands 6-foot-2 and weighs 180 pounds, has 19 catches for 288 yards and three TDs. No other Monterey receiver has more than four catches and 44 yards on the season.

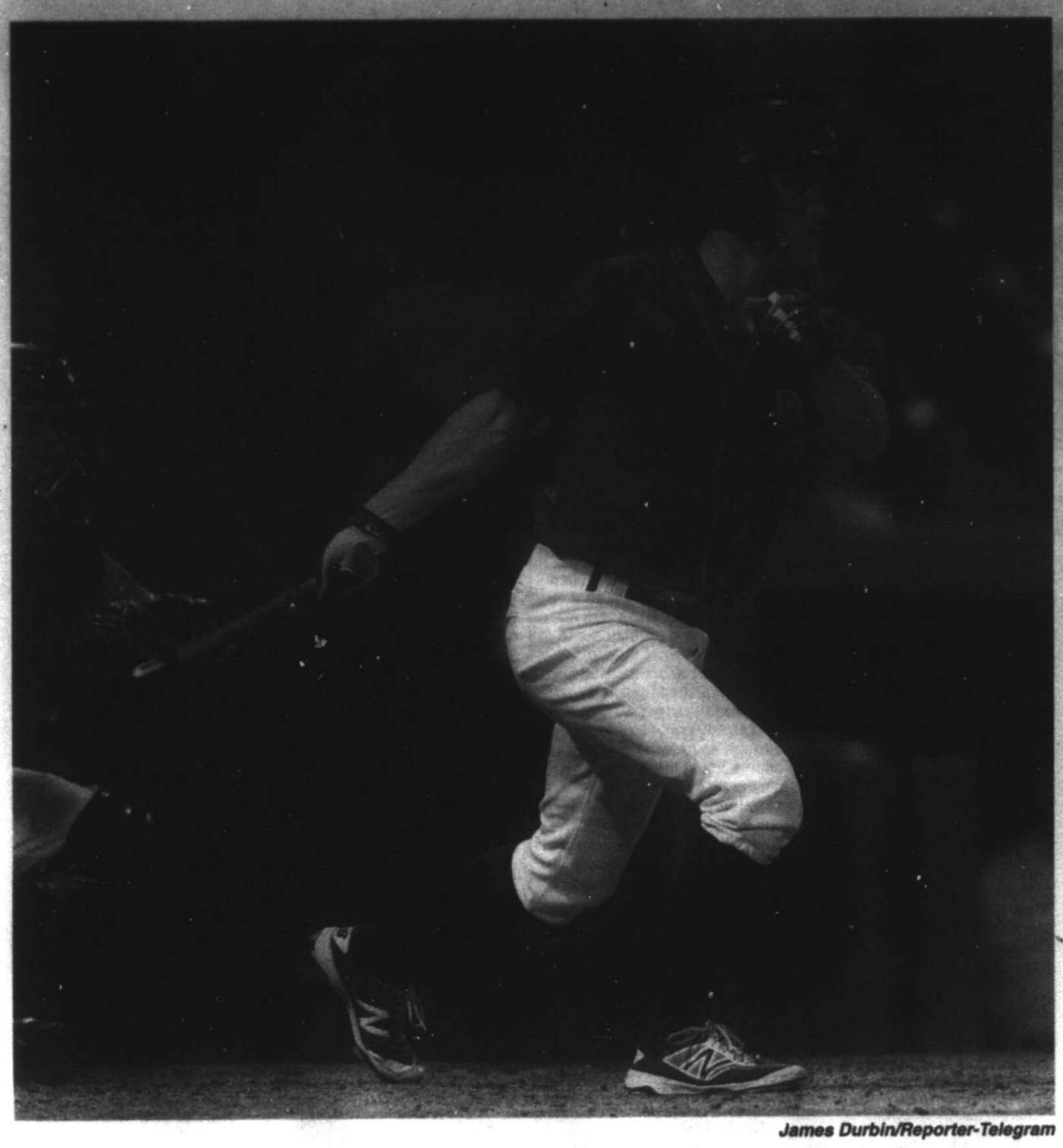
■ Lee head coach Clint Hartman said Monterey is a talented team that will present challenges.

"They're 3-0," Hartman said. "They're going to be 60-40 run. Defensively their strength is their secondary. They have four really good (players) and up front on the offensive line, they're going to be the biggest (line) we've seen so far. It's a formidable challenge, they're a good West Texas football team and they've had a history of being good. But we'll be ready to play."

■ Monterey's 5-foot-9 senior safety Corbin Whitfield is the Plainsmen's leading tackler with 20 total tackles entering today's game. He is a four-year starter and is an impact player in the secondary.

■ A strong defensive start will be critical for the Rebels today. Lee has allowed 41 points in the first quarter this season, more than any other quarter. Meanwhile the Rebels have scored just 14 first-quarter points, second fewest of any quarter.

Next: Stephenville at Lubbock Monterey, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 30; Lee vs. Midland High, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 23, Grande Communications Stadium



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The RockHounds play against Northwest Arkansas in Game 3 of the Texas League Championship series against Northwest Arkansas on Thursday at Security Bank Ballpark.

MIDLAND

From 1C

powered the Naturals' hitting by going 4-for-5 with three RBI.

While Northwest Arkansas was leading 1-0, Escalera ripped a two-run double down the left-field line to push its lead to 3-0. Escalera added an RBI triple in the ninth to pad the Naturals lead to 4-0.

Midland starter Brandon Mann took a tough luck loss as he held Northwest Arkansas to one run, seven hits and one walk over six innings, while striking out eight.

"He labored through the first couple of innings, trying to find his command," Christenson said. "When he did, he was tough. The fact that he gave us six innings there and left the game, losing the game, 1-0, it was a big performance. It was right where we needed to be, just couldn't put any runs up against the guys they were chucking at us tonight."

In the ninth, Midland pieced together a rally as it had runners on first and third with two out during a two walk inning, which included Nina's wild pitch walk to Tyler Marincov that advanced Max Schrock to third base. However, Stout was called upon for a one-out save and struck out Beau Taylor looking to end the game.

Game 3 was originally scheduled for Friday, but was pushed up to Thursday in order to plan around inclement weather that was forecasted for the weekend. Staumont said the Naturals arrived in Midland at 9:30 a.m. Thursday after playing Wednesday night's game in Springdale, Arkansas.

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NATURALS 4, ROCKHOUNDS 0

NW Arkansas	ab	r	h	bi	Midland	ab	r	h	bi
Toups 2b	3	3	1	0	Vertigan cf	4	0	0	0
Escalera cf	5	0	4	3	Schrock 2b	4	0	0	0
Ramos 3b	4	0	1	1	Marincov rf	2	0	1	0
O'Hearn lf	5	0	0	0	Taylor dh	4	0	0	0
Schwindel 1b	4	0	0	0	Munoz 3b	3	0	0	0
Duenez dh	4	0	0	0	Rosa 1b	3	0	2	0
Gallagher c	3	0	2	0	Paz c	3	0	0	0
Arteaga ss	4	1	2	0	Sportman lf	3	0	0	0
Moon rf	4	0	1	0	Martin ss	2	0	0	0
Totals	**36**	**4**	**11**	**4**	**Totals**	**28**	**0**	**3**	**0**

NW Arkansas .....100 000 201 —4
Midland .....000 000 000 —0

DP - Northwest Arkansas 1. LOB - Northwest Arkansas 9, Midland 4. 2B - Toups (2), Arteaga (2), Escalera (1), Gallagher (2). 3B - Escalera (1). SB - Toups (2). CS - Gallagher (1), Marincov (1). SF - Ramos.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
NW Arkansas						
Staumont W, 1-0	6.1	3	0	0	1	8
Stumpf	1.1	0	0	0	0	2
Nina	1.0	0	0	0	2	1
Stout S, 1	0.1	0	0	0	0	1
Midland						
Mann L, 1-1	6.0	7	1	1	1	8
Stull	1.0	2	2	2	1	1
Hall	2.0	2	1	1	1	2

WP - Nina, Mann.
T - 2:46. A - 3,805.

Texas League Championship Glance
(Best-of-5)
Midland 2, NW Arkansas 1
Tuesday, Sep. 13: Midland 5, NW Arkansas 4
Wednesday, Sep. 14: Midland 6, NW Arkansas 4
Thursday: NW Arkansas 4, Midland 0
Today: NW Arkansas at Midland, 7 p.m.
x-Saturday, Sep. 17: NW Arkansas at Midland, 7 p.m.

MLB suspends Padres GM Preller 30 days over Pomeranz trade

By Jimmy Golen
Associated Press

BOSTON — Major League Baseball suspended Padres general manager A.J. Preller for 30 days without pay on Thursday, hitting the San Diego executive with an unprecedented punishment for failing to disclose medical information when pitcher Drew Pomeranz was traded to the Boston Red Sox in July.

The commissioner's office announced the discipline on Thursday without elaborating on what Preller did wrong. But in a statement issued by the Padres, Peller said he accepted full responsibility for "issues related to the oversight of our medical administration and record keeping."

"I want to emphasize that there was no malicious intent on the part of me, or anyone on my staff, to conceal information or disregard MLB's recommended guidelines," Preller's statement said.

While baseball has suspended owners, including George Steinbrenner of the Yankees and Marge Schott of the Reds, for transgressions ranging from racism to gambling and other skullduggery deemed not in the best interest of baseball, it was believed to be the first time a general manager had been benched for hiding medical information from a trade partner.

But it's not the first time Preller has run afoul of the commissioner's office: As an assistant with the Texas Rangers, he was suspended for a month for violating baseball's international signing rules.

Forte scores 3 TDs in leading Jets to 37-31 win over Bills

By John Wawrow
Associated Press

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y. — Matt Forte scored three touchdowns and Ryan Fitzpatrick finally solved Rex Ryan's defense, leading the New York Jets to a 37-31 victory over the Buffalo Bills on Thursday night.

Forte's 3-yard run put New York ahead 27-24 with 2:12 left in the third quarter. He sealed the win by patiently waiting for a seam to open before scampering into the end zone from 12 yards to put New York up 37-24 with 4:02 left in the fourth quarter.

Forte finished with 100 yards rushing, and the off-season free-agent addition became the 13th New York player to score three rushing touchdowns in a game.

The Jets (1-1) bounced back from a season-opening loss to Cincinnati and snapped a five-game skid against their AFC East rivals.

Fitzpatrick finished 24 of 34 for 374 yards and a 5-yard touchdown pass to Eric Decker.

In beating one of his former teams, Fitzpatrick also overcame the stinging memories of last year's season finale, a 22-17 loss at Buffalo that eliminated the Jets from playoff contention. Fitzpatrick closed the loss by throwing interceptions on each of the Jets final three possessions.

The Bills (0-2) are suddenly reeling in Ryan's second season as coach, and two years after being fired by the Jets.

Their offense sputtered in a 13-7 loss at Baltimore on Sunday, and now it was their defense that showed cracks against the Jets.

New York finished with 493 yards offense, 28 first downs and had seven drives cross midfield.

Bills quarterback Tyrod Taylor rebounded five days after he was limited to 111 yards passing against the Ravens.

He went 18 of 30 for 298 yards and three touchdowns. Marquise Goodwin scored on an 84-yarder catch, Greg Salas scored on a 71-yard catch and running back Mike Gillislee made it close, by catching an 18-yard touchdown pass with 1:17 remaining.

Brandon Marshall caught Dan Carpenter's onside kick.

The Jets scored on each of their first four possessions to build a 20-7 lead. Forte scored on a 1-yard plunge, Fitzpatrick found Decker on the 5-yarder and Nick Folk hit a pair of field goals.

JETS 37, BILLS 31

N.Y. Jets	6	14	7	10	—37
Buffalo	7	3	14	7	—31

First Quarter
NYJ—FG Folk 28, 6:41.
Buf—Goodwin 84 pass from Taylor (D.Carpenter kick), 5:16.
NYJ—FG Folk 29, :00.
Second Quarter
NYJ—Forte 1 run (Folk kick), 11:07.
NYJ—Decker 5 pass from Fitzpatrick (Folk kick), 3:53.
Buf—FG D.Carpenter 39, :05.
Third Quarter
Buf—Salas 71 pass from Taylor (D.Carpenter kick), 14:09.
Buf—Robey 36 fumble return (D.Carpenter kick), 11:15.
NYJ—Forte 3 run (Folk kick), 2:12.
Fourth Quarter
NYJ—FG Folk 36, 10:40.
NYJ—Forte 12 run (Folk kick), 4:02.
Buf—Gillislee 18 pass from Taylor (D.Carpenter kick), 1:17.
A—70,256.

	NYJ	Buf
First downs	28	16
Total Net Yards	493	393
Rushes-yards	36-123	19-98
Passing	370	307
Punt Returns	0-0	1-8
Kickoff Returns	4-54	5-125
Interceptions Ret.	1-0	0-0
Comp-Att-Int	24-34-0	19-31-1
Sacked-Yards Lost	1-4	0-0
Punts	2-41.0	3-39.3
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	7-50	6-59
Time of Possession	39:12	20:48

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—New York, Forte 30-100, Fitzpatrick 5-21, B.Powell 1-2. Buffalo, McCoy 15-59, Taylor 2-25, Manuel 2-2.
PASSING—New York, Fitzpatrick 24-34-0-374. Buffalo, Taylor 18-30-1-297. Manuel 1-1-0-10.
RECEIVING—New York, Decker 6-126, B.Marshall 6-101, Enuwa 6-82, J.Marshall 3-45, Forte 2-9, B.Powell 1-1. Buffalo, Clay 5-27, Salas 4-89, McCoy 4-31, Goodwin 2-112, Watkins 2-20, Gillislee 1-18, Woods 1-10.
MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

MLBROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

American League

TWINS 5
TIGERS 1

DETROIT — Brian Dozier's two-run single highlighted a four-run second inning, and the Minnesota Twins handed the Detroit Tigers a crucial loss by beating them 5-1 on Thursday.

The Tigers split four games with lowly Minnesota, hurting them in the crowded AL wild-card race. Detroit came into the series with a 10-2 record against the Twins.

Hector Santiago (12-8) got the win, holding the Tigers to one run in 5 2/3 innings.

Mike Pelfrey (4-10) lost in his first major league appearance since July 31. He started the game with a 60-pitch limit but lasted only 36, giving up four runs and five hits in 1 2/3 innings.

WHITE SOX 2
INDIANS 1

CHICAGO — Jose Abreu extended his hitting tear with a home run and a single, and Carlos Sanchez singled home the winning run in the ninth inning to lift Chicago over Cleveland.

The White Sox took three of four games in the series to conclude a 6-4 homestand against three playoff hopefuls. The first-place Indians remained six games ahead of Detroit in the AL Central.

David Robertson (5-3) pitched a scoreless inning for the win. Chicago starter James Shields gave up one run and three hits in six innings but remained winless in his last nine starts. He was 0-5 with a 10.75 ERA in his previous eight appearances.

