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Woman dies in rollover crash on Loop 250

Midlander's death marks 32nd fatality in 29 crashes on Midland County roads

By Tyler White
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The death toll on Midland County roads rose to 32 late Saturday after a Midland woman was ejected from a pickup in a rollover crash on Loop 250.

Cheyenne Mansell, 21, was pronounced dead at Midland Memorial Hospital from injuries she suffered in the crash.

Midland police officers responded to the crash at about 10:45 p.m. Saturday in the 2500 block of South Loop 250 near the Department of Public Safety office.

A pickup was southbound on the loop when the driver veered into the median and rolled the vehicle into the northbound lanes, said Sara Higgins, public information officer for the city.

Mansell was sitting in the back seat and was not wearing her seat belt when she was ejected from the vehicle, Higgins said. The driver and two other passengers were not injured, she said.

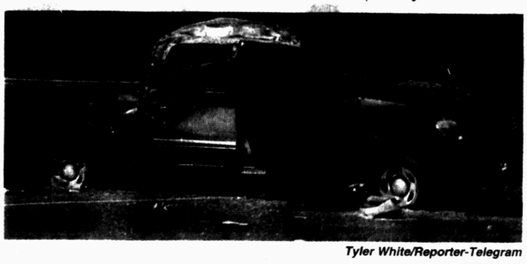
The investigating officers have ruled out alcohol as a factor, and said a high rate of speed may have contributed to the crash.

Charges have not been filed; the investigation continues.

This marks the 32nd fatality in 29 crashes in Midland County this year, which averages to about one death per week.

The last fatal wreck took place on Aug. 3, when an Odessa man died on Highway 191

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A woman was killed after being ejected from this pickup during a rollover crash Saturday night on Loop 250.

Standing up to society



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Dr. Viola Coleman poses inside her clinic, the Community Health Care Center, in 2010.

Civil rights pioneer paves way for many

MIDLAND 101

By Jimmy Patterson

Martin Luther King Jr. said, "Life's most persistent question is, 'What are you doing for others?'"

In these recent days marking the 50th anniversary of the March on Washington, at which King delivered his historic "I Have a Dream" speech on the steps of the Lincoln Memorial, there may be no better time to remember the late Midland doctor, Viola Coleman, and what she did for others.

A full 17 years before King's speech, Coleman, then a single woman in her 20s, from New Iberia, La., sought to attend medical school at Louisiana State University. The former Viola Johnson was denied entrance to the school in 1946 and encouraged to attend a college strictly for black students.

"As you know," a letter from the university read, "the State of Louisiana maintains separate schools for its white and colored students. Southern University, in Scotlandsville, is the principle Louisiana university for negroes."

Johnson challenged the university's discriminatory practices and her case ultimately was taken up by the NAACP and its special counsel, Thurgood Marshall. Marshall would later become the first African-American justice on the U.S. Supreme Court. Johnson's lawsuit against the university was defeated in the 19th District Court, but civil rights experts and historians agree that even though her case went down in defeat, its historical value is not diminished.

"So often, the only cases that get attention are the ones that win, but the ones that are lost can tell us just as much," said Laurie Green, a history professor at the University of Texas who specializes in civil rights history.

Whether Coleman's efforts at desegregating Louisiana's largest university played a direct role may or may not be possible to determine. Unless you ask Clevis Parker.

Coleman's son, Conrad, is a Midland

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Minors can no longer use tanning salons

By Jody Serrano
Texas Tribune

When she was 16, Cheri Huber considered her skin splotchy and pasty. She began to go to a tanning salon about three times a week.

"That was the new craze," said Huber, now 40 and living in Kingwood, a suburb near Houston. "There were tanning businesses everywhere. I said, 'This must be cool to do because everybody's doing it.'"

Huber continued her tanning regimen for more than a decade, eventually buying her own personal tanning bed. In 2008, she was diagnosed with melanoma, the most dangerous form of skin cancer.

"I wish I was a little more educated," Huber said about her tanning routine.

The relationship between tanning beds and skin cancer has concerned lawmakers on a state and national level for years, but there has been no consensus on how to address it. The federal government requires tanning bed manufacturers to disclose the risks on warning labels, and some states require youth to have parental consent to tan.

This year, Texas joined a number of states that ban minors from tanning indoors. Senate Bill 329, by state Sens. Joan Huffman, R-Houston, and Sylvia Garcia, D-Houston, takes effect Sept. 1. It overturns the previous law, which allowed certain minors — those between 16 ? and 18 — to tan with parental consent.

Businesses will also be required to keep records of a customer's first three visits, including the customer's skin type, how long the tanning device was used and any injury or illness resulting from using the tanning device.

"You have to take steps to make sure you provide for the public safety," Garcia said. "Drinking, smoking, there are a number of other areas where you want to make sure people know the potential health risks and I think that is a good reason for us to step in."

Garcia's statement echoes a number of experts in the medical community, including the Texas Dermatological Society and the Texas Medical Association, which supported the ban. The measure has drawn the ire of business owners

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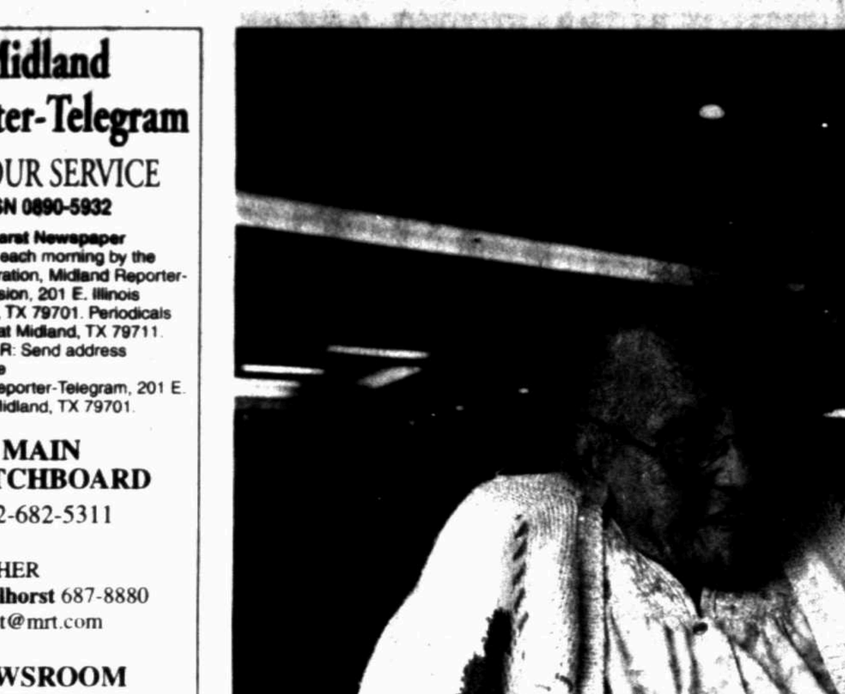
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Jacquelin Finley, right, shows her grandmother Ida Filey, 101, a family photo she recovered during a July 30 visit to the house she grew up in with her grandmother in Dirgin. The Finleys are descendants of slaves holding out against company's attempt to mine East Texas land for coal.

Descendants of slaves hold out against coal mining

By Ramit Plushnick-Masti
Associated Press

DIRGIN — Ida Finley smiles wistfully, recalling how she used to cook for an entire East Texas community — nearly all descendants of slaves. The children would grab cornbread, greens and cookies from her kitchen while their parents grew vegetables in a tiny creekside village hidden among pine forests.

"It's been so long," she mused, gazing at old photos that dot the walls of her nursing home room some 30 miles from Dirgin.

Now, just weeks from her 102nd birthday, Finley faces the prospect of losing the land worked by her husband and his parents, slaves who toiled for a master.

For three years, Luminant Mining Co. has tried to purchase this 9.1-acre plot, which is currently owned by a bevy of relatives spread across the country. The company owns more than 75 percent of the parcel but can't mine it because of a complex inheritance arrangement and the refusal of some family members to let go or accept Luminant's offer.

Luminant said it has negotiated fairly with the owners, offering them more than the land's appraised value, plus full compensation to Ida Finley and her granddaughter for homes they have on the land, which the company said they do not legally own. For the first time in its history, Luminant has sued some of the heirs, asking a court to equitably divide the land or force a settlement.

And some of the Finleys are gearing up for a fight.

"I don't want to sell my family's land. If I were to sell it, they would have to offer me a huge amount of money," said Kay Moore, a Fairfield, Calif., woman who said Luminant offered her $3,000 for her piece of property, which the company said is 1/20 of the remainder.

"It belongs to me, and I'm not willing to part with that," she added, recalling horseback riding trips and meals at Aunt Ida's.

The company has acknowledged the family's emotional ties to the land and said in a statement that it "strived for consistency from owner to owner to maintain our credibility. Most people found our offers to be more than fair."

In many ways, the family's story is about a way of life that disappeared long ago and a town 150 miles east of Dallas that has vanished into modernity.

Brushing the wispy white hairs from Ida Finley's forehead is her granddaughter, Jacquelin Finley — a force behind the battle against Luminant and for preserving something from those long-gone days. Still living on the property in a decaying trailer with patched siding, Jacquelin remembers Dirgin before Luminant's predecessor built the nearby reservoir. This is where Ida Finley, known to her family simply as Big Momma, raised her children and grandchildren and buried her husband.

In the early 1800s, Dirgin, like much of East Texas, consisted of large cotton plantations worked by slaves. In 1865, when the Civil War ended, Union soldiers entered Texas for the first time. The slaves were freed, and some masters sold or gave them land.

Ida Finley said "Old Man Martin," the master, gave her husband's parents more than 100 acres. Luminant said its records show the family bought the land from two Confederate Army veterans. Either way, sometime in the late 1880s, the Finleys came to own land in Dirgin. Living alongside them were other former slave families: the Menefees, Humphreys, Petersons, Barrs and Reeses among them.

When those Finleys — Dick and Puss — died, they left no will, and the parcel was evenly divided among their five children, including Ida's husband, Adolphus.

Ida and Adolphus lived in a small white house with a front porch and a backyard dotted with fruit trees and a basketball hoop. After the crops were harvested, the children played baseball in the cleared fields. On Sundays, they went to church — either in a wagon or by foot.

"It was the best of times," said Jacquelin Finley, who went to live with her grandparents in the early 1960s, when she was a baby.

In the 1970s, life changed.

Just as Jacquelin Finley was bused from Mayflower Elementary to a newly desegregated school in nearby Tatum, Luminant's predecessor moved into the area. It had its eye on a multimillion dollar prize hidden deep beneath the green grass and pine trees: a low grade of coal known as lignite. To profit from it, the company had to uproot trees and build a power plant.

The company bought land. Ida Finley remembers the pressure applied on her husband, who finally sold 9.5 acres for $1,000 — the equivalent today of just over $4,300.

Feeling duped, he spent his final years sitting on his front porch gazing bitterly at the nearby reservoir that had flooded his land. Barely two years later, he died.

"That bothered him all those years until he died," Jacquelin Finley said. "That's my anger. Do I have a right to be angry? Yes. I want to see them go down."

Life went on, though. The power plant was built. People moved away. The church congregations shrunk. Some of the Finleys remained, including Ida and Jacquelin. The crops were gone, but Ida's little white house bustled.

Then, about three years ago, Luminant came knocking. The company said that because Ida's husband died without a will, their children owned the land, and they had sold it to Luminant.

Under Texas law, when a landowner dies without a will, a surviving spouse receives the right to live on part of the land, but ownership passes to blood relatives, usually children.

Ida Finley, Luminant said, owned only the house, its porch now hanging forlornly near overgrown weeds, the steps broken and rotting. The quaint siding is broken and cracked. Looters scattered pictures, stuffed animals, Christmas ornaments, letters, shoes and clothing across the dusty floor, making off with more valuable items, like a refrigerator. Luminant said it offered Ida money for the home, but she declined.

Jacquelin Finley owns only the trailer she lives in, Luminant said, and the company offered her a new trailer and nearly an acre elsewhere. Jacquelin said Sunday that the offer was made only in the past few days, after The Associated Press began asking questions. Either way, she has declined to accept it, and doesn't want to move. And for now Luminant can't force her.

Looking recently at the dirt patch and pile of rubble that remains of the Methodist church she attended as a child, Jacquelin said Luminant would have to give her at least $1 million to leave — enough, she estimates, to fix her grandmother's house and care for her there.

"It's like I'm going against the world, and they're the world because they own everything," she said.

10 years on, tort reform sees suits, payouts drop

Associated Press

AUSTIN — Ten years after the Texas Legislature capped damages in the state's medical malpractice lawsuits, the number of suits and the amounts paid out have fallen sharply.

The Austin American Statesman reported Sunday that state Department of Insurance data shows medical malpractice claims, including lawsuits, resolved in a year fell by nearly two-thirds between 2003 and 2011 to 450. The average payout declined 22 percent to about $199,000.

Supporters of the "tort reform" law said doctors worry less about being sued and have seen their malpractice insurance premiums fall. Opponents counter that tort reform has barred many injured by doctors from going to court or relatives suing after losing a loved one because of medical malpractice.

The law took effect Sept. 1, 2003, and limited damages for pain and suffering in most malpractice cases to $250,000. Texas is one of 31 states to cap damages, though there is no limit on economic damages like reimbursement for medical bills or lost wages.

Advocates argue that excessive jury awards had increased physician insurance premiums so much that many doctors were leaving the state. Supporters also note that before the law, Texas' medical malpractice insurance premiums were rising, especially for specialists in high-risk areas, such as brain surgery.

Physicians began seeing the state's insurance premiums spike in 2000, said Jon Opelt, executive director of the Texas Alliance for Patient Access, a coalition of doctors, health care providers and physician liability insurers. In the four years before the law, the average Texas doctor covered by the state's largest malpractice insurer faced premium increases of 147 percent, according to the Department of Insurance.

Opelt said that since 2003, average malpractice insurance premiums have fallen 46 percent.

Some of the law's fiercest critics, meanwhile, have been trial lawyers, who said those injured or the families of those killed who don't earn a lot of money — including children, retirees, disable people and nursing home patients — can't get attorneys to take their cases because they stand little chance at big payouts.

Lawyers said medical malpractice suits can cost $50,000 to $100,000 to pursue.

But tort reform advocates maintain the law has led to influx of doctors, who are free from higher insurance premiums.

The Texas Medical Association reported that since 2003, the state has licensed more than 28,000 new physicians — about 3,135 per year. That's more than 770 over the average in the nine years before the law capping damages.

Obituaries



Emily Jane Sanders

Emily Jane Sanders of Midland passed away on Saturday, 31 August 2013. Jane was born June 4th, 1925 in Big Spring Texas to Johnnye Bridgewater (Preston) and Jones Lamar. She was the proud granddaughter of Sam Preston a Midland pioneer and rancher. Jane moved with her mother as a young girl to Midland, Texas where she was raised and graduated from Midland High School. She attended Texas Women's University.

She was married to William (Bill) J. Sanders from Pasadena California for 64 years before his passing in 2010. She and her husband were longtime residents of Andrews, Texas for 27 years. The couple raised their three children Angela, William (Sandy) and Richard (Ric) in Andrews. She lost her youngest son Ric at the age of 15. She and her husband also lived in Lamesa, Texas for 7 years eventually settling in Midland Texas. Emily Jane and Bill were charter members of the Andrews Presbyterian Church.

She is survived by her brother Preston Bridgewater of Houston; daughter Angela Goff and her husband, Marion, of Lubbock, Texas; William (Sandy) Sanders, Jr. and his wife, Leslie of New Braunfels, Texas. In addition to her children she is survived by her 8 grandchildren, Scott Goff and his wife Ardelia of Longview Texas; Rodney Hamilton and his wife Krissy of Aledo Texas; Jason Goff and wife Barbie of Weatherford Texas; Michelle Sanders of San Marcos, Texas; Hilary Gugel and her husband Derek of Baltimore, Maryland; Stefanie Sanders of San Marcos, Texas; Christopher Wolff and his wife Lacy of Vicenza, Italy; and Stephanie Wolff of Mammoth Lakes, California. Great grandchildren are Calvin Schmalz from Arlington, Texas; Kade Schmalz of Tomball, Texas; Christopher and Justin Hamilton of Aledo, Texas; Michael and Carson Goff of Weatherford, Texas; Tayden Sanders of San Marcos, Texas; Jackson and Dane Wolff of Vicenza, Italy.

Emily Jane will be buried in the Andrews Memorial Cemetery next to her husband Bill and son Ric. Honorary pallbearers will be Marion Goff, her son-in-law, and her grandsons, Scott Goff, Rodney Hamilton, and Jason Goff. Memorial services have been scheduled for 10:00 A.M., Thursday, September 5, 2013 at the Lake Ridge Chapel Funeral Home in Lubbock, Texas, with a graveside service held at the cemetery in Andrews at 2:00 p.m. that afternoon. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be sent to your charity of choice.

Condolences may be offered at: www.memorialdesigners.net/obituaries/Emily-Sanders

Death Notices

Berry Bannon Kilgore Jr.

Berry "Buck" Bannon Kilgore Jr., 93, of Kermit, died August 29, 2013 at Silver Pines Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Bastrop TX.

Family visitation will be 7:00 to 9:00 p.m., Wednesday, September 4, 2013 with Funeral services scheduled for 1:00 p.m., Thursday, September 5, 2013, both at Eastside Church of Christ. Interment will follow at Kermit Cemetery.

Survivors include his son, Mike Kilgore; one daughter, Judy Jones; two sisters, five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Read Melanie Nicholas Sundays in the Reporter-Telegram

NATIONBRIEFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

PENNSYLVANIA

Crash kills 6, including 2 children

KANE — An SUV crossed into oncoming traffic on a rural northwestern Pennsylvania highway and smashed head-on into another vehicle, killing six people, including two children, authorities said Sunday.

A Jeep Liberty driven by 36-year-old Kathy Douglas, of Kane, crossed the center line at about 4:30 p.m. Saturday and hit an approaching Pontiac Bonneville in the Allegheny National Forest, killing her daughter and nephew, as well as four people in the sedan, state police said.

The four occupants of the car, all residents of nearby St. Marys, died in the crash: the driver, Gary Beimel, 62, and passengers David Cuneo, 54, Elaine Beimel, 55, and Florence Donachy, 81.

Douglas' 6-year-old nephew, Jarrett Costanzo, and 12-year-old daughter, Olivia Douglas, were killed. Douglas and her 10-year-old son were seriously injured.

FLORIDA

Nyad closer to goal on 2nd day of trip from Cuba

KEY WEST — U.S. endurance simmer Diana Nyad's representatives say she's making good progress on the second day of her Cuba to Florida swim.

Her team posted on Facebook on Sunday afternoon that she had "swum farther north than the farthest end point of any of her previous attempts."

During feeding earlier, Nyad mentioned pressure in her lungs. Doctors checked her vitals and reported that her blood pressure was normal and her lungs were clear.

She made it through her first night in the Straits of Florida with almost no sightings of jellyfish.

The 64-year-old is trying to become the first person to swim from Cuba to Florida without a shark cage. It's her fourth attempt in the last three years.

If she's successful this time, she expects to take about 80 hours to reach the Florida Keys.

CALIFORNIA

Sierra wildfire now state's 4th-largest

YOSEMITE NATIONAL PARK — The wildfire burning in and around Yosemite National Park has become the fourth-largest conflagration in modern California history, fire officials said Sunday as clouds and higher humidity helped crews further contain the biggest blaze in the United States this year.

The 2-week-old Rim Fire moved up a spot on the state's list of large wildfires dating back to 1932 when it grew to 348 square miles — an area larger than the cities of San Francisco, Oakland and San Jose combined — on Saturday, California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection spokesman Daniel Berlant said.

Although the fire still is growing, it was 40 percent contained as of Sunday, up from 35 percent a day earlier.

Moister air was expected to slow flames from advancing through brush and trees, giving firefighters room to set backfires, dig containment lines and to strengthen lines around threatened communities, U.S. Forest Service spokeswoman Pam Baltimore said.

Full containment is not expected until Sept. 20.

The blaze started Aug. 17 in the Stanislaus National Forest and two-thirds of the land burned since then is located there as well. In Yosemite, 94 square miles have burned. The cause remains under investigation, Baltimore said.

FLORIDA

Grave excavation continues at reform school site

MARIANNA — On the second day of an excavation project, University of South Florida researchers worked Sunday on two graves at a former reform school in the Florida Panhandle where students say they were abused decades ago.

The researchers continued the slow, painstaking process of unearthing remains in the hopes of identifying those buried at the now-closed Arthur G. Dozier School in the Panhandle. The digging and work will go on through Tuesday.

"We are making really good progress," Erin Kimmerle, the USF anthropologist leading the excavation, said Sunday. Preservation of the remains in the first coffin were good, she said. Cranial and teeth fragments were found, along with coffin hardware such as nails and handles.

The remains of about 50 people are in the graves, she said. Some are marked with a plain, white steel cross, and others have no markings.

"Some are very decorative, which can help come up with a date," she said.

Researchers also hope to learn how the boys died at the school, which opened in 1900 and shut down two years ago for budgetary reasons.

Former inmates at the reform school have detailed horrific beatings at the facility. A group of survivors who call themselves the "White House Boys" called for an investigation into the graves five years ago. In 2010, the Florida Department of Law Enforcement ended an investigation and said it could not substantiate or refute claims that boys died at the hands of staff.

USF later began its own research and discovered more graves. The school worked for months to secure a permit to exhume the remains, finally receiving permission from Gov. Rick Scott and the state Cabinet after being rejected by Secretary of State Ken Detzner, who reports to Scott.

Researchers plan to return to the site after the holiday weekend. The remains will be taken to Tampa to be studied. DNA obtained will be sent for analysis to be matched to relatives. Ten families have contacted researchers in hopes of identifying relatives that might be buried at Dozier.

If matches are found, remains will be returned to the families.

Kimmerle said researchers were working on wet ground from recent rains, which is setting them back in their excavation.

FELONYARRESTS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Robert Collins, 44, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of obstruction or retaliation.

Juan A. Galindo-Villa, 45, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of assault on a public servant.

Jose V. Gutierrez, 52, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a third or more charge of driving while intoxicated and a charge of hindering the apprehension or prosecution of a known felon.

Jassmine Lopez, 22, of Odessa, was arrested Saturday on charges of robbery and hindering the apprehension or prosecution of a known felon.

Jose L. Martinez III, 19, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of assault on a family or household member by impeding breathing.

Robert Mireles Jr., 18, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of possession of a controlled substance less than 1 gram.

Samuel Ortega-Silva Jr., 19, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of tampering or fabricating physical evidence.

Marcus D. Roberts, 49, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of possession of a controlled substance less than 1 gram.

Derrick W. Wilkerson, 20, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of evading arrest or detention with a vehicle.

Source: Midland County Sheriff's Office

Mass. reeling from drug lab scandal a year later

Associated Press

BOSTON — The state is still reeling a year after a scandal at a drug lab threw the legal system into turmoil: More than 330 prison inmates have been released from custody and at least 1,100 cases have been dismissed or not prosecuted because of tainted evidence and other fallout from the facility's closure.

Annie Dookhan stands accused of faking test results, tampering with evidence and routinely ignoring testing protocols.

With thousands of challenges still making their way through the court system, many in the legal community believe it will be years before the cases handled by Dookhan are cleared.

Just two weeks ago, a lawyer appointed by Gov. Deval Patrick to help create a database of Dookhan's cases said more than 40,000 defendants may have been affected, about 6,000 more than officials first estimated.

"Forget having your day in court, forget having a lawyer — it's taken us this long just to get a number on the number of cases that she tested," said Matthew Segal, legal director of the American Civil Liberties Union of Massachusetts.

"It's been very damaging to the integrity of the justice system," he said.

Dookhan, 35, treasured her reputation as the most productive chemist in the lab and became the go-to person for prosecutors in drug cases.

But now prosecutors believe Dookhan's reputation was based on fraud. She told state police that instead of testing all the substances turned over to the Department of Public Health lab, she sometimes would test only a fraction of them but certify them all as drugs, authorities said. She has pleaded not guilty and her lawyer hasn't responded to repeated requests for comment.

The scandal led to the resignation of the state's public health commissioner, the resignation of a manager at the lab and the firing of another manager.

The effects have reverberated throughout the state.

The state's public defender said the number of affected cases could be even higher because management and protocol lapses at the lab may have allowed other chemists to cut corners or falsify results. Defense attorneys say all test results at the lab over the last decade should be questioned.

In Suffolk County, which includes Boston, 240 defendants have been released by judges who agreed to put their sentences on hold or reduce their bail for pending cases. About 60 of those released have since been arrested on new charges.

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TODAY IN MIDLAND

Today is Labor Day

Labor Day is annually held on the first Monday of September. It was originally organized to celebrate various labor associations' strengths of and contributions to the United States economy. It is largely a day of rest in modern times. Many people mark Labor Day as the end of the summer season and a last chance to make trips or hold outdoor events.

Source: http://www.timeanddate.com

Community calendar

■ The 56th annual Labor Day Celebration is planned for 11:30 a.m. today at Slator Community Center, West 38th and Pleasant streets, in Odessa.

The event, sponsored by the Permian Basin Central Labor Union, will include games, food and speakers.

For more information, call 563-0583.

■ U.S. Rep. Mike Conaway is planning a town hall meeting 5:30 p.m. Tuesday at Midland County Public Library Centennial branch, 2503 W. Loop 250 N.

The meeting is open to the public.

Not open today

The following is a list of offices that are not open today.

■ Post offices

■ County and city offices and services (except for emergency personnel)

■ Financial Institutions

■ Schools

Call for models

The Midland Convention & Visitors Bureau is looking for a range of models for Midland photo and video shoots between 9 a.m. and noon Wednesday, between 2:30 and 8 p.m. Thursday and between 1:30 and 7 p.m. Sept. 26.

Models must live in the West Texas area and be able to provide their own transportation to and from locations throughout the city of Midland. Those who are interested and will be available at least four hours during the times listed, may send the a full body shot, along with age, name and phone number to Brenda@visitmidlandtexas.com. Those interested can also apply online at www.visitmidlandtexas.com/model.

Compensation will be a $30 Wal-Mart gift card, snacks and free tickets to tour the George W. Bush Childhood Home.

Photos and video coverage could be chosen to promote Midland as a destination on the CVB website, brochures and advertisements.

For more information, contact Brenda Kissko at 686-3567 or Brenda@visitmidlandtexas.com.

Recycling container locations

Large 30-cubic yard open top containers:

Midland Citizens Collection Station — 4100 Smith Road, 685-7278 — has recycling containers for cardboard, aluminum, paper and No. 1 and No. 2 plastics.

■ Grande Communication Stadium — Cardboard, paper No. 1 and 2 plastics

■ Wal-Mart Supercenter — 200 West Interstate 20 — Cardboard, paper and No. 1 and 2 plastics

■ Midland College (Chaparral Center) — 3200 N. Garfield Road — Cardboard, paper, aluminum and No. 1 and 2 plastics

■ Citibank Ballpark west side — 5514 Champions Drive — Cardboard, No. 1 and 2 plastics

■ H-E-B — 3325 W. Wadley Ave. — No. 1 and 2 plastics and cardboard

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

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

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

For more information call Keep Midland Beautiful at 687-7400 or visit KMB's website at keepmidlandbeautiful.org.