Bryan Shaw (2-5) took the loss.

ATHLETICS 14
ROYALS 5

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Stephen Vogt drove in five runs, Ryon Healy hit a mammoth three-run homer and the Oakland Athletics routed the Kansas City Royals 14-5 on Thursday night.

The A's continued to wreck the Royals' diminishing playoff chances, sweeping a four-game road series at Kansas City for the first time in their history. The A's outscored the Royals 43-12, the largest Oakland run differential in a four-game series in franchise history.

Vogt had a two-run double in a five-run third, walked with the bases loaded in the fourth and hit a two-run homer in the sixth. The five RBIs matched a career high.

RED SOX 7
YANKEES 5

BOSTON — Hanley Ramirez hit a three-run homer with two outs in the ninth inning to finish off a five-run rally as the Boston Red Sox came back to beat the New York Yankees 7-5 on Thursday night and open a two-game lead in the AL East.

New York took a four-run lead after three innings and still led 5-1 when David Ortiz hit a solo homer in the eighth, the 537th of his career, passing Yankees Hall of Famer Mickey Mantle for 17th on baseball's all-time list. Ortiz also had an RBI single off Dellin Betances (3-6) in the ninth.

There were still two on and two outs when Ramirez worked a 3-1 count and then sent the next pitch to straightaway center field. The victory in the opener of a four-game series against its archrival snapped Boston's two-game skid.

National League

PIRATES 15
PHILLIES 2

PHILADELPHIA — Jerad Eickhoff made one mistake that equaled three others.

Eickhoff allowed four homers in Philadelphia's 15-2 loss to the Pittsburgh Pirates on Thursday night.

Andrew McCutchen hit two solo homers, Jordy Mercer hit a three-run shot and John Jaso and Sean Rodriguez also went deep to help the Pirates split a four-game series.

"The first three home runs, I have no problems with those. Those happen. Solo home runs don't hurt you," Eickhoff said. "But the three-run home run, those just kill you. Those are frustrating. The biggest thing is I feel like I let the guys down in here. These guys are fighting. I have to live with that. That's the most frustrating thing."

Eickhoff (10-14) gave up six runs — three earned — and five hits in 6 2/3 innings.

"He made too many bad pitches," manager Pete Mackanin said.

Chad Kuhl (4-3) pitched six effective innings in front of more than 100 family and friends from his nearby home state of Delaware. Kuhl (4-3) allowed two runs and four hits, striking out five. He retired the first 12 batters before Tommy Joseph lined a double to right-center in the fifth.

MLB GLANCE

Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE
East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	82	64	.562	—
Baltimore	80	66	.548	2
Toronto	79	66	.545	2½
New York	77	69	.527	5
Tampa Bay	63	83	.432	19

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Cleveland	84	62	.575	—
Detroit	78	68	.534	6
Kansas City	74	72	.507	10
Chicago	71	75	.486	13
Minnesota	55	92	.374	29½

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Texas	87	60	.592	—
Seattle	78	68	.534	8½
Houston	76	70	.521	10½
Oakland	64	82	.438	22½
Los Angeles	63	82	.434	23

NATIONAL LEAGUE
East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Washington	87	59	.596	—
New York	77	69	.527	10
Miami	73	73	.500	14
Philadelphia	65	82	.442	22½
Atlanta	58	90	.384	31

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
z-Chicago	93	53	.637	—
St. Louis	76	69	.524	16½
Pittsburgh	71	74	.490	21½
Milwaukee	66	81	.449	27½
Cincinnati	62	83	.428	30½

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Los Angeles	82	63	.566	—
San Francisco	77	68	.531	5
Colorado	69	77	.473	13½
San Diego	62	84	.425	20½
Arizona	61	84	.421	21

z-clinched playoff berth
x-clinched division
y-clinched wildcard

Scores & schedules

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Thursday's Scores
Minnesota 5, Detroit 1
Chicago White Sox 2, Cleveland 1
Tampa Bay 7, Baltimore 6
Boston 7, N.Y.Yankees 5
Oakland 14, Kansas City 5
Toronto at L.A. Angels, late
Today's Games
Tampa Bay (Archer 8-18) at Baltimore (Jimenez 7-11), 6:05 p.m.
Detroit (Fulmer 10-6) at Cleveland (Kluber 16-9), 6:10 p.m.
Minnesota (Berrios 2-6) at N.Y. Mets (Colon 13-7), 6:10 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees (Cessa 4-1) at Boston (Buchholz 6-10), 6:10 p.m.
Oakland (Graveman 10-10) at Texas (Hamels 14-5), 7:05 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Sale 15-8) at Kansas City (Kennedy 11-8), 7:15 p.m.
Toronto (Dickey 9-14) at L.A. Angels (Weaver 11-11), 9:05 p.m.
Houston (McHugh 10-10) at Seattle (Hernandez 11-6), 9:10 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Thursday's Scores
Pittsburgh 15, Philadelphia 2
Milwaukee 5, Chicago Cubs 4
L.A. Dodgers at Arizona, late
St. Louis at San Francisco, late
Today's Games
Milwaukee (Anderson 8-11) at Chicago Cubs (Lackey 9-8), 1:20 p.m.
Miami (Koehler 9-11) at Philadelphia (Morgan 2-10), 6:05 p.m.
Minnesota (Berrios 2-6) at N.Y. Mets (Colon 13-7), 6:10 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Nogosteno 3-5) at Cincinnati (Stephenson 2-1), 6:10 p.m.
Washington (Scherzer 16-7) at Atlanta (Gant 1-3), 6:35 p.m.
San Diego (Friedrich 5-10) at Colorado (Chatwood 11-9), 7:40 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (Maeda 14-9) at Arizona (Greinke 12-6), 8:40 p.m.
St. Louis (Weaver 1-2) at San Francisco (Moore 10-11), 9:15 p.m.

Linescores

AMERICAN LEAGUE
TWINS 5, TIGERS 1
Minnesota .....040 000 001 —5 11 0
Detroit .....000 001 000 —1 9 1
Santiago, Chargois (8), Wimmers (7), Kintzler (9) and Centeno; Pelfrey, B.Hardy (2), Ryan (6), Wilson (8), Mantiply (9), Lowe (9) and J.McCann. W—Santiago 12-8. L—Pelfrey 4-10.

WHITE SOX 2, INDIANS 1
Cleveland .....001 000 000 —1 4 0
Chicago .....000 100 001 —2 9 1
Clevinger, Armstrong (5), Manship (6), C.Anderson (6), B.Shaw (8) and R.Perez; Moore; Shields, Beck (7), Jennings (7), N.Jones (8), Robertson (9) and Narveson. W—Robertson 5-3. L—B.Shaw 2-5. HRs—Chicago, Abreu (24).

RAYS 7, ORIOLES 6
Tampa Bay .....011 200 000 —7 12 1
Baltimore .....400 000 020 —6 9 0
Snell, Boxberger (8), E.Ramirez (6), Eveland (8), Farquhar (8), Colome (9) and Maile; Gallardo, Hunter (4), Drake (6), Givens (8), Hart (9), Brach (9) and Wieters, W—Boxberger 4-1. L—Gallardo 5-8. Sv—Colome (33). HRs—Tampa Bay, Longoria (33).

ATHLETICS 14, ROYALS 5
Oakland .....015 302 030—14 16 1
Kansas City .....000 000 005 —5 9 1
Mengden, Wendelken (8), Overton (9) and Vogt, Maxwell; Volquez, Moylan (4), Chris Young (6), Pounders (7), Mills (8) and S.Perez. Cruz. W—Mengden 2-7. L—Volquez 10-11. HRs—Oakland, Healy (10), Vogt (12), Semien (25). Kansas City, Colon (1).

RED SOX 7, YANKEES 5
New York .....202 100 000 —5 14 0
Boston .....001 000 015 —7 9 0
Tanaka, Warren (8), Layne (9), Parker (9), Betances (9) and G.Sanchez; E.Rodriguez, Tazawa (5), Scott (6), Kelly (9) and Leon. W—Kelly 3-0. L—Betances 3-6. HRs—Boston, Ramirez (25), Ortiz (34).

NATIONAL LEAGUE
PIRATES 15, PHILLIES 2
Pittsburgh .....100 110 210—15 13 0
Philadelphia .....000 020 000 —2 5 1
Kuhl, Nicasio (7), Bastardo (8), Hughes (9) and Cervelli; L.Jones, D.Hernandez (7), Hermann (8), S.Gonzalez (9), Murray (9) and Rupp. W—Kuhl 4-3. L—Eickhoff 10-14. HRs—Pittsburgh, McCutchen 2 (23), Rodriguez (14), Jaso (6), Mercer (11).

NFL GLANCE

Standings

AMERICAN CONFERENCE
East

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
New England	1	0	0	1.000	23	21
N.Y. Jets	1	1	0	.500	22	23
Miami	0	1	0	.000	10	12
Buffalo	0	2	0	.000	7	13

South

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Houston	1	0	0	1.000	23	14
Indianapolis	0	1	0	.000	35	39
Jacksonville	0	1	0	.000	23	27
Tennessee	0	1	0	.000	16	25

North

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Baltimore	1	0	0	1.000	13	7
Cincinnati	1	0	0	1.000	23	22
Pittsburgh	1	0	0	1.000	38	16
Cleveland	0	1	0	.000	10	29

West

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Kansas City	1	0	0	1.000	33	27
Denver	1	0	0	1.000	21	20
Oakland	1	0	0	1.000	35	34
San Diego	0	1	0	.000	27	33

NATIONAL CONFERENCE
East

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
N.Y. Giants	1	0	0	1.000	20	19
Philadelphia	1	0	0	1.000	29	10
Washington	0	1	0	.000	16	38
Dallas	0	1	0	.000	19	20

South

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Tampa Bay	1	0	0	1.000	31	24
Carolina	0	1	0	.000	20	21
New Orleans	0	1	0	.000	34	36
Atlanta	0	1	0	.000	24	31

North

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Minnesota	1	0	0	1.000	25	16
Detroit	1	0	0	1.000	39	35
Green Bay	1	0	0	1.000	27	23
Chicago	0	1	0	.000	14	23

West

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Seattle	1	0	0	1.000	12	10
Los Angeles	0	0	0	.000	0	0
San Francisco	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Arizona	0	1	0	.000	21	23

Scores and schedules

Monday's Scores
Pittsburgh 38, Washington 16
Los Angeles at San Francisco, late
Thursday's Score
N.Y.Jets 37, Buffalo 31
Sunday's Games
San Francisco at Carolina, 12 p.m.
Dallas at Washington, 12 p.m.
Miami at New England, 12 p.m.
New Orleans at N.Y.Giants, 12 p.m.
Baltimore at Cleveland, 12 p.m.
Tennessee at Detroit, 12 p.m.
Kansas City at Houston, 12 p.m.
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh, 12 p.m.
Seattle at Los Angeles, 3:05 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Arizona, 3:05 p.m.
Jacksonville at San Diego, 3:25 p.m.
Indianapolis at Denver, 3:25 p.m.
Atlanta at Oakland, 3:25 p.m.
Green Bay at Minnesota, 7:30 p.m.
Monday's Game (Sept. 19)
Philadelphia at Chicago, 8:30 p.m.

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	C	K	B	C	W	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Last Man Standing	Dr. Ken	Shark Tank		20/20		Local 2 News/ 10	(35) Final Score	(09) Jimmy Live	Kimmel
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	CBS 7 News	Ent. Tonight	Big Brother (N)		Hawaii Five-0		Blue Bloods "Down the Rabbit Hole"		KBS 7 News	(35) Stephen	Colbert	(35) J.Corden
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H "O.R."	A. Griffith	A. Griffith	Happy Days	Gilligan's Island	Hogan's Heroes	Hogan's Heroes	Carol Burnett	Mason "The Case of the Shattered Dream"		Twilight Zone
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	MasterChef "The Finale Pt.1"		MasterChef "The Finale Pt. 2"		Fox 24 News	TMZ	Modern Family	Two and a Half	Hot in Cleveland	Met Your Mother
KMLM IND	11	12	12	11	11	Restore Zion	All About Us	Update News	Sondra Baras	Light of the Southwest "Part 1"		Light of the Southwest "Part 2"		Update News	Shepherd's Heart		Called Out
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	News-West 9	NewsWest 9 Now	American Ninja Warrior "National Finals Week 3" Competitors try the finals course.				Dateline NBC		NewsWest 9 at 10	(35) The Tonight Show		(35) Gametime
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	PBS NewsHour		Wash. Week (N)	On Story	Art in the 21st Cen. "Chicago" (N)		Art in the 21st Cen. "Mexico City" (N)		Charlie Rose (N)		Newsline	Tavis Smiley
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	La rosa de Guadalupe		Despertar contigo		Tres veces Ana		El color de la pasion		Noticias Tejas	Noticiero noctu.	Contacto Deportivo	
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		Fam.Feud	Fam. Feud	Bones		Bones		Mike&M.	Mike&M.	Anger M.	Anger M.	Tosh.0	Access H.
FLIX	340	575		165		(5:30) ★ Bubble Boy		★ The Life Aquatic With Steve Zissou				★★★ The Grifters Anjelica Huston.				★ Trainspotting	
HBO	300	550	14	14		Movie	(40) 1stLook	★★★ Michael Clayton Tom Wilkinson.				Bill Maher (N)		HighMain	(35) Bill Maher		HighMain
HBO2	302	551	15	101	23	(5:50) ★★★ Jurassic World Chris Pratt.				★★ Ted 2 ('15, Com) Seth MacFarlane.				★★ Everest ('15, Adv) Jake Gyllenhaal.			
HBO5	304	552	16	102		(5:50) ★★★ Jupiter Ascending Mila Kunis.				★★★ The Bourne Ultimatum Julia Stiles.				★★★ Dumb and Dumber To Jim Carrey.			
MAX	380	557	17	120	24	(4:20) ★ The Departed		(55) ★★★ Mad Max: Fury Road				Quarry "Figure Four"		Quarry "Figure Four"		Quarry "Figure Four"	
MAX2	382	558	18	122		(5:30) ★★★ Batman			(40) Quarry			★★★ Sin City ('05, Cri) Mickey Rourke.				(05) ★ Eastern Pr...	
PLEX			96			(5:00) ★ The Final Sea...		★★★ Driving Lessons			(40) ★ Harold and Maude			(15) ★★★ Ragtime Mandy Patinkin.			
SHOW	320	565	19	140	25	(15) ★★ Big Eyes ('14, Bio) Amy Adams.				Masters "Freefall"		Guns N' Roses (N)			(35) Masters of Sex		Donovan
TMC	336	573	22	155	26	Movie		★★★ Hidalgo ('04, Dra) Viggo Mortensen.				★★ The Manchurian Candidate				(10) ★ The Giver	
A&E	27	58	28	35	47	The First 48 "Lying in Wait/ With This Ring"		The First 48 "Blood Lust"		The First 48 "Snapshot"		The First 48 "Down on Bourbon/ Deadly Trap"		(06) The First 48 "Stray Shot"		(09) The First 48 "Blood Lust"	
AMC	40	74	23	42	51	(5:00) ★ Men in Black		★★★ Ghostbusters ('84, Com) Bill Murray.					★★★ Ghostbusters II ('89, Com) Bill Murray.				
BET	58	-		40		(20) Martin		★ To Be Announced						(15) Martin		Wendy Williams	
BRAVO	65	76		41		The Real Housewives		Real Housewives		Real Melbourne (N)		(15) To Be Announced					(45) TBA
CNBC	46	52		39	72	Undercover Boss		Undercover Boss		Undercover Boss		Profit "Flex Watches"		The Profit "Dilascia"		Cleveland Hustles	
CNN	43	50	51	30	56	OutFront		A. Cooper 360		A. Cooper 360		CNN Tonight		CNN Tonight		This is Life	
DISC	50	60	31	24	42	Bering Sea Gold		SeaGold "The Plague"		Bering Sea Gold (N)		Collar Backers (N)		Bering Sea Gold		Backers "Taco Hell"	
DISNEY	56	64	36	25	36	Bizaard.	Elena (N)	Bunk'd	Girl M.	LWMad	LWMad	StarEvil	StarEvil	LEGOFree	Bunk'd	Girl M.	Backsta.
ESPN	32	35	48	31	30	(5:00) SprtC	Football C.	NCAA Football Baylor at Rice Site: Rice Stadium -- Houston, Texas (L)						SportsCenter		SportsCenter	
ESPN2	34	36	49	32	31	World Cup of Hockey Preview				SportsC.		NCAA Football Arizona State at University of Texas at San Antonio (L)					Tonight
FNC	45	48	53	23	55	On the Record		The O'Reilly Factor		The Kelly File		Hannity		The O'Reilly Factor		The Kelly File	
FOOD	64	70	27	68	54	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners (N)	Diners	Burgers	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners
FREEFORM	53	63	34	42	33	(5:15) ★★★★ WALL-E				★★★ Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory				The 700 Club		Wizards	Wizards
FSSW	37	38	50	45	29	Insider (N)	Pre-game (L)	MLB Baseball Oakland Athletics at Texas Rangers Site: Globe Life Park - Arlington, Texas (L)						Rangers Live (L)	Football Friday (L)	SportsDay (L)	High School (L)
FX	31	56	59	64	69	(4:30) ★ American R...		★★★ Grown Ups ('10, Com) Adam Sandler.					★★ Grown Ups ('10, Com) Adam Sandler.				
HALLMARK	54	71	58		34	Last Man	Last Man	Chesapeake Shores		Middle	Middle	Middle	Middle	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls
HGTV	63	69	26	48	44	H.Hunt	H.Hunt	Love It or List It		Love It or List It		H.Hunt	House (N)	H.Hunt	House	Love It or List It	
HISTORY	71	59	29	50	43	Ancient Aliens		Ancient Aliens		Ancient Aliens		Ancient Aliens "The Visitors"				(05) Ancient Aliens	
LIFETIME	28	30	25	28	48	Bring It! "Dancing With the Enemy"		Bring It!		Bring It! "Lil Nigo and a LOT of Sweat" (N)		The Rap Game (N)		The Rap Game		Bring It!	
MSNBC	47	53		49	73	Hardball		All in With C. Hayes		Rachel Maddow		Hardball		The 11th Hour		Rachel Maddow	
NBCSN	38	43				(5:30) NASCAR Racing		Rio 2016 Summer Paralympic Games (L)								Truck (N)	Detroit
NICK	55	-	39	34	37	Crashlet	MegaLife	All In	GShakers	F.House	F.House	F.House	F.House	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends
SPIKE	30	-	55	53	58	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Bellator MMA				(:15) Bellator MMA		(:15) Cops	(:45) Cops
SYFY	66	82	41	57	67	(5:00) ★ The Blair W...		Z Nation "No Mercy"		SYFY (N)		Dark Matter (N)		Z Nation "No Mercy"			
TBS	25	33	44	66	41	Seinfeld	Seinfeld "The Susie"	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	ELeague "Extra: NA Qualifier Final" (N)		★★★ Role Models ('08, Com) Paul Rudd, Christopher Mintz-Plasse, Seann William Scott.			
TCM	41	75	24	63	66	(5:00) ★ Designing...		★ A Covenant With Death George Maharis.				★ French Connection (Adult)				★ Night Moves	
TELE	20	-	10	20		Caso cerrado		Silvana Sin Lana		Sin Senos Si Hay Par		Señora acero		Al rojo	Titulares	Sin Senos Si Hay Par	
TLC	51	61	32	38	52	Dateline NBC "True Lies"		JonBenet: An American Murder Mystery Revisit the homicide of JonBenét, one of the most enduring American mysteries. (N)						(:05) JonBenet Revisit the homicide that gripped the nation.			
TNT	24	34	40	26	50	Bones "The Warrior in the Wuss"		★★★ We're the Millers (2013, Comedy) Jennifer Aniston, Emma Roberts, Jason Sudeikis.				(:15) ★★ Date Night (2010, Comedy) Steve Carell, Mark Wahlberg, Tina Fey.				Hawaii Five-0 "Wawahi Moe'Uhane'	
TVLAND	49	-	35	54	35	Griffith	A. Griffith	G. Lopez	G. Lopez	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens
USA	26	55	42	27	49	Modern Family	Modern Family	Modern Family	Modern Family	Modern Family	Modern Family	Modern Family	Modern Family	Modern Family	Modern Family	Chrisley Knows	Chrisley Knows
WGN	19	85				Person of Interest "Ghosts"		Person of Interest "Mission Creep"		Person of Interest "Cura Te Ipsum"		★ Die Hard II: Die Harder A detective battles terrorists at an airport when a plot threatens hundreds of passengers.				Met Your Mother	

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Retiring Tony Stewart in spotlight as NASCAR playoffs begin

By Mike Cranston
Associated Press

CHICAGO — Tony Stewart's complex personality was on display at media day for NASCAR's Chase for the Sprint Cup championship.

Stewart was laughing, telling stories of fellow driver Chase Elliott when he was little and gushing over how much fun he's having in his last season before retirement.

Stewart also snapped at questions he didn't like and declared it "doesn't matter" if the drivers he has wrecked in the past two weeks seek payback over the final 10 races.

"It's time for the Chase now. It's a whole different mindset and a whole different approach each week," Stewart said Thursday. "We've got to go out and worry about what we need to do to win a championship, not worry about the other stuff."

That other stuff is wrecking rookie Brian Scott two weeks ago and then former teammate Ryan Newman last week, ending Newman's slim chances of making the 16-driver Chase field.

Newman blasted Stewart after the race Saturday night at Richmond, calling him "bipolar" and bringing up the 2014 incident in which Stewart fatally struck a sprint car driver.

"I guess he thought he was in a sprint car again and didn't know how to control his anger," Newman said.

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Tony Stewart

Stewart said he's yet to talk to Newman since, but they're expected to have a NASCAR-mandated chat before practice Friday at Chicagoland Speedway.

"It would be easier to take it personal, but that was deciding factor in his season whether he was going to make the Chase or not," Stewart said. "We've been friends a long time and we were teammates, so I respect him a lot. It's a high-pressure moment and I've been in those, too, and I've said things.

"Whether he meant to say it or not or whether he still believes it or not, that's up to him. But that moment is a hard moment for any of us. It's tough in that scenario, so I can't blame him."

Stewart then chided a reporter for suggesting the incident could overshadow his bid to win a fourth series championship and his first since 2011. The opening race is Sunday at 1 1/2-mile Chicagoland Speedway.

"If you think that's going to be a storyline for 10 weeks, then you're going to miss a lot," Stewart said. "You're going to be wasting your time on something that's not even relevant. This Chase is going to be pretty intense in itself."

All 16 title-eligible drivers appeared at the media event at the Bridgeport Art Center. The field for the first time includes two rookies, Austin Dillon and Elliott, who first met Stewart when he was a shy 4-year-old tagging along with his father and former driver, Bill Elliott.

"For the first three years I knew Chase, I didn't even know he could talk," Stewart said, smiling.

Elliott, who replaced the retired Jeff Gordon in the No. 24 Chevrolet, called Stewart someone he's "looked up to" for a long time.

"Tony was the first guy, other than my dad, I was ever OK with pulling for," Elliott said. "I'm glad that he decided to wait one more year because that is a pretty special moment for me to be able to race against one of my heroes like that."

Not everyone agrees, however. Stewart has got into incidents with several drivers over the years while displaying a fiery temper.

"I'm not sure that every fan out there loves him or has the relationship that I do with him," said Jimmie Johnson, a six-time champion who is seeking to tie Richard Petty and Dale Earnhardt for most career titles.

"He's always been feisty," Johnson added. "There's been more speed in his car, which has been good to see, and it's led to some more feistiness I guess."

The Chase field includes top-seed and 2015 champion Kyle Busch, four Joe Gibbs Racing drivers and 2014 champion Kevin Harvick.

The spotlight, though, will be on Stewart.

"You have to be on your game right now," he said. "You have to be fast, right now, to win this championship."

Based on his history, the 45-year-old Stewart won't leave the sport quietly.

"It's meant more than I thought it would. I was ready at the end of last year to retire," Stewart said. "Coming back, we really did it for our fans. We wanted our fans to see us run a last year. But it's been fun to race with these guys one last year. These last 10 weeks aren't going to be any different."

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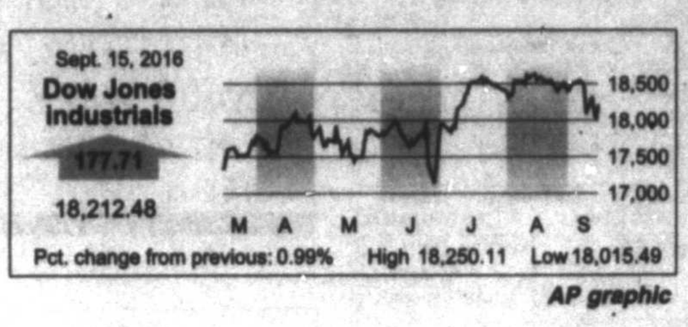

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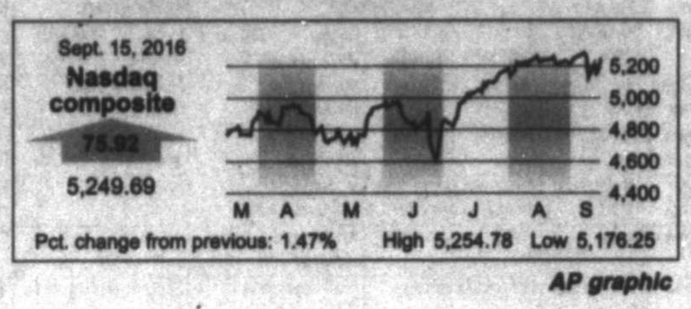

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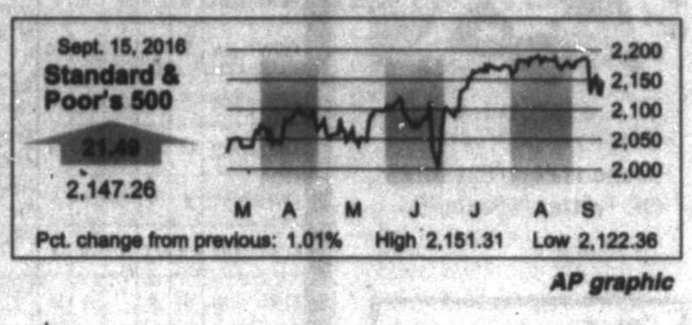

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Thursday: $43.91
Previous: $43.58

POSTED

Thursday: $40.50
Previous: $40.00

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Thursday: $36.10
Previous: $35.60

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Thursday: $2.927
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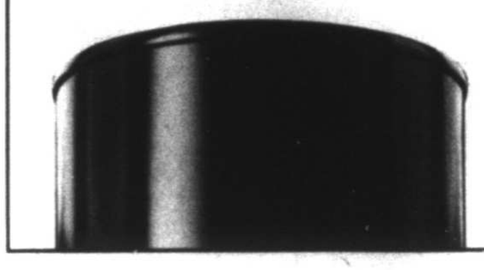

Tesla wins massive contract for grid-scale batteries

Bloomberg

Tesla has won a bid to supply grid-scale power in Southern California to help prevent electricity shortages following the biggest natural gas leak in U.S. history. The Powerpacks, worth tens of millions of dollars, will be operational in record time-by the end of this year.

Tesla Motors Inc. will supply 20 megawatts of energy storage to Southern California Edison as part of a wider effort to prevent blackouts by replacing fossil-fuel electricity generation with lithium-ion batteries. Tesla's contribution is enough to power about 2,500 homes for a full day, the company said in a blog post Thursday, but the real significance of the deal is the speed with which lithium-ion battery packs are being deployed.

"The storage is being procured in a record time frame," months instead of years, said Yayoi Sekine, a battery analyst at Bloomberg New Energy Finance. "It highlights the maturity of advanced technologies like energy storage to be contracted as a reliable resource in an emergency situation."

The deal fits into Tesla Chief Executive Officer Elon Musk's long-term vision of transforming Tesla from an an electric car company to a clean energy company. That's the same motivation behind his pending deal to acquire SolarCity Corp., the rooftop solar company founded by his cousins, of which he is also chairman and the largest shareholder.

A 2-megawatt Tesla battery system costs about $2.9 million, according to Tesla's website. The company negotiates contracts greater than 2.5 megawatts, and a spokeswoman declined to comment on the value of this 20-megawatt deal.

Last fall's natural gas leak at Alisa Canyon near the Los Angeles neighborhood of Porter Ranch released thousands of tons of methane before it was sealed in February; in its wake, SCE and other utilities are pursuing energy storage deals. To alleviate the risk of blackouts, regulators ordered the installation of systems to store electricity when demand is low and deploy it when usage spikes, especially during the winter heating season.

Although Sempra Energy plugged its massive gas leak in February, use of its Aliso Canyon complex, California's biggest gas storage field, remains restricted. Grid-storage projects are now being fast-tracked and are being built in less than four months, compared to an average of three and a half years in previous procurements, according to data compiled by Bloomberg New Energy Finance.

In August, California regulators approved two contracts for AES Corp. to build 37 megawatts of grid-scale energy storage systems to address anticipated power shortfalls stemming from the Aliso Canyon leak.

"This isn't a Tesla-only story," Sekine said. "This is a broader energy win."

Stocks jump

U.S. stocks changed course again Thursday and climbed as Apple led a big gain for technology companies and energy companies recovered some of their recent losses. Investors looked over a series of mixed economic reports as they sought clues about the Federal Reserve's intentions and the health of the economy.

Technology companies made the largest gains as Apple rose for the fourth consecutive day. It's up 12 percent this week on growing optimism about early sales of its newest iPhones.