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Today in history

The Associated Press

Today is Monday, Sept. 2, the 245th day of 2013. There are 120 days left in the year. This is Labor Day.

Today's highlight:

On Sept. 2, 1945, Japan formally surrendered in ceremonies aboard the USS Missouri in Tokyo Bay, ending World War II.

On this date:

In 1789, the U.S. Treasury Department was established.

In 1864, during the Civil War, Union Gen. William T. Sherman's forces occupied Atlanta.

In 1901, Vice President Theodore Roosevelt offered the advice, "Speak softly and carry a big stick" in a speech at the Minnesota State Fair.

In 1935, a Labor Day hurricane slammed into the Florida Keys, claiming more than 400 lives.

In 1963, Alabama Gov. George C. Wallace prevented the integration of Tuskegee High School by encircling the building with state troopers.

Today's birthdays: Pro and College Football Hall of Famer Terry Bradshaw is 65. International Tennis Hall of Famer Jimmy Connors is 61. Actor Keanu Reeves is 49.

Vodafone confirms late-stage talks with Verizon

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Vodafone says it is in advanced talks to sell its 45 percent stake of Verizon Wireless back to the U.S. cellphone service provider for $130 billion in cash and stock, a deal which would be the second-largest acquisition deal on record if it goes through.

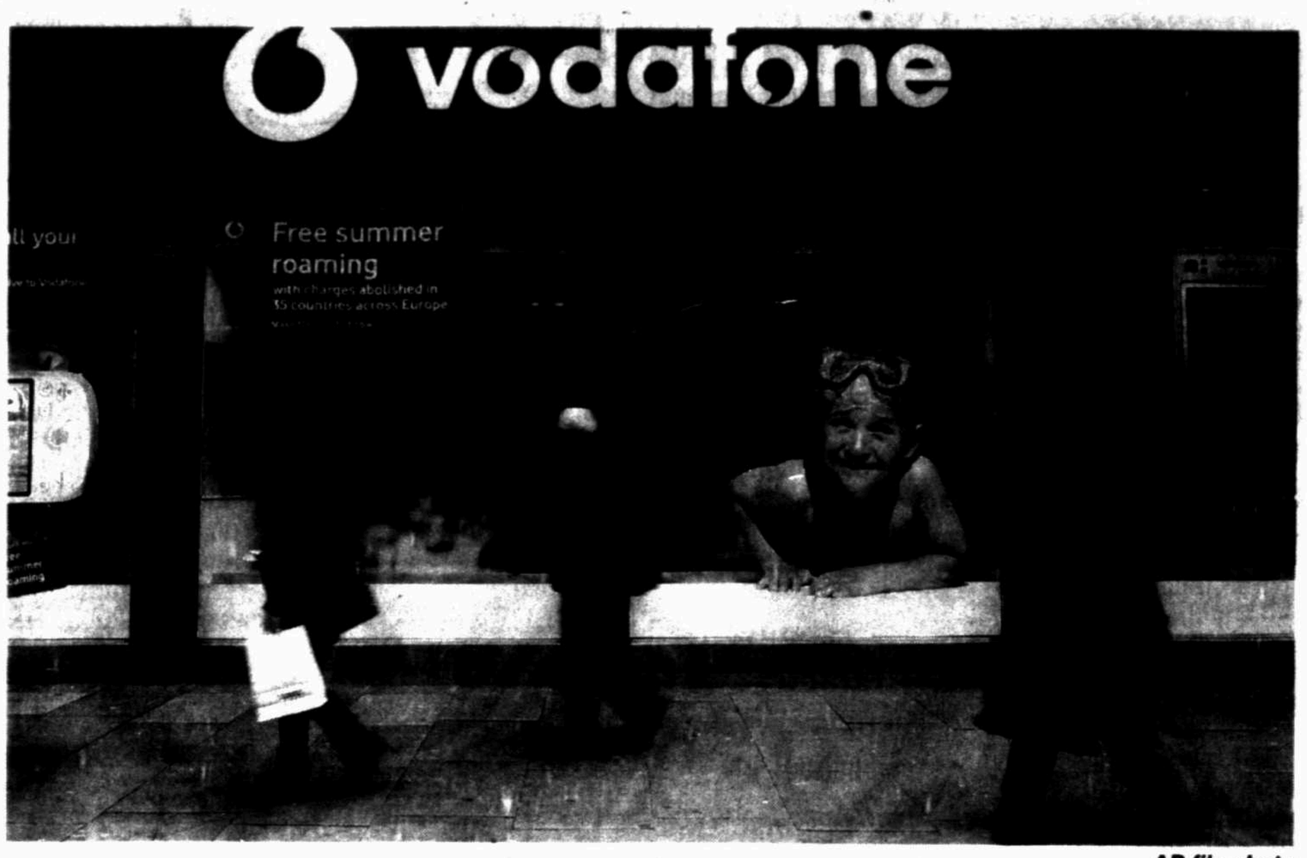
If an agreement is reached, Verizon would own its wireless business outright after buying the stake back from British cellphone company Vodafone PLC.

Vodafone said in a statement on Sunday there is no certainty that a final deal will be reached. Verizon Communications Inc. declined to comment.

The buyout, if finalized, would be second only to Vodafone's $172 billion acquisition of Mannesmann AG in 2000, according to research firm Dealogic.

It would give Vodafone PLC additional cash to pursue its expansion ambitions in Europe. It would also give Verizon Communications the opportunity to boost its quarterly earnings, as it would no longer have to share a portion of proceeds from the nation's No. 1 wireless carrier with Vodafone.

The potential deal isn't expected to have much of an effect on Verizon consumers or on the company's operations. Vodafone had little influence on Verizon Wireless' day-to-day operations, and the two companies have kept out of each other's territory.



AP file photo

People walk by a branch of Vodafone in central London in 2009. Britain's Vodafone PLC, one of the world's largest mobile phone companies, confirmed Thursday that it was in discussions with Verizon Communications to sell its operations in the United States. The British wireless provider is mulling its options for its 45 percent stake in the U.S.'s Verizon Wireless, of which Verizon Communications owns the other 55 percent. Analysts have suggested that Verizon wants to pay around $100 billion for Vodafone's stake, although reports have said that U.K. group is pressing for as much as $130 billion.

The Verizon-Vodafone partnership started in 2000, when what was then Bell Atlantic combined its East Coast wireless network with Vodafone's operations on the West Coast. Vodafone had entered the U.S. market a year earlier by outbidding Bell Atlantic to buy AirTouch Communications Inc. of San Francisco.

Verizon has had a long-standing interest in buying out its partner, but the two companies haven't agreed on a price. Analysts said Verizon wanted to pay around $100 billion for Vodafone's stake, while Vodafone has been pressing for $130 billion.

Vodafone is already one of the world's largest cellphone companies.

After soft-opening, 2014 election races to heat up

Associated Press

AUSTIN — The Republican candidates for Texas' top offices have had their soft openings; Labor Day marks the beginning of the real campaign season.

Now that the March primary is six months away, it's time for one of the most wide-open elections in a decade to begin picking up steam, at least for Republicans. Only one Democrat has announced for statewide office.

But in a red state like Texas, where no Democrat has won statewide in 20 years, the Republican primary is where the action is. There are 22 candidates for the top eight jobs, six of which have no incumbent.

So far Attorney General Greg Abbott has only one challenger for the governor's mansion: Tom Pauken, a Vietnam veteran, former Reagan administration official and until recently the Texas Workforce commissioner. Abbott is well in the lead in the money race with more than $20 million to Pauken's roughly $100,000.

Abbott isn't taking any chances, though, making public appearances across the state to meet with the Republican mainstream and tea party activists alike. He's also raising more money, since political operatives say the minimum buy-in for the general election is $40 million between now and Nov. 4, 2014.

The races farther down the ticket are far more competitive, and therefore potentially more dramatic.

Lt. Gov. David Dewhurst goes into his re-election bid weakened by a 2012 election loss to U.S. Sen. Ted Cruz and the alleged embezzlement of $2.3 million by a former campaign manager of donated money. The former CIA officer also got into hot water when he called a suburban police department to see if he could get his step-niece released after she was arrested for shoplifting.

Cruz identified Dewhurst's vulnerable right flank, prompting state Sen. Dan Patrick, Land Commissioner Jerry Patterson and Agriculture Commissioner Todd Staples to jump into the race to prove they are the most conservative. Dewhurst has attempted to win favor by hiring tea party veterans to help with his campaign and making sure anti-abortion restriction became law. But that's not enough for those who insist he should no longer preside over the Texas Senate.

Patrick, a Houston radio host, has invoked "the Holy Bible" to oppose a San Antonio ordinance that would ban discrimination against homosexuals. Patterson is best known as the author of Texas' concealed handgun law, while Staples has made hawkish policies on border security and immigration his signature issues.

All of Dewhurst's challengers complain about his poor leadership over the last decade, but Dewhurst points out that the state's economic growth — even through the Great Recession — occurred under his watch.

The third most important job in state government is arguably the attorney general office, which Abbott has left open for either state Rep. Dan Branch, state Sen. Ken Paxton or Railroad Commissioner Barry Smitherman to compete for in the Republican primary. All three men are promising to sue to block the Obama administration's policies with the same vigor that Abbott did.

There are four Republican candidates for state comptroller, the state's top revenue and disbursement officer. State Sen. Glenn Hegar from Katy, Kerrville state Rep. Harvey Hilderbran, tea party activist Debra Medina and former Corpus Christ state Rep. Raul Torres have all promised to bring conservative innovations to the office.

For these top posts, all the candidates have lengthy experience in Texas politics, but the other races offer some fresh faces, the most high-profile being George P. Bush, nephew of former President George W. Bush, making his first bid for elected office for land commissioner.

One word none of the candidates mention is moderate, unless they are using it to describe their opponents. Presumably based on polling of Republican primary voters, all of them are claiming to be authentic, conservative fighters who oppose the Obama administration in general and the Affordable Care Act in particular.

With so many candidates for these top jobs, they know the odds of winning outright are thin and many will concentrate on getting into a two-candidate run-off. That means the candidates will need to differentiate themselves from one another, and that usually comes in the form of attack ads. By February, many television viewers will be longing for the dog-days of summer.

Naval Academy sex assault case continues

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Defense attorneys for three U.S. Naval Academy midshipmen charged with sexually assaulting a fellow student finished lengthy cross-examination of the woman on Sunday.

She testified that Midshipman Josh Tate, one of the men charged in the case, told her shortly after an April 2012 party that the two had sex after she had been drinking heavily. She said that during a subsequent phone call he said he'd only been kidding about having sex with her.

Tate, 21; Eric Graham, 21; and Tra'ves Bush, 22, are accused of sexually assaulting the woman at an alcohol-fueled off-campus party.

The woman has testified that she has no memory of having sex with any of the three men, but later was told by Tate that the two had sex. She said he also told her she had a sexual encounter with Graham.

She has said she only learned of what happened after hearing gossip that she had slept with multiple partners at the house where football players gathered. That prompted her to ask Tate whether they had sex that night. She testified that Tate responded that they had sex and joked that perhaps he should refresh her memory.

An attorney for Tate also replayed a brief recorded telephone conversation between the woman and Tate that occurred roughly a week after the party in April 2012.

TANNING

From 1A

and industry leaders who say the government has no place telling people whether or not to tan.

Jeffrey Gershenwald, the medical director of the Melanoma and Skin Center at the University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center in Houston, said there is clear evidence that using a tanning bed increases the risk of melanoma.

Melanoma develops when skin cells are damaged by ultraviolet radiation and turn into malignant tumors. It is treatable in early stages but can be deadly if it spreads to other parts of the body.

In 2009, the World Health Organization classified tanning beds as carcinogenic, meaning they have a direct link to cancer. That same year, 61,646 people in the U.S. were diagnosed with melanomas of the skin, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and 9,199 died from the condition.

Using indoor tanning facilities before age 18 increases the melanoma risk by 85 percent, Gershenwald said.

"The challenge is when melanoma develops, it can be completely without any symptoms," he said. "It's not something that one would necessarily feel pain from or other kinds of symptoms other than a change in a mole or a new mole."

Joseph Levy, a scientific advisor to the American Suntanning Association, said the new law would force businesses to close and lead some to tan without supervision, which could increase sunburns and, subsequently, cases of skin cancer.

"If you're going to tell people sunshine is bad for them, you may as well tell them air is harmful," he said.

Levy said the scientific evidence linking melanoma to tanning beds was misleading because researchers often included tanning beds used in homes and doctors' offices in addition to those at salons.

Zach Medlin, who owns Aruba Tan in Austin, said most of his clients are college students. He said that the ban would not immediately affect his business, but that it would have an impact on him in the long run because there will be fewer tanners.

"They're going to know it's been illegal since they were under 18 and think, 'It's really bad for me,'" Medlin said.

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native who is a pharmaceutical salesman covering a wide area of West Texas. About three years ago, he called on a new doctor, Clevis Parker, an African-American who now specializes in hospice care and palliative medicine in Abilene.

When Conrad Coleman walked into Parker's office, he saw that hanging on the wall was a medical degree — from Louisiana State University. Coleman quietly studied it for several moments.

"Dr. Parker looked and me and asked me if I was OK," Coleman said. "I told him my mother's story."

The two talked and Parker eventually introduced Coleman to his family. When he did, the doctor told them, "This man's mother is the reason I was able to go to medical school at LSU."

Like scores of other stories about Viola Coleman, she took her civil rights battle against LSU to her grave when she died Oct. 15, 2005. She never discussed her groundbreaking crusade with her children. Conrad Coleman learned about the incident after her death when the family found letters in a box in the attic in her home.

Coleman would have turned 94 on Sept. 25.

Patterson's book, "A History of Character: The Story of Midland, Texas" will be completed this year.

CRASH

From 1A

near Mid-Cities Community Church. Midland police and fire departments responded at about midnight to a collision between a maroon SUV and a black car, according to previous Reporter-Telegram articles.

Both vehicles were traveling west on Highway 191 when the car attempted to change lanes and exit the highway. The car struck the SUV, causing it to roll several times before landing in the eastbound lanes of Highway 191. The driver of the SUV, 20-year-old Dustin Wigington, of Odessa, was declared dead at the scene, according to previous reports.

Before that crash, a Midland man died Aug. 2 in a wreck at Faudree Road and Business 20. A white pickup pulling a utility trailer was southbound on Faudree Road at about 9 a.m. Aug. 2 when the driver attempted to turn left onto Business 20. Police said the pickup failed to yield the right of way, and a westbound car on Business 20 struck the back left part of the pickup, according to the press release.

The car's driver — a 33-year-old Midland man — died. The pickup's driver, who was transported to the Medical Center Hospital with non-life-threatening injuries, was arrested on a state felony charge of criminally negligent homicide, according to previous reports. He posted his $25,000 bond and was released from Ector County Detention Center on Aug. 3.

FAMU band back at football game after suspension

Associated Press

ORLANDO, Fla. — Nearly two years after a drum major's hazing death silenced the music at Florida A&M football games, the famed Marching 100 band returned to the field Sunday with its familiar booms, drum rattles and other tones for the school's season-opener.

It was the band's first game appearance since a season-long suspension. The scrutiny following Robert Champion's 2011 death thrust the school into the national spotlight and led to more than a dozen arrests and the resignation of top officials.

As the band marched into the Florida Citrus Bowl, fans stood and cheered, and some had tears in their eyes. Alumni said they celebrated the reappearance of a school symbol whose absence caused a core of its fan base to stay away on game days.

"They did have to be punished — if you want to say that," 1985 FAMU graduate Cedric Crawford said. "But it's great to have them back.

"It's almost not football season without the band — especially at FAMU," he said.

Champion died in Orlando in November 2011 after he collapsed from what prosecutors call a savage beating during a hazing ritual. It happened on a bus parked in a hotel parking lot after FAMU's final football game that season.

At 126 members, the band that returned Sunday was much smaller — there were more than 400 at the time of the suspension. The band's return began with the pregame national anthem and continued with a halftime show that brought two packed decks of FAMU fans to their feet.

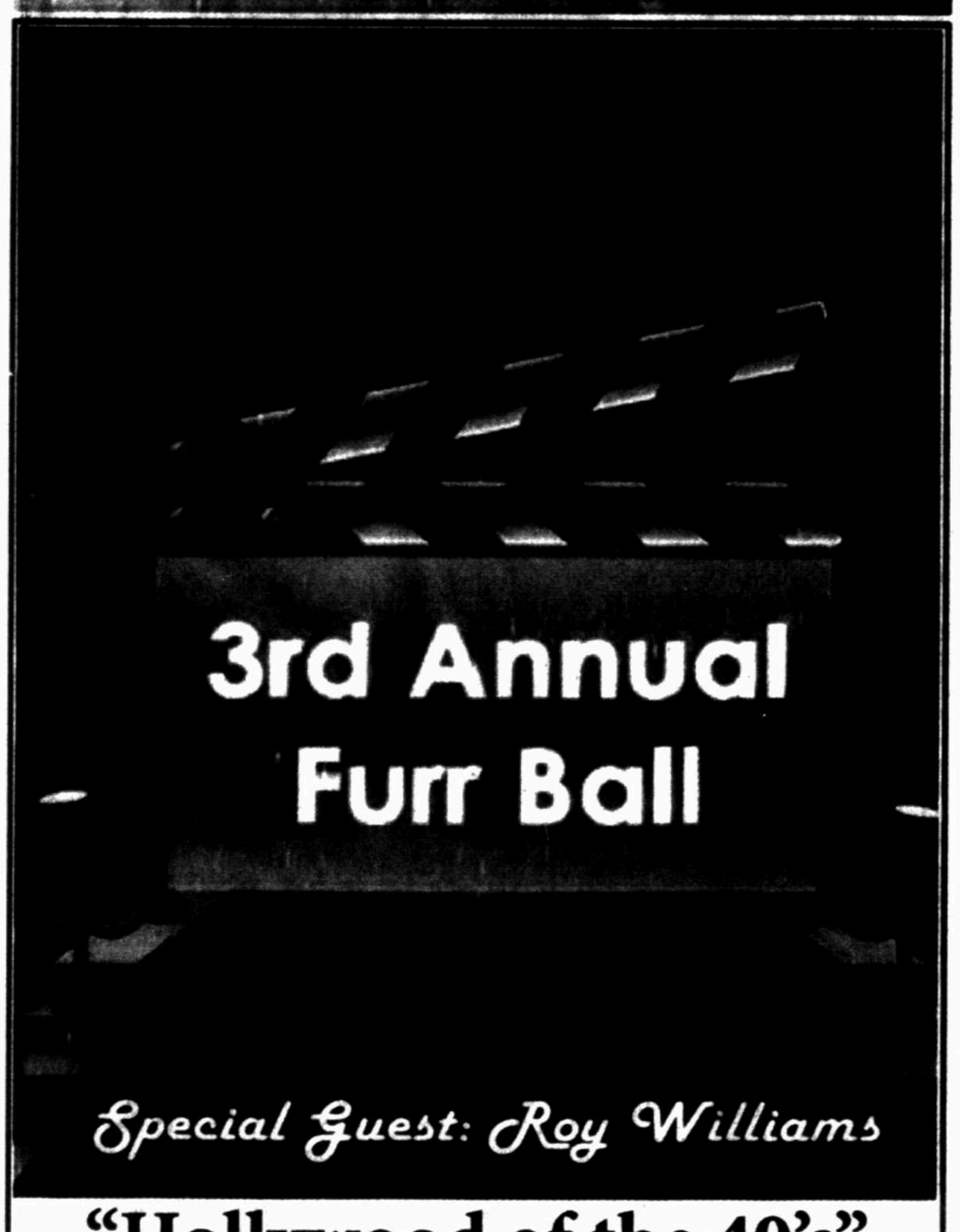
"It's a new day," FAMU band announcer Joe Bullard said as the performance began. "Size does not matter. The sound is clear."

But from afar, Champion's family viewed the performance as a rushed return for a band they say has yet to transition away from a longstanding hazing culture.

"It's too soon for the band to be back on the field simply because there is nothing to indicate the safety of student is being considered at all," Champion's mother, Pam Champion told The Associated Press in a phone interview from her home in Decatur, Ga. "I still feel there has been a rush to put the band on the field and that rush ... has to do with finance. They are putting profit before safety."

In addition to the suspension, Champion's death led to the departure of the band's longtime director; the abrupt resignation of the university's president, James Ammons.





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Will GOP be on the right side of racial inclusion?

■ There are steps Republican lawmakers can take to show they are not just writing off minorities



WILLIAM MCKENZIE
Dallas Morning News

Interestingly, just three years before Martin Luther King Jr. delivered his famous speech from the Lincoln Memorial, the GOP nominee for president had received praise from MLK with whom he had developed a complicated, but surprising relationship by today's standards. Richard Nixon went on to win 32 percent of the black vote that year, much like Dwight Eisenhower had won 38 percent in 1956.

Since then, Republican presidential candidates have not received more than 15 percent of the black vote. That drop-off shows how far the Republican Party has fallen in the eyes of African-Americans.

Of course, there have been Republicans who, long after Lincoln, promoted rights and opportunities for African-Americans and, most recently, Latinos. George W. Bush nominated the first and second African-American secretaries of state. He also signed the 2007 extension of the Voting Rights Act, which the Supreme Court recently questioned. And he famously championed an overhaul of immigration laws that would have led to illegal immigrants earning citizenship. And before Bush, his father signed the 1991 Civil Rights Act. And before that, Bush's father had voted for the Fair Housing Act while in Congress, which was not a popular move in his Houston district.

Along with the Bushes, there have been Republicans such as Edward Brooke, Mark Hatfield, Charles Percy, John Anderson, Everett Dirksen and Gerald Ford who were progressive in their votes on race. In fact, the Johnson White House worked closely with Senate Minority Leader Dirksen in passing some of the major civil rights laws of the middle 1960s. And Nixon himself embraced affirmative action, which mostly took off under his administration.

So, there is a tradition within the post-war GOP of embracing individual rights, racial equality and the expansion of freedom. You see legislators such as John McCain and Lindsey Graham carrying it on now with their support of a fair, humane immigration policy, much like Bush pushed for as president.

Yet, at the same time, you see plenty of anti-government Republicans who are wedded to a conservatism that doesn't allow for much use of the tools of government to expand human freedom. Ted Cruz is a perfect example. The firebrand Texas senator is not only carrying on the anti-government message that led many Republicans to oppose civil rights laws, but he has been squarely out front against the Senate's immigration bill.

The question is will enough other Republicans act the way the Nixons, Dirksens and Bushes did in realizing the party could benefit from appealing to minority voters? Here are three ways they could broaden their message:

■ Start working on a way to redefine Section Four of the Voting Rights Act. The Supreme Court has taken heat for striking down that part of the law, but I think the justices were right in doing so. That section of the law was still using data from the middle 1960s to determine which states must get any voting law changes approved by Washington. The world has changed quite a bit since then, so we should update it.

A lot of folks think that congressional Republicans will just sit on this case and not make any attempt to redefine the standards that would qualify a state for pre-clearance of its voting law changes. So, here's the chance to prove them wrong. Make a good-faith effort to modernize the criteria. Democrats won't like a lot of their ideas but force a discussion. Simply doing nothing will only perpetuate the image of Republicans being oblivious to the challenges minority voters face.

■ Keep pushing for a way to get an immigration bill through Congress. I am satisfied with the Senate bill and am glad that Republicans like McCain and Graham helped negotiate it. But it is clear that a lot of House Republicans don't like its inclusion of a pathway to citizenship for illegal immigrants.

OK, here too, instead of doing nothing, what alternative can be thrown into the mix? This is where the largely silent bipartisan coalition of House members who have been working on an immigration fix for some time could make a huge difference. Here's a chance for U.S. Rep. Sam Johnson, R-Texas, to break the ice with perhaps a tougher way to get to citizenship or regularization of an immigrant's status.

■ Stand up for a common education policy. Bush 43 extended the role of Washington in education through No Child Left Behind. He was right to do so because state standards were pretty iffy when he was elected. Today, schools now must worry about kids who are struggling to meet their state's standards because of No Child.

Unfortunately, a number of Republicans want to dismantle that law and take Washington out of the standards business. That would be a bad mistake. It would be better to follow the lead of Republicans like Jeb Bush, John Kasich and Chris Christie, who have supported a national set of standards through the Common Core initiative.

But if they won't go in that direction, Republicans ought to make a stand in their states for strong standards. Republicans in our Legislature didn't do that this year. But if No Child gets tossed aside, there will be many chances for Republicans in other states to stand up for kids who may easily get overlooked.

In each of these areas, the work will be messy, just as it was when leaders like Dirksen got involved in civil rights laws. He wasn't always altruistic, nor right in his work. But he did come out on the right side of history.

And that is what Republicans today must think about. America is becoming more diverse. There is no stopping that. So, will enough modern Republicans get that reality and try to position their party so it can be part of this shift?

They have forebearers to follow, if they will.

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OUR VIEW

We thank those who work and make Labor Day easy for the rest of us

Today is Labor Day — the unofficial end of summer and a day to pay "tribute to the contributions workers have made to the strength, prosperity and well-being of our country," according to the U.S. Department of Labor's website. The day became a national holiday when Congress passed an act on June 28, 1894, dedicating the first Monday in September as Labor Day.

Midland has an extensive workforce — more than 96,000 people, according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics. And it's a workforce that grew by 6.2 percent between July 2012 and July 2013, thanks to the price of oil.

A good portion of this workforce is off today. But there are people hard at work: first responders, restaurant and retail workers, doctors and nurses and oilfield workers.

We want to thank these Midlanders who are on the job today, as well as those who work on other holidays throughout the year, serving the rest of the community.

Some people may be working to earn the extra holiday pay — a big help in this booming economy. Those who are single may volunteer for the holiday shifts to allow co-workers to spend the day with their families. And still others may be working because it's their scheduled day to work.

Whatever the reason, we appreciate the effort made by these employees so the rest of Midland can enjoy a day off.

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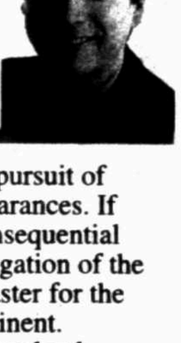
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Civil rights leaders degrade the dream

■ The Al Sharptons of today's movement appear more interested in cashing and manfacturing catastrophes



RICH LOWRY
King Features Syndicate

Every mass movement in America, the philosopher Eric Hoffer once wrote, becomes a racket in the end.

And he hadn't even witnessed the full course of the civil-rights movement. If the 50th anniversary of the March on Washington is a time for taking stock, the score is clear. The Dream was a glorious triumph, changing America forever and making it more just. The contemporary civil-rights movement, partly as a consequence, is an intellectually exhausted disgrace.