Energy companies bounced back after two rough days, though the price of oil rose only a small amount. Health care and phone company stocks also climbed.

Karyn Cavanaugh, senior market strategist for Voya Investment Strategies, said investors are sending stocks higher because they think the reports will make the Fed less likely to raise rates now. Some investors fear that that would hurt the economy.

The Dow Jones industrial average rose 177.71 points, or 1 percent, to 18,212.48. The Standard & Poor's 500 index jumped 21.49 points, or 1 percent, to 2,147.26. The Nasdaq composite gained 75.92 points, or 1.5 percent, to 5,249.69.

Gold and silver drop

The price of gold fell $8.10 to $1,318 an ounce and silver lost 3 cents to $19.04 an ounce. Copper remained at $2.16 a pound.

Hanjin cargo owners say bid to unload vessels isn't working

Bloomberg

Bankrupt Hanjin Shipping Co.'s efforts to unload vessels in the U.S. while it goes through bankruptcy in South Korea are meeting with complaints from cargo owners and from the companies that service and equip its fleet.

U.S. Bankruptcy Judge John K. Sherwood last week issued an order that was supposed to facilitate the unloading, but Thursday in his Newark, New Jersey, courtroom, lawyers described chaos and uncertainty at the docks and told him the confusion could pose a threat to American businesses.

"It's not working," said Alan Brody, a lawyer for Yamaha Corp. and Americo Group Inc. He said there was a lack of information and protocol to unload ships even as the "do or die" Christmas shopping season approaches.

Lawyers said Hanjin was asking to be paid in cash for the release of goods. or even to be paid twice. One said cargo was dropped at a port that hadn't been agreed upon and retrieving it would cost more than the goods themselves.

"This could absolutely destroy American businesses," Brody said. "We're not just talking about millions, we're talking about billions of (dollars in) merchandise. And if we can't get it to retailers they're going to look to other suppliers."

Yamaha of America, an affiliate of the Japanese manufacturer, has filed to take part in the case but hasn't described what cargo it has on Hanjin ships.

There's also confusion over how suppliers of fuel, equipment and services to the Hanjin vessels are being paid.

The suppliers say maritime liens give them the right to arrest ships or force Hanjin to post a bond ensuring payment. The group includes Glencore, World Fuel Services, OceanConnect Marine, McAllister Towing & Transportation, Moran Towing and Textainer, which leases Hanjin more than 20,000 containers.

NYSE

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
S&P500ETF	1194107	215.28	+2.13
iShEMkts	854359	36.76	+.62
BkofAm	662653	15.67	+.04
WellsFargo	602927	46.15	-.37
VanEGold	575436	26.18	+.17

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
TAL Educ	70.36	+6.55	+10.3
ArcosDor	5.08	+.45	+9.7
AllOne rs	22.32	+1.80	+8.8
ResolEn rs	24.70	+1.98	+8.7
Fitbit n	16.03	+1.27	+8.6

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Comcst29	49.72	-9.78	-16.4
AmberRd	9.00	-.85	-8.6
AlonUsaLP	10.53	-.93	-8.1
IntegerHl	21.05	-1.75	-7.7
PUVixST rs	22.63	-1.87	-7.6

Diary

Advanced	2,240
Declined	745
Unchanged	102
Total issues	3,087
New Highs	46
New Lows	20
Volume	3,272,703,767

Amex

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
SandstG g	66640	5.71	-.35
NwGold g	63472	4.50	-.11
B2gold g	53422	2.69	-.01
Globalstar	52239	1.30	...
BarcGSOil	35135	5.42	+.04

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
StrPathCm	24.95	+1.95	+8.5
CRH Med	3.93	+.28	+7.7
PowrREIT	7.15	+.50	+7.5
BioTime	3.46	+.23	+7.1
GigPeak	2.19	+.14	+6.8

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Comtrx	11.27	-.92	-7.5
AdcareHlt	2.17	-.15	-6.5
NewConcEn	3.94	-.26	-6.1
SandstG g	5.71	-.35	-5.8
RxVimxWk	14.76	-.85	-5.4

Diary

Advanced	214
Declined	141
Unchanged	23
Total issues	378
New Highs	5
New Lows	6
Volume	111,051,675

Nasdaq

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
Apple Inc	869515	115.57	+3.80
SiriusXM	564366	4.17	+.08
PwShs QQQ	358563	117.64	+1.80
Microsoft	255393	57.19	+.93
Cisco	243397	31.31	+.31

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
AxelePhrm	30.61	+9.48	+44.9
SundEng n	12.26	+2.51	+25.7
WinsFin	26.88	+4.53	+20.3
Airgain n	15.35	+2.35	+18.1
NantHlth n	15.35	+2.15	+16.3

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Acastl g rs	2.23	-.58	-20.6
Misonix	5.00	-1.13	-18.4
BiostrPh rs	2.90	-.49	-14.5
ReaG rs rs	4.28	-.60	-12.3
SumTher n	5.50	-.75	-12.0

Diary

Advanced	2,047
Declined	755
Unchanged	167
Total issues	2,969
New Highs	67
New Lows	37
Volume	1,876,868,397

MIDLAND STOCKS

Midland-Headquartered Publicly Traded Companies

Clayton Williams Energy (CWEI)
Closing Price $78.13 Up 2.99

Concho Resources (CXO)
Closing Price $125.35 Up 1.90

Dawson Geophysical (DWSN)
Closing Price $7.08 Up 0.35

Diamondback Energy (FANG)
Closing Price $89.88 Up 1.32

Legacy Reserves (LGCY)
Closing Price $1.65 Up 0.03

Mexco Energy (MXC)
Closing Price $3.41 Up 0.20

Natural Gas Services Group (NGS)
Closing Price $23.13 Down 0.01

RSP Permian (RSPP)
Closing Price $37.18 Up 0.56

Ring Energy (REI)
Closing Price $9.60 Down 0.20

Viper Energy Partners (VNOM)
Closing Price $16.85 Up 0.54

HOW STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST FARED

Name	Div	PE	Last	Chg	YTD %Chg
AT&T Inc	1.92	16	40.45	+.56	+17.6
Abraxas	...	...	1.50	+.03	+41.5
AdaExvsEq	**.92e**	...	12.97	+.12	+1.1
AMD	...	...	6.02	-.02	+109.8
AeriePhm	...	...	30.61	+9.48	+25.7
Alcoa	.12	29	9.47	+.08	-4.1
Alibaba	...	37	104.45	+2.05	+28.5
AlonUSA	.60	...	8.49	+.27	-42.8
AlpAlerMLP	1.20e	...	12.08	-.06	+.2
Amgen	**4.00**	**17**	**172.64**	**+2.50**	**+6.4**
Anadarko	**.20**	**...**	**56.93**	**+1.31**	**+17.2**
Apache	**1.00**	**...**	**58.70**	**+1.95**	**+32.0**
Apple Inc	2.28	14	115.57	+3.80	+9.8
ApldMatl	**.40**	**24**	**30.15**	**+.72**	**+61.5**
ArcelorMit	...	...	5.61	+.10	+74.5
Archrock	.38	...	10.99	+.15	+46.1
ATMOS	**1.68**	**22**	**73.51**	**+.87**	**+16.6**
AutoData	2.12	27	87.48	+.79	+3.3
BP PLC	**2.40e**	**...**	**33.61**	**+.29**	**+7.5**
BabcCCInv	1.20	...	18.98	...	+10.0
BakrHu	.68	...	49.18	+.76	+6.6
BcoBrad s	.29e	...	8.59	+.25	+96.4
BkofAm	.30f	13	15.67	+.04	-6.9
B iPVxST rs	...	...	39.38	-1.51	...
BarrickG	.08	40	17.65	+.46	+139.2
BasicEnSv	...	...	.57	-.02	-78.8
BerkHa A	**...**	**...**	**142203339.03**	**+1728.02**	**+11.4**
BlkHillsCp	**1.68**	**20**	**58.35**	**-.25**	**+25.7**
BostonSci	.50	...	23.62	+.51	+28.1
BrklySq	**1.52**	**39**	**55.97**	**+.74**	**-18.6**
BrownFA s	**...**	**30**	**48.36**	**+.25**	**...**
BrownFB s	**...**	**...**	**45.62**	**+.31**	**-9.5**
CVS Health	1.70f	18	90.15	+.71	-7.8
Caterpillar	3.08	23	82.03	+1.01	+20.7
Celestic g	...	10	10.46	+.10	-5.2
CntryLink	2.16	12	26.98	-.45	+7.2
ChesEng	...	...	7.25	+.06	+61.1
Chevron	**4.28**	**...**	**99.50**	**+1.08**	**+10.8**
Chicos	.32	72	12.29	+.14	+15.2
Cimarex	.32	...	127.65	+2.47	+42.8
Cisco	1.04	15	31.31	+.31	+16.2
Citigroup	.64f	12	47.08	+.33	-9.0
ClayEng	**...**	**...**	**78.13**	**+2.99**	**+164.2**
CobaltIEn	...	...	.87	-.03	-83.9
CocaCola	**1.40**	**26**	**42.36**	**+.25**	**-1.4**
ColgPalm	**1.56**	**26**	**72.10**	**+.25**	**+8.2**
ConAgra	**1.00**	**25**	**43.66**	**-.16**	**+3.6**
ConchoRes	**...**	**74**	**125.35**	**+1.90**	**+35.0**
ConocoPhil	**1.00**	**...**	**40.03**	**+.04**	**-14.3**
CrackerB	4.60f	19	140.20	+.22	+10.5
CSVInvNG	...	...	5.71	-.16	-54.4
CSVelIVST	...	...	32.82	+1.04	+27.2
CSVLgCrd rs	...	...	...	19.69	+.25
CrosTim	**1.11e**	**11**	**18.15**	**+.08**	**+39.5**
DCP Mid	3.12	19	32.97	+.02	+33.6
DTE	2.92	20	92.32	+.74	+15.1
Dataram rs	...	...	1.19	-.18	-39.9
DevonE	**.24**	**...**	**40.90**	**+.72**	**+27.8**
DirDGlBr rs	...	...	36.40	-.68	...
DrGMBll s	...	...	18.60	+.17	...
DxGBull s	...	...	18.75	+.37	...
Disney	**1.42**	**16**	**92.50**	**+.24**	**-12.0**
DowChm	**1.84**	**17**	**52.85**	**+.47**	**+2.7**
EOG Resc s	**.57**	**...**	**90.96**	**+2.50**	**+28.5**
EmpDist	**1.04**	**23**	**34.03**	**+.01**	**+21.2**
Energen	.08	...	52.31	+.12	+27.6
EngyTsfr	4.22	...	36.57	-.29	+8.4
EnPro	**.84**	**39**	**55.03**	**+.17**	**+25.5**
Ent Prod Pt	**1.60f**	**20**	**25.96**	**-.08**	**+1.5**
Ericsson	.46e	...	6.83	+.11	-28.9
ExxonMbl	**3.00**	**34**	**85.08**	**+.48**	**+9.1**
Facebook	...	45	128.35	+.58	+22.6
Fitbit n	...	20	16.03	+1.27	-45.8
FordM	.60a	6	12.11	-.03	-14.1
FrptMcM	...	...	9.78	-.02	+44.5
FrontierCm	.42	62	4.35	-.04	-6.9
GATX	**1.60**	**7**	**41.73**	**+.86**	**-1.9**
GabMultT	**.94e**	**...**	**7.49**	**+.36**	**-.1**
GAInv	**1.15e**	**...**	**32.46**	**+.31**	**+1.8**
GenElec	**.92**	**28**	**29.75**	**+.28**	**-4.5**
GenMotors	1.52	6	31.12	+.41	-8.5
GloriEgy h	...	...	.13	+.04	-62.9
GlBasSci rs	...	...	.07	-.04	-99.8
GtPlainEn	**1.05**	**16**	**26.63**	**+.10**	**-2.5**
Hallibrtn	**.72**	**...**	**41.77**	**+.51**	**+22.7**
HeclaM	.01e	35	5.57	+.22	+194.7
HP Ent n	.22	21	22.13	+.77	+45.6
HuntBncsh	.28	12	9.79	+.06	-11.5
iShBrazil	1.03e	...	32.92	+.95	+59.2
iShJapan	.13e	...	12.19	+.06	+.8
iShChinaLC	.76e	...	37.95	+.69	+7.5
iShEMkts	.84e	...	36.76	+.62	+14.2
iS Eafe	1.70e	...	58.24	+.50	-.8
iShR2K	1.77e	...	122.04	+1.44	+8.4
Intel	**1.04**	**18**	**36.56**	**+.94**	**+6.1**
InterDig	.80	21	75.72	+1.98	+54.5
JohnJn	**3.20**	**19**	**118.63**	**+.77**	**+15.5**
Keycorp	.34	12	12.37	+.15	-6.2
KimbClk	**3.68**	**21**	**122.44**	**+.57**	**-3.8**
KindMorg	.50	35	21.56	+.01	+44.5
Kinross g	...	...	4.13	+.08	+126.9
LegacyRes	.60m	...	1.65	+.03	-5.7
LendingClb	...	...	6.17	+.42	-44.2
Lubys	**...**	**...**	**4.22**	**+.01**	**-5.6**
McDnlds	3.56f	22	116.14	+.96	-1.7
Merck	1.84	18	62.38	+1.03	+18.1
MeritMed	**...**	**40**	**24.43**	**+.42**	**+31.4**
MexcoEn	...	...	3.42	+.21	+5.9
MicronT	...	56	17.45	+.52	+23.2
Microsoft	1.44	26	57.19	+.93	+3.1
Nabors	.24	...	9.58	+.34	+12.6
NatGrid	**3.35e**	**...**	**69.82**	**+.41**	**+.4**
NOilVarco	.20	18	32.89	+.58	-1.8
NokiaCp	.16e	...	5.56	+.06	-20.8
NSTFI3	**.55e**	**...**	**15.52**	**+.05**	**+6.7**
NTXQI	**.65**	**...**	**15.13**	**-.05**	**+4.9**
Nvidia	.46	38	62.69	+2.29	+90.2
OcciPet	**3.04f**	**...**	**72.27**	**+.47**	**+6.9**
Oracle	.60	20	40.86	+.61	+12.3
ParTech	**...**	**38**	**4.96**	**-.06**	**-26.3**
ParkDrl	**...**	**...**	**2.16**	**-.04**	**+18.7**
PattUTI	**.08**	**...**	**19.03**	**+.61**	**+26.2**
PayPal n	...	35	40.83	+.87	+12.8
Penney	...	...	10.10	+.52	+51.7
PennaRE	**.84**	**...**	**23.18**	**-.07**	**+6.0**
Prmian	.31e	20	7.00	+.10	+38.3
Petrobras	...	...	9.27	+.32	+115.6
Pfizer	**1.12f**	**16**	**34.14**	**+.20**	**+5.8**
PioNtrl	.08	53	178.48	+2.17	+42.4
PlainsAAP	**2.80**	**27**	**27.15**	**-.04**	**+17.5**
Potash	.40m	13	16.01	+.02	-6.5
PwShs QQQ	1.52e	...	117.64	+1.80	+5.2
Praxair	**3.00**	**23**	**118.21**	**+1.37**	**+15.4**
PrmEgy	**...**	**...**	**56.87**	**...**	**+7.3**
PUVixST rs	...	...	22.63	-1.87	...
ProctGam	**2.68**	**24**	**88.06**	**+1.05**	**+10.9**
ProUShSP	...	...	16.77	-.32	-15.9
RangeRs	.08	...	39.37	+.08	+60.0
RegionsFn	.26f	13	9.63	+.11	+.3
RiteAid	...	...	8.06	-.02	+2.8
Rowan	.40	4	12.70	+.11	-25.1
RoyDShllA	3.76	73	48.01	+.27	+4.8
SpdrDJIA	3.98e	...	182.26	+1.83	+4.8
S&P500ETF	4.13e	...	215.28	+2.13	+5.6
SpdrOGEx	.73e	...	36.28	+.57	+20.1
SabrR	2.11e	14	37.05	+.65	+41.1
SandersFm	**.88e**	**15**	**96.59**	**+1.78**	**+23.3**
SchImbrg	2.00	37	76.80	+.43	+10.1
SiriusXM	...	38	4.17	+.08	+2.3
Smucker	3.00f	19	137.68	+.73	+11.6
Sprint	...	...	6.79	+.28	+87.6
SP Engy	2.04e	...	68.41	+.84	+13.4
SPDR Fncl	.46e	...	23.96	+.14	+.5
SP Inds	1.12e	...	57.40	+.45	+8.3
SP Tech	.78e	...	47.58	+.77	+11.1
SP Util	1.55e	...	49.20	+.37	+13.7
SunocoLog	2.00f	...	27.63	-.02	+7.5
TelefEsp	**1.03e**	**...**	**10.22**	**-.03**	**-7.8**
Tesoro	2.20f	6	81.25	+1.49	-22.9
3M Co	4.44	22	176.59	+.97	+17.2
Torchmark	**.56**	**15**	**64.75**	**+.31**	**+13.6**
TriContl	**.82e**	**...**	**21.10**	**+.19**	**+5.4**
21stCFoxA	.36f	17	23.84	+.14	-12.2
Twitter	...	...	18.30	+.22	-20.9
TylerTech	**...**	**61**	**172.00**	**+2.57**	**-1.3**
UBSI	**1.32**	**20**	**37.61**	**+.13**	**+1.7**
US OilFd	...	...	10.14	+.05	-7.8
USSteel	.20	...	16.06	-.22	+101.3
Vale SA	.29e	...	5.03	+.01	+52.9
ValeroE	2.40	9	56.19	+1.62	-20.5
VanEGold	.12e	...	26.18	+.17	+90.8
VangEmg	1.10e	...	37.05	+.58	+13.3
VerizonCm	2.31f	14	51.98	+.49	+12.5
VulcanM	**.80**	**39**	**109.75**	**+.65**	**+15.6**
WEC Engy	1.9e	21	60.18	+.21	+17.3
WalgBoots	1.50f	24	81.40	+.42	-4.4
WeatherIntl	...	...	5.86	-.06	-30.2
WellsFargo	1.52	11	46.15	-.37	-15.1
WstnRefin	1.52	10	27.43	+1.21	-23.0
WhitingPet	...	...	6.98	+.10	-26.1
WmsCos	.80m	...	29.84	+.10	+16.1
XcelEngy	**1.3E**	**19**	**40.86**	**+.10**	**+13.8**
Xerox	**.31**	**13**	**9.81**	**+.08**	**-7.7**
Yamana g	.02m	...	4.51	+.05	+142.5

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INDEXES

52-Week High	52-Week Low	Name	Last	Chg	Net %Chg	YTD %Chg	52-wk % Chg
18,668.44	15,450.56	Dow Jones Industrials	18,212.48	+177.71	+.99	+4.52	+9.22
8,358.20	6,403.31	Dow Jones Transportation	7,800.38	+44.98	+.58	+3.88	-5.05
723.83	547.22	Dow Jones Utilities	666.14	+4.46	+.67	+15.28	+17.34
10,903.86	8,937.99	NYSE Composite	10,602.94	+91.55	+.87	+4.53	+3.79
5,287.61	4,209.76	Nasdaq Composite	5,249.69	+75.92	+1.47	+4.84	+7.27
2,193.81	1,810.10	S&P 500	2,147.26	+21.49	+1.01	+5.05	+7.89
1,581.53	1,215.14	S&P Midcap	1,528.69	+15.91	+1.05	+9.30	+6.44
22,785.41	18,462.43	Wilshire 5000	22,321.13	+219.64	+.99	+5.45	+6.25
1,261.11	943.09	Russell 2000	1,227.02	+15.43	+1.27	+8.02	+3.92

TODAY: Mostly sunny	SATURDAY: Mostly sunny	SUNDAY: Mostly sunny	MONDAY: Mostly sunny	TUESDAY: Mostly sunny	WEDNESDAY: Mostly sunny
High: 90 Low: 69	High: 88 Low: 68	High: 90 Low: 70	High: 90 Low: 70	High: 89 Low: 68	High: 88 Low: 68

Local forecast

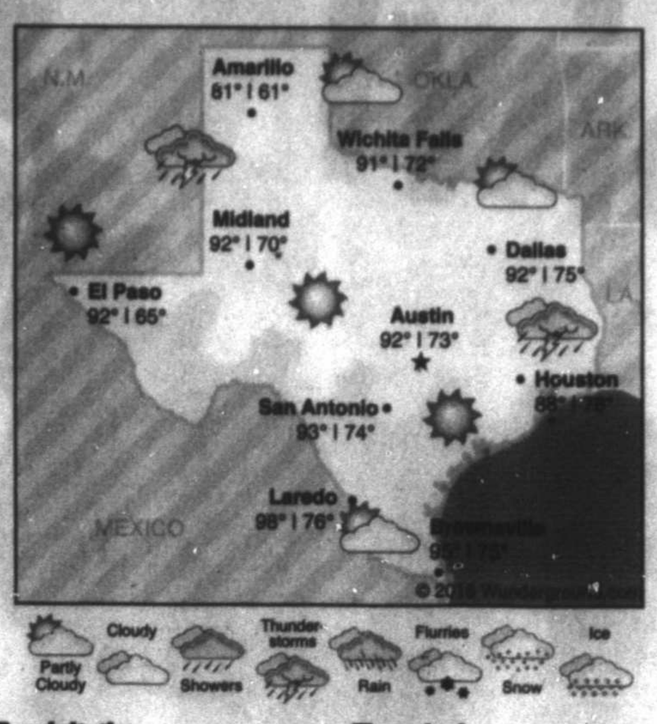
The National Weather Service is calling for a 30 percent chance of showers today and tonight and a 20-30 percent chance of showers Saturday. Conditions begin to dry up Sunday and into next week. The NWS expects high and low temperatures above average for this time of year.

The record high for Sept. 15 is 100 set in 1965. The record low is 47 set in 1993. On Sept. 15 of last year, the high was 94 and the low was 63.

National weather

A low pressure system moved across the Plains on Thursday, while Tropical Depression Julia affected the Southeast.

An area of low pressure moved east northeastward over the northern Plains. This system and a cold frontal boundary produced multiple clusters of rain and thunderstorms across the Rockies, the Plains and the Midwest. Flash flood warnings were issued for southeast South Dakota, southwest Minnesota and northwest Iowa. Sioux Falls, S.D., reported a midday total of 2.89 inches of rain. Luverne, Minn., reported a midday total of 1.17 inches of rain.

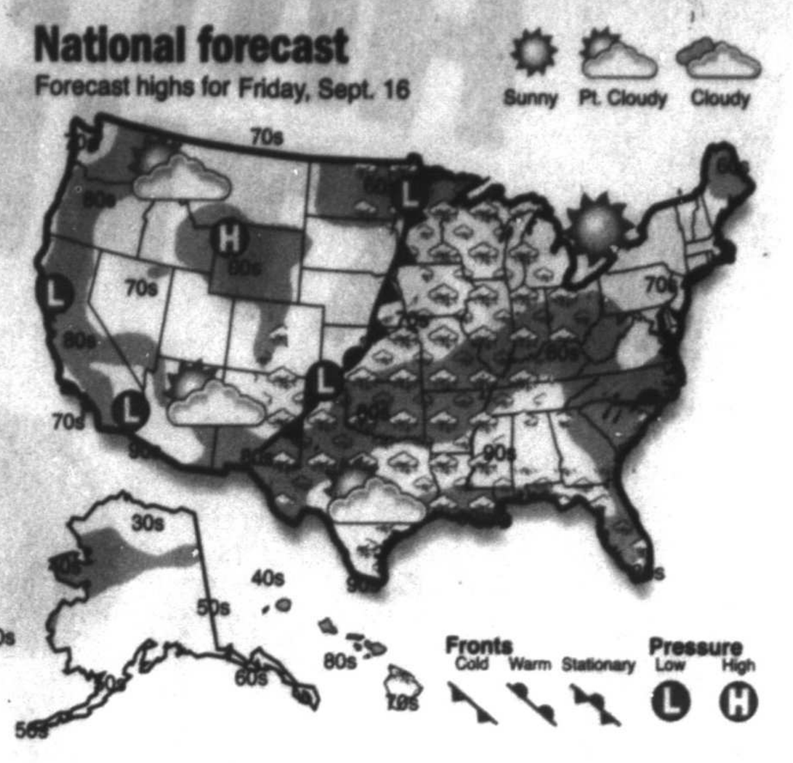


Precipitation	
Wednesday	0.00 in.
Thursday	0.00 in.
Month total	0.85 in.
Year total	11.19 in.
Normal total (year to date)	10.73 in.

Thursday's temperatures	
High	89
Low	68
Normal high	87
Normal low	62
Sunrise	7:34 a.m.
Sunset	7:53 p.m.

National forecast

Forecast highs for Friday, Sept. 16



Memories of awful boyfriend continue to linger years later

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: Years ago, I dated an awful guy. He possessed just about every negative quality you could imagine. I dated him anyway because I was immature, depressed and lonely.

Since we broke up and I got my mental health back on track, my life has been wonderful. I keep moving up and forward in life. I hear through the grapevine that his life, on the other hand, is in shambles.

I blame myself for wasting the time I did with him. Sometimes when he pops into my head I get sick to my stomach. I'm afraid he might come back into my life and harm me because he blames me for his miserable life and bad choices.

How do you remove such a negative person from your memory? Is it possible to forget — especially when you want to? — ANNOYED IN TEXAS

DEAR ANNOYED: Your experiences have made you the person you are, and at this point in your life, you have made yourself successful and happy. Congratulations for that. Now it's time to stop listening to news about your ex-boyfriend through the grapevine.

When friends bring him up, tell them you aren't interested. If he lives nearby, frequents the same places you do and has threatened you, talk to law enforcement or move. Give it time; time has a way of healing. It's important that you continue getting on with your life. You may find fears will dissipate once you find a new significant other.

DEAR ABBY: I'm someone who's been chronically hot for as long as I can remember. In winter, I usually wear lighter clothes than most people so I can be comfortable. Unfortunately, complete strangers feel compelled to ask several times a day, "Aren't you cold?" or say, "You're crazy for dressing that way!"

I don't feel I should have to justify my wardrobe, and I think calling someone crazy is out of line. I have pointed out to some people that how I dress is none of their business, at which point they take offense. (One guy even told me to "shove it where the sun don't shine.") I don't think my response was inappropriate considering that they were the ones judging me. I'm the one who should have been upset. What can I say to these judgmental people without justifying myself and without evoking an angry response? — NOT CRAZY, JUST COMFORTABLE

DEAR NOT CRAZY: Most people are curious when they see something "different." Wearing lightweight clothing in the dead of winter qualifies as different. If you are asked, all you need to say is that your body temperature runs hotter than most people's, and you are perfectly comfortable. Period.

DEAR ABBY: A friend of mine died recently. My question is, how much time should I wait before asking his widow if she saved his hearing aids from the crematorium and if so, could I have them? — CHEAP MINNESOTAN

DEAR MINNESOTAN: You didn't mention how long ago your friend died, but if it was yesterday, give the widow a week or two to recover from the shock of her loss. I say this because if you wait too long, somebody else may grab them, but if you ask too soon, she may give you an earful.

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

The beautiful game

Neither vulnerable. South deals.

NORTH
♠ K Q 9 8
♡ A
◇ A Q J 9
♣ Q 8 3 2

WEST
♠ Void
♡ K J 10 7 6 5
◇ 8 6 4 2
♣ K 9 5

EAST
♠ J 7 4 3 2
♡ 9 4
◇ 10 7 3
♣ 10 7 4

SOUTH
♠ A 10 6 5
♡ Q 8 3 2
◇ K 5
♣ A J 6

The bidding:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1♣	2♡	Dbl*	Pass
2♣	Pass	4NT	Pass
5♡	Pass	6♣	All pass

*Negative, values with no clear bid

Opening lead: Six of ♡

Brazilian soccer great Pele once called soccer "The Beautiful Game." He must not be a bridge player.

South won the opening diamond lead in hand with the king and led a low spade to dummy's queen, getting the bad news. A club to the jack lost to the king, and West led a heart to dummy's ace. A club to the ace was followed by a heart ruff in dummy. Declarer now cashed the ace of diamonds and both minor suit queens, leaving this position:

NORTH
♠ K 9
♡ Void
◇ J
♣ 2

WEST
♠ Void
♡ K J 10
◇ 8
♣ Void

EAST
♠ J 7 4 3
♡ Void
◇ Void
♣ Void

SOUTH
♠ A 10 6
♡ Q
◇ Void
♣ Void

South led the jack of diamonds from dummy. East's play didn't matter, but he chose to ruff with the seven of spades. South overruffed with the 10 and ruffed his last heart with the king of spades as East underruffed. South had to make the last two trump tricks.

With lovely deals like this occurring about as often as goals in soccer, we nominate bridge as "The Beautiful Game."