It is the victim of its own success. No longer confronted by a system of American apartheid and incapable of simply saying "We won," it subsists largely on imagined slights and manufactured controversies unrelated to the welfare of real people.

Somewhere along the line, the movement took on all the moral majesty of an effort to extort contributions from corporations, a favorite tactic of Jesse Jackson. The Congressional Black Caucus, for its part, is a sponge for business money, making it "a fund-raising juggernaut," in the words of a New York Times report.

The difference between the movement then and now is the difference between confronting grave injustices and coming up with excuses for your latest press release; the difference between connecting to the nation's profoundest ideals and reflexively agitating for more government activism; the difference between a calling and a career.

As Roger Clegg of the Center for Equal Opportunity notes, from Martin Luther King Jr. to Al Sharpton is the personification of the Karl Marx line that history repeats itself, first as tragedy, then as farce. Great challenges call for great men; frivolous times call for late-afternoon cable-TV hosts who are fodder for "Saturday Night Live" parodies.

King did his work under clear and present physical threat. He had a well-developed moral philosophy, based on a profound engagement with the biblical prophets and Reinhold Niebuhr. He wasn't merely glib, but truly eloquent, a practiced Baptist preacher who wedded the cadences of the Bible to the nation's founding ideals under the unbearable pressure of historic events.

Then there's Sharpton, whose career is a catalog of the ridiculous and outrageous in pursuit of newspaper clips and cable-TV appearances. If there were genuinely something consequential at stake, as in the fight against segregation of the mid-20th century, it would be a disaster for the country that Al Sharpton is so prominent.

But that fight is won, no matter how loath King's self-appointed heirs are to admit it. At his speech at the Mall, Sharpton said Jim Crow has been vanquished, but now the struggle continues against James Crow Jr., ESQ. The old Jim Crow knocked down protesters with high-pressure fire hoses; the new one asks everyone to bring an ID when he or she votes. The apple has fallen very far from the tree.

In his own speech, President Barack Obama cited people serving the community or otherwise demonstrating kindness or regard for others and declaimed that they "are marching," just like those marchers in 1963. This is a strained metaphor in the service of a deep misunderstanding. These people aren't marching; they are living admirable lives in a society where the civil-rights marches of yore are no longer necessary. Surely that's the point.

What the contemporary civil-rights establishment can't acknowledge is that cultural breakdown has more to do with the struggles of blacks than any officially sanctioned discrimination. To his credit, Obama says as much at times. It is one of the reasons that Jesse Jackson in 2008 thought he was "talking down to people," and mused on an open mic about performing an anatomically sensitive operation on the presidential candidate.

Fifty years ago, a movement using self-sacrificing tactics fought and defeated racism in the streets and in the halls of power. Today, its successors use the charge of racism to try to shut down all argument and deflect uncomfortable conversations. They aren't a testament to the legacy of a great movement so much as to its degeneration.

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4 of 5 schools beef up policy after Penn State scandal

By Eddie Pells
Associated Press

As they watched Penn State struggle to contain a child sex-abuse scandal that ruined its once-pristine name and took down the mightiest of college coaches, schools around the country realized they needed to examine what they were doing so they wouldn't see their reputations destroyed, as well.

At Mississippi, administrators passed a rule stating nobody 18 or over could have one-on-one contact with a minor.

At Kansas, they rewrote the language in their bylaws stating, in no uncertain terms, that any employee who didn't comply with rules about reporting sex crimes could be fired.

To keep better tabs on who comes and goes from its campus, Stanford started running all its kids camps in-house instead of letting coaches run them independently.

And Southern California brought in none other than Louis Freeh, the former FBI director who wrote the report on the failings at Penn State, to brief top brass on what good policies and rules should look like.

In all, 55 of 69 BCS football schools — 79.7 percent of those playing at the highest level in college — either reviewed or strengthened their policies regarding minors on campus in the wake of the case involving Jerry Sandusky, an Associated Press review found.

"The conversation started the minute the Penn State situation was made public," said Mississippi associate athletic director Lynnette Johnson, who called the 18-and-over policy the lynchpin of the changes at their campus in Oxford, Miss. "We've been looking at our policies for quite some time and we wanted to build something that's comprehensive, manageable and can actually be enforced."

While schools were rewriting their rules, no fewer than 32 state governments were also reviewing their statutes, with at least 18 of those adopting new laws, most of them adding university employees and volunteers to the list of those required to report child sex abuse.

In November 2011, Sandusky, the former Penn State assistant coach, was arrested on 40 child sexual abuse counts. Additional counts were included in December, and some were dropped at the start of his trial. In the end, he was convicted on 45 of those counts and is serving a prison term of 30 to 60 years. Within days of his arrest, coach Joe Paterno was fired and the school president, Graham Spanier, was forced out.

A July 2012 report authored by Freeh detailed the flaws at Penn State and offered recommendations for change at the university. Penn State established a "Progress" website detailing the multiple changes it is making in response to the scandal and the report.

But Penn State was hardly the only school that performed an unflinching review of its policies.

The AP canvassed the 69 schools in the BCS conferences in 2012, along with Notre Dame, and found that, in addition to the 55 that said they reviewed or changed their rules in response to the Sandusky case, another 12 had recently done that work in response to a push from the U.S. Department of Education, or because of incidents that occurred on their own campuses or laws passed in their states.

"We didn't want to be in a position where we could say it couldn't happen here," said Mark Land, spokesman at Indiana University, one of the universities that reviewed and beefed up its policies. "Penn State is a great university and does great things, and it happened there, so we felt like if we didn't learn something from Penn State, that was on us."

Two schools, Oklahoma and South Carolina, reported no action: South Carolina sent AP a copy of its sexual-harassment policy, last revised in 2010; Oklahoma said its policies are under constant scrutiny, though events elsewhere don't trigger changes.

Not that rules can prevent everything. Before the scandal at Penn State, the university had a long list of rules on the books that were in line with what existed at other schools. Despite that, the Freeh Report noted that 234 of 735 coaches paid to work at summer sports camps in 2009 didn't have their required background checks completed before their camp began.

David Finkelhor of the University of New Hampshire's Crimes Against Children Research Center said anecdotes like that help explain why new policies and laws are important, but maybe not as important as the light shed on the issue of child sex abuse because of the Sandusky case.

"I don't think the problem at Penn State was that they didn't have enough rules, or that they didn't have a mandatory law that required this reporting," Finkelhor said. "I think the problem was that they didn't have a higher level of awareness about the problem itself and they thought they could kind of get away with the way they were handling it."

In searching the states, AP reporters across the country checked databases from the last two years of legislation. The AP also referred to the National Conference of State Legislatures, which has tracked Sandusky-related bills.

In Florida, the Legislature passed what many are calling the most expansive reporting law in the country. It includes fines of up to $1 million on any university whose administration or campus police knowingly fail to report child abuse on campus. Several campuses around the state reacted, as well.

"As an institution, we had very sound policies in place," Miami athletic director Blake James said. "I think it was obviously a real reminder to everyone of the need to make sure that all policies are being followed, and in certain cases there was the elevation of analysis that was put in place."

The overwhelming number of schools and states that made changes in a relatively short amount of time runs counter to the normally slow-moving wheels of state governments and university boardrooms. The action reflects what Mark Chaffin, who directs research at the Center on Child Abuse and Neglect at University of Oklahoma, said was a much-needed continuation of moves to protect children that have been triggered by sex scandals at child-serving organizations, including the Catholic church and the Boy Scouts.

"Given everything that's been in the news, it's not too surprising that universities would start to put out some policies and do some education," Chaffin said.

When the universities did their reviews, some administrators were surprised at the number of minors who come to their campuses for a variety of programs that extend well beyond football camps.

At Minnesota, for instance, up to 300,000 minors visit campus — 114,000 of them for 4H club events. A 10-year review of campus crime statistics there revealed four cases involving minors. One of those cases resulted in charges in 2000 when the victim came forward.

"We thought this was a pretty safe place," university general counsel Bill Donohue said.

Nevertheless, the school beefed up its policy and added language that specifically applied to the safety of minors on campus.

In Texas, state legislators passed guidelines in 2011 — before the Sandusky case made headlines — for minors attending camps. The law applied to camps with at least 20 campers who spend four days on campus.

"That's a big loophole," Texas Tech athletic department spokesman Blayne Beal said. "We wanted more stringent than that."

So, in May, the school passed a tougher rule putting the guidelines in place for any program that brings minors in, regardless of the number of children or duration of their stay.

"I think everybody took a look at themselves and what they were doing, what they weren't doing, to make sure that the policies they had in place were the best for young people and were best to protect the institution," Beal said.

In addition to bringing in Freeh, who has a child enrolled at the Los Angeles school, USC also hired an outside consultant who helped put in place an awareness campaign for people on facilities staff and janitors — the so-called "first eyes" — who might be the first to witness a crime involving children.

At Auburn, and a handful of other schools, the review found departments across campus had several rules on the books but had never consolidated them in one place.

"Unfortunately, at times, it takes a shocking event happening somewhere else to make you aware that you may have some deficiencies that need looking into yourself," said Chris O'Gwynn, who heads Auburn's risk management and safety department. "Penn State did cause us to want to look at that and do something from a generalized campus approach."

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David Frost, known for Nixon interview, dies at 74

By Sylvia Hut
Associated Press



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Former President Richard M. Nixon, right, is shown with broadcaster David Frost in California in this 1977 file photo. Frost died Saturday.

LONDON — David Frost had sparred with Richard Nixon for hours, recording a series of interviews with the former president three years after he stepped down in disgrace over Watergate. But as the sessions drew to a close, Frost realized he still lacked something: an acknowledgement by Nixon that he had been wrong.

Nixon had admitted making mistakes, but Frost put down his clipboard and pressed his subject on whether that was enough. Americans, he said, wanted to hear him own up to his misdeeds and acknowledge abusing the power of the White House.

"Unless you say it, you're going to be haunted for the rest of your life," the British broadcaster told Nixon.

What came next were some of the most extraordinary comments ever made by a politician on television. For Frost, who died Saturday, it was the signature moment of an illustrious television career that spanned half a century and included interviews with a long list of the world's most powerful and famous, including virtually every British prime minister and U.S. president of his time.

A natural at TV hosting, he seemed to effortlessly inhabit the worlds of entertainment and politics. As a satirist, a game show host and a journalist, he disarmed others with unfailing affability and personal charm.

"He had an extraordinary ability to draw out the interviewee, knew exactly where the real story lay and how to get at it," former British Prime Minister Tony Blair said. Frost, he added, "was also a thoroughly kind and good-natured man."

Blair's former communications chief, Alastair Campbell, added on Twitter that Frost was one of the best interviewers "because his sheer niceness could lull you into saying things you didn't intend."

Frost, 74, died of a heart attack Saturday night aboard the Queen Elizabeth cruise ship, where he was due to give a speech, his family said in a statement sent to the BBC. The cruise company Cunard said its vessel left the English port of Southampton on Saturday for a 10-day cruise in the Mediterranean.

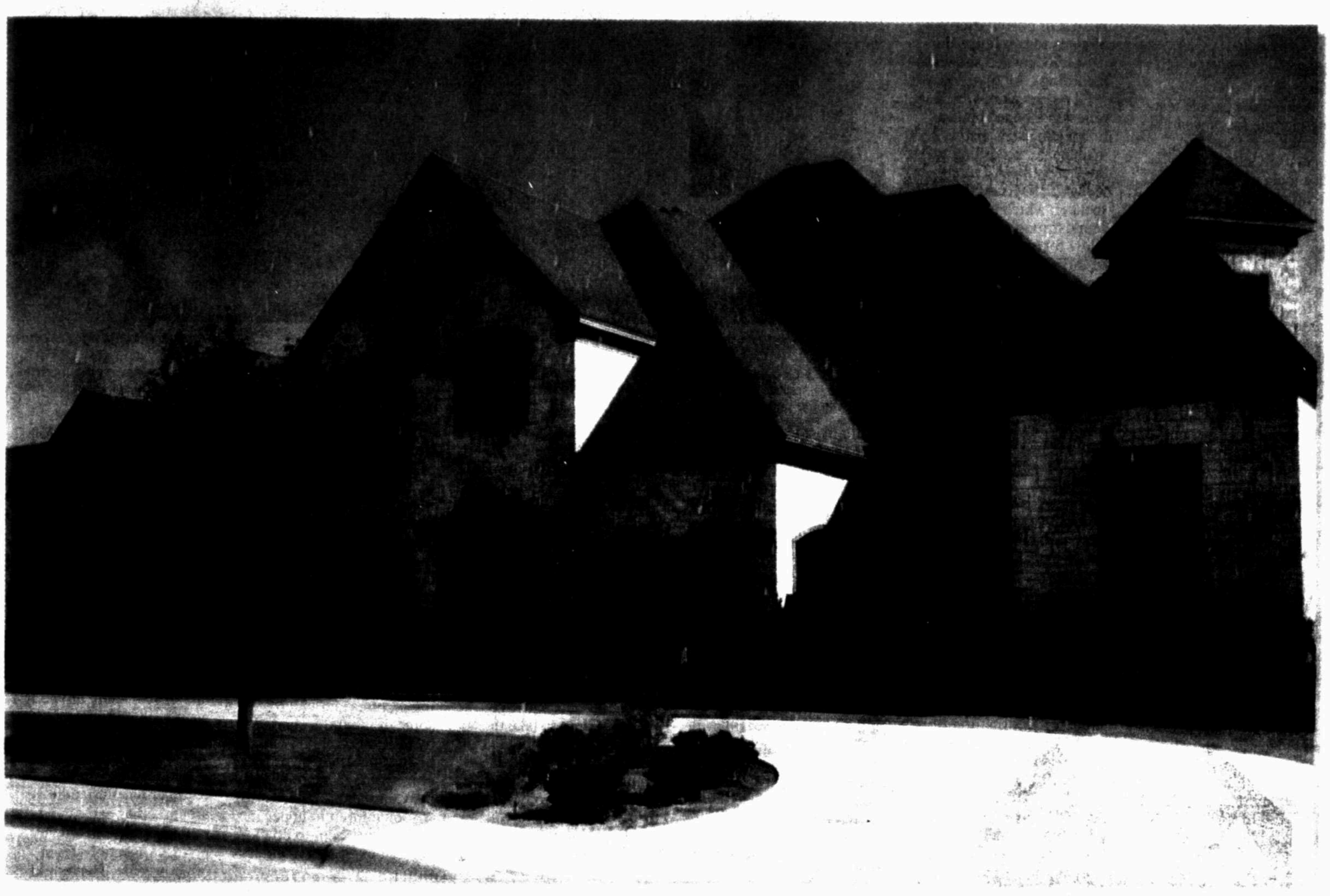
Prime Minister David Cameron, one of the first public figures to send condolences, called Frost "both a friend and a fearsome interviewer." BBC executives lauded him as "a titan of broadcasting" — both for beginning a tradition of satirizing politics and for establishing a more confrontational interview style.

Frost began his career almost fresh out of college as the host of an early 1960s BBC satirical news show "That Was The Week That Was," then a pioneering program that ruthlessly lampooned politicians. The show gained a wide following, and Frost's signature greeting, "Hello, good evening and welcome," was often mimicked.

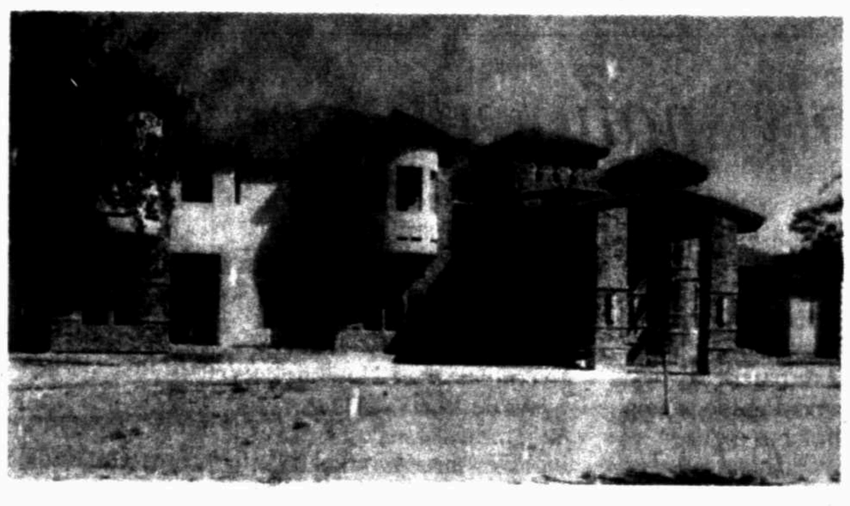
Frost was popular in Britain and was gaining a foothold on U.S. television, but it wasn't until 1977, when he secured the interviews with Nixon, that he became internationally known.

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A MyWestTexas.com slideshow on the 100 most expensive single-family residences in Midland County has the attention of many.

From its inception on Monday morning through Friday afternoon, there have been a reported 215,000 hits on the slideshow.

So far, we have unveiled house 100 through 51.

On Tuesday, we begin the countdown of the top 50. The schedule includes 50-41 on Tuesday, 40-31 on Wednesday, 30-21 on Thursday and 20-11 on Friday. Each time we unveil a new 10, viewers have the opportunity to go back and review homes previously listed.

The area in Midland County with the most million-dollar single-family residences (47) is the area between Big Spring Drive/Highway 349 and Midkiff Road, north of Bluebird Lane inside the city of Midland. There are 17 homes listed as being in Odessa but also in Midland County.

Million-Dollar Real Estate

The following are the number of million-dollar homes (classified as A1 single-family residences) in more populated West Texas counties, according to the appraisal districts in those counties. Population is based on the population estimates from the U.S. Census Bureau.

Million-dollar single-family residences in major counties across West Texas

Midland	146,645	104
Potter/Randall	255,808	69
Lubbock	285,760	61
Ector	144,325	26
Taylor	133,473	13
Tom Green	113,281	7

Largest metropolitan area in the county: Midland (Midland), Ector (Odessa), Taylor (Abilene), Lubbock (Lubbock), Tom Green (San Angelo) and Potter/Randall (Amarillo).

Most expensive single-family residences in those counties

Ector	$4.7 million
Midland	$3.3 million
Lubbock	$3.01 million
Potter/Randall	$2.45 million
Tom Green	$1.82 million
Taylor County	$1.58 million

Source: Appraisal districts in those counties

Rise in million-dollar "single-family residences" houses in Midland County

2013: 104
2012: 63
2011: 45
2010: 35
2009: 30
2008: 22
2007: 9
2006: 5
2005: 5

Note: In Midland County this does not include properties classified as "E1" or "Real Farm-Ranch House +/- 5 acres." The Midland County Central Appraisal District lists 20 of those in Midland County.

Source: Midland Central Appraisal District







Photos show some of the homes around Midland valued at more than $1 million.

Photos by Tim Fischer

Exploring Google Glass through eyes of early users

By Michael Liedtke
Associated Press

Geeks aren't the only people wearing Google Glass.

Among the people testing Google Inc.'s wearable computer are teachers, dentists, doctors, radio disc jockeys, hair stylists, architects, athletes and even a zookeeper.

Some 10,000 people are trying out an early version of Glass, most of them selected as part of a contest.

To get a sense of the advantages and drawbacks of the device, The Associated Press spoke to three Glass owners who have been using the device since late spring: Sarah Hill, a former TV broadcaster and current military veterans advocate; David Levy, a hiking enthusiast and small business owner; and Deborah Lee, a stay-at-home mom.

Glass is designed to work like a smartphone that's worn like a pair of glasses. Although it looks like a prop from a science fiction movie, the device is capturing imaginations beyond the realm of nerds.

The trio's favorite feature, by far, is the hands-free camera that shoots photos and video through voice commands. (Images can also be captured by pressing a small button along the top of the right frame of Glass.) They also liked being able to connect to the Internet simply by tapping on the right frame of Glass to turn it on and then swiping along the same side to scroll through a menu. That menu allows them to do such things as get directions on Google's map or find a piece of information through Google's search engine. The information is shown on a thumbnail-sized transparent screen attached just above the right eye to stay out of a user's field of vision.

Among the biggest shortcomings they cited was Glass' short battery life, especially if a lot of video is being taken. Although Google says Glass should last for an entire day on a single battery charge for the typical user, Hill said there were times when she ran out of power after 90 minutes to two hours during periods when she was recording a lot of video.

Glass' speaker, which relies on a bone conduction technology, also is inadequate, according to the testers the AP interviewed. They said the speaker, which transmits sound through the skull to allow for ambient noise, can be difficult to hear in any environment other than a quiet room.

"If you are out in the street or anywhere else where there is any noise, it's impossible to hear," Lee said. "That has been challenging because there is no way to adjust it. If you could adjust the sound, I think it would solve a lot of problems."

Hill, 42, a resident of Columbia, Mo., became a Glass evangelist shortly after she picked up the device at Google's New York offices in late May. As the AP watched her get fitted with Glass though a video feed on Google's Hangout chat service, Hill quickly began to rave about her ability to take hands-free pictures and fetch information from the Web simply by asking the device to get it. "This is like having the Internet in your eye socket," Hill said. "But it's less intrusive than I thought it would be. I can totally see how this would still let you still be in the moment with the people around you."

The liberating aspects of Glass came into sharper focus for Hill as she took a cab to the airport for her flight back to Missouri. During the taxi ride, she began a video call on Google Hangout with people living in Austria, the United Kingdom and St. Louis. As the cab was preparing to drop her off at the curb, Hill was about to end the call so she could carry her baggage. Then came her first Glass epiphany.

"That's when it hit me that, 'Holy cow, I don't have to cut the call off,'" Hill recalled. "I could continue talking because I didn't have to hold a phone. So I carried on a conversation through the airport and people were staring at me like, 'What is that thing on your face?'"

Hill became accustomed to the double takes and quizzical looks as she wore Glass to community gatherings, restaurants and shopping excursions. The encounters usually led to her offering others to try on Glass, and most were impressed with their glimpses at the technology, Hill said.

"When you have these glasses on, it's like it helps you see the future," Hill said. "It helps you see what's possible."

Hill, a former news anchor and reporter for KOMU-TV in Columbia, Mo., believes Glass is destined to transform broadcast journalism by empowering reporters to capture compelling images at scenes without the need for cumbersome equipment. She likens it to having a satellite TV truck that only weighs 1.5 ounces. Glass also would make it easier for reporters to field questions from viewers through the Twitter app or through direct texts.

Hill has already used Glass to provide a tour of the World War II memorial in Washington, D.C., for veterans gathered in St. Louis by Veterans United, where Hill now works as the group's chief storyteller. The veterans were too old or ill to make the journey themselves, so Hill gave them a close-up look in June through a video feed transmitted through Glass.

Lee, a New York City resident, has been relying on Glass mostly to capture precious moments with her 9-month-old daughter, Maddie. Her favorite moment came when she photographed some of her daughter's first giggles a couple months ago. Lee, 34, told Glass to take the pictures as she as tickled and kissed her daughter's tummy.

"Obviously, you can't do that with a phone in your hand, so I am totally loving Glass," Lee said. "It has really been great."

Glass also allowed Lee to set up live video sessions with her parents in Oregon so they could see Maddie eat her first solid food just as she saw it. She also took pictures of her raising Maddie airborne that wouldn't have been feasible with a camera requiring hands-on operation. "I am capturing all these tiny moments that are really exciting with a baby," Lee said.

Levy, 39, rarely wears his Glass around his hometown of Boulder, Colo., because he doesn't want to stand out from the crowd. Just two days after Levy picked up the device in New York, he recalls seeing someone else wearing the device at the airport. "My initial reaction was, 'What a jerk,'" Levy said. "There was a little bit of ostentatiousness about it, as if he were flaunting it. I am a low-key guy who doesn't like a lot of attention. I have an iPhone that does a lot of things that I might otherwise make Glass do if I didn't want to make a spectacle of it."

Glass has impressed Levy while wearing it for his main purpose of taking pictures and video of some of the trails charted by Protrails.com, an online hiking site he co-owns. His objective is to share more of the Continental Divide with schoolchildren in hopes it will inspire them to do more outdoor exploration and less sitting at home.

"I was wondering if Glass would feel like a burden or part of my hiking equipment. It actually feels pretty cool," Levy said. "They are totally fine on my head and don't block any of my view. When you see something interesting, you can immediately have a camera on it. I really enjoy being able to capture those images."

Glass' ability to take hands-free pictures and video has raised concerns among privacy watchdogs who believe the device will make it easier to secretly record the activities of other people. But Levy is convinced that what Glass can do isn't much different than what many people already do with their smartphones. To prove his point, Levy used his iPhone to record a conversation he was having with a friend who was railing against the privacy risks posed by Glass.

"I recognize that Glass can make people uncomfortable, but I have to say the privacy issues are a specious concern," Levy said. "If I have a phone in a restaurant, I can get a picture of just about anybody I want with it. So what's the difference between a phone and Glass?"

Lee regularly has Glass with her when Maddie is around other babies and said she hasn't heard any privacy objections from other parents. That could be because she has been careful about following the social cues around her. If she sees other parents snapping pictures of their babies with their phones, Levy has donned her Glass. If no one else is taking pictures or video, though, she leaves Glass in her bag.

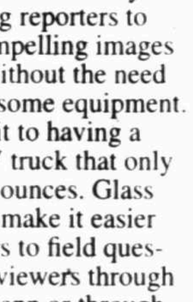
Angela McIntyre, a research director for Gartner Inc., believes the retail price for Glass will have to plummet to $200 to make a significant dent. Early testers had to pay $1,500 for the device, though Google hopes to bring that price down by the time of its mass-market release next year.



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Sarah Hill, a Google Glass contest winner, of Columbia, Mo., tries out the device, May 29 in New York. "This is like having the Internet in your eye socket," Hill said. "But it's less intrusive than I thought it would be. I can totally see how this would let you still be in the moment with the people around you."

Late dad makes up for school-supply snafu with tech gift ideas



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Cox Newspapers

Dear child of mine who started school this week,

Mistakes were made.

I'm sorry about the school supplies. There. I said it. I thought the school supply list (which was very, very long, I might add) was mostly a set of friendly suggestions. I mean, two boxes of pencils? Who needs that many pencils? Do you kids still even use pencils that aren't digital? You do? Every day? OK. Now Daddy knows.

I think 6 is old enough for you to understand that life is hard and sometimes Daddy doesn't have all his ducks in a row. Sometimes the ducks are under the couch or behind the TV or up on a tall shelf where your little sister can't grab the duck and drown it in the toilet.

Why are you crying? Please stop crying. There are no real ducks in our house.

Now you want a duck? OK, listen, we'll discuss that later.

Right now, Daddy has to run to the store and get these school supplies (eight glue sticks? Really?), but here's what we're going to do. Daddy has learned over time that the right kind of technology can sometimes improve a bad situation. To make up for this school supply oversight (which, really, is the school district's fault for being underfunded), Daddy is going to put together a back-to-school tech gift guide list for other parents who may also be running a little behind.

Yes, I know school has already started. That's one of the wayward, out-of-line ducks that Daddy was talking about.

No, it's not a real duck.

No, your sister didn't drown it.

Thank you for not crying.

For younger students: When I was your age, we only had sticks, rocks and Play-Doh. All right, that's not entirely true. We had Atari and very underpowered personal computers, but it seems like children now have an enormous range of digital products that also have a strong educational component.

In addition to all the mainstream tablets, computers and smartphone apps you already have access to, there are a lot of kid-friendly tech products geared to your age. Two tablets, for instance, the Nabi Jr. ($140, nabitablet.com) and LeapPad Ultra from LeapFrog ($150, leapfrog.com), are cheaper than most tablets, have built-in Web-safety features and are made with tough, rubber cases to keep them from getting broken. Remember that big crack on the screen of Daddy's iPad? Daddy sure does.

The Nabi Jr. features Nickelodeon characters such as Dora the Explorer and Team Umizoomi in a variety of learning exercises. The LeapPad has a huge library of games and learning videos featuring "Sesame Street" or Disney characters among others, as well as flash cards and e-books.

It's not as full-featured as those tablets, but the Ubooly ($30, ubooly.com) is much less expensive and a lot cuter. It's a brightly colored stuffed "Smart Toy" into which you can insert an iPhone or iPad. The device screen becomes the face of the Ubooly, who comes to life to talk, interact and teach. It began as a Kickstarter project bringing together techies and educators and is continually updated with teacher-created games and activities.

And because I know it's a challenge for little hands to keep digital screens tidy, there's Toddy Gear Screensters ($10, toddygear.com), cute cartoon figures available in 10 different styles. They're made of microfiber, perfect for clearing off smudges and dust from the screens of tablets and phones.

For older kids and college-bound students: Students who've outgrown kid tablets but are still too young to handle an expensive, full-featured ultrabook or fully loaded iPad have some inexpensive options, like the recently updated Google Nexus 7 tablet (starting at $229, google.com/nexus/), a powerful 7-inch device with long battery life and a full-HD screen.

For students who may have already opted for the comparable iPad Mini, the Magnus Mini ($30, tenonedesign.com) is one of the cleverest accessories I've seen for it, a practically invisible stand using magnets to keep the small tablet firmly in place. It's rubberized to avoid scratching or scuffing up the tablet.

And for a style-conscious teenager getting a first mobile phone, one option might be the new Moto X (starts at $199 with two-year contract, motorola.com), which debuted last week on AT&T and will arrive later on other wireless carriers. It has a few interesting new tech features, but most notably it's the first smartphone that can be customized online; you can choose from a variety of accent colors, a black or white front and even a welcome greeting before it arrives in the mail from its assembly in Fort Worth. For parents worried about choosing the wrong color phone as a gift, it's an attractive idea.

If you were older, these are some of the things I'd buy for you (maybe). If you were heading to college, having somehow academically survived your father's ongoing school supply blunders, I might send you to the dorms with a few goodies including the Targus Bluetooth Wireless Keyboard for Tablets ($64, but available for less at some retailers, targus.com). There are lots of wireless keyboards for tablets, but this one is versatile enough to work with not only Android and iOS tablets, but also with Windows tablets and even Mac computers.

You may still need paper for school, but for college I would hope you'd have some kind of digital backup for class notes. The Evernote Smart Notebook by Moleskine (starts at $25, moleskine.com) includes three months of Evernote's Premium service for getting your digital life in order. Taking photos of handwritten notes and drawings syncs them to the online service with Evernote's free apps. Stickers included with the notebook made it easy to tag and categorize everything.

College students are always on the go; who has time to charge anything during the day? The PowerBinder by Powerstick.com ($199, powerstick.com) is pricey, but it's a full-blown mobile office. It can hold a tablet, will charge various devices via USB, can double as a stand and, best of all, is solar-powered. It's not the most attractive carry-along, but when you to go college, you are not there to impress people, you are there to learn, got it young lady?

Lest you think Daddy is completely no fun at all, he will suggest Sphero 2.0 ($130, gosphero.com), a new version of a robotic toy ball he reviewed last year. The new model is faster, has brighter lights and now includes a rubberized off-road cover and two ramps for stunts. It can be used with "MicroLab," an app for learning basic programming. It seems like it could be a great dorm toy.

And now your father is all out of ideas.

This won't happen again next year, I promise.

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Review: New TiVo delivers for avid TV viewers

Anick Jesdanun
Associated Press

EDISON, N.J. — In many ways, TiVo's digital video recorders have become redundant as cable and satellite TV companies offer their own DVR services. Yet the company that pioneered DVRs 14 years ago keeps churning out new products.

Avid television viewers will appreciate that. The fifth-generation TiVos, called Roamio, continue the company's tradition of giving you much more than you can get from your cable or satellite company. That includes the ability to watch recorded shows when you're away from home, starting this fall.

But you'll also pay much more for the experience — $400 for the mid-range model, plus a monthly service fee of $15. By contrast, you can often get DVR service through your TV provider for a comparable monthly fee, with no extra equipment to buy.

If you don't watch a lot of television, Roamio isn't for you. It would be like going to a five-star restaurant when all you want is bread. But Roamio is a worthwhile investment if you have hundreds of television channels and Internet video services and can't figure out where to start.

Like other DVRs, you can pause live television to answer the phone or the door. You can rewind live sporting events and create your own replays. Get home 15 minutes late? You can start watching a show from the beginning as it's still being recorded.

Where TiVo has excelled is in helping you find programs to record. You can create wish lists of favorite actors and have TiVo automatically record movies or talk shows they appear in. You can also do the same with keywords, such as "national park" or "dolphins." You can even have TiVo offer suggestions based on your past viewing, though I have found its picks dubious at times.

TiVos also integrate TV shows and movies from Internet video services such as Netflix Inc., Amazon.com Inc. and Hulu. When you search for "Breaking Bad," for instance, you get a list of episodes the AMC channel is showing over the next two weeks plus all the episodes available on Netflix or Amazon. To watch through TiVo, you still have to get a Netflix subscription or buy individual episodes through Amazon, but it's good to know you can get past episodes there. You can also search for related video on YouTube and see what other shows cast members from "Breaking Bad" are in.

The new TiVo has all that, plus suggestions on what to watch now, rather than just what to record in the future. It's based partly on what other TiVo users are watching at the moment or have watched in that time slot in the past.

Roamio also lets you customize the on-screen television listings. If you're in the mood for a movie, you can have TiVo show you just the movies when you scroll through the listings. You can customize that further and scroll through just comedies or documentaries. Instead of movies, you can also scroll through just sports, news shows or kids programming.

As is the case with previous TiVos, if there are channels you never watch, such as something in Korean or Russian, you can have TiVo remove them from your lineup. Shows on those channels will be filtered out of listings and searches. You can also do that with Internet services you have no interest in paying for.

Roamio also has a number of hardware improvements, mostly on the mid-level Roamio Plus ($400) and the high-end Roamio Pro ($600):

■ Those two models will let you watch live or record up to six shows at once. That's up from a maximum of four. (The $200 base model has four tuners, up from two.)

■ Both will let you watch your recorded shows on an iPhone or iPad. Before, you needed a separate $130 TiVo Stream box. Streaming is currently limited to iPhones and iPads connected to your home wireless network, but TiVo will start offering out-of-home streaming this fall. Users will be able to stream video in various ways, including through a hotel Wi-Fi on the road. Android streaming is promised by early next year.

■ All three models come with a remote that uses radio signals rather than an infrared beam. What that means is you don't have to point the remote at the TiVo.

■ All three models also have Wi-Fi built in, so you no longer need to attach an Ethernet cable or buy a separate TiVo Wi-Fi adapter for $90.

■ The Roamio offers speed improvements over the previous model, which you'll notice when navigating menus. That said, the system did hang on me for a few seconds now and then as TiVo sifted through all the data.

The base model comes with 500 gigabytes of storage, enough for 75 hours of high-definition recordings. The Plus model, which is the one I reviewed, has 1 terabyte for 150 hours, while the Pro has 3 terabytes for 450 hours. That's nearly 19 days of TV without any sleep. There's even more room for non-HD recordings.

If you bought a new TiVo recently, you probably don't need to upgrade. If you want the streaming, you can simply buy the TiVo Stream device. It will get out-of-home streaming, too, when that's available. You can also get a device called the Slingbox, which essentially mirrors over the Internet what's being shown on your home TV. TiVo has at least one advantage over the Slingbox: It lets you and whoever's home watch different shows.

Roamio isn't compatible with satellite TV or video service through AT&T's U-verse.

It works with cable TV service, but you'll need to keep it. While the base model can accommodate over-the-air broadcasts, the Plus and the Pro models can't process signals from antennas. You would be stuck with TiVo as a streaming device, which isn't its strong suit. Both Roku and Apple TV offer access to many more Internet services than TiVo. TiVo is largely limited to Netflix, Hulu Plus, Amazon.com and a few others. That said, the Roamio has software changes that's designed to make future apps easier to write.

Game machines such as the Wii U and phones such as Samsung's Galaxy S4 offer apps that let you find shows and control the TV from the device. TiVo can replace your TV's remote, too, but it's expensive if that's all you want.

I have stopped channel surfing since I got my first TiVo in 2001. There's always something better to watch now that TiVo has helped me find and record programming. After just a few hours with Roamio, I was discovering even more shows and movies I want to watch.

And with streaming video, it does a good job of finding all that content. With one search, I can tell that Netflix has only the first 4 1/2 seasons of "Breaking Bad." That same search tells me that if I want more recent episodes, I need to buy them through Amazon Instant Video or wait for reruns on AMC. With Roku, I have to search for online content one service at a time.

You can probably cobble together a bunch of services and devices that do what TiVo does. With the new Roamio, TiVo is the one that does it all and does it well.

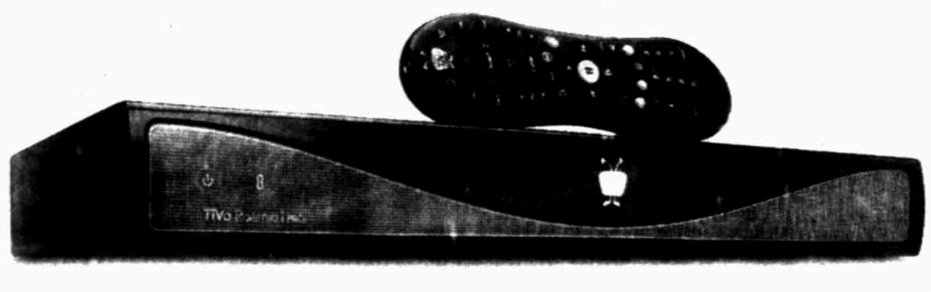
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About TiVo's Roamio



The fifth-generation DVRs from TiVo Inc. comes in three flavors: a $200 basic model with 75 hours of high-definition recording, a $400 Roamio Plus with 150 hours and a $600 Roamio Pro with 450 hours. All three require TiVo service, which costs $15 a month with a one-year commitment, $20 a month with no commitment or a one-time payment of $500 for the life of the device.

The Plus and the Pro come with the ability to stream recorded shows on iPhones and iPads, with Android support to come. Initially limited to when you are connected to your home Wi-Fi network, the feature will work at hotels, at work and elsewhere this fall. The streaming feature replaces the need for a $130 TiVo Stream box. All three Roamio versions expand on TiVo's strengths in helping viewers find shows.

The Roamios are available online through TiVo, Amazon.com Inc. and Best Buy. They will also hit Best Buy's physical stores in the coming weeks.

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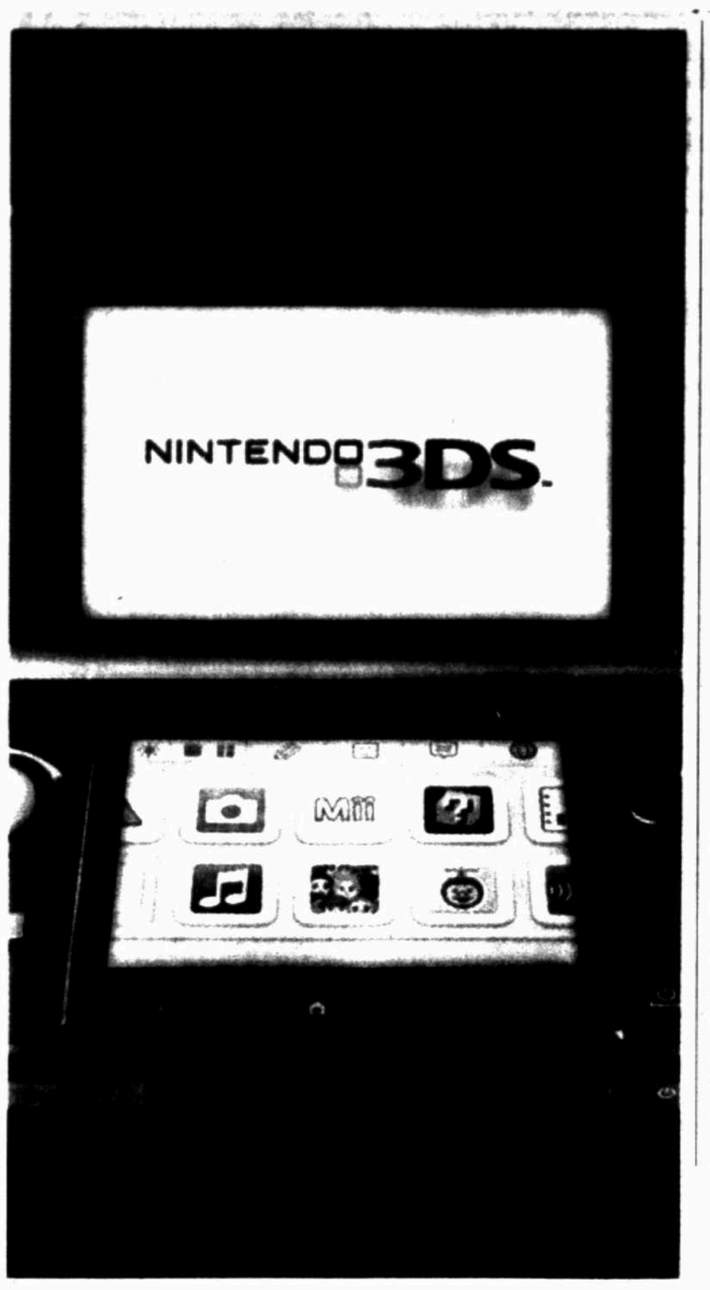
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GameStop Expo offers taste of next-gen games

By Derrick Lang
Associated Press

LAS VEGAS — Inside the massive complex on the Las Vegas Strip that houses the glitzy Venetian casino and Sands convention center, amid a soundscape of conflicting noises, thousands of players are mashing buttons while staring intently at flickering screens.

They're not playing slots or video poker. No, they're trying their hand at upcoming games such as "Titanfall" and "Ryse."

This is the GameStop Expo. The world's largest video game retailer first organized the gathering of its most passionate customers last year during its annual meeting of store managers. While the Electronic Entertainment Expo in Los Angeles is no longer open to the public, the GameStop Expo offers everyday gamers a chance to preview upcoming titles and hardware.

The expo's more than 5,000 attendees waited in snaking lines inside a cavernous Sands Expo hall early Wednesday to test-drive Microsoft's Xbox One and Sony's PlayStation 4, the next-generation systems due out this November. "Call of Duty: Ghosts," "Titanfall," "Ryse: Son of Rome" and "Battlefield 4" were among the most popular games on display.

"I'm here to see and play all the next-gen consoles and games for myself," Shawn Smoak, a 22-year-old self-professed "Sony fanboy," said while waiting to try out "Titanfall." "You can read everything you possibly can about them online, but until you actually get your hands on the controller, you don't really know anything. That's what this is all about."

Along with providing glimpses of such upcoming games as "Batman: Arkham Origins" and "Assassin's Creed IV: Black Flag," the expo also included panels, giveaways, photo booths, costume contests and free chocolate ice cream dispensed from a truck promoting the "South Park: The Stick of Truth" game.

The event was just part of GameStop's purpose in Vegas.

Beyond the expo hall in meeting rooms at the Venetian casino and Sands convention center, more than 5,000 managers from company's nearly 4,500 stores in the U.S. spent three days learning all about how to sell new games and hardware to customers like those at its expo. The retailer currently boasts about 25 million members in its PowerUp Rewards program.

GameStop launched the gamer gathering last year after the Grapevine-based company's international divisions successfully hosted their own events. (Last year's EB Games Expo in Australia welcomed more than 30,000 attendees.) Admission for Wednesday's event ranged from $20 for student tickets to $100 for VIP access that included early entry.

"We didn't want to be in the live events business," said GameStop CEO Paul Raines. "This was something that was pulled out of us. The customers wanted it. The PowerUp Rewards community was asking for us to give them an opportunity to see new products and games. People love it because this is the only place where they can play 'Titanfall' right now."

Raines declined to release preorder sales data, but he expects this holiday season's console launches to be the biggest in history and provide some much-needed luck to both GameStop and the gaming industry, which has seen sales slide in recent years as Microsoft Corp.'s 7-year-old Xbox 360 and Sony Corp.'s 6-year-old PlayStation 3 have entered their twilight years.

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Nintendo's latest handheld gaming system rises to top

Brian Gaar
Cox Newspapers

AUSTIN — What's the hottest selling gaming console these days?

It's not the Nintendo Wii, Sony's PlayStation 3 or Microsoft's Xbox 360. And it certainly isn't Nintendo's latest-generation console, the Wii U, which has been suffering from a paltry library and terrible sales.

It's actually the Nintendo 3DS, the handheld system that stumbled out of the gate in 2011 but has regained its footing with a price drop and an impressive offering of games.

In the quarter ending June 30, about 1.4 million handhelds were sold worldwide, for a total of more than 32 million. And the 3DS has outsold all other gaming hardware in the United States for the past three months.

"The 3DS continues to be a powerhouse," wrote Mike Futter on the gaming website Game Informer.

So why is a handheld on top? For one, the 3DS is relatively latest-generation, compared to the current dusty crop of consoles. And two, it has benefited from an increasingly strong lineup of titles like "Animal Crossing: New Leaf." More heavy hitters like "Pokemon X & Y" are on the way.

In all, sales of the 3DS are up 14 percent year over year, largely because of such games, wrote Eric Johnson for the tech website All Things D.

"That increase is an anomaly amid overall continued decline in gaming hardware, software and accessories, as gamers await the 'next-gen' rollout this holiday season," he wrote.

The 3DS is tracking to sell about 15 million units a year, said Michael Pachter, a research analyst with Wedbush Morgan Securities.

"That is good, just not as good as the DS sold," he said, referring to the system's legendary predecessor, which has sold more than 153 million systems worldwide.

But those days might be over, especially with the advent of gaming on smartphones, which Pachter acknowledges has permanently eaten into the handheld console market.

"The more casual end of the market has been lured away," he said.

Still, the 3DS has engineered a big comeback from 2011, when Nintendo was forced to cut its price from $249 to $169 because of flagging sales.

At the time, Nintendo officials seemed panicked that developers might abandon the system. And there was rampant speculation in the media (myself included) that gamers might abandon handheld consoles permanently in favor of their smartphones.

But Nintendo stuck to its guns and released a slew of quality titles — which after all, is the No. 1 reason to buy a gaming system. But the company also encouraged users to carry their system, with features that allow users to automatically exchange data with others in proximity.

"Nintendo has every reason to celebrate the ubiquitousness of its handheld hardware," Futter wrote. "It's a great system and one that carry everywhere I go."

So take that, iPhones — old-school handheld gaming has still got some life left.

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In Balance helps ADHD student be 'much calmer'

Dalen Holt was just seven years old when he was diagnosed with ADHD and his mom was not surprised at the verdict. His mom, Linda, says, "He was short-tempered and could not concentrate at school, and at home he could not sit still." They took him to a specialist in Lubbock for the diagnosis, but they family was not happy with the amount of medication he was on.

After reading about the In Balance program in the Midland Reporter-Telegram, Linda decided to give it a try because nothing else was working. They began doing In Balance at the start of the summer. He is going to seventh grade this fall.

"He is a lot calmer now," says Linda, "and his temper is much better. And when we're in church, he sits still now." Linda says her father, Dalen's grandfather, has also noticed the difference.

While doing the program over the summer, the family had yet to experience the improvement in school, but Linda is optimistic "I think school will be much better for him now."

As is often the case, Dalen was at first skeptical about the program and went to the first session somewhat reluctantly, not knowing what to expect. Now, says, Linda, "He reminds us when it's time to go to In Balance." He very much enjoys the sessions, done by In Balance owner Missy Dwyer.

What to expect there is a series of balancing activities that help the brain's left and right hemispheres communicate better, which allows the brain to process, organize and store information.

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Linda Holt is so pleased with the way In Balance has helped Dalen that she has told a number of others about the program in hopes that they would also benefit from it. "It is just amazing—it has done a lot of good for Dalen," she says.

While not promising a particular result, after almost a decade of doing in Balance, Missy says, "I have yet to see anyone I could not help."

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New seventh grader Dalen Holt is excited about starting school after a summer at In Balance. Diagnosed years ago with ADHD, Dalen is now much calmer and better able to focus, says his mom, Linda. Call Missy Dwyer at 685-3556 for more information on how it can help you.

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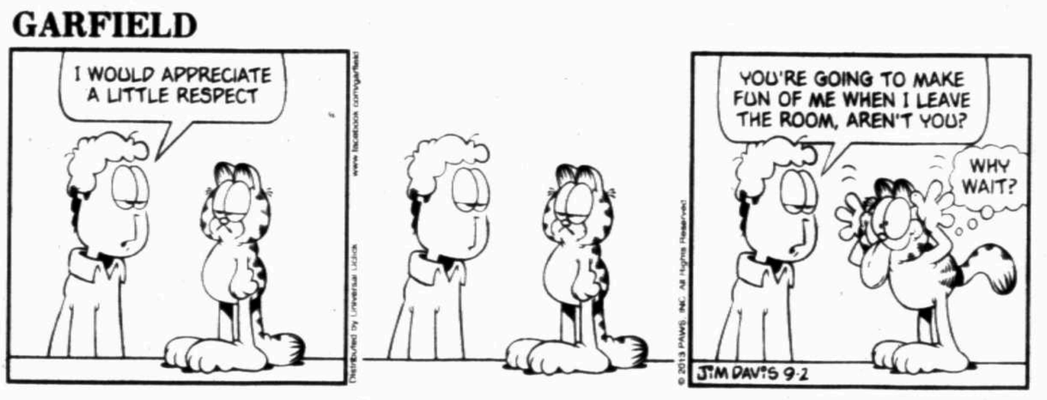
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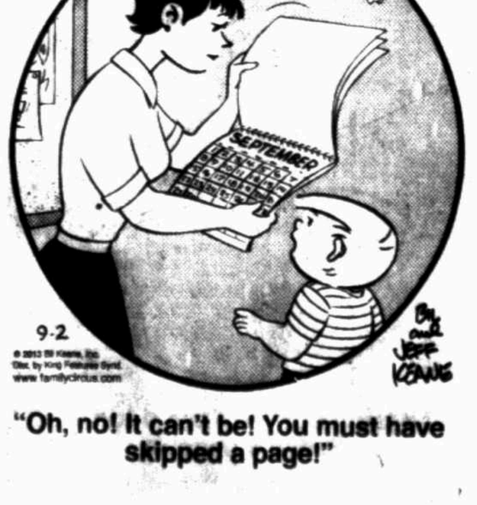
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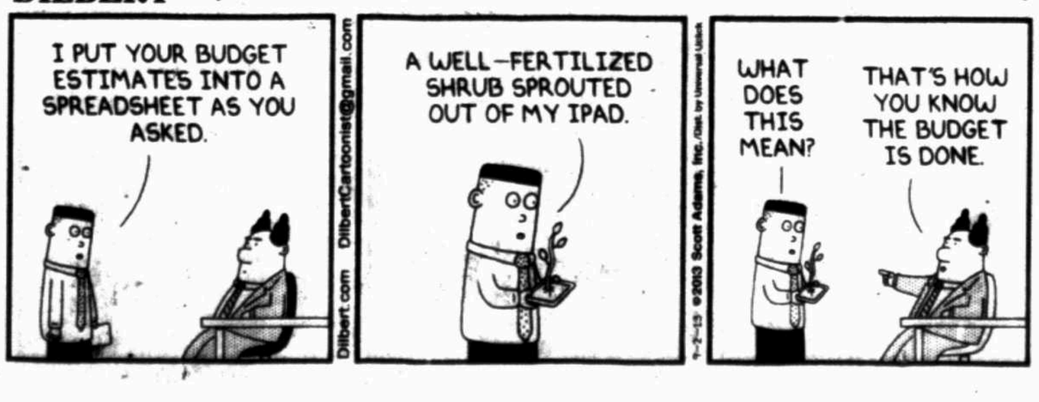


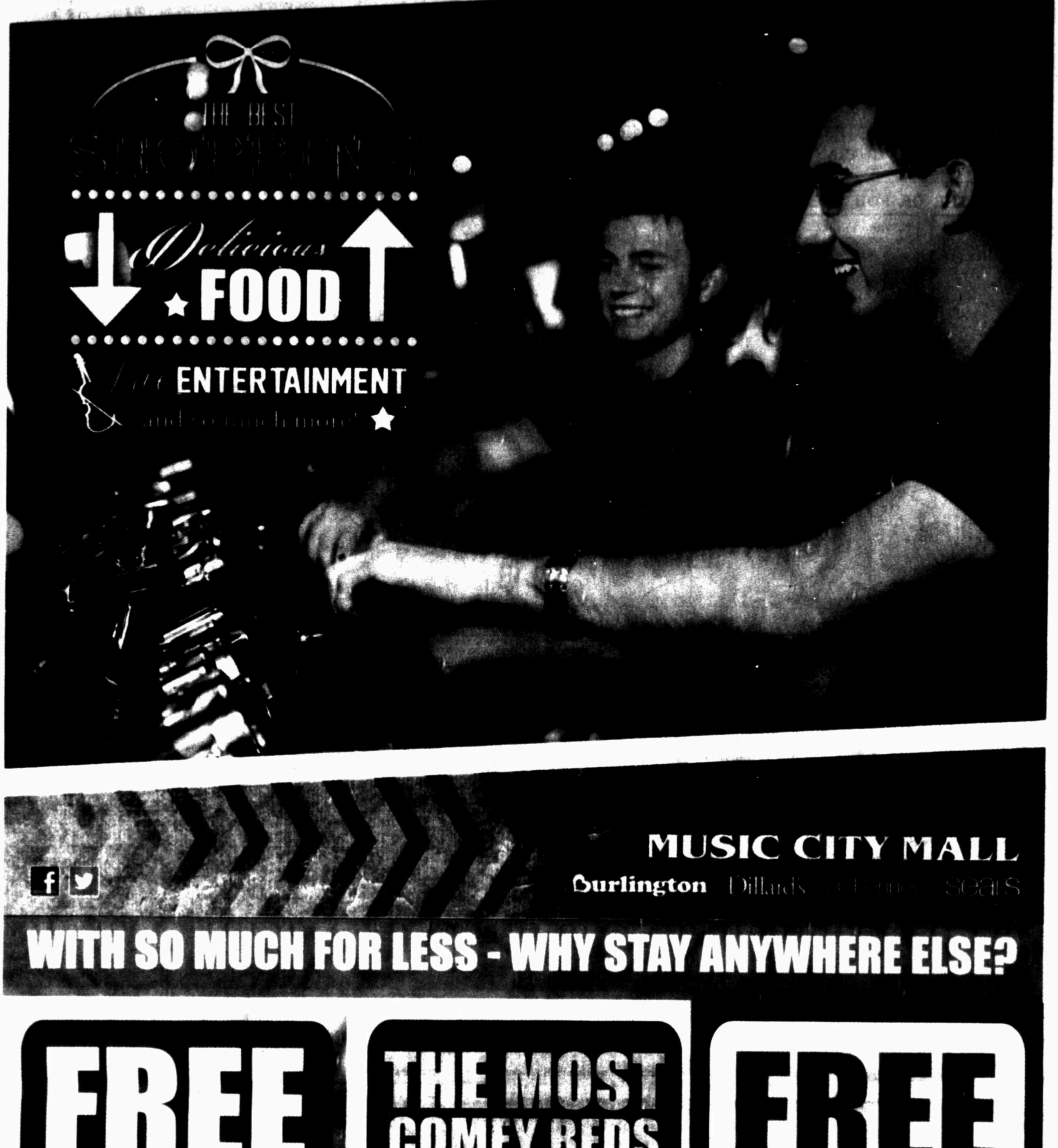
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2-5A teams put up gaudy offensive numbers



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You know who I don't envy?