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 Friday, Sept. 16, 2016:

This year you bring a lot of ideas to the table. Finding a place of agreement might be difficult at times. Know that you come from a similar position as the people with whom you often disagree — you just have different approaches. If you are single, you find that relating to potential suitors tends to be disruptive. If you are attached, the two of you often disagree. Try not to question the validity of your sweetie's views, even if you don't agree with them. PISCES is more emotional than you realize.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★ You might have a shorter fuse than usual. What you have decided not to share seems to spill out of your mouth at the least opportune moment. You could see a problem arise from your unintentional disclosure. Keep your eye on the big picture. Tonight: Get some extra R and R.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★★ You might witness so much confusion that you will wonder what is really going on. Is it really that important to figure it out? Just accept what is happening around you, and let controversial statements flow right off you. Tonight: Find your friends, or hang out with a loved one.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★★ Listen to your instincts regarding a professional matter. Stay centered, and don't let others trigger you or those around you. A partner or associate will give you feedback that might irritate you. Understand where this person is coming from. Tonight: A must appearance.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★★ Keep reaching out to someone at a distance. This person might not be in the best mood. If this is the case, don't personalize his or her attitude — or anyone's, for that matter. It also is possible that he or she will be thrilled to hear from you. Tonight: On center stage.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★★ Close relating continues to be your focus. A misunderstanding could emerge from out of nowhere and cause a problem. If you stand on ceremony, it might become an even bigger issue. Make choices accordingly. Tonight: Make time for a special person.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★ You might want to take a stand, but would prefer to stay connected to the other party involved without creating a hassle. Detach and look at the big picture. How you see a personal matter could change. Tonight: Say "yes" to an offer that seems enticing.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★ You are on top of a situation. Listen more carefully to an associate who has meaningful insights, as he or she is more in touch with the issues and the people involved. If you feel as if this person's information is incorrect, hold off until you get the facts. Tonight: Out late.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★ You seem to be more together than you have been in the recent past. How you handle a changeable person in your life defines your bond. This person is likely to change his or her mind no matter what happens. Curb spending if possible. Tonight: Join a friend for dinner.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★ Pressure comes in from every which way. You might feel as if you are locked in a pattern and unable to handle a personal matter differently. The other party involved might not be up for a discussion, but a gesture on your part could make a big difference. Tonight: Hang out at home.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★ Confusion surrounds you. A misunderstanding stems from people not wanting to become a problem. Hear what is being verbalized, and listen for unintentional distortions. You could be swallowing some anger without realizing it. You might be accident-prone. Tonight: Return calls.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★★ Be more in touch with someone else's issues. You can't deny what is going on with you. You might choose not to share what is happening in your personal life, but be aware of the financial implications. You can't avoid dealing with this problem. Tonight: Count your change.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★ You might feel pressured by a situation that you don't think you can change. You probably are right. Let the other party involved have his or her way, as you don't seem to have any influence anyway. Tonight: Defer to others for now.

BORN TODAY

Actress Amy Poehler (1971), singer/songwriter B.B. King (1925), illusionist David Copperfield (1956)

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1 Shot in the dark
5 Mild expletive
9 Contraction used with "up"
14 Confining room
15 River originating in Manchuria
16 Assails
17 Woodstock performer before Joan
18 Sci-fi guru
19 Rodeo maker
20 Number on some beer bottles?
23 Make even the slightest comment
24 Hall of Famer Musial
25 Some suits, briefly
28 Egg foo __
30 Depot worker
32 Flight regulatory org.
35 Washateria wear?
38 "__ turca: allegretto": Mozart rondo
40 "Is that __?"
41 Floor option
42 Musical work played where Brits go?
47 Sci-fi craft
48 Exotic journey
49 Kennel calls
51 Terrestrial wiggler
52 Storm sound
55 Jefferson bills, slangily
59 Smokeless chimney duct?
61 Courts in some hotels
64 Bend for a swan, maybe
65 Woodworking tool
66 Contemporary of Beethoven
67 Trouser parts
68 Chatted with online
69 Quirky
70 2015 World Series-winning manager Ned
71 Much of the MTV generation

DOWN

1 Natural skin protection
2 __ firma
3 Way in the brick, often
4 Pass easily
5 Prestigious NASCAR venue
6 Lima love
7 Many Renoirs
8 Foster __: sunglasses brand
9 Self-titled 1987 pop album
10 Diner concoction
11 Phil Mickelson's alma mater: Abbr.
12 Toon devil
13 "The Simpsons" disco guy
21 Subject of an evil negotiation
22 "Dumb and Dumber" actress
25 Parental control device
26 Italian soccer great Rossi
27 Dash datum
29 Tortilla chip topper, informally
31 It's not observed in P.R.
32 Pseudo
33 "Half __ is ..."
34 On high
36 San Antonio-to-Dallas dir.
37 Small craft
39 Picasso's here
43 Picking site
44 Giza's river
45 Like the maximum sum
46 Multinational energy gp.
50 Less, when added?
53 To an adequate degree
54 __ diet
56 Versifier's weather
57 Calculus pioneer
58 Origins
59 Echelon
60 Touring jobs
61 "What a darling baby!"
62 Golfer's support
63 Cred for bringing someone home

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

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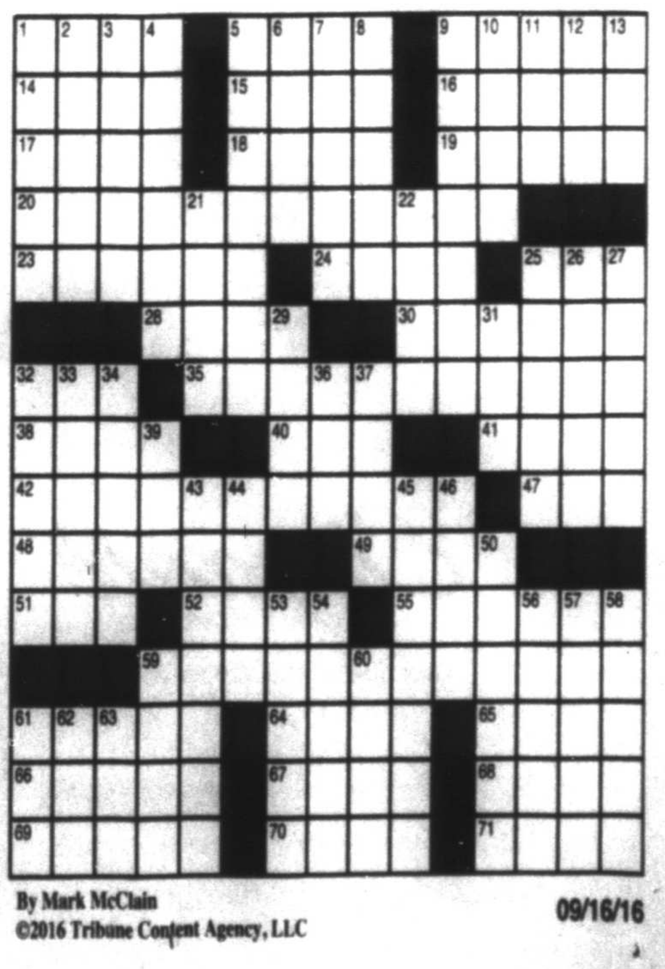

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HEALTHCARE

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SKILLED LABOR

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OTHER JOBS

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- Provide leadership of frontline employees along with the necessary training to develop a quality control standard within the mailroom.
- Must be able to perform under pressure and meet deadlines.
- Perform equipment maintenance.

Requirements:

- Previous supervisory experience preferred.
- Ability to understand and comply with all Company policies.
- Basic literacy, including basic math skills and legible writing.
- Ability to withstand noise, vibration, standing, bending and lifting.
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Part Time Day Associate - MUST BE DEPENDABLE

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These positions require some physical lifting of 5-15 lbs. Must be able to bend and stand for at least a 6 hr. shift. No experience required we will train you. Work performed in this department includes processing and handling of newspaper bundles. Applicants must be dependable, be over 18, and have a valid ID card and social security card with dependable transportation.

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Midland Reporter-Telegram HAS IMMEDIATE OPENINGS IN ITS DISTRIBUTION DEPARTMENT FOR NIGHT TIME ASSOCIATE

Night time associate - MUST BE DEPENDABLE

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QUALIFICATIONS:
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- Ability to identify maintenance problems, plan and follow through to their solution in a timely manner
- In depth understanding of physical plant maintenance requirements
- Prior long term care experience preferred
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- Serves as electrician in repairing minor electrical malfunctions and installing new equipment
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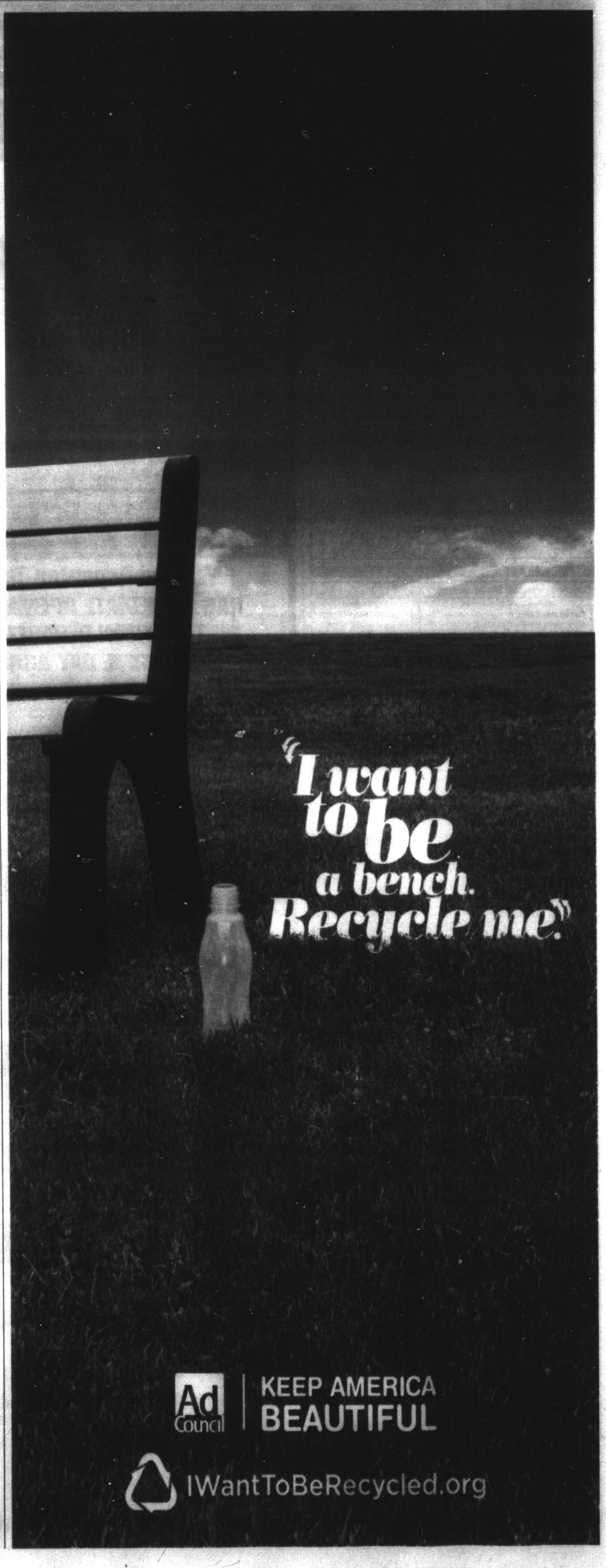

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NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF EDWARD PERRY BOLGER, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Edward Perry Bolger, deceased, were issued to John Barr Bolger, on September 14, 2016, in the proceeding styled "Estate of Edward Perry Bolger, Deceased," Cause No. P18825 in the County Court of Midland County, Texas, which is still pending and that said person now holds such Letters. All persons having claims against said Estate, which is being administered in Midland County, Texas, are hereby required to present the same to John Barr Bolger, c/o W. Scott Ryburn, 300 N. Marienfeld, Ste. 700, Midland, Texas 79701, before suit upon same is barred by the general statutes of limitation, before such Estate is closed, and within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

John Barr Bolger, as Independent
Executor of the Estate of Edward Perry Bolger, Deceased, Cause No. P18825 in the County Court of Midland County, Texas

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Notice of PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given that Metro Self Storage Midland at 315 N. Midland Dr. Midland, Texas 79703 will sell the contents of the storage units listed below at a public auction to satisfy a landlord's lien (pursuant to Chapter 59 of the Texas Statutes-Property Code). The sale will take place at the website StorageStuff.Bid on October 6, 2016 at 12:00 pm. The sale will be conducted under the guidance of Christopher Rosa (#16850) on behalf of the facility's management. Units will be available for viewing prior to the sale at StorageStuff.Bid. Contents will be sold for cash only to the highest bidder. A 10% buyer's premium will be charged. All sales are final. Seller reserves the right to withdraw the property at any time before the sale or to refuse any bids. The property to be sold is as described as "general household items" unless otherwise noted. Property includes the storage unit contents belonging to the following tenants:

B006-Donald Ball (Rug, Pots & pans, Misc.)
C001-John H. Kolster (Dryer, Stove, Dishwasher & Misc.)\
D016-Josie Warden (Table, Chairs, Chest & Misc.)
I014-Martha Gonzales (Refrigerator, Bar Stools, Dresser & Misc.)
S006-Ricardo Johnson (clothes, Nike Shoes & Misc.)
S008-Ricky Johnson (clothes, Nike Shoes & Misc.)

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Administration for the Estate of Melanie Joy Cavazos, Deceased, were issued on September 15, 2016, in Cause No. P18817, pending in the County Court of Midland County, Texas, to: Vidal Cavazos, Jr.

All persons having claims against this Estate, which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

c/o: **L. Shane Stokes**
Attorney at Law
300 North Marienfeld, Suite 700
Midland, TX 79701

DATED the 15th day of September, 2016.

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ORDINANCE NO. 9583
AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE ZONING USE CLASSIFICATION OF THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED AS LOT 7, BLOCK 17, SKYLINE TERRACE, UNIT 7, CITY AND COUNTY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS (GENERALLY LOCATED ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF WEST LOOP 250 NORTH, APPROXIMATELY 220 FEET WEST OF NORTH MIDKIFF ROAD), WHICH IS PRESENTLY ZONED PD, PLANNED DISTRICT FOR A SHOPPING CENTER, BY PERMITTING SAID PROPERTY TO BE USED UNDER A SPECIFIC USE PERMIT WITH TERM FOR THE SALE OF ALL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IN A RESTAURANT FOR ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION; MAKING SAID PERMIT SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS CONTAINED HEREIN; CONTAINING A CUMULATIVE CLAUSE; CONTAINING A SAVINGS AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A MAXIMUM PENALTY OR FINE OF TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS ($2,000.00); AND ORDERING PUBLICATION

City of Midland

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ORDINANCE NO. 9596
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MIDLAND PROVIDING FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2016, AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2017, BY APPROVING THE BUDGET FOR SAID PERIOD AND APPROPRIATING AND SETTING ASIDE THE NECESSARY FUNDS OUT OF THE GENERAL AND OTHER REVENUES AND UNAPPROPRIATED FUND BALANCE OF THE CITY OF MIDLAND FOR SAID FISCAL YEAR FOR THE MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS AND FOR VARIOUS ACTIVITIES AND IMPROVEMENTS TO THE CITY; AND ORDERING PUBLICATION

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Midland Independent School District

Procurement Services Department

Midland, Texas

Notice to Vendors

The Midland Independent School District invites qualified vendors to submit a sealed proposal for **RFP #06-021 - Athletic Supplies and Uniforms - Basketball and Soccer** through the MISD electronic bid system. Proposals will be publicly opened and read in the office of Rebecca Mull, Director of Procurement Services, at 615 W. Missouri Avenue, Suite 707-C, Midland, Texas at **3:00 PM C.S.T. on Tuesday, October 4, 2016.** Request for Proposal documents may be obtained by registering as a supplier at www.midlandisd.com/domain/44. For any questions, contact MISD Procurement Services department at (432) 240-1960.

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Midland, Texas

Notice to Vendors

Request for Proposal - Technology Equipment

The Midland Independent School District invites qualified vendors to submit a sealed proposal(s) for **RFP #06-020 - Technology Equipment** through the MISD electronic bid system. Proposals will be publicly opened and read in accordance with the proposal documents in the office of Rebecca Mull, Director of Procurement Services, at 615 W. Missouri Avenue, Suite 707, Midland, Texas at **2:00 PM C.S.T. on Tuesday, October 4, 2016.** Request for Proposal documents may be obtained by registering as a supplier at www.midlandisd.com/domain/44. For any questions, contact MISD Procurement Services department at (432) 240-1965.

Autos For Sale or Lease

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CADILLAC 2004 DeVille 4 dr. with low mileage. excellent condition w/leather interior and loaded with extras. Call Dustin 432-8[illegible]2-4805

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MUSTANG 2009 Stage III **ROUSH**. 1 owner 47K miles. $23,000. 325-642-9722

Will buy wrecked & unwanted cars, trucks & RVs. 432-685-4078

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CHEVROLET 2005 PICK up 3/4 ton extended cab $4,750 Call Bill Jackson, 1501 W. Illinois 432-557-3366

CHEVY SILVERADO 2002, 1500 HD Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD 6.0L V8, Camper Shell $4,500 432-631-2004

DODGE RAM 1999 white 2500 w/6 cylinder Turbo Cummins diesel 4 WD, short bed w/auxiliary fuel tank. Towing package w/extra leaf springs on rear. Rigged for towing goose neck trailer. 3000 watt inverter. LESS THAN 120,000 MILES. $10,000. 432-631-0127

GMC SIERRA 2006 1500 EXTENDED CAB SILVER EXCELLENT CONDITION RUNS GREAT WITH GREAT AC. GRILL GUARD AND TOOL BOX. 432-631-3033. $5800.00 OR BEST OFFER

4WD & SUV

2005 JEEP Wrangler X 2 door wagon/sport 4.0 4WD Flat tow ready. 36,000 Miles 33X12.50R15 Winch jack heavy duty spare tire rack. 432-689-9804 432-894-6221 or 432-208-3652

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Legal & Public Notices

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 7C — Rule 37 Case No. 0301500
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Aug 22, 2016 — Status/Permit No. 817711
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, Sep 26, 2016
Address: Railroad Commission of Texas
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit
P. O. Box 12967
Austin, Texas 78711-2967
Fax: (512) 463-6780
Email: SWR37@RRC.TEXAS.GOV

N O T I C E O F A P P L I C A T I O N

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the COG OPERATING LLC, [RRC Operator No. 166150] has made application for a spacing exception permit under the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 (16 Tex. Admin. Code section 3.37). Applicant seeks exception to the lease line distance requirement because the Applicant is less than the required Rule 37 lease line distance to an unleased or non-pooled interest within the subject unit for the NEW DRILL permit in Sec. 83, Bk. D, CCSD&RGNG RR CO Survey, A-52, SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) Field, UPTON County, being 16.8 miles NW direction from RANKIN, Texas.

PURSUANT TO THE TERMS of Railroad Commission rules and regulations, this application may be granted **WITHOUT A HEARING** if no protest to the application is received within the deadline. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A Protestant should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the hearing. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission's Docket Services Department at **(512)463-6848.** If you have questions which are specific to the Application or the information set forth in this Notice, please contact the Commission's Drilling Permit Unit at rule 37 **(512)463-6751**.

IF YOU WISH TO REQUEST A HEARING ON THIS APPLICATION, AN INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE RAILROAD COMMISSION'S AUSTIN OFFICE AT THE ADDRESS, FAX NUMBER, OR E-MAIL ADDRESS SET OUT ABOVE BY Sep 26, 2016 at 5:00 p.m. IF NO PROTEST IS RECEIVED WITHIN SUCH TIME, YOU WILL LOSE YOUR RIGHT TO PROTEST AND THE REQUESTED PERMIT MAY BE GRANTED ADMINISTRATIVELY.

THIS NOTICE OF APPLICATION REQUIRES PUBLICATION

The location and identity of the well is as shown below:

FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA)

Lease/Unit Name	:	JOYCE P2 UNIT
Lease/Unit Well No.	:	7123BH
Lease/Unit Acres	:	190.0
Nearest Lease Line (ft)	:	1.0
Nearest Well on Lease (ft)	:	330.0

Lease Lines : 328.0 F N L, 360.0 F E L
Survey Lines : 328.0 F N L, 360.0 F E L

Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal

Lateral: TH1
Penetration Point Location
Lease Lines: 328.0 F N L
360.0 F E L

Terminus Location
BH County: UPTON
Section: 72 Block: C Abstract: 898
Survey: CCSD&RGNG RR CO / BARBER, PP
Lease Lines: 10.0 F NORTH L
62.0 F EAST L
Survey Lines: 10.0 F-NORTH L
330.0 F WEST L

Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows:

SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) : Special Rules 330/0, 80.0 acres.

This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 10000 feet.

If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Tammy Aylesworth, at (432)683-7443.

Legal & Public Notices

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 7C — Rule 37 Case No. 0301499
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Aug 22, 2016 — Status/Permit No. 817708
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, Sep 26, 2016
Address: Railroad Commission of Texas
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit
P. O. Box 12967
Austin, Texas 78711-2967
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BH County: UPTON
Section: 81 Block: D Abstract: 51
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Legal & Public Notices

Notice of Sale of Personal Property to satisfy a landlords lien for CASH ONLY. Sale date is Thursday October 6, 2016 @ 10:25am.

Aztec A-1 Storage
1219 S Midland Dr
Midland TX 79703

#206 Juan Valles - Household Goods
#205 Justin Rice - Household Goods

ORDINANCE NO. 9593

AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE ZONING CLASSIFICATION BY AMENDING CHAPTER ONE, TITLE XI, OF THE CITY CODE OF MIDLAND, TEXAS, BY PERMITTING LOT 2, BLOCK 1, WALLACE HEIGHTS, SECTION 2, CITY AND COUNTY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS, WHICH IS PRESENTLY PD, PLANNED DISTRICT FOR A TRANSITION DISTRICT, TO BE USED AS AN LR-2, LOCAL RETAIL DISTRICT (GENERALLY LOCATED ON THE EAST SIDE OF NORTH LOOP 250 WEST, APPROXIMATELY 500 FEET NORTH OF ANDREWS HIGHWAY); CONTAINING A CUMULATIVE CLAUSE; CONTAINING A SAVINGS AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A MAXIMUM PENALTY OR FINE OF TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS ($2,000.00); AND ORDERING PUBLICATION

City of Midland

Amy M. Turner
City Secretary

Legal & Public Notices

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF SHIRLEY KAY CARRIGAN, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Shirley Kay Carrigan, deceased, were issued to James David Carrigan, Independent Executor, on September 14, 2016, in the proceeding styled "Estate of Shirley Kay Carrigan, Deceased," Cause No. P18277 in the County Court of Midland County, Texas, which is still pending and that said person now holds such Letters. All persons having claims against said Estate, which is being administered in Midland County, Texas, are hereby required to present the same to James David Carrigan, c/o W. Scott Rybum, 300 N. Marienfeld, Ste. 700, Midland, Texas 79701, before suit upon same is barred by the general statutes of limitation, before such Estate is closed, and within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

James David Carrigan, as Independent Executor of the Estate of Shirley Kay Carrigan, Deceased, Cause No. P18277 in the County Court of Midland County, Texas

Legal & Public Notices

ORDINANCE NO. 9590

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City of Midland

Amy M. Turner
City Secretary

Legal & Public Notices

ORDINANCE NO. 9592

AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE ZONING USE CLASSIFICATION OF THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED AS A 3,700-SQUARE FOOT PORTION OF LOT 5A, BLOCK 7, CLAYDESTA PLAZA, SECTION 12, CITY AND COUNTY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS (GENERALLY LOCATED ON THE NORTH SIDE OF WEST WADLEY AVENUE, APPROXIMATELY 220 FEET WEST OF DESTA DRIVE), WHICH IS PRESENTLY ZONED LR-2, LOCAL RETAIL DISTRICT; BY PERMITTING SAID PROPERTY TO BE USED UNDER A SPECIFIC USE PERMIT WITH TERM FOR THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IN A RESTAURANT FOR ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION; MAKING SAID PERMIT SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS CONTAINED HEREIN; CONTAINING A CUMULATIVE CLAUSE; CONTAINING A SAVINGS AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A MAXIMUM PENALTY OR FINE OF TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS ($2,000.00); AND ORDERING PUBLICATION

City of Midland

Amy M. Turner
City Secretary

Legal & Public Notices

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT

CHEVRON U. S. A. INC., 6301 DEAUVILLE BLVD., MIDLAND, TEXAS 79706, is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to dispose fluid into a formation which is productive of oil or gas.

The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the San Andres formation, in the following:

Mabee Field, Mabee Unit Lease (04010) Well No. 279SWD (Sec 31) 22 miles SE from Andrews in Andrews County
Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from approximately 4588 to 5300 feet.

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

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show that they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P. O. Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711-2967 - Telephone (512) 463-6792.

Legal & Public Notices

S & R Home Health, Inc. (License # 1812331) will permanently close effective September 30, 2016. Medical records location: 3607 Northfield Drive, Midland, TX 79707 Medical records custodian: Rebekah West 3607 Northfield Drive Midland, TX 79707 432-559-2914

ORDINANCE NO. 9595

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE X, "TRAFFIC REGULATIONS", CHAPTER FOUR, "TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES", SECTION 11, "SCHOOL ZONES AND CROSSINGS", OF THE MIDLAND CITY CODE, SO AS TO DESIGNATE EACH SCHOOL ZONE AND SCHOOL CROSSING WITHIN THE CITY AND REGULATE THE SPEED AND MOVEMENT OF TRAFFIC THEREIN; AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE TRAFFIC ENGINEER TO INSTALL APPROPRIATE SIGNS AND MARKINGS; REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 9503; CONTAINING A CUMULATIVE CLAUSE; CONTAINING A SAVINGS AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A MAXIMUM PENALTY OR FINE OF TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS ($200.00); AND ORDERING PUBLICATION

City of Midland

Amy M. Turner
City Secretary

ORDINANCE NO. 9591

AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE ZONING USE CLASSIFICATION OF THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED AS A 3,200-SQUARE FOOT PORTION OF LOT 6A, BLOCK 2, AMARON ADDITION, SECTION 6, CITY AND COUNTY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS (GENERALLY LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 420 FEET WEST OF RANKIN HIGHWAY AND APPROXIMATELY 465 FEET SOUTH OF WOLCOTT AVENUE), WHICH IS PRESENTLY ZONED PD, PLANNED DISTRICT FOR A SHOPPING CENTER, BY PERMITTING SAID PROPERTY TO BE USED UNDER A SPECIFIC USE PERMIT WITH TERM FOR THE SALE OF ALL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IN A RESTAURANT FOR ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION; MAKING SAID PERMIT SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS CONTAINED HEREIN; CONTAINING A CUMULATIVE CLAUSE; CONTAINING A SAVINGS AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A MAXIMUM PENALTY OR FINE OF TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS ($2,000.00); AND ORDERING PUBLICATION

City of Midland

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Legal & Public Notices

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF CORA MARLINE BYRD, DECEASED:

Notice is hereby given that on the 1st day of September, 2016, Letters Testamentary were issued to Jack L. Byrd as Independent Executor in proceedings in the County Court of Midland County, Texas, in Probate, styled "In the Matter of the Estate of Cora Marline Byrd, Deceased," being No. P-18822 in that Court, and which proceedings are still pending. All persons having claims against the Estate are hereby required to present the same to Jack L. Byrd, 214 Windridge Circle, Midland, Texas 79705, within the time prescribed by law.

DATED this 14th day of September, 2016.

Jack L. Byrd,
Independent Executor of the Estate of
Cora Marline Byrd, Deceased

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-265

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS, DECLARING THAT THE CITY OF MIDLAND, AS AUTHORIZED BY CHAPTER 505 OF THE TEXAS LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE, SHALL USE PROCEEDS OF THE TYPE B ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SALES AND USE TAX FOR THE PREEXISTING, EXISTING AND FUTURE MAINTENANCE AND OPERATING COSTS OF THE FOOTBALL/SOCCER STADIUM (GRANDE COMMUNICATIONS STADIUM), THE BASEBALL STADIUM (SECURITY BANK BALLPARK), PARKING FACILITIES, AND RELATED INFRASTRUCTURE AND IMPROVEMENTS; AND ORDERING PUBLICATION BY THE CITY SECRETARY

WHEREAS, an election was held on November 2, 1999 (the "Election"), at which a majority of the voters approved the adoption of a sales and use tax within the City of Midland at the rate of one-quarter (1/4) of one percent (1%), pursuant to Section 4B of article 5190.6, Revised Civil Statutes (the predecessor statute to Chapter 505 of the Texas Local Government Code), for the purpose of constructing a football/soccer stadium, baseball stadium, parking facilities, and related infrastructure and improvements (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, notice of a public hearing regarding the use of proceeds of said sales and use tax to pay for the maintenance and operating costs of the Project was published in a newspaper having general circulation in the City of Midland, Texas; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing before the City Council was held on said matter in the City Council Chamber on September 13, 2016; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it to be in the public interest to use proceeds of said sales and use tax to pay for the maintenance and operating costs of the Project;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS:

SECTION ONE. That the above recitals are hereby approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of Midland, Texas.

SECTION TWO. That proceeds of said sales and use tax shall be used for the preexisting, existing and future maintenance and operating costs of the publicly owned and operated Project and all other matters approved at the Election, as authorized by Chapter 505 of the Texas Local Government Code.

SECTION THREE. That proceeds of said sales and use tax approved at the Election may be used to pay for the maintenance and operating costs of the Project; provided, however, the City of Midland reserves the right to pay additional capital costs of the Project as well as to pay the principal of, interest on and other costs relating to the bonds or other obligations issued to pay the costs of the Project or to refund bonds or other obligations issued to pay such costs.

SECTION FOUR. That this resolution supersedes all prior resolutions relating to the same subject matter as that covered herein, and this resolution shall remain in full force and effect unless and until modified, amended or superseded by official action of the Midland City Council or applicable law.

SECTION FIVE. That the City Secretary is hereby authorized and directed to publish this resolution in its entirety in the official newspaper of the City of Midland, Texas.