District 2-5A defensive coordinators.

Leaving Grande Communications Stadium on Saturday afternoon — after Midland High piled up 41 points and 432 yards of total offense against El Paso Americas — I wondered how the Bulldogs compared to a Lee team I watched accumulate 554 yards and 48 points against El Paso Coronado on Friday, all without two of its top weapons in receivers Alex Bell and Josh Warren.

But why stop in Midland?

Abilene Cooper scored 36 while amassing 538 yards of total offense in a loss to Wichita Falls Rider, and San Angelo Central somehow outscored Cooper and Midland High in just a half, finishing with 71 points and 668 total yards in a win against El Paso Franklin.

Everyone is not Central, but it has to be alarming that a team can score 55, as Franklin did Friday, and lose in this district.

Perhaps even scarier is that all of these offenses can stand to get better, not to mention Abilene High and Odessa Permian — playoff teams the last two years who got off to slow starts last week with losses to Lewisville Hebron and El Paso Montwood.

As I mentioned before, Lee was without two of its top receivers against Coronado, and Midland High has reason to believe it actually left points on the board Saturday after failing to connect on multiple near-certain touchdowns.

And Cooper and Central somehow combined to score 107 points despite also combining for five fumbles, two lost, an interception and 17 penalties.

So to recap, four teams who scored an average of 49 points in Week 0 each have room to improve, and two teams that figure to factor in the playoff race — one of whom, Abilene High, hasn't lost a district game since 2009 — have nowhere to go but up.

Yikes.

This week will be a nice test for at least four of the teams mentioned as Lee and Midland High head east to take on Southlake Carroll and Hurst L.D. Bell, respectively, while Cooper

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District 2-5A football

Team	District W	District L	Overall W	Overall L
Amarillo Tascosa	0	0	1	0
Lubbock Coronado	0	0	1	0
Lee	0	0	1	0
Midland High	0	0	1	0
San Angelo Central	0	0	1	0
Abilene High	0	0	0	1
Abilene Cooper	0	0	0	1
Odessa High	0	0	0	1
Odessa Permian	0	0	0	1

Thursday's Scores
Lubbock Coronado 22, Lubbock Monterey 15
Amarillo Tascosa 10, Amarillo Palo Duro 7

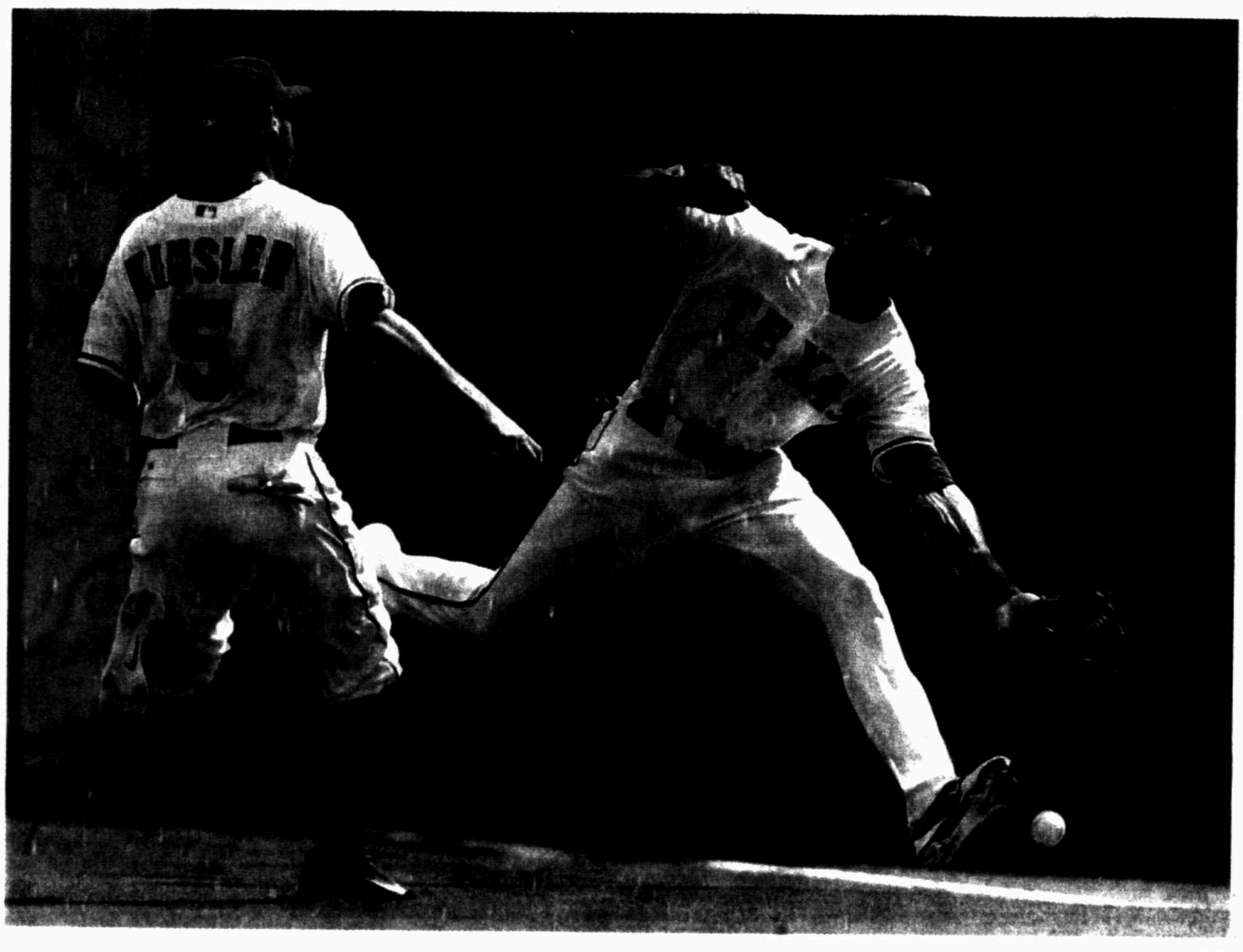
Friday's Scores
Lee 48, El Paso Coronado 21
El Paso Montwood 21, Odessa Permian 17
Wichita Falls Rider 39, Abilene Cooper 36
San Angelo Central 71, El Paso Franklin 55
Lewisville Hebron 37, Abilene High 7
Amarillo High 35, Odessa High 3

Saturday's Score
Midland High 41, El Paso Americas 23

Sept. 6
Lee at Southlake Carroll
Midland High at Hurst L.D. Bell
Cedar Park at Abilene Cooper
Abilene High at Duncanville
Amarillo High at Amarillo Tascosa
Odessa Permian at Wolforth Frenship
Lubbock Monterey at Odessa High, 7 p.m.

Sept. 7
Menlo (Calif.) at San Angelo Central, 7 p.m.
All games at 7:30 p.m. unless noted otherwise

Twins trump Texas



Tony Gutierrez/AP

Texas' Ian Kinsler (5) watches as right fielder Alex Rios, right, is unable to reach a ground rule double hit by Minnesota's Doug Bernier in the fifth inning of Sunday's game in Arlington.

Newcomers, Correia lead Minnesota past Rangers

By Stephen Hawkins
Associated Press

Twins	4
Rangers	2

ARLINGTON — Alex Presley and Josmil Pinto quickly fit in with Minnesota.

Both players enjoyed a memorable debut for the Twins during their series-clinching 4-2 victory over the AL West-leading Texas Rangers on Sunday.

"I couldn't envision a better start for myself, to get a win and be able to contribute," said Presley, who had three hits and an RBI a day after being traded from Pittsburgh for longtime Twins favorite Justin Morneau.

"I didn't know what it would be like to come into a new clubhouse," he added. "A lot of these guys I haven't played with or against. We bonded quickly in the dugout. I'll remember just how welcoming everybody's been."

Pinto had two hits in his major league debut, including an RBI double before scoring the tiebreaking run in the fifth. He also caught Kevin Correia's latest victory over the Rangers.

"We talked before the game," said Pinto, called up Saturday from Triple-A Rochester to fill Morneau's roster spot. "He told me, 'I like to pitch my game.' After a few innings, I understand how he likes to pitch."

After throwing eight scoreless innings in a home victory over the Rangers in April, Correia (9-10) scattered five hits over seven innings on a steamy day in Texas. He got 14 outs on the ground, including a pair of double plays.

Correia has won all three of his career starts against the Rangers, with an ERA of 1.61.

"He mixed it up well," said Mitch Moreland, whose 21st homer leading off the third was the only run off Correia. "Used both sides of the plate, kept us off balance, and we didn't really create a whole lot of opportunities."

The Twins didn't let Correia go back out for the eighth because he was cramping in his ribs on a day when the temperature was 99 degrees at first pitch and rose to triple digits.

"I could have gone back out, but the coaches wouldn't let me," Correia said. "You can't say anything if you want to go back out there."

Manager Ron Gardenhire and the Twins were being cautious.

"He mentioned that he had an oblique injury way back and when he gets dehydrated it bothers him," Gardenhire said. "He threw the ball real well. He moved it in and out."

In a brief stay at home, the Rangers lost two of three to the Twins while scoring exactly two runs in all three games. Texas plays its next six games on the West Coast, starting Monday with the opener of an important three-game series in Oakland.

Even though the Rangers finished August with an AL-best 20-7 record, they lost their September opener and have only

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55th running of All American Futurity today

By Felix Chavez
El Paso Times

RUIDOSO — In four career races, Especially Tres has been nearly as perfect as a horse can be in winning all of her races by a combined 11 lengths.

Today, she faces her biggest test yet when she battles nine rivals in quarter-horse racing's biggest race, the Grade I, 440-yard $2.6 million All American Futurity for 2-year-old competitors at Ruidoso Downs Race Track and Casino. This year will be the 55th running of the event.

"She's done everything right so far," trainer Blane Wood said. "She's handled the distance great and she came out of the trials really well. I expect her to be in the hunt for the win."

Especially Tres is the 7-2 morning-line favorite for today's race and will start out of the No. 1 post. She qualified for the All American Futurity in a time of 21.191 seconds.

But, Especially Tres will have some serious challengers to contest with. Hes Relentless, who has won three of four races, is a talented horse that qualified in an impressive 21.148 seconds. He's co-owned by R.D. Hubbard, who is the owner of Ruidoso Downs. Hes Relentless is 9-2 in the morning-line odds. Hubbard is looking for his first-ever win in the All American Futurity.

Race details

2013 ALL AMERICAN FUTURITY

When: 5:40 p.m. today

Location: Ruidoso Downs Race Track and Casino, about two hours outside of El Paso.

Post positions
1. Especially Tres
2. Wagon Full of Gold
3. Handsome Jack Flash
4. Houdini
5. Fatal Policy
6. Skuze Pleeze
7. Hes Relentless
8. You N How Many More
9. Reagal Eagle
10. Wagon Tales

"The name fits this horse just right," said trainer Amber Blair of Hes Relentless. "He just goes hard all the time and he'll fight right to the end. He's training really well."

Wagon Full of Gold, Handsome Jack Flash, Houdini, Fatal Policy, Skuze Pleeze, You N How Many More, Regal Eagle and Wagon Tales round out the field.

Wagon Tales had the fastest qualifying time with a mark of 21.021 seconds.

"This is a very good field," said jockey G.R. Carter, who will ride Skuze Pleeze. "I like my horse a great deal. But, you can make a case for any horse in this field. The trials this year were full of great horses that didn't

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Williams beats Stephens, reaches QF

By Howard Fendrich
Associated Press

NEW YORK — For eight intense, entertaining games, Sloane Stephens stayed right with Serena Williams.

For a 40-minute stretch in the fourth round of the U.S. Open, the top two American women put on quite a show. Both hit serves topping 115 mph. Both whipped groundstrokes to the corners. Both covered a lot of ground, extending points with leg-churning defense. Both showed the occasional sign of nerves, reflecting what a big deal this was, in part because the 15th-seeded Stephens already was one of only three players to beat No. 1 Williams this season.

Until, that is, the score was 4-all in the first set Sunday. That's when Williams took over.

The 20-year-old Stephens' time at the top of tennis may come. For now, the 31-year-old Williams is still as good as it gets. Taking eight of the last nine games, defending champion Williams returned to the quarterfinals at Flushing Meadows by beating Stephens 6-4, 6-1.

"When you give her that opportunity to take that step forward, she definitely makes her move," Stephens said. "Unfortunately, today she made her move. I just couldn't get back in."

Still, all in all, it was remarkably compelling and, within individual points, rather evenly played for what turned out to be such a runaway.

"I definitely think it was a high-quality match," said Williams, 64-4 with eight titles this year. "We both came out today to play."

She advanced to play No. 18 Carla Suarez Navarro of Spain, who defeated No. 8 Angelique Kerber of Germany 4-6, 6-3, 7-6 (3). Asked whether there's any chance of a letdown after getting past Stephens, Williams replied: "Absolutely not. I mean, I've been at this for a long time, so for me in my career, there are no letdowns."

In Sunday's other fourth-round women's matches, No. 3 Agnieszka Radwanska lost 6-4, 6-4 to No. 24 Ekaterina Makarova, and 2011 French Open champion Li Na eliminated 2008 U.S. Open runner-up Jelena Jankovic 6-3, 6-0.

In men's third-round action, the last of 15 Americans in the field lost, making this the first U.S. Open in history without at least one representative from the host country in the fourth round. Wild-card recipient Tim Smyczek, who is ranked 109th, was beaten 6-4, 4-6, 0-6, 6-3, 7-5 by Marcel Granollers of Spain.

It also means no U.S. man reached the fourth round at any of the four Grand Slam tournaments in 2013.

Granollers, who is ranked 43rd, now takes on No. 1 Novak Djokovic, a 6-0, 6-2, 6-2 winner over 95th-ranked Joao Sousa of Portugal.

The man Djokovic lost to in last year's U.S. Open final, and this year's Wimbledon final, Andy

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David Goldman/AP

Serena Williams reacts after defeating Sloane Stephens during the fourth round of the U.S. Open on Sunday in New York.

RoughRiders' bats light up RockHounds

From staff reports

Two big innings propelled the Frisco RoughRiders to a 14-4 rout against the Midland RockHounds at Citibank Ballpark on Sunday.

Frisco scored five runs in the second and six runs in the sixth to run away with a game that was a romp nearly from the start.


Muncy

RoughRiders outfielder Teodoro Martinez hit two home runs, including a grand slam in the second, and drove in eight runs in the game while going 4 for 5 with three runs scored.

The RockHounds' Max Muncy also had two home runs, but it wasn't nearly enough to help his team keep pace with the RoughRiders.

After Martinez hit his grand slam to right in the second, Luis Sardinas later hit an RBI single to right to put Frisco up 5-0.

Muncy hit the first of his homers to lead off the bottom of the frame, but that was all the scoring Midland did in the first six innings.

Frisco, meanwhile, added two runs in the third before exploding again in the sixth.

The inning began with Guilder Rodriguez reaching on a fielding error by Muncy, and he was driven in two batters later on an RBI double by Rougned Odor.

Two batters later, Odor and Luis Sardinas came in to score on a two-run single by Kalian Sams that put Frisco up, 10-1.

Martinez later capped the scoring in the inning with a two-out, three-run shot to right that put Frisco up, 13-1.

Muncy, who was 2 for 4 with three RBI and two runs scored, hit his second home run, a two-run blast to right, an inning later.

Midland, who has lost two straight to Frisco after winning five of seven, will close out its season at 4 p.m. today against Frisco at Citibank Ballpark.

RoughRiders	14
RockHounds	4

ROUGHRIDERS 14, ROCKHOUNDS 4

Frisco	ab	r	h	bi	Midland	ab	r	h	bi
Sardinas ss	6	1	4	1	Crumbsss 2b	4	0	1	0
Odor 2b	6	1	3	1	Myers cf	4	1	1	0
Nicholas c	5	0	1	0	Martir dh	4	0	2	1
Sams dh	6	2	2	2	Ladendorf ss	4	1	1	0
Chiang rf	5	2	2	0	Muncy 1b	4	2	2	3
Rua 3b	4	3	2	0	Whitaker rf	4	0	0	0
Martinez lf	5	3	4	4	Oberacker lf	4	0	1	0
Strausburgr cf	5	1	2	2	Caltrucia 3b	3	0	0	0
Rodriguez 1b	4	1	0	0	Lopez c	3	0	0	0
Totals	46	14	19	14	Totals	34	4	8	4

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Midland.....010 000 210—4

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Frisco	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Martinez W 2-0	6.0	3	1	1	0	3
Edwards	1.0	3	2	2	0	0
Henry	2.0	2	1	1	0	2
Midland						
Murphy L, 8-8	3.0	9	7	7	3	1
Long	3.0	5	6	2	0	4
Urlaub	1.1	4	1	1	0	2
DeMark	1.2	1	0	0	0	0

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Texas League

Second half
North Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
y-Arkansas	39	30	.565	—
NW Arkansas	34	35	.493	5
x-Tulsa	33	36	.478	6
Springfield	31	38	.449	8

South Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Corpus Christi	40	29	.580	—
z-San Antonio	40	29	.580	—
Frisco	31	38	.449	9
Midland	28	41	.406	12

x-clinched first half
y-clinched division (refers to second half)
z-clinched playoff spot

Sunday's Scores
Arkansas 2, Northwest Arkansas 0
Frisco 14, Midland 4
San Antonio 13, Corpus Christi 9
Tulsa 2, Springfield 1

Today's Games
Tulsa at Springfield, 12:05 p.m.
Northwest Arkansas at Arkansas, 1:10 p.m.
Frisco at Midland, 4 p.m.
San Antonio at Corpus Christi, 4:05 p.m.

End of regular season

MLBROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

American League

ASTROS 2
MARINERS 0

HOUSTON — Rookie Brett Oberholtzer pitched a four-hitter and Jason Castro hit an RBI double in the eighth inning, lifting the Astros to a win over Seattle.

The 24-year-old Oberholtzer (4-1) struck out five and walked one. He did not allow an extra-base hit in his sixth career start and ninth appearance to lower his ERA to 2.79.

Seattle starter Hisashi Iwakuma scattered six hits and struck out seven. It was the third time in four starts that he'd pitched seven innings.

ATHLETICS 5
RAYS 1

OAKLAND, Calif. — Coco Crisp and Stephen Vogt homered, A.J. Griffin struck out seven in seven innings, and the Oakland Athletics completed a three-game sweep of fellow playoff contender Tampa Bay with a 5-1 victory Sunday.

After Crisp led off the bottom of the first with a home run, James Loney tied it with his own longball in the top of the second. Griffin (12-9) settled in after that to win his second straight outing following a four-start winless stretch.

ORIOLES 7
YANKEES 3

NEW YORK — J.J. Hardy and Adam Jones hit three-run homers in the seventh inning as the Orioles suddenly broke loose, jolting the Yankees to avert a sweep in a matchup of wild-card contenders.

Shut out on three singles Saturday, the Orioles were blanked by Andy Pettitte for six innings before their seven-run rally against the 41-year-old lefty and a faltering bullpen.

INDIANS 4
TIGERS 0

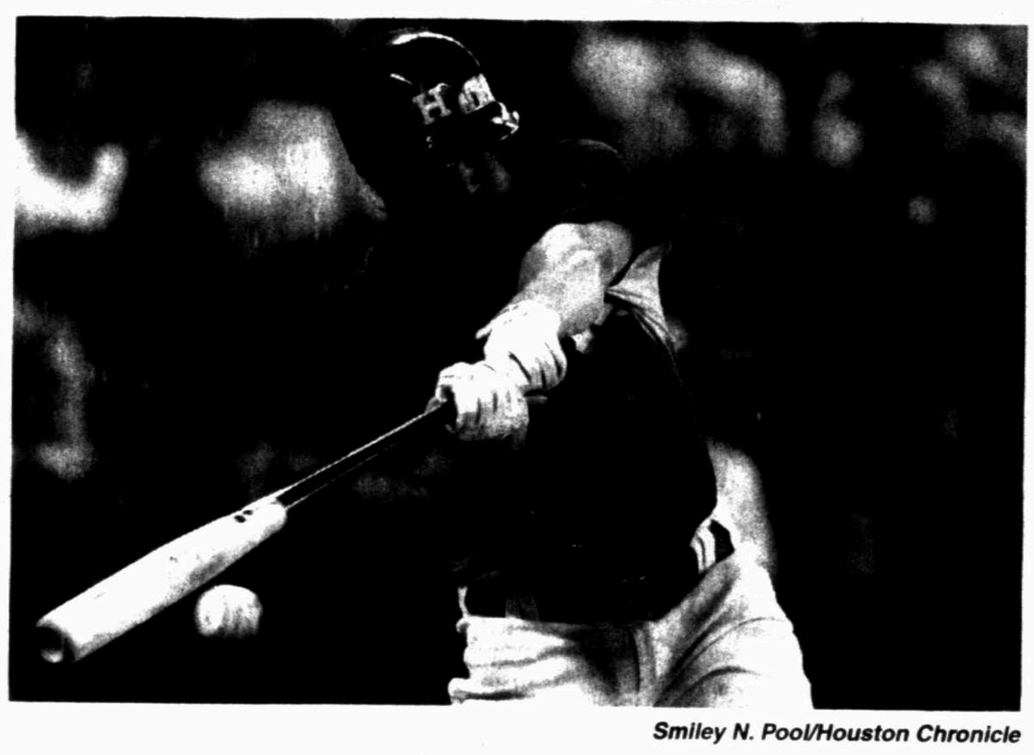
DETROIT — Mike Aviles hit a grand slam in the ninth inning that lifted Cleveland to a win over the Tigers.

The AL Central leaders had won seven straight against second-place Cleveland.

ROYALS 5
BLUE JAYS 0

TORONTO — James Shields pitched seven innings of three-hit ball to win his fourth straight decision, Eric Hosmer drove in two runs and the Royals beat the Blue Jays to avoid a three-game sweep.

The Royals won for the sixth time in eight games. They are 5 1/2 games behind Tampa Bay in the AL wild-card race.


Smiley N. Pool/Houston Chronicle

Houston's Jose Altuve doubles to start a rally in the eighth inning of Sunday's game against the Seattle Mariners at Minute Maid Park in Houston. Altuve doubled and scored in the inning as the Astros broke open a scoreless tie for a 2-0 victory.

RED SOX 7
WHITE SOX 6

BOSTON — David Ortiz continued to rebound from a miserable stretch with two hits and three RBI, leading the Red Sox to a win over the White Sox that completed a three-game sweep.

Stephen Drew added a solo homer for the AL East-leading Red Sox, who won for the seventh time in eight games.

National League

CARDINALS 7
PIRATES 2

PITTSBURGH — Matt Holliday and David Freese drove in two runs apiece, and the St. Louis Cardinals beat the Pittsburgh Pirates 7-2 on Sunday to move back into a tie for the NL Central lead.

Matt Carpenter, Allen Craig, Yadier Molina and Shane Robinson added two hits each for St. Louis, which jumped on Pittsburgh rookie Kris Johnson (0-2) early to snap a three-game skid.

DODGERS 2
PADRES 1

LOS ANGELES — Zack Greinke allowed one run over seven innings, Yasiel Puig homered in the sixth and Los Angeles beat San Diego to complete a three-game sweep.

The NL West leaders earned their 10th sweep of the season and first against San Diego. They extended their roll from August, when the Dodgers went 23-6 for their most wins in a month since moving to Los Angeles in 1958.

ROCKIES 7
REDS 4

DENVER — Todd Helton doubled for his 2,500th career hit, Michael Cuddyer homered among his four hits and Colorado overcame the loss of starting pitcher Tyler Chatwood to beat Cincinnati.

Helton became the 96th player in major league history to reach 2,500 hits. Cuddyer went 4 for 4 with three RBIs.

GIANTS 8
DIAMONDBACKS 2

PHOENIX — Yusmeiro Petit struck out a career-high 10, Hector Sanchez drove in three runs and San Francisco beat Arizona to take two of three from the Diamondbacks.

Hunter Pence homered, doubled and singled, driving in two runs and scoring three times as the Giants improved to 10-5 against Arizona this season.

MARLINS 7
BRAVES 0

ATLANTA — Nathan Eovaldi combined with Steve Cishek on an eight-hit shutout, Jeff Mathis homered and drove in three runs, and Miami beat Atlanta to stop a six-game losing streak.

Ed Lucas had a two-run single and Mathis added a two-run double in the Marlins' five-run third inning.

CUBS 7
PHILLIES 1

CHICAGO — Jake Arrieta allowed three hits while pitching into the seventh inning and Welington Castillo drove in two runs to lead Chicago over Philadelphia.

Acquired from Baltimore on July 2, Arrieta (2-1) worked around three walks in 6 2-3 innings. Three relievers combined for 2 1-3 shutout innings to give the Cubs their first consecutive home wins since a stretch of three straight July 6-9.

NATIONALS 6
METS 5

WASHINGTON — Jayson Werth's two-out RBI double in the eighth inning capped a late rally and the Washington Nationals avoided a series sweep with a 6-5 win over the New York Mets on Sunday night.

The Nationals trailed 5-2 entering the seventh, but scored once in that inning on Wilson Ramos' run-scoring single and added three in the eighth.

Interleague

ANGELS 5
BREWERS 3

MILWAUKEE — J.B. Shuck hit a three-run double in the seventh inning to rally the Los Angeles Angels past Milwaukee for a three-game sweep.