On motion of Council member Dufford, seconded by Council member Robnett, the above and foregoing resolution was adopted by the City Council of the City of Midland at a regular meeting on the 13th day of September, A.D., 2016, by the following vote:

Council members voting "AYE": Hotchkiss, Love, Sparks, Morales, Dufford, Lacy, Robnett

Council members voting "NAY": None

Jerry F. Morales, Mayor

ATTEST:

Amy M. Turner, City Secretary

RECOMMENDED AND APPROVED:

Courtney Sharp, City Manager

APPROVED AS TO FORM ONLY:

John Ohnemiller, City Attorney

Autos & Public Notices

CADILLAC, 2008 Escalade, 68,200 Miles, Excellent Condition, garage kept, recent oil change and alignment. $22,500.00 432-528-6347.

NEW TODAY

ESCALADE ESV,04 6.0. Worn tan leather interior. 6-disc CD/DVD player, Navigation, cassette. Clear title. Has cracked windshield. No mechanical issues. 160k miles. $5700 obo. No financing. Text Kristin at 325-262-2351.

JEEP, 2005 Liberty. New valve job. A/C works, windows tinted. Must See! Nice & clean. $4,500. 432-349-0041.

MERCURY Mariner, 2010. Very good, clean condition. White exterior, tan leather interior with power windows, locks, moon roof. 110k miles. $5,600, call Jeryl 432-528-7690.

Motorcycles

HARLEY DAVIDSON 2005 Road King. 13K miles. $9,500 OBO. MUST GO! 432-697-9787 leave message

HONDA 2007 Goldwing 1800, excellent condition, garage kept, fully loaded, less than 10K original miles, new tires & battery. $13,000. Cell 432-638-5461.

LIKE NEW 2008 Yamaha Raptor ATV garage kepted, only ridden 4 times. $5,500 432-349-0041.

RVs

39 FOOT TT, Park Model. Loaded. Will deliver. 210-445-2984.

RV SPACES for rent - Northeast Midland off Loop 250 clean fenced safe quite park, paved access, 50 amp all utilities furnished includes cable and Wifi. Call 432-894-8234 for fall move in specials.

Recreational Vehicles

2010 HARLEY Davidson Street Glide, Brand new 2016 motor, 96 CI, clean, race tuner stereo, cruise, new back tire. $12,900. 972-955-7419

COLEMAN 2002 popup, sleeps 6, heater, A/C, refrigerator, outside shower. Extra storage. $4,000 OBO. 432-260-7000

FOR SALE: 1986 Airstream Excella 36' long, sleeps 6 with twin beds. $25,000 432-634-9139

ROYAL TRAVEL 2014 37' 5th wheel. 3 slide outs, 2 airs, washer & dryer, electric awning, loaded. Will deliver. $33,500. 806-392-5504

SURVEYOR 2009 192T, generous room in a Hybrid travel trailer, with a dry weight of 3500 pounds. Duel torsion axle, power tongue jack, very clean & well cared for. $6,500. 432-934-7354

Merchandise

Free Stuff

2 male, Blue Heeler mix, 1 & 2 yrs old. Have shots, & neutered. 288-2408

FREE TO good home: Lovable chiweenie's! Please call 432-557-1621.

Furniture

VERY NICE day bed with trundle. Solid wood, 2 piece bedding and bed boards. $450 call 432-247-5120

Miscellaneous for Sale

9 ea 12oz R12 $180.00 :1 50lb R22 $300.00 432.978.1057

BRAND NEW Jazzy 6 mobility electronic chair.$1,800. 432-352-7948

FOR sale-Resthaven Memorial Park, Lot 53 Space 3, lower & upper. $6,295 OBO. 361-729-1248

RIDGE RIVER VACATION membership available. Just a few monthly maintenance fees. 432-97d-1926.

VINTAGE NASCAR collectables. Many still in the boxes. 702-575-8103.

Furniture

SOFA FOR SALE. Bought 3-4 months ago from Carter's Furniture. Beautiful curved sofa, brown in color with maroon and 2 sided animal print decorative pillows. Perfect condition, non smoking home. Paid $3200, taking only reasonable offers. 432 631-9610

Antique & Vintage

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2007 DUTCHMAN GRAND JUNCTION
5th Wheel. 36', model 32TCG, Loaded with 3 Slide outs, 5500 Onan Generator (Propane) Washer & dryer, Electric Fireplace, Built-in vacuum system, No leaks.
Great condition!!! Must See!!! $28,500
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LESTER SPINET PIANO. Original owner. Tuned and reconditioned 694-4764.

Animals & Pets

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AKC YORKIES PUPPIES. Champion Bloodlines. $1500. Pet Only. Vet checked. 432-770-8445.

LAB PUPPIES AKC & started dogs. Hips/eyes guaranteed. Training available. Pooles Labs. www.pooleslabs.com. Call (806) 633-4364.

POMERANIAN PUPPIES for sale 6 weeks old. 3 brown female, 1 white with spot male, $300 each. Please call 432-212-0627

Real Estate Rentals & Sales

Residential Rentals

Apartments for Rent Unfurnished

4407 CROCKETT 2bed/1bath. $775 mo, $775 dep. 432-978-2074.

LOWEST RENT! Spacious 1 - 2 Bedroom Apartments. 432-687-4514.

SPECIAL
★ Come to quiet, owner in residence, Whispering Oaks. We have very nice 2 bedroom apartments available for good quality tenants at exceptionally special low rates. Some have garages, all have covered parking, paid water and basic cable. Please call 432-694-4001 ★

Houses for Rent Unfurnished

✓ 1402 Mogford- 3 bedroom, 2 baths, - 2 Car Garage. No pets. $1,800 a month, plus security deposit. Call 432-553-1443

Fax Your Classified Ad In Today! 682-6999

Furniture

Houses for Rent Unfurnished

2303 CUTHBERT 2 bedroom 1 bath, dining room, study, stove/refrigerator, 1 car garage, outside storage building. $1,250 month $1,250 deposit. 432-570-8348

2 BED/2bath duplex 1,450sqft, fireplace, garage, small fenced yard, water paid. $1,300/mo, $1,300 security deposit. 3805 W Storey, side B. References and credit check required. No pets, non smoking. 432-262-3100 or 325-947-9434. Applications available at house.

2 BEDROOM house with carport and fenced yard, near Midland Memorial Hospital. $1,000 Monthly bills paid. Please call 432-230-9667.

2-BR, 2 - BATH. Small yard, water paid. $1,050 Per mo. 432-634-6445.

3 bed, 2 1/2 Bath, Recently remodeled, 2 car garage, Close to College Ave. $900/mo. Rent/ own. 575-937-9377

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath central air, 1003 W. Cuthbert. $1,350 plus deposit. 720-252-5162

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, double garage with in ground swimming pool. Owner pays pool maintenance. 5203 Sunnyside Drive, Midland. $1550/ month, $1250 deposit. NO PETS. 541-297-4560.

4523 B St. Andrews 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, duplex $1,400 month $1,400 deposit. 432-230-5281

4602 Debbie Cove
4/2/2 $2,000 Super!
4105 St. Andrews
4/3/2 $2,350 Large!
UP Group 684-7788

4 BEDROOM 2 bath 2000 sq ft. 6304 Chicksaw across from Midland Country Club. Non smoking,. No pets $1,500 month, $1,500 deposit. 432-683-2243

709 LANHAM 2 bedroom 1 bath, living room w/ wood floor, dining room w/ wood floor. Washer/ dryer, carport, outside storage shed, stove, refrigerator. $1,250 month, $1,250 deposit. 432-570-8348

DUPLEX FOR rent 2 bedroom 1 bath. $800 month. $600 deposit. 432-520-6618

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5	4	2	6	7	3	1	9	8
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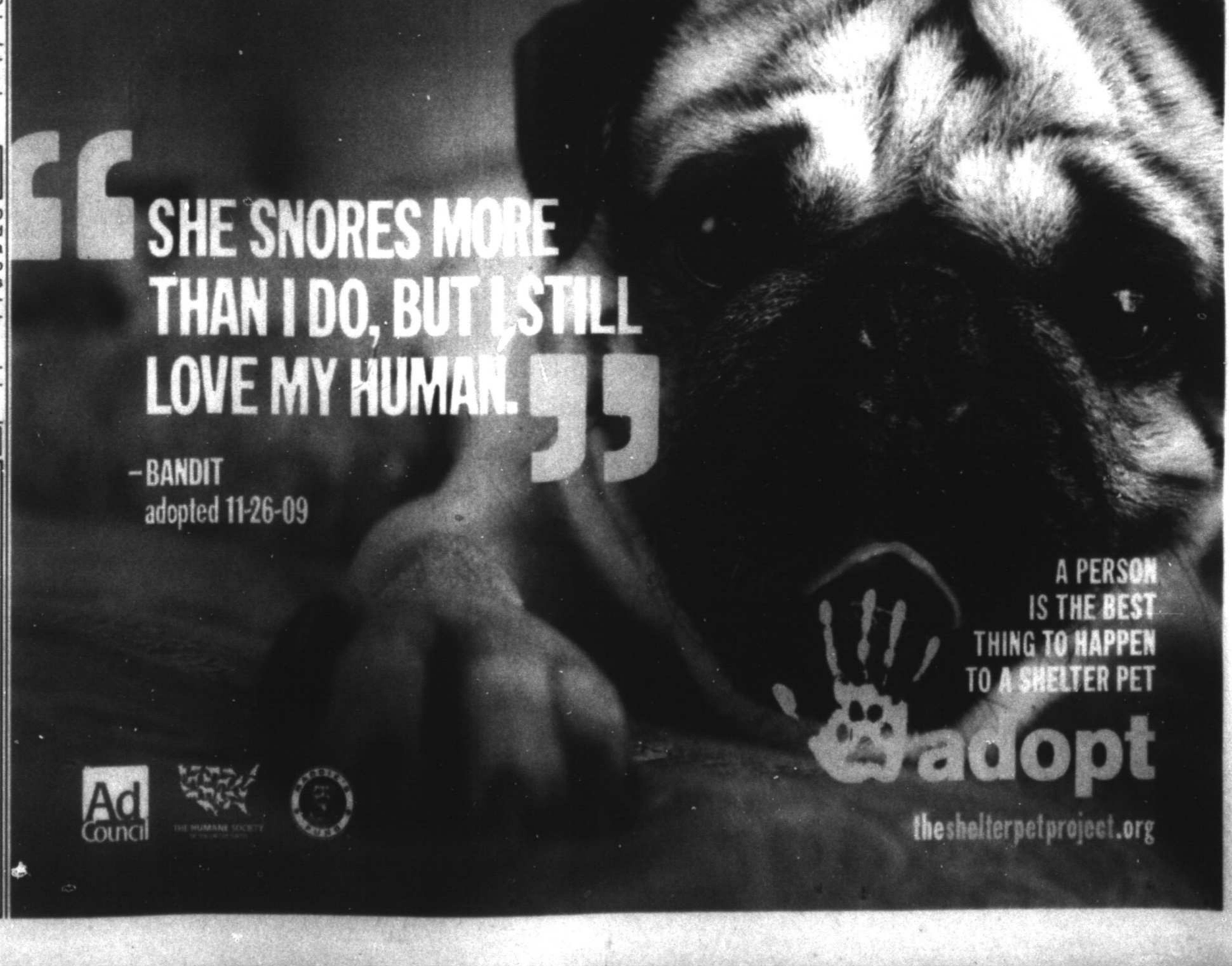

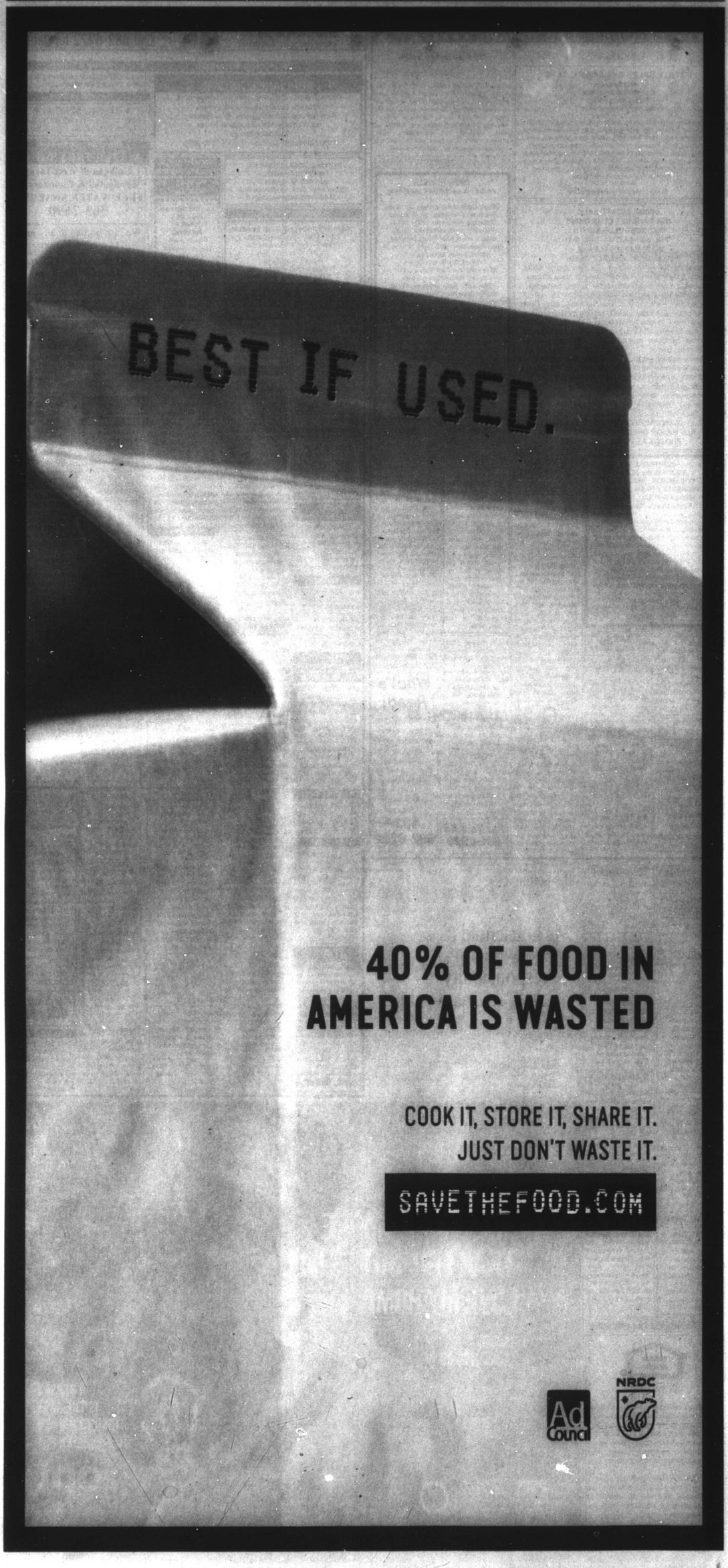
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