Mike Trout tripled and doubled among his three hits to help the Angels finish an 8-1 road trip. They have won eight in a row against the Brewers in Milwaukee, dating to 1997.

MASON

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and Abilene High face Cedar Park and Duncanville, respectively.

So, perhaps we'll see less fireworks from 2-5A teams this week.

But after that, it will be up to the aforementioned 2-5A defensive coordinators to plan a way to stop these potent offenses on a weekly basis.

And I, for one, don't envy them.

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RACE

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qualify for the finals. You really had to earn your way into this race."

This year's 10 horses have won a combined 27 races in their young careers. But, whoever wins today's race will claim their biggest race to date.

"This is one of the great races in this country," said Luis Villafranco, who trains Houdini and who has never won an All American Futurity. "This race is what every quarter-horse trainer dreams of making it to and winning it.

"I feel my horse has as good a chance as any in this race, and if we win, it will be one of the great highlights of my career."

Kyle Busch wins Atlanta, locks up Chase spot

By Paul Newberry
Associated Press

HAMPTON, Ga. — With a big hand from his pit crew, Kyle Busch locked up his spot in the Chase for the Sprint Cup championship with his fourth victory of the year Sunday night at Atlanta Motor Speedway.

Busch emerged with the lead after a rapid-fire series of caution flags near the end, and he held off hard-charging Joey Logano to win by 0.740 seconds.

"My boys on pit road," Busch said. "They're amazing. I would do anything for them."

Martin Truex Jr., racing with a broken right wrist, was third on the 1.54-mile trioval, followed by Kurt Busch and Ryan Newman.

The rest of the top 10: Jeff Gordon, Juan Pablo Montoya, Dale Earnhardt Jr., Kevin Harvick and Brian Vickers.

Kyle Busch was among three more drivers locking up their spot in the Chase heading to Richmond next weekend, where the 12-car field will be set for the playoff. He was joined by Harvick and Carl Edwards.

Points leader Jimmie Johnson, Clint Bowyer and Matt Kenseth had already claimed playoff berths before Atlanta.

Busch earned his 16th win of the year in NASCAR's top three series. He has nine victories in Nationwide and three in trucks.

Logano had the fastest car on the track at the end of the race, but ran out of time to run down Busch.

AUTORACING

FROM WIRE REPORTS

ELLIOTT WRECKS DILLON TO WIN TRUCK RACE: At Bowmanville, Ontario, Chase Elliott wrecked Ty Dillon on the last lap Sunday to win the NASCAR Truck Series race at Canadian Tire Motorsport Park.

Elliott, the son of former Sprint Cup driver Bill Elliott, plowed into Dillon on the final turn on the 2.459-mile road course to take the lead and went on to his first series victory. At 17 years, 9 months, 4 days, he became the youngest winner in series history.

PAGENAUD WINS CRASH-FILLED GRAND PRIX OF BALTIMORE: At Baltimore, Simon Pagenaud emerged as the winner of a collision-marred Grand Prix of Baltimore on Sunday, charging to the lead after a series of mishaps involving several other contenders — including one involving rivals Scott Dixon and Will Power.

ANTRON BROWN TOPS US NATIONALS QUALIFYING: At Clermont, Ind., defending Top Fuel season champion Antron Brown took the No. 1 spot in NHRA qualifying Sunday in the U.S. Nationals at Lucas Oil Raceway at Indianapolis.

Brown, 16th before the final session, powered his 8,000-horsepower dragster to a 3.811-second run at 320.58 mph for his second No. 1 qualifier of the season and 34th overall. He will face Morgan Lucas in the first round of eliminations Monday.

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TEXAS

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a one-game division lead over the A's. Oakland wrapped up a three-game sweep against Tampa Bay with a 5-1 victory Sunday.

"We're not looking for help from anybody. We played these three games against the Minnesota Twins with the intention on winning," Rangers manager Ron Washington said.

A.J. Pierzynski also homered for the Rangers, with a pinch-hit shot in the eighth.

Texas starter Travis Blackley (2-2) was gone after giving up three consecutive run-scoring hits with one out in the fifth.

Pinto had an RBI double before Doug Bernier's ground-rule double, a ball that bounced just fair down the right-field line and then went into the seats. Presley followed with an RBI single that made it 3-1.

Glen Perkins, the second Twins reliever, pitched a perfect ninth with two strikeouts for his 32nd save in 35 chances. He saved both Minnesota wins in the series.

Darin Mastroianni was thrown out trying to score in the first inning after a deke by second baseman Ian Kinsler when Brian Dozier doubled.

Running toward second, Mastroianni slid into the bag when Kinsler acted as he was turning a double play. But the ball was in left-center field. Mastroianni got up and started running again, but couldn't beat Kinsler's relay throw from center fielder Leonys Martin to catcher Geovany Soto, who blocked the plate from the sliding runner.

NOTES: Neftali Feliz pitched 1 2/3 scoreless innings with two strikeouts in his first appearance for the Rangers since sustaining a torn elbow ligament in May 2012 that required Tommy John surgery. ... Martin got his 12th outfield assist this season, the most for a Texas player since Ruben Sierra had 15 in 1991. ... Texas added seven players to its roster Sunday. The Twins added only Presley on the first day rosters could expand. Their top farm team is still in playoff contention.

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East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	82	56	.594	—
Tampa Bay	75	60	.556	5 1/2
Baltimore	72	63	.533	8 1/2
New York	72	64	.529	9
Toronto	62	75	.453	19 1/2

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Detroit	80	57	.584	—
Cleveland	72	64	.529	7 1/2
Kansas City	70	66	.515	9 1/2
Minnesota	59	76	.437	20
Chicago	56	79	.415	23

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Texas	79	57	.581	—
Oakland	78	58	.574	1
Los Angeles	63	72	.467	15 1/2
Seattle	62	74	.456	17
Houston	45	91	.331	34

Sunday's Scores

Baltimore 7, N.Y. Yankees 3
Kansas City 5, Toronto 0
Cleveland 4, Detroit 0
Boston 7, Chicago White Sox 6
L.A. Angels 5, Milwaukee 3
Houston 2, Seattle 0
Minnesota 4, Texas 2
Oakland 5, Tampa Bay 1

Today's Games

Chicago White Sox (Quintana 7-4) at N.Y. Yankees (Phughes 4-13), 12:05 p.m.
Detroit (Fister 11-7) at Boston (Lackey 8-11), 12:35 p.m.
Minnesota (A.Albers 2-2) at Houston (Clemens 4-4), 1:10 p.m.
Seattle (F.Hernandez 12-8) at Kansas City (Duffy 2-0), 1:10 p.m.
Baltimore (B.Norris 9-10) at Cleveland (Masterson 14-9), 3:05 p.m.
Texas (D.Holland 9-6) at Oakland (Straily 7-7), 3:05 p.m.
Toronto (Rogers 3-7) at Arizona (McCarthy 3-8), 3:10 p.m.
Tampa Bay (Archer 8-5) at L.A. Angels (Richards 4-6), 8:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Atlanta	83	53	.610	—
Washington	69	67	.507	14
New York	62	73	.459	20 1/2
Philadelphia	62	75	.453	21 1/2
Miami	50	85	.370	32 1/2

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Pittsburgh	79	57	.581	—
St. Louis	79	57	.581	—
Cincinnati	76	61	.555	3 1/2
Milwaukee	59	78	.434	20
Chicago	58	78	.426	21

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Los Angeles	81	55	.596	—
Arizona	69	66	.511	11 1/2
Colorado	65	73	.471	17
San Francisco	61	75	.449	20
San Diego	60	76	.441	21

Sunday's Scores

St. Louis 7, Pittsburgh 2
L.A. Angels 5, Milwaukee 3
Chicago Cubs 7, Philadelphia 1
Colorado 7, Cincinnati 4
L.A. Dodgers 2, San Diego 1
San Francisco 8, Arizona 2
Miami 7, Atlanta 0
Washington 8, N.Y. Mets 5

Today's Games

N.Y. Mets (Matsuzaka 0-2) at Atlanta (Mahoim 9-10), 12:10 p.m.
St. Louis (Wainwright 15-8) at Cincinnati (Latos 13-5), 12:10 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Morton 6-3) at Milwaukee (Thornburg 1-0), 1:10 p.m.
Miami (H.Alvarez 2-3) at Chicago Cubs (T.Wood 8-10), 1:20 p.m.
San Francisco (Zito 4-10) at San Diego (Kennedy 5-9), 2:40 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (Kershaw 13-8) at Colorado (Bettis 0-3), 3:10 p.m.
Toronto (Rogers 3-7) at Arizona (McCarthy 3-8), 3:10 p.m.
Washington (Strasburg 6-9) at Philadelphia (Hamels 8-13), 6:05 p.m.

SUNDAY'S AL WEST BOXES

TWINS 4, RANGERS 2

Minnesota	ab	r	h	bi
Presley cf	4	1	3	1
Mstrnnn rf	3	0	1	0
Dozier 2b	4	0	1	0
Wngh dh	4	0	2	0
Plouffe 3b	4	0	1	0
Colaetl 1b	4	0	1	0
Thoms lf	3	1	0	0
Pinto c	4	1	2	1
Bernier ss	4	1	1	1
Totals	**34**	**4**	**12**	**3**
Minnesota				**.000 .036 010 — 4**
Texas				**.001 .000 010 — 2**

E—Profar (8). DP—Minnesota 2, Texas 2.
LOB—Minnesota 5, Texas 4. 2B—Dozier (30), Pinto (1), Bernier (3), G.Soto (7). HR—Moreland (21), Pierzynski (16). SB—Mastroanni (2), L.Martin (30), Rios (33). CS—Presley (1). S—Mastroanni.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Minnesota						
Correia W,9-10	7	5	1	1	1	2
Burton	1	2	1	1	0	0
Perkins S,32-35	1	0	0	0	0	2
Texas						
Blackley L,2-2	4 1-3		8	3	3	0
Feliz	1 2-3		1	0	0	4
J.Ortiz	1		1	1	0	1
Soria	1		1	0	0	1
R.Ross	1		1	0	0	1

J.Ortiz pitched to 1 batter in the 8th
WP—Blackley 2.
T—2:59 A—36,549 (48,114)

ASTROS 2, MARINERS 0

Seattle	ab	r	h	bi
BMiller ss	4	0	1	0
Frnkln 2b	4	0	1	0
Smoak 1b	4	0	1	0
Seager 3b	4	0	1	0
KMorls dh	4	0	1	0
FGtrrz rf	4	0	0	0
MSndrs lf	3	0	0	0
Smoak 1b	2	0	0	0
Ackley cf	3	0	0	0
HBlanc c	3	0	0	0
Totals	**31**	**0**	**4**	**0**
Seattle				**.000 000 000 — 0**
Houston				**.000 000 02x — 2**

LOB—Seattle 5, Houston 8. 2B—Altuve (23), J.Castro (35). Crowe (8).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Seattle						
Iwakuma	7	6	0	0	1	7
Furbush L,2-5	2-3	3	2	2	0	0
Wilhelmsen	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Houston						
Oberholtzer W,4-1	9	4	0	0	1	5

T—2:41 A—17,203 (42,060)

ANGELS 5, BREWERS 3

Los Angeles	ab	r	h	bi
Shuck lf	5	1	1	3
Bourgos cf	5	0	0	0
Aybar ss	5	0	0	0
Trout cf-lf	3	1	3	0

Milwaukee	ab	r	h	bi
Aoki rf	3	0	1	0
Segura ss	3	0	1	0
Lucroy c	3	1	0	0
KDavis lf	4	0	0	0
Calhon lf	4	0	2	2
Trumo 1b	4	0	1	0
Conger c	4	1	1	0
LJimnz 3b	4	1	2	0
ArkRmn 2b	3	0	1	0
Frier p	0	0	0	0
OWlsn p	1	0	0	0
Hamltn ph	0	1	0	0
CRfsny p	0	0	0	0
DDuRs p	0	0	0	0
GGreen 2b	1	0	0	0
Totals	**34**	**5**	**11**	**5**
Los Angeles				**.001 .000 402 — 5**
Milwaukee				**.001 .200 000 — 3**

E—Calhoun (6). DP—Los Angeles 1.
LOB—Milwaukee 5, Los Angeles 6. Milwaukee 4. 2B—Shuck (17), Trout (35), Calhoun (3), Bianchi (6). 3B—Trout (9). HR—C.Gomez (19). S—An.Romine, Lohse

Los Angeles	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
C.Wilson W,14-6	6	3	3	2	2	3
Cor.Rasmus	1	0	0	0	0	1
D.De La Rosa	1-3	0	0	0	0	2
Frien S,30-34	1 2-3	0	0	0	0	4
Milwaukee						
Lohse	6	7	1	1	1	1
Mic.Gonzalez	0	1	1	1	0	0
Wooten L,3-1	2-3	3	3	3	2	1
D.Hand	1 1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Figaro	1	0	0	0	0	0

Mic.Gonzalez pitched to 1 batter in the 7th
T—3:06. A—29,733 (41,900).

ATHLETICS 5, RAYS 1

Tampa Bay	ab	r	h	bi
DeJesu lf	2	0	1	0
DYong ph	1	0	0	0
Fuld lf	0	0	0	0
Zobrist 2b-ss	4	0	0	0
Longori 3b	4	0	0	0
Joyce dh	4	0	0	0
Loney 1b	4	1	2	1
WMyrs rf	4	0	1	0
DJnngs cf	3	0	1	0
JMolin c	2	0	0	0
KJhnsn ph-2b	1	0	1	0
YEscor ss	2	0	1	0
Scott ph	1	0	0	0
Loaton c	0	0	0	0
Totals	**32**	**1**	**7**	**1**
Tampa Bay				**.010 000 000 — 1**
Oakland				**.101 .000 03x — 5**

E—Longoria (9), De Jennings (3). DP—Tampa Bay 2, Oakland 1. LOB—Tampa Bay 5, Oakland 7. 2B—DeJesus (3), W.Myers (11), Ku.Johnson (11), Loney (41). HR—Loney (11), Crisp (16), Vogt (3). S—Sogard.

Tampa Bay	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
J.Wright	1 2-3	3	1	1	2	1
AlTorres L,4-1	3 1-3	3	1	0	1	0
B.Gomes	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
W.Wright	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
McGee	2-3	1	1	1	0	0
Lueke	2-3	1	2	2	1	1
C.Ramos	2-3	1	0	0	0	0
Oakland						
Griffin W,12-9	7	5	1	1	1	1
Otero	2-3	1	0	0	0	0
Doolittle	1	0	0	0	0	1
Cook	1	1	0	0	0	2

Otero pitched to 1 batter in the 8th
T—2:58 A—18,639 (35,067).

SUNDAY'S LINESCORES

AMERICAN LEAGUE

ORIOLES 7, YANKEES 3

Baltimore				**.000 000 700**	**—**	**7 12 0**
New York				**.001 200 000**	**—**	**3 7 0**

W.Chen, Gausman (5), Fr.Rodriguez (7), Tom.Hunter (8), O'Day (9) and Wieters; Pettitte, Kelley (7), Logan (7), Chamberlain (7), Huff (9), Betances (9) and C.Stewart. Au.Romine. W—Gausman 2-3. L—Kelley 4-2. HRs—Baltimore, Hardy (24). A.Jones (28).

ROYALS 5, BLUE JAYS 0

Kansas City				**.104 000 000**	**—**	**5 9 0**
Toronto				**.000 000 000**	**—**	**0 3 2**

Shields, Hochevar (8), G.Holland (9) and S.Perez; Happ, Jenkins (5), Wagner (8), McGowan (9) and Arencibia. W—Shields 10-8. L—Happ 3-5.

INDIANS 4, TIGERS 0

Cleveland				**.000 000 004**	**—**	**4 5 0**
Detroit				**.000 000 000**	**—**	**0 11 0**

Salazar, Hagadone (7), Allen (7), J.Smith (8), C.Perez (9) and C.Santana. Y.Gomes, Verlander, B.Rondon (8), Benoit (9), Alburquerque (9) and Avila. W—J.Smith 6-2. L—Benoit 4-1. HRs—Cleveland: Aviles (9).

RED SOX 7, WHITE SOX 6

Chicago				**.000 410 010**	**—**	**6 11 1**
Boston				**.041 200 00x**	**—**	**7 8 0**

Rienzo, Leesman (4), N.Jones (8) and Flowers; Doubront, Workman (4), F.Morales (6), Tazawa (7), Breslow (8), Uehara (9) and Saltalamacchia. W—Workman 4-2. L—Rienzo 1-1. Sv—Uehara (16). HRs—Chicago, Flowers (10). Boston, Drew (11).

NATIONAL LEAGUE

CARDINALS 7, PIRATES 2

St. Louis				**.302 002 000**	**—**	**7 12 0**
Pittsburgh				**.000 001 001**	**—**	**2 6 0**

J.Kelly, Maness (7), Rosenthal (8), Mujica (9) and Y.Molina; A.Sanchez, J.Gomez (3), A.Wilson (6), Morris (7), Watson (8), Farnsworth (9) and Buck. W—J.Kelly 7-3. L—Kr.Johnson 0-2.

CUBS 7, PHILLIES 1

Philadelphia				**.000 100 000**	**—**	**1 4 0**
Chicago				**.101 .300 02x**	**—**	**7 9 0**

K.Kendrick, Diekman (7), J.C.Ramirez (8) and Kratz; Arrieta, Russell (7), Strop (8), B.Parker (9) and Castillo. W—Arrieta 2-1. L—K.Kendrick 10-12. HRs—Philadelphia, Ruf (12).

ROCKIES 7, REDS 4

Cincinnati				**.002 000 011**	**—**	**4 15 0**
Colorado				**.110 040 10x**	**—**	**7 12 0**

Leake, Simon (5), M.Parra (6), Partch (6), Ondrusek (8) and Mesoraco; Chatwood, Ottavino (3), W.Lopez (6), Outman (6), Belisle (8), Brothers (9) and Tomlinson. W—Ottavino 1-2. L—Leake 11-6. HRs—Cincinnati, Choo (18). Colorado, Arenado (10), Cuddyer (18).

DODGERS 2, PADRES 1

San Diego				**.001 000 000**	**—**	**1 3 0**
Los Angeles				**.001 001 00x**	**—**	**2 7 0**

T.Ross, Thayer (6), Hynes (7), Stauffer (8) and Hundley, Grenke, Belisario (8), P.Rodriguez (8), Jansen (9) and A.Ellis. W—Grenke 1-4-3. L—Thayer 2-5. Sv—Jansen (24). HRs—Los Angeles, Puig (14).

GIANTS 8, DIAMONDBACKS 2

San Francisco				**.010 310 003**	**—**	**8 15 0**
Arizona				**.100 000 100**	**—**	**2 9 0**

Petit, Mijares (7), S.Casilla (7), Kickham (9) and H.Sanchez; Cahill, Ziegler (8), Sipp (8), Bell (9), Thatcher (9) and M.Montero. W—Petit 2-0. L—Corbin 13-5. HRs—San Francisco, Pence (17).

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Miami				**.115 000 000**	**—**	**7 13 0**
Atlanta				**.000 000 000**	**—**	**0 8 0**

Eovaldi, Cishek (9) and Mathis; A.Wood, F.Garcia (3), Varvaro (8) and G.Laird. W—Eovaldi 3-5. L—A.Wood 3-3. HRs—Miami, Mathis (5)

NATIONALS 6, METS 5

New York				**.210 010 100**	**—**	**5 13 0**
Washington				**.010 100 13x**	**—**	**6 11 1**

Neise, Atchison (6), Rice (8), Germen (8) and T.d'Arnaud, Ohlendorf, Stammen (6), Krol (7), Matthews (7), E.Davis (8), R.Soriano (9) and W.Ramos. W—E.Davis 1-0. L—Germen 1-2. Sv—R.Soriano (36). HRs—New York, den Dekker (1).

AUTO RACING

NASCAR

Sprint Cup-AdvoCare 500 Results
Sunday
At Atlanta Motor Speedway
Hampton, Ga.
Lap length: 1.54 miles
(Start position in parentheses)

1. (9) Kyle Busch, Toyota, laps laps, 118.2 rating, 47 points. 2. (11) Joey Logano, Ford, 325, 130.8, 44. 3. (1) Martin Truex Jr., Toyota, 325, 100, 41. 4. (32) Kurt Busch, Chevrolet, 325, 92.5, 40. 5. (17) Ryan Newman, Chevrolet, 325, 102, 40. 6. (5) Jeff Gordon, Chevrolet, 325, 117.1, 39. 7. (3) Juan Pablo Montoya, Chevrolet, 325, 100.4, 38. 8. (8) Dale Earnhardt Jr., Chevrolet, 325, 93.2, 36. 9. (30) Kevin Harvick, Chevrolet, 325, 103.7, 35. 10. (22) Brian Vickers, Toyota, 325, 83.1, 0. 11. (15) Jamie McMurray, Chevrolet, 325, 94.6, 33. 12. (6) Matt Kenseth, Toyota, 325, 98, 32. 13. (20) Matt Kenseth, Toyota, 325, 84.4, 31. 14. (13) A.J. Allmendinger, Toyota, 325, 83.3, 30. 15. (24) Greg Biffle, Ford, 325, 72.7, 29. 16. (1) Ricky Stenhouse Jr., Ford, 325, 77.2, 28. 17. (31) David Gilliland, Ford, 325, 73.5, 27. 18. (2) Carl Edwards, Ford, 324, 102.7, 27. 19. (26) Austin Dillon, Chevrolet, 324, 67.3, 0. 20. (29) Aric Almirola, Ford, 323, 65.4, 24. 21. (21) Danica Patrick, Chevrolet, 323, 61.1, 23. 22. (19) Casey Mears, Ford, 323, 44.4, 23. 23. (14) David Ragan, Ford, 323, 61.1, 22. 24. (16) Paul Menard, Chevrolet, 322, 54.7, 20. 25. (27) Mark Martin, Chevrolet, 322, 53.9, 19. 26. (36) Dave Blaney, Chevrolet, 322, 53.7, 18. 27. (37) Travis Kvapil, Toyota, 322, 49.5, 17. 28. (10) Jimmie Johnson, Chevrolet, 321, 55.8, 16. 29. (25) David Stremme, Toyota, 321, 52.9, 15. 30. (42) Jeff Green, Chevrolet, 321, 40.8, 15. 31. (41) Timmy Hill, Ford, 321, 32.4, 13. 32. (34) David Reutimann, Toyota, 320, 43.4, 12. 33. (38) Mike Bliss, Chevrolet, 319, 36.3, 0. 34. (28) Jeff Burton, Chevrolet, 319, 64.5, 10. 35. (23) Brad Keselowski, Ford, engine, 307, 88.6, 10. 36. (18) Kasey Kahne, Chevrolet, 292, 45.7, 8. 37. (39) Landon Cassill, Chevrolet, engine, 249, 33.0, 38. (4) Danny Hamlin, Toyota, engine, 231, 50.7, 6. 39. (12) Clint Bowyer, Toyota, engine, 192, 106.3, 6. 40. (40) Joe Nemechek, Toyota, vibration, 114, 27.1, 0. 41. (33) Josh Wise, Ford, vibration, 94, 31.9, 0. 42. (43) Michael McDowell, Ford, vibration, 92, 31, 3. 43. (35) Scott Speed, Ford, vibration, 22, 25.3, 1.

Race Statistics

Average Speed of Race Winner: 135.136 mph
Time of Race: 3 hours, 42 minutes, 16 seconds.
Margin of Victory: 0.740 seconds
Caution Flags: 5 for 47 laps
Lead Changes: 28 among 13 drivers
Lap Leaders: J.Montoya 1-24, J.Logano 25-26, D.Ragan 27, M.McDowell 28, J.Montoya 29-39, C.Edwards 40-58, J.Nley 59-60, C.Mears 61, J.Gordon 62-77, J.Montoya 78, L.Cassill 79, C.Edwards 80-121, R.Newman 122-123, J.Logano 124-136, C.Bowyer 139-166, J.Logano 167-172, C.Bowyer 173-192, J.Logano 193-195, C.Edwards 196-200, J.Gordon 201, C.Edwards 202-203, J.Logano 204-212, B.Keselowski 213-243, J.Logano 244-251, R.Newman 252, J.Montoya 253-254, J.Logano 255-289, Ky.Busch 290-325

Leaders Summary (Driver, Times Led, Laps Led): J.Logano, 7 times for 78 laps; C.Edwards, 4 times for 68 laps, C.Bowyer, 2 times for 28 laps, J.Montoya, 4 times for 38 laps, Ky.Busch, 1 time for 36 laps, B.Keselowski, 1 time for 31 laps, J.Gordon, 2 times for 17 laps, R.Newman, 2 times for 3 laps, J.Nley, 1 time for 2 laps, C.Mears, 1 time for 1 lap, D.Ragan, 1 time for 1 lap, L.Cassill, 1 time for 1 lap, M.McDowell, 1 time for 1 lap.

Top 12 in Points: 1. J.Johnson, 837. 2. C.Bowyer, 809. 3. K.Harvick, 795. 4. C.Edwards, 795. 5. Ky.Busch, 786. 6. M.Kenseth, 768. 7. D.Earnhardt Jr., 750. 8. J.Logano, 729. 9. G.Biffle 727. 10. Ku.Busch, 719. 11. J.Gordon, 713. 12. K.Kahne, 709.

Camping World Truck-Chevrolet Silverado 250 Results
Sunday
At Canadian Tire Motorsport Park
Bowmanville, Ontario
Lap length: 2.459 miles
(Start position in parentheses)

1. (4) Chase Elliott, Chevrolet, 64 laps, 141.3 rating, 47 points. $53,385. 2. (8) Chad Hackenbracht, Toyota, 64, 97.5, 42. $41,875. 3. (5) Miguel Paludo, Chevrolet, 64, 117.2, 42. $27,920. 4. (9) Darrell Wallace Jr., Toyota, 64, 84, 40. $22,660. 5. (17) Ron Hornaday Jr., Chevrolet, 64, 73, 39. $19,085. 6. (7) Max Papis, Chevrolet, 64, 89.1, 38. $14,310. 7. (18) Ross Chastain, Chevrolet, 64, 92.4, 37. $16,060. 8. (15) Timothy Peters, Toyota, 64, 75, 36. $15,560. 9. (1) James Buescher, Chevrolet, 64, 96.8, 36. $17,960. 10. (13) Matt Crafton, Toyota, 64, 74.8, 34. $15,835. 11. (24) Bryan Silas, Ford, 64, 63.9, 33. $14,460. 12. (25) John Wes Townley, Toyota, 64, 55.7, 32. $14,285. 13. (3) Mike Skeen, Chevrolet, 64, 103.7, 31. $14,185. 14. (21) Martin Roy, Chevrolet, 64, 55.5, 0. $14,085. 15. (12) German Quiroga, Toyota, 64, 86.2, 30. $14,960. 16. (2) Ryan Blaney, Ford, 64, 92.29, $13,785. 17. (6) Ty Dillon, Chevrolet, 64, 116.9, 29. $13,685. 18. (10) Brendan Gaughan, Chevrolet, 62, 66.8, 26. $13,585. 19. (22) Dakoda Armstrong, Chevrolet, 61, 42.2, 25. $13,485. 20. (30) Norm Benning, Chevrolet, 57, 33, 24. $14,010. 21. (26) Derek White, Chevrolet, rear hub, 55, 42.7, 0. $12,035. 22. (11) Jeb Burton, Chevrolet, 54, 63.8, 22. $11,935. 23. (28) Jennifer Jo Cobb, Ram, 52, 34.4, 21. $10,735. 24. (23) Max Gresham, Chevrolet, 47, 39.7, 20. $10,635. 25. (14) Alex Guenette, Chevrolet, oil line, 45, 50.7, 19. $10,735. 26. (19) Joey Coulter, Toyota, 41, 43.5, 18. $10,535. 27. (20) Brennan Newberry, Chevrolet, transmission, 38, 51.3, 17. $10,485. 28. (16) Johnny Sauter, Toyota, gas line, 34, 35.1, 16. $10,435. 29. (27) Carl Long, Chevrolet, brakes, 4, 29.5, 0. $10,385. 30. (29) Chris Lafferty, Chevrolet, clutch, 3, 28.8, 14. $10,835.

Race Statistics

Average Speed of Race Winner: 86.775 mph
Time of Race: 1 hour, 48 minutes, 49 seconds
Margin of Victory: 3.147 seconds
Caution Flags: 5 for 10 laps
Lead Changes: 7 among 6 drivers
Lap Leaders: J.Buescher 1-2, C.Elliott 3-23, R.Blaney 24-25, T.Dillon 26-33, G.Quiroga 34-36, M.Paludo 37-46, T.Dillon 47-63, C.Elliott 64

Laps Completed/Running (Driver, Team, Laps Led): T.Dillon, 2 times for 25 laps, C.Elliott, 2 times for 22 laps, M.Paludo, 1 time for 10 laps, G.Quiroga, 1 time for 3 laps, J.Buescher, 1 time for 2 laps, R.Blaney, 1 time for 2 laps.

Top 10 in Points: 1. M.Crafton, 532. 2. J.Buescher, 485. 3. T.Dillon, 469. 4. J.Burton, 467. 5. M.Paludo, 464. 6. T.Peters, 462. 7. R.Blaney, 450. 8. B.Gaughan, 444. 9. D.Wallace Jr., 426. 10. J.Sauter, 425.

IndyCar

Grand Prix of Baltimore Results
Sunday
At Baltimore Street Circuit
Baltimore, Md.
Lap length: 1.64 miles
(Starting position in parentheses)

1. (3) Simon Pagenaud, Dallara-Honda, 75, Running. 2. (5) Josef Newgarden, Dallara-Honda, 75, Running. 3 (22) Sebastien Bourdais, Dallara-Chevrolet, 75, Running. 4. (4) Justin Wilson, Dallara-Honda, 75, Running. 5. (17) Simona de Silvestro, Dallara-Chevrolet, 75, Running. 6. (9) Charlie Kimball, Dallara-Honda, 75, Running. 7. (11) James Hinchcliffe, Dallara-Honda, 75, Running. 8 (19) Sebastian Saavedra, Dallara-Chevrolet, 75, Running. 9 (7) Helio Castroneves, Dallara-Chevrolet, 75, Running. 10 (16) Marco Andretti, Dallara-Chevrolet, 75, Running. 11. (6) Tristan Vautier, Dallara-Honda, 75, Running. 12 (15) Oriol Servia, Dallara-Chevrolet, 74, Running. 13. (20) E.J. Viso, Dallara-Chevrolet, 74, Running. 14. (18) Ed Carpenter, Dallara-Chevrolet, 74, Running. 15. (14) Tony Kanaan, Dallara-Chevrolet, 73, Contact. 16. (21) Stefan Wilson, Dallara-Honda, 72, Running. 17. (12) Graham Rahal, Dallara-Honda, 68, Contact. 18 (2) Will Power, Dallara-Chevrolet, 67, Running. 19 (1) Scott Dixon, Dallara-Honda, 52, Contact. 20 (8) Ryan Hunter-Reay, Dallara-Chevrolet, 42, Mechanical. 21 (24) Dario Franchitti, Dallara-Honda, 22, Mechanical. 22 (13) Luca Filippi, Dallara-Honda, 12, Mechanical. 23 (23) James Jakes, Dallara-Honda, 5, Mechanical. 24 (10) Takuma Sato, Dallara-Honda, 4, Mechanical

Race Statistics

Winners average speed: 67.234
Time of Race: 2.16.32.3443
Margin of Victory 4.1592 seconds
Cautions: 6 for 25 laps
Lead Chang:rs: 6 among 6 drivers
Lap Leaders: Power 1-31, Bourdais 32-39, Vautier 40, Bourdais 41-51, Rahal 52-56, Andretti 57-68, Pagenaud 69-75.

Points: Castroneves 501, Dixon 452, Pagenaud 431, Andretti 430, Hunter-Reay 427, J.Wilson 393, Franchitti 388, Hind chlfe 376, Power 371, Kimball 363.

NHRA

NHRA Pairings
Sunday
At Lucas Oil Raceway Park
Clermont, Ind.

Pairings based on results in qualifying, which ended Sunday. DNQs listed below pairings

Top Fuel

1 Antron Brown, 3.811 seconds, 320.58 mph vs. 16. Morgan Lucas, 3.878, 313.80. 2 Tony Schumacher, 3.814, 319.82 vs. 15. Clay Millican, 3.852, 319.07. 3. Steve Torrence 3.815, 325.61 vs. 14 Tommy Johnson Jr., 3.845, 319.22. 4 Brittany Force, 3.820, 313.44 vs. 13. Terry McMillen, 3.843 320.28. 5 Shawn Langdon, 3.821, 322.34 vs. 12 Pat Dakin: 3.842, 313.37. 6. Billy Torrence, 3.823, 324.36 vs. 11. Spencer Massey, 3.837, 316.38. 7. David Grubnic, 3.824,321.04 vs. 10 Khalid alBoaboshi, 3.832, 319.60. 8. Doug Kalitta, 3.829, 324.28 vs. 9. Bob Vandergrift, 3.831, 320.74. Dad Not Qualify: 17 Sidnei Frederico, 3.897, 307.51. 18 TJ Zizzo, 3.908, 306.33 19 Brandon Bernstein, 3.909, 315.27. 20 J.R. Todd, 3.922, 308.57. 21. Chris Karamesines, 3.976, 305.91. 22. Cory McClenathan, 4.027, 288.83. 23. Leah Pruett, 4.042, 303.64. 24. Damien Harris, 4.043, 292.08. 25 Bruce Litton: 4.165, 239.53.

Funny Car

1 Matt Hagan, Dodge Charger, 4.007, 319.22 vs. 16. Jeff Arend, Charger, 4.138, 306.12. 2 Johnny Gray, Charger, 4.012, 312.13 vs. 15. Tony Pedregon, Toyota Camry, 4.091, 306.26. 3 Del Worsham, Camry, 4.045, 313.15 vs. 14. Courtney Force, Ford Mustang, 4.088, 316.30. 4. Bob Tasca III, Mustang, 4.046, 313.98 vs. 13 Tim Wilkerson, Mustang, 4.086, 312.50. 5. Ron Capps, Charger, 4.049, 315.27 vs. 12. Alexis DeJoria, Camry, 4.081, 309.77. 6. John Force, Mustang, 4.052, 313.58 vs. 11. Paul Lee, Mustang, 4.072, 297.61. 7. Robert Hight, Mustang, 4.056, 313.29 vs. 10. Cruz Pedregon, Camry, 4.068, 309.06. 8. Jack Beckman, Ford Fiesta and Cruz Pedregon, 3.810.55 vs. 9. Chad Head, Camry, 4.064. 308.35

Pro Stock

1. Mike Edwards, Chevy Camaro, 6.621, 208.20 vs. 16 Chris McGaha, Dodge Avenger, 6.706, 206.45. 2. V. Gaines, Avenger, 6.637, 208.59 vs. 15. Warren Johnson, Pontiac GXP, 6.696, 206.29. 3 Jeg Coughlin, Camaro, 6.637, 206.99 vs. 14. Rodger Brogdon, Camaro, 6.689, 206.61. 4. Greg Anderson, Camaro, 6.640, 208.10 vs. 13. Greg Stanfield, Camaro, 6.689, 206.39. 5 Rickie Jones, Camaro, 6.644, 207.85 vs. 12. Larry Morgan, Ford Mustang, 6.676, 206.76. 6. Shane Gray, Camaro, 6.644, 207.85 vs. 11. Vincent Nobile, Avenger, 6.674, 206.95. 7. Jason Line, Camaro, 6.645, 208.33 vs. 10. Curt Steinbach, Camaro, 6.661, 206.07. 8 Allen Johnson, Avenger, 6.646, 207.98 vs. 9. Mark Martino, GXP, 6.661, 207.72

Pro Stock Motorcycle

1. Hector Arana, Buell, 6.938, 193.88 vs. 16. Adam Arana, Buell, 7.025, 191.40. 2 Eddie Krawiec, Harley-Davidson, 6.948, 190.89 vs. 15 John Hall, Buell, 7.022, 189.84. 3 LE Tonglet, Suzuki, 6.986, 191.36 vs. 14. Dawn Mertum, Buell 7.012, 190.08. 4. Scotty Pollacheck, Buell, 6.970, 191.43 vs. 13. Mike Berry, Buell, 7.008, 190.78. 5 Jerry Savoie, Suzuki, 6.980, 191.70 vs. 12. Shawn Gann, Buell, 7.007, 190.51. 6. Hector Arana Jr. Buell, 6.981, 192.69 vs. 11. Craig Treble, Suzuki, 6.999, 191.76. 7. Michael Ray, Buell, 6.983, 192.36 vs. 10. Steve Johnson, Suzuki, 6.991, 192.06. 8. Andrew Hines, Harley-Davidson, 6.984, 190.62 vs. 9. Matt Smith, Buell, 6.989, 193.49

Sunday's final results from the Second annual NHRA Trazzas Nitro Shootout for Top Fuel at O'Reilly Raceway Park at Indianapolis.

Top Fuel

Shawn Langdon, 3.821 seconds, 320.05 mph def. Steve Torrence, 3.828 seconds, 323.04 mph

Funny Car

Jack Beckman, Dodge Charger, 4.086, 310.77 def. Cruz Pedregon, Toyota Camry, 4.066, 308.35

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DEADLINE: 2 P.M. THURSDAY

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TIEBREAKER 2 ☐ Total offensive yards (both teams) in this game.

THIS WEEK'S GAMES

Baltimore at Denver	Atlanta at New Orleans
New England at Buffalo	Tampa Bay at NY Jets
Seattle at Carolina	Tennessee at Pittsburgh
Cincinnati at Chicago	Arizona at St. Louis
Miami at Cleveland	Green Bay at San Francisco
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12. Contestants must have reached the age of eight (8) years by the Sunday of any week's play.

Garcia leads a low-scoring pace in Deutsche Bank Championship

By Doug Ferguson
Associated Press

NORTON, Mass. — Sergio Garcia was doing everything right. He had the lead going into the third round. He kept bogeys off his card and made two birdies on the front nine.

And he was losing ground Sunday in the Deutsche Bank Championship.

"You could make a lot of birdies if everything went exactly the right way, kind of like it went on the back nine for me," Garcia said. "But you have to be patient and just wait for the right time."

Garcia regained control on the back nine of the rain-softened TPC Boston, making five birdies for a 6-under 65 that gave him a two-shot lead over Henrik Stenson. Garcia hit 4-iron from 218 yards onto the 18th green for a two-putt birdie as darkness settled over New England on this longest of days.

But nothing is close to being settled at this FedEx Cup playoff event.

Not with such a soft course, with preferred lies, with mint conditions on the putting surfaces and the world's best players — most of them, anyway — in top form. There were 332 birdies and 10 eagles in the third round, translating to sub-par holes 32 percent of the time.



Michael Dwyer/AP

Sergio Garcia hits from the fairway on the fifth hole during the third round of the Deutsche Bank Championship in Norton, Mass. on Sunday.

"There's heaps of low scores out there," Stenson said after his 66. "You have to keep making birdies if you want to have anything to do with this tournament. Today was no different. It's going to be the same tomorrow. I'm sure everyone is coming at us from all different angles."

Tee times have been moved up to Monday morning because of the threat of more rain.

Garcia was at 19-under 194, though the Spaniard isn't great at protecting the 54-hole lead. His record is 3-7 when he has at least a share of the lead going into the last day. And this Labor Day figures to live up to its name. It will take hard work to stay there.

Graham DeLaet of Canada all but locked up a spot on the Presidents Cup team with a 62 that left him three shots behind with Steve Stricker, who had a 63 and took a big step toward making the U.S. team for the matches next month at Muirfield Village.

PGA champion Jason Dufner had a share of the lead until cooling off on the back nine. He had a 66 and was tied for fifth at 15-under 198 with Robert Castro (68).

About the only ones who couldn't keep up were the star attractions at the start of the week — Tiger Woods and Phil Mickelson.

Mickelson, who started the third round five shots out of the lead, had his second straight 71, and this one wasn't exciting at all. He had three birdies, three bogeys, 12 pars and wound up 12 shots behind.

Woods didn't get anything going early and fell apart on the back nine, starting with a tee shot into a hazard well right of the 10th fairway. He began the back nine with three straight bogeys and ended with a three-putt par on the 18th for a 1-over 72. It ended six straight rounds in the 60s in the FedEx Cup playoffs, and much worse, left him with no chance of winning going into the off week. He was 13 shots back.

"I just didn't have it today," Woods said. "I just didn't hit it well. I didn't make anything. I had a bad day at the wrong time."

The average score was 68.2, and anything higher than that meant losing ground.

"We can't control the weather," Garcia said. "And you've just got to go out there and try to play the best you can. And I was very happy to see that my best was 6-under."

Monday is filled with plenty of ramifications.

Garcia is trying to end a troublesome season with his first PGA Tour victory of the year, trying to move past his humbling moment this spring when a public spat with Woods led to Garcia making a racially insensitive "fried chicken" comment at a London dinner. Stenson has done everything but win in the last two months — third at the Scottish Open and PGA Championship, runner-up at the British Open and a World Golf Championship.

Stricker's goal when he showed up at the Deutsche Bank was to make the Presidents Cup team so that U.S. captain Fred Couples wouldn't have to consider using a pick, if Stricker even wants to be picked. Now only three shots behind, Stricker is thinking more about a chance to win for the first time this year, go to the Presidents Cup and set up a family working vacation at Kapalua next year.

The top 70 in the FedEx Cup advance to the third playoff event in two weeks north of Chicago. Ernie Els is among those on the cusp. Ian Poulter, despite a pair of late bogeys, had a 66 and was six shots out of the lead. He appears safe for Chicago, and now can try to think about qualifying for the Tour Championship for the first time.

GOLF ROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

LPGA

SAFEWAY CLASSIC: At Portland, Ore., Suzann Pettersen won the Safeway Classic for the second time in three years, taking advantage of playing partner Yani Tseng's final-round collapse at Columbia Edgewater.

Three strokes behind leader Tseng entering the round, Pettersen closed with a 5-under 67 for a two-stroke victory over second-ranked Stacy Lewis.

The 32-year-old Norwegian finished at 20-under 268 for her second LPGA Tour victory of the year and 12th overall. She won the 2011 tournament at Pumpkin Ridge.

Tseng followed her third-round 63 with a 78 to tie for ninth at 12 under. The Taiwanese star is winless in 37 events since the Kia Classic in March 2012.

Lewis, a three-time winner this year, shot a 68.

Web.com

HOTEL FITNESS CHAMPIONSHIP: At Fort Wayne, Ind., Trevor Immelman rallied to win the Hotel Fitness Championship at Sycamore Hills to lock up a PGA Tour card in the Web.com Tour Finals opener.

Immelman, the South African who won the 2008 Masters, made a 12-foot birdie putt on the final hole for a 6-under 66 and a one-stroke victory over Patrick Cantlay.

Cantlay, three strokes ahead entering the round, had a chance to force a playoff, but missed an 8-foot birdie putt on the par-4 18th. He finished with a 72.

The top 25 on the Web.com Tour money list last week after the Cox Classic are assured PGA Tour cards for the 2013-14 season, while Nos. 26-75 are fighting with Nos. 126-200 in the PGA Tour's FedEx Cup standings for 25 additional cards in the four-event Web.com Tour Finals series. With the $180,000 first-place check, Immelman — 143rd in the FedEx Cup standings — is guaranteed to get one of those cards.

Immelman had a 20-under 268 total.

Champions

SHAW CHARITY CLASSIC: At Calgary, Alberta, Rocco Mediate ran away with the inaugural Shaw Charity Classic for his second victory in 17 starts in his first Champions Tour season.

The 50-year-old Mediate, the Allianz Championship winner in February in his first Champions Tour start, closed with a 7-under 64 at tree-lined Canyon Meadows for a seven-stroke victory.

PGA European

WALES OPEN: At Newport, Wales, France's Gregory Bourdy birdied the last three holes for a 4-under 67 and a two-stroke victory over American Peter Uihlein in the Wales Open.

Bourdy won his fourth European Tour title and first since the 2009 Hong Kong Open. He finished at 8-under 276 on Celtic Manor's Twenty Ten Course, the site of the 2010 Ryder Cup.

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US Open results

Boys
At The USTA Billie Jean King National Tennis Center
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Surface: Hard-Outdoor
Singles
Third Round
Tomas Berdych (5), Czech Republic, def. Julien Benneteau (31), France, 6-0, 6-3, 6-2.
Stanislas Wawrinka (9), Switzerland, def. Marcos Baghdatis, Cyprus, 6-3, 6-2, 6-7 (1), 7-6 (7).
Andy Murray (3), Britain, def. Florian Mayer, Germany, 7-6 (2), 6-3, 6-2.
Denis Istomin, Uzbekistan, def. Andreas Seppi (29), Italy, 6-3, 6-4, 2-6, 3-6, 6-1.
Lleyton Hewitt, Australia, def. Evgeny Donskoy, Russia, 6-3, 7-6 (5), 3-6, 6-1.
Mikhail Youzhny (21), Russia, def. Tommy Haas (18), Germany, 6-3, 6-2, 2-6, 6-3.
Novak Djokovic (1), Serbia, def. Joao Sousa, Portugal, 6-0, 6-2, 6-2.
Marcel Granollers, Spain, def. Tim Smyczek, United States, 6-4, 4-6, 0-6, 6-3, 7-5.
Women
Fourth Round
Carla Suarez Navarro (18), Spain, def. Angelique Kerber (8), Germany, 4-6, 6-3, 7-6 (3).
Serena Williams (1), United States, def. Sloane Stephens (15), United States, 6-4, 6-1.
Li Na (5), China, def. Jelena Jankovic (9), Serbia, 6-3, 6-0.
Ekaterina Makarova (24), Russia, def. Agnieszka Radwanska (3), Poland, 6-4, 6-4.
Doubles
Men
Third Round
Bob Bryan and Mike Bryan (1), United States, def. Daniel Nestor and Vasek Pospisil, Canada, 6-7 (1), 7-5, 6-2.
Leander Paes, India, and Radek Stepanek (4), Czech Republic, def. Michael Llodra and Nicolas Mahut (14), France, 7-5, 4-6, 6-3.
Colin Fleming and Jonathan Marray (12), Britain, def. Rohan Bopanna, India, and Edouard Roger-Vasselin (6), France, 6-4, 6-4.
Jamie Murray, Britain, and John Peers, Australia, def. Eric Butorac and Rajeev Ram, United States, 5-7, 7-6 (5), 7-6 (4).
Women
Second Round
Sara Errani and Roberta Vinci (1), Italy, def. Alla Kudryavtseva, Russia, and Anastasia Pivovarova, Australia, 6-3, 6-2.
Mixed
Second Round
Santa Mitsu, India, and Zheng Jie (10), China, def. Anna-Lena Groenefeld, Germany, and Kevin Ullyett (8), Czech Republic, 6-2, 6-3.
Ashleigh Barty and Casey Dellacqua (6), Australia, def. Lauren Huber, Spain, 6-4, 6-0.
Nadia Petrova, Russia, and Kristina Mladenovic, France, def. Galina Voskoboeva (14), Kazakhstan, 4-6, 6-2, 6-3.
Third Round
Chan Hao-ching, Taiwan, and Martin Emmrich, Germany, def. Lisa Raymond, United States, and Jean-Julien Rojer (6), Netherlands, 6-4, 7-5.
Abigail Spears, United States, and Santiago Gonzalez, Mexico, def. Alisa Kleybanova, Russia, and Edouard Roger-Vasselin, France, 7-5, 6-2.
Liezel Huber, United States, and Marcelo Melo (8), Brazil, def. Raquel Kops-Jones, United States, and Treat Huey, Philippines, 4-6, 7-6 (4), 10-6.
Junior Singles
Boys
First Round
Borna Coric (4), Croatia, def. Tommy Paul, United States, 6-1, 6-2.
Zhang Zhe Cheng, China, def. Jaime Ignacio Gallagullon, Chile, 6-4, 6-3.
Martin Redlicki, United States, def. Matej Marusetic, Slovenia, 6-3, 6-4.
Ken Onishi, Japan, def. Cameron Norrie (6), Britain, 6-4, 7-5.
Johan Sebastian Tatot (6), France, def. JC Aragone, United States, 6-3, 6-1.
Danill Medvedev (10), Russia, def. Luke Bambridge, Britain, 6-4, 6-2.
Daniel Kerzmann, United States, def. Harry Bourchier, Australia, 6-1, 6-3.
Lucas Miedler, Austria, def. Stefan Kozlov (5), United States, 6-1, 6-2.
Frederico Ferreira Silva, Portugal, def. Lucas Gerch, United States, 7-6 (5), 6-2.
Kevin Krawietz (12), Russia, def. Sam Barry, United States, 6-7, 6-4, 6-3.
Shuai Zhang, China, def. Mizuki Fukuoka, Japan, 6-2, 6-3.
Zizou Bergs, Belgium, def. Hong Seong-chan, South Korea, 3-6, 7-5, (7)-6.
Clement Geens, Belgium, def. Marcelo Demoliner, Brazil, 4-6, 6-4, 6-4.
Colin Sinclair, United States, def. Lee Duck-hee, South Korea, 7-6 (4), 6-1.
Mohamed Safwat, Egypt, def. Guilherme Marco (7), Chile, 2-6, 7-6 (5), 6-3.
Kim Tung-Soo, South Korea, def. Jonny O'Mara, Britain, 6-2, 1-6, 6-3.
Girls
First Round
Ioana Ducu, Romania, def. Hsu Ching-wen (16), Taiwan, 6-0, 6-1.
Marta Kostyuk, Ukraine, def. Carolina M. Alves, Brazil, 6-4, 6-1.
Louisa Chirico (10), United States, def. Ekaterina Alexandrova, 6-1, 6-0.
Maria Mokhotina, Russia, def. Alice Matteucci, Italy, 6-4, 6-2.
CiCi Bellis, United States, def. Xu Shilin, China, 7-5, 6-3 (2), 6-0.
Ana Konjuh (2), Croatia, def. Jelena Ostapenko, Latvia, 6-2, 6-4, 6-4.
Christian Rodriguez, United States, def. Ipek Soylu (15), Turkey, 2-6, 7-6 (5), 6-2.
Brooke Austin, United States, def. Kristina Schmiedlova, Slovakia, 7-5, 6-4, 7-6 (2).
Katerina Stewart, United States, def. Ayaka Okuno, Japan, 6-1, 6-3.
Arantxa Rus (14), Ukraine, def. Maria Bouzkova, Czech Republic, 6-2, 6-4.
Kaitlyn McCarthy, United States, def. Fiona Ferro, France, 6-7, 7-6 (5), 6-2.
Antonia Lottner (7), Germany, def. Margot Yerolymos, France, 7-6 (4), 6-1.
Mayo Hibi (11), Japan, def. Sara Tomic, Australia, 6-1, 6-4.
Iryna Shymanovich, Belarus, def. Varvara Flink (9), Russia, 6-3, 6-3.
Michaela Gordon, United States, def. Katherine Ip, Hong Kong, 6-3, 6-2.
Sara Sorribes Tormo, Spain, def. Jana Fett, Croatia, 6-3, 6-1.

Cowboys make moves to bolster sagging special teams

By Tom Orsborn
San Antonio Express-News

IRVING — With their Sept. 8 opener against the New York Giants looming, the Dallas Cowboys continue to make moves to shore up their struggling special teams.

The Cowboys on Sunday traded defensive lineman Sean Lissemore to San Diego and then filled his roster spot by claiming linebacker/special teams ace Kyle Bosworth off waivers from the Giants.

In exchange for Lissemore, the Chargers sent Dallas their 2015 seventh-round draft pick.

The trade was the second in as many days for the Cowboys. On Saturday, they acquired linebacker/special teams stalwart Edgar Jones in a trade with Kansas City.

That deal also in 'uded Dallas collecting the Chiefs' seventh-round pick in 2014 in exchange for a sixth-round pick in 2014.

Sunday's trade came nearly a year after the club signed Lissemore to a three-year, $7.17 million extension that is set to expire after the 2016 season.

A seventh-round pick in 2010, Lissemore fell out of favor in Dallas because he's not a good fit for Monte Kiffin's new 4-3 scheme and was outplayed by Nick Hayden, who was out of football last season after being cut by Cincinnati.

In San Diego, Lissemore will return to the 3-4 scheme he played in during his first three seasons with the Cowboys.

A Plano West graduate, Bosworth logged 25 games with Jacksonville after the Jaguars signed him as an undrafted rookie in 2010 out of UCLA.

The nephew of former Oklahoma star Brian Bosworth started five games for Jacksonville last season.

Dallas' special teams struggled throughout training camp and the preseason. The additions of Jones and Bosworth will help make up for the loss of linebacker/special teams demon Alex Albright, who the club placed on the waived/injured list after he underwent back surgery in training camp.

Also Sunday, the Cowboys set their eight-man practice squad with players they released Saturday to reach the NFL's 53-player limit.

The squad consists of quarterback Alex Tanney, receivers Tim Benford and Danny Coale, guard Ray Dominguez, defensive end Jason Vega, linebacker Cameron Lawrence, cornerback Micah Pellerin and safety Jakar Hamilton.

WILLIAMS

From 1C

Murray, struggled with his breathing on a muggy afternoon but otherwise faced little trouble in a 7-6 (2), 6-2, 6-2 victory over 47th-ranked Florian Mayer of Germany. Murray has won 29 of his last 31 Grand Slam matches, a run of success that includes his first two major titles — at the U.S. Open last September and Wimbledon this July — along with two runner-up finishes.

"The expectations are higher, but there's not as much pressure to win," the third-seeded Murray said. "I feel much more comfortable coming into these events than this time last year."

In the fourth round, he'll play 65th-ranked Denis Istomin of Uzbekistan, who eliminated No. 20 Andreas Seppi 6-3, 6-4, 2-6, 3-6, 6-1. Other matchups set Sunday are 2001 U.S. Open champion Lleyton Hewitt against No. 21 Mikhail Youzhny, and No. 5 Tomas Berdych against No. 9 Stanislas Wawrinka.

"It was a bit hot, a bit humid, but otherwise, tennis was good," Berdych said after his 6-0, 6-3, 6-2 victory over No. 31 Julien Benneteau. "I managed to stay focused from the first point 'til the last. Didn't do any ups and downs."

The same almost could have been said by Williams, whose match against Stephens was eagerly anticipated from the moment the draw came out 1 1/2 weeks ago. At the outset, anyway, it lived up to the hype.

Williams was the oldest player to reach the fourth round; Stephens the youngest. Williams owns 16 Grand Slam titles, including four at the U.S. Open, and 54 trophies total. Despite being the only current member of the top 20 in the WTA rankings without an appearance in a tournament final, Stephens has earned the label of "Next Big Thing," in large part by being one of three women to get to round of 16 at all four Grand Slam tournaments in 2013 (Williams, of course, is another).

Stephens' highlight to date was a semifinal run at the Australian Open in January, when she stunned Williams in the quarterfinals. Only adding to Sunday's story line, Stephens has said some unflattering things about Williams.

As they sat in their sideline chairs after warming up under a ceiling of gray clouds at Arthur Ashe Stadium, spectators began choosing sides. One yelled, "Come on, Serena!" Another, "Go, Sloane!" Williams opened Game 1 with a 96 mph ace and closed it with a 112 mph service winner. In between, Stephens managed to return a 118 mph serve. In Game 2, Stephens cranked a forehand winner down the line that drew gasps from the stands, and moments later, won a 24-stroke exchange thanks to fantastic retrieving.

Game 4 alone lasted 18 points over 11 minutes, and featured a 119 mph service winner by Stephens, who also delivered a cross-court backhand winner to cap a 10-shot point. When that game ended, it wasn't yet time to change ends, but both women wandered over to the sideline to towel off.

Soon, Williams nosed ahead, breaking to 4-2 with a cross-court forehand return winner off a 101 mph serve, the clenching a fist and shouting, "Come on!" But she handed a break right back in the next game by double-faulting on each of the last two points.

"I have to stop that," Williams said.

After she held to 5-4, everything changed, and Stephens was mostly her own undoing. One point from making it 5-all, she rushed to get to the ball, forearm he broke last season.

Gronkowski participated with his teammates in drills during the 15 minutes in which reporters were allowed to observe on Sunday. The Patriots kept him on their 53-man roster instead of putting him on the physically unable to perform list. That would have required him to miss the first six games of the regular season.

NFLROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

BILLS QB EJ MANUEL RETURNS TO PRACTICE: At Orchard Park, N.Y., Buffalo Bills quarterback EJ Manuel returned to practice Sunday after missing two weeks because of a left knee injury.

Manuel participated in warm-ups and individual drills during the portion of practice open to the media. He moved well and did not appear to show any effects from the injury. He was wearing a small brace on his left knee underneath his black spandex.

Manuel had been out since being hurt Aug. 16 in Buffalo's second preseason game. He had what the team referred to as a "minor procedure" on the knee on Aug. 18.

The Bills have remained hopeful that the first-round pick would return in time to start the team's season opener against New England.

GRONKOWSKI TAKES PART IN FIRST FULL-PADS PRACTICE: At Foxborough, Mass., Rob Gronkowski is practicing again with the New England Patriots.

The star tight end took part in his first full-pads practice since undergoing back surgery in June. He also had three operations this year on the left forearm he broke last season.

Gronkowski participated with his teammates in drills during the 15 minutes in which reporters were allowed to observe on Sunday. The Patriots kept him on their 53-man roster instead of putting him on the physically unable to perform list. That would have required him to miss the first six games of the regular season.

Coach Bill Belichick hasn't said when he expects Gronkowski to be ready to play in a game.

The other two tight ends on the roster are Michael Hoomanawanui and free-agent rookie Zach Sudfeld.

BEARS CLAIM BASS OFF WAIVERS: At Lake Forst, Ill., the Chicago Bears have claimed defensive end David Bass off waivers and waived defensive end Cheta Ozougwu on Sunday.

A seventh-round draft pick by Oakland last spring, Bass was an All-American at Division II Missouri Western.

Ozougwu appeared in two games for the Bears last season, collecting tnree tackles and one tackle for a loss.

PATRIOTS CUT RB-KR WASHINGTON, CB COLE: At Foxborough, Mass., the New England Patriots released running back-kick returner Leon Washington on Sunday.

Washington, tied with Josh Cribbs for the NFL record with eight career kickoff returns for touchdowns, was signed as a free agent in March after three seasons with the Seattle Seahawks. He spent his other four seasons with the New York Jets.

During the exhibition season, Washington returned 10 punts and three kickoffs. His departure leaves Julian Edelman as the primary punt returner and rookie Josh Boyce as the main kickoff returner.

In seven seasons, Washington, 31, averaged 25.9 yards on 244 kickoff returns and 9.9 yards on 168 punt returns. He's also rushed 473 times for a 4.7-yard average.

The Patriots also cut cornerback Marquice Cole and signed four players off waivers — linebacker Chris White from Detroit, offensive lineman Braxston Cave from Cleveland and guard Chris Barker and defensive tackle A.J. Francis from Miami.

New England also signed five players to the practice squad — linebackers Ja'Gared Davis and Jeff Tarpinian, defensive backs Kanorris Davis and Justin Green and defensive lineman Marcus Forston. All had been released Saturday.

BROWNS RELEASE RB BRANDON JACKSON, OVERHAUL ROSTER: At Cleveland, the Browns continued overhauling their 53-man roster, terminating the contracts of running back Brandon Jackson and Kellen Davis.

The team also claimed six players off waivers Sunday while waiving linebacker L.J. Fort, offensive lineman Caylin Hauptmann, offensive lineman Jarrod Shaw and fullback Brad Smelley.

Cleveland's roster is in flux one week before the season opener against the Miami Dolphins.

The Browns remain without a kicker after terminating veteran Shayne Graham's contract and cutting rookie Brandon Bogotay on Saturday.

Browns coach Rob Chudzinski said in a release that the team is "not done."

Also, the Browns claimed tight ends MarQueis Gray and Keavon Miller, running backs Dennis Johnson and Bobby Rainey, offensive lineman Patrick Lewis and linebacker Brandon Magee off waivers.

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For more info: Call 685-7355

P-90X/Beach Body Fitness Club
When: 12:1 p.m. Tuesday & Thursday
Where: MLK Center, 2300 Butternut
For more info: Call 685-7355

Yoga
When: 5:30-6:30 p.m., Tuesdays & Thursdays
Where: MLK Center, 2,00 Butternut
For more info: Call 685-7355

Cardio/Core
When: 11 a.m., Tuesdays, & Thursday
Where: MLK Center, 2300 Butternut
For more info: Call 685-7355

Flag Football

YMCA Officials Needed
What: The YMCA needs officials for Youth Flag Football games Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday
For more info: Call 682-2551

Football

Permian Basin Officials Chapter seeks officials
Note: Education and training will be provided
For more info: Call Terrell Pierce at 559-5004 or Don Orren at 631-2395

Martial Arts

Aikido
When: Monday-Friday, 7 to 9 p.m.; Saturdays, 12:30 p.m.
Note: Specializing in traditional Hombu style Aikido
Call John Riggs, 684-7008 or 770-3155

Cardio Kickboxing Class
When: Tuesdays and Thursdays 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.
Where: Jimenez Tae Kwon-Do and Fitness Studio, 4400 N. Midkigd Dr.
Cost: $35 a month
For more info: Call 699-8139

Women's Self Defense Class
When: Monday and Wednesday, 8:30 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday, 7:30 p.m.; Friday, 6 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m.
Where: Jimenez Tae Kwon-Do Studio, 4400 N. Midland Dr.
For more info: Call 697-8554

Private Tae Kwon-Do lessons
Where: Jimenez Tae Kwon-Do Studio, 4400 N. Midland Dr.
For more info: Call 697-8554

Brazilian Jiu Jitsu
When: 6-8 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays, 2-3 p.m. Saturdays
Where: Perez Martial Arts Academy, 350 N Midland Dr., Suite A
For more info: Call 634-9621 or (469) 248-8472

Matthews Martial Arts
When: Monday through Thursday, 5-8 p.m.
What: Karate-Judo-Jujitsu-Kempo-KungFu
For: Ages 3 and up
Where: 3205 Cuthbert
For more info: Contact Jason Matthews at 488-7467 or 689-8444

Taekwondo
When: 6-7 p.m. Tuesday nights. Saturdays 10-11 a.m.
Where: MLK Center, 2300 Butternut
For more info: Call 685-7355

Miscellaneous

Student-Athlete Sports Consultant
For: Assisting high school student athletes with academic-athletic scholarships.
For more info: Call Jacob Santillano at (915) 240-1030.

Etiquette
When: 6-7 p.m. Tuesdays
Note: Instructors is Natalie Cargile
For more info: Call 685-7355

Poker

Lone Star Poker League
What: Free to play Texas Hold 'em Picker tournaments
For: Beginners to experienced players. Ages 21 and up
When/Where: 7 p.m., Sunday, Wednesday and Friday at Woolers & Tweeters. 7 p.m. Monday and Tuesday at The Detour. Players must be signed in by 6:45 p.m. each night
For more info: Go to www.lonestarpokertour.net

Professional Wrestling

Old School Wrestling School
What: Professional wrestling school for all ages.
Where: 404 E. 61st St., Odessa
When: 7-10 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, 2-6 p.m. Sunday
Cost: $50 down, $35 a month
For more info: Call Fred, 770-7001, or Sam, 349-3055

Rugby

Midland Mad Dog Rugby Club
What: Recruiting for 2012-13 season, no experience necessary
For: Participants 16 years and older, need shorts, t-shirt or jersey, cleats or running shoes, watch
When: Practice is 7-9 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays
For more info: Go to www.maddogrugby.com

Midland Rugby (Bloodhounds) Club
For more info: Call Joshua 661-7147

HHD Dads & Lads Rugby
When: 7-8:30 p.m., Tuesdays and Thursdays
Where: Cowden Park
For more info: 212-8088

Running

Permian Basin Running Club
Cost: $20 per year for individual membership; $30 for per year for family membership
For more info: Go to www.pbrunningclub.com or email Shawn Hailey, president at haileyshawn@pbrunningclub.com

Gazelles Training Group
When: 6 a.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday
For more info: Call Popcorn Leonard at 512-762-1020 or 682-0983

Martin County EMS Labor Day 4 mile Run/Walk
When: Monday, Sept 2. Registration: 8 a.m. race begins, 9 a.m.
Where: 1101 Broadway, Stanton
Cost: $20 prior to Aug. 30, $25 after Aug. 31 and on day of race
For more info: Contact Bob Tevini at 661-8597 or Stacey Harris at 230-7228

Shooting

Comanche Trail Shootists
What: Single Action Shooting Society affiliated club in Midland
When: Monthly shoots first Saturday and third Sunday of each month, first Saturday beginning at 10 a.m., Third Sunday from 1 p.m. (Mandatory safety meeting at 12:30 p.m.) Also shoot on fifth Sunday on months that have them (begin at 1 p.m and are no cost to the shooter). Mandatory safety meeting at 9:30 a.m.
Where: Timberline Ranch adjacent to Jake's Clays
For more info: Go to comanchetrailshootists.org or call Hoodoo Brown 682-1422

Midland Shooters Association
What: All types of shooting practice and competition, featuring archery, benchrest rifle, bulls-eye rifle, high power rifle, pistol silhouette, rimfire silhouette, 3-gun, practical pistol, skeet, trap 5 state and sporting clays
When: Members can access rifle and pistol ranges from sunrise to sunset seven days a week. Shotgun ranges open 11 a.m. until dusk Wednesday to Sunday
For more info: Go to www.midlandshooters.com

Soccer

Permian Basin Soccer Association
What: Registration for women's spring/summer season
Where: Dunagan Park, located at corner of Grist and Terrell
When: Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 7 to 8:30 p.m.
For more info: Contact Jesus Chavez at 557-7032 anytime or Josh Chavez at 238-6947 after 6:30 p.m.

Midland Soccer Association
For: Youth Recreational League Ages 4-18
When: Spring/Fall Games
Note: Also information on becoming a certified referee
For more info: Register online at www.midlandsoccer.com and go to 432-684-5425

Softball

Midland Softball Association Tournament Schedule
Now available at www.midlandsoftball.com
For more info: call Tommy Hawkins at 520-9100

Midland Men's Woodbat Fastpitch Association
What: Men's fastpitch softball
For more info: Call 634-6474 or visit www.facebook.com/pages/Midland-Texas-Mens-Fastpitch or wyofastpitch@gmail.com

USA Softball Jr Men's National Fastpitch Team looking for players
For: Boys players born between 1995 and 1998
Note: No softball experience is needed
For more info: Tim Lyon, USA Jr Men's National Team coach, 891-244-7477 or Dave Parker, West Texas Men's Fastpitch Association, 634-6474 or wyofastpitch@gmail.com

Swimming

COM Pre-competitive swimming
Where: Mabee Aquatic Center
Cost: $49 per month
Prerequisite: Must be able to swim 25 yards or freestyle or backstroke
For more info: 684-7755

COM Water Aerobics Classes
When: All times, Monday through Saturday
Who: All skill levels
For more info: Call Tommy McAlister at 684-7755

COM Learn to Swim
Ages: All ages
Note: Private, semi-private and group lessons are available
For more info: 684-7755

COM Masters Swimming
What: Competitive or non-competitive program for adults of all skill levels
When: 5-6 a.m. 11:45 a.m. to 1 p.m., Monday, Wednesday, Friday
Cost: $40 per month (includes cardio training)
For more info: Call 684-7755

COM Diving Instruction
Who: All ages and levels invited
For more info: 684-7755

COM Learn to Dive
What: Learn basic skills for beginners then advance to pre-competitive and competitive diving that emphasize skilled diving techniques and participation in diving meets
Ages: 4 and up
For more info: 684-7755

COM Competitive Dive Team
For more info: Call Prep or Gold levels of COM Dive Team
What: Emphasizes is on diving techniques and participation in local and out of town competitive meets
For more info: 684-7755

COM Elite Dive Team
What: Highest level of COM diving. Concentrates on perfecting Olympic level skills, national and international travel
For more info: 684-7755

COM Competitive Swim Team
Who: Try out for COM Swim Team. tryouts available by appointment
What: Emphasizes stroke correction and participation in local and out of town competitive meets
For more info: 684-7755

COM Adult Conditioning
What: Allows adult participation use of top quality lap pools and fitness room during specified hours
For more info: 684-7755

COM Water Walking Class
What: Unstructured, self-paced class
For more info: Call Tommy McAlister at 684-7755

COM Senior Fitness Class
Who: Senior citizens that need help with physical conditions resulting from injury, disease, chronic conditions, advanced age, etc.
For more info: Call Tommy McAlister at 684-7755

Central YMCA Water Aerobics Classes
When: Early morning, morning and evening
For more info: Call Leaf Faller 682-2551

Central YMCA Arthritis Water Exercise Classes
When: Monday, Wednesday, Friday
For more info: Call Leaf Faller 682-2551

Central YMCA Swimming Lessons
Who: All ages and ability
For more info: Call Leaf Faller 682-2551

Central YMCA Synchronized Swimming
For: Ages 6 and up
For more information: Call Leaf Faller 682-2551

Tennis

West Texas Tennis Association
What: West Texas Tennis Association, a non-profit community tennis association promotes and oversees USTA leagues, programs and events in the area.
For more info: Call 432-563-1333 or www.westtexastennis.com for more information

Bush Tennis Center Youth Clinics
What: Tennis clinics for beginners to advanced players ranging from preschoolers to high school seniors. Ages 3-5, balloon tennis, ages 6-8, Quick Start (red ball); ages 9-10, Quick Start (orange and green ball); ages 11-18, junior development; all levels of adult programs
Where: Bush Tennis Center
For more info: Visit www.bushtenniscenter.com and click on "Programs & Events" or call, 620-8180.

USTA Team Tennis Adult Leagues
When: Leagues run May through November
Where: Midland College Tennis Center
For more info: Sherry 620-8610 or Email www.midlandtennis@aol.com

WTT/USPTA Junior Circuit
For: Boys and girls singles players, ages 10-18
When: Sept. 18, Oct. 10
Register: By the Thursday before each event
Where: Midland College Tennis Center
For more info: Contact Lance or Kathy at 694-6321

WTT/USTA Junior Team Tennis League
For: Boys and girls ages 10-18
When: 2-5 p.m. Sundays, beginning Sept. 8
Where: Ages 10 and under, Bush Tennis Center; Ages 12-18, Midland College Tennis Center
Deadline: Register by Sept. 1
For more info: Call 349-8922 or 694-6321 or email armaracquetshop@yahoo1.com or go to www.westtexastennis.com

Midland Tennis Club (MTC)
What: MTC is a non-profit public tennis club for all ages, all levels. Tournaments are free for members. Non-members may play by paying a tournament fee.
When: Sept. 14-15; Sept. 21-22; Nov. 16-17
Where: Midland College Tennis Center
Annual dues: $65 Adults, $30 Youths, $140 Families
Call: 687-4046 or 663-1333 to join

Midland College tennis classes
When: Tuesdays and Thursdays 12:30 to 1:50 p.m.
Where: Midland College
For more info: Midland College 685-4500 or Lance Armstrong 687-4046

Youth Clinics
When: For children 4-8 years of age (Tuesdays and Thursdays, 3:30 to 4 p.m.) and 9-15 years of age (Mondays and Wednesdays, 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. and 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.
Where: Midland College Tennis Center
For more info: 687-4046

Midland Women's Tennis Association fall league
For more info: 689-4340

Walking

Midland Walkabout AWA Club Meetings
When: Fun Walks, 10K, 3rd Saturday morning of the month; Monthly meeting 3rd Sunday at 5 p.m.
Where: Fun Walks, vary; meetings in Room 227, First Presbyterian Church, 800 W. Texas Ave.
Who: All ages
For more info: Call Alex Rose 687-2588 or go to www.midlandwalkabout.org

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TODAY: Partly sunny
High: 89
Low: 71


TUESDAY: Mostly sunny
High: 91
Low: 72


WEDNESDAY: Sunny
High: 94
Low: 71

Local forecast

Expect partly sunny skies today with a high around 89 and northeast winds between 5 and 10 mph. Tonight's forecast calls for partly cloudy conditions with a low around 71 and east winds between 5 and 10 mph. There is a 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms during the day and 20 percent chance at night.

Tuesday, look for mostly sunny skies with a high around 91 and east winds between 5 and 10 mph. Expect partly cloudy conditions at night, with a low around 72 and east winds between 5 and 10 mph.

Wednesday, the forecast calls for sunny skies during the day, mostly clear skies at night, with a high around 94 and a low around 71.

The high on Sunday reached 98, while the low dropped to 76. The record high for Sept. 1 is 104 set in 1959. The record low is 55 set in 1987.

National forecast

Along and ahead of a cold front, showers and thunderstorms will rumble in the steamy air from the Gulf Coast to the Northeast on Labor Day. Potentially flooding downpours will accompany some of the thunderstorms.



Precipitation

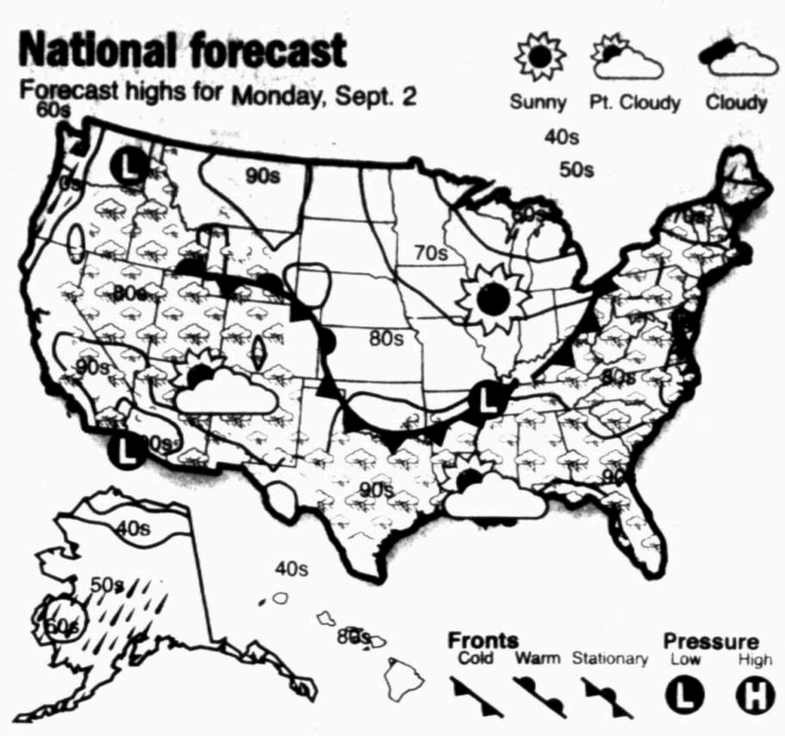
Saturday	0.00 in.
Sunday	0.00 in.
Month total	0.00 in.
Year total	4.57 in.
Normal total (year to date)	9.78 in.

Sunday's temperatures

High	98
Low	76
Normal high	91
Normal low	66
Sunrise	7:25 a.m.
Sunset	8:11 p.m.

National forecast

Forecast highs for Monday, Sept. 2



Longtime friend comes up short in personal hygiene

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: I have had a friend since grade school, "Dennis," and have maintained a friendship with him throughout our lifetime. Dennis never married and lived with his parents until both died about 10 years ago. He now lives alone.

Dennis does not seem to want to take care of himself hygienically, and since we work together it is becoming a serious problem. Some of the other guys don't want to be around him. He doesn't bathe often enough or appear to brush his teeth daily.

I have tried repeatedly over the years to talk to him about his apparent lack of cleanliness, and now that he is almost 60, it is becoming unbearable. People are starting to avoid him.

Dennis is a good person and will do anything for anyone, but this lackadaisical attitude is something we can't overlook. How can I get it across to him? He just doesn't listen or take me seriously. — IN NEED OF FRESH AIR

DEAR IN NEED: Because Dennis' poor hygiene is affecting his relationship with his co-workers, the person to address the issue is his supervisor or boss. While Dennis may ignore or dismiss your attempts to help him, when he hears from his employers that he has to clean up his act, he may pay more attention.

DEAR ABBY: For the past year I have been an old friend's lover. I'm a widow; he is married. I don't want him to leave his wife because she has been through a lot with him, including alcohol addiction. For the past few months he has given me excuses for not seeing me. We had gotten together on a weekly basis until recently.

I have all the emails and texts we have sent each other, along with pictures and a journal I have kept throughout the relationship. Should I send them to his wife? They have had a long marriage, and he has cheated on her repeatedly for the last 25 years.

I'm not ashamed or embarrassed about our affair. I just need to know if I should let his wife know what he has been doing. Yes, there is jealousy and revenge involved, and no, I haven't talked to him about what I suspect because I'm not sure how to broach the subject. — THE OTHER WOMAN IN THE SOUTHWEST

DEAR OTHER WOMAN: I know you are hurting right now, but I see no reason to punish the wife for it. I'm sure after all these years there is nothing you could show-and-tell the woman that she isn't already aware of — except that you, a friend, betrayed her. Leave her alone. If you want confirmation of your suspicions, take it up with your lover.

DEAR ABBY: I'm entering high school. The one I'm transferring to is K-12, and my younger sister already goes there. She warned me that all the girls wear skirts and wearing pants is, basically, social suicide.

The problem is, I don't like skirts. I never have. Should I go with the flow and wear something I'm not comfortable in, or should I wear pants and give up all hope of making friends? — HUNG UP IN HOUSTON

DEAR HUNG UP: Start by wearing skirts for the first week or so and let the girls get to know you. See if what your sister said is true. After that, make up your own mind.

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

Bidding Quiz

Q 1 — As South, vulnerable, you hold: ♠ 10 8 3 ♡ A 9 8 3 2 ♢ 9 7 ♣ A 9 6
The bidding has proceeded:

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
1♢	Pass	1♡	Pass
2♢	Pass	?	

What action do you take?
A — Where would you like to go? Partner's diamond rebid in this sequence guarantees a six-card suit and a minimum opening bid. With your eight high-card points, game is unlikely, and you have no assurance there is a better spot. Pass, though we won't quibble with a raise.

Q 2 — As South, vulnerable, you hold: ♠ J 8 3 ♡ A K 10 ♢ A 10 8 5 4 ♣ J 6
The bidding has proceeded:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1♢	Pass	1♡	Pass
?			

What do you bid now?
A — Obviously, the choice lies between a heart raise and one no-trump. Despite the quality of your three-card heart support, we prefer your describing a balanced minimum to raising with three-card support. Bid one no-trump.

Q 3 — Both vulnerable, as South, you hold: ♠ J 9 5 ♡ A K 9 8 3 ♢ 8 6 ♣ A 9 8
The bidding has proceeded:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1♢	Dbl	1♠	Pass

What action do you take?
A — These days, you ignore an opposing takeout double after you bid a major suit at the one level. Therefore, partner could have a fair hand for the one-spade response which, by the way, is forcing, and you should raise to two spades. That does not show extra values.

Q 4 — As South, vulnerable, you hold: ♠ A ♡ 6 5 ♢ K 9 6 5 4 2 ♣ K Q 9 8
The bidding has proceeded:

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
1♢	Pass	1♠	?

What do you bid now?
A — You have a hand which could produce slam even opposite a dead minimum opener. The way to get this across to partner is to start with a cue-bid of two spades, then bid strongly thereafter, probably by repeating the cue-bid to show first-round control. Your first cue-bid was simply strength-showing and did not promise control.

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JACQUELINE BIGAR'S STARS

The stars show the kind of day you'll have: 5-dynamic; 4-positive; 3-average; 2-so-so; 1-difficult

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Monday, Sept. 2, 2013:

This year you have more drive and energy than usual. You have what it takes to hit a home run! Sometimes you are a bit reticent to share your thoughts and feelings because of the responses you have received in the past. Take some risks. If you are single, make a point to get to know someone well before even thinking about committing. If you are attached, both of you need to devote more one-on-one time to the relationship. LEO can be demanding.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★★ You'll seem nearly unstoppable, but you might have a difficult moment when an associate challenges you. Don't take it personally — just respond appropriately. You could be tired of this person, but getting irritated won't help. Take a deep breath. Tonight: Go with the unexpected.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★ Know when to pull back and say when enough is enough. You might be dealing with a difficult person, and you'll need to get the situation under control. Once you stop trying, you could gain an insight as to what is going on. Tonight: At a last-minute Labor Day happening.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★★ You have many opinions and ideas. Someone might let you know that he or she has had more than his or her fill of information; not everyone is interested in the same topics you are. Unexpected news from a friend could put you on a new path. Tonight: Hang out with pals.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★★ The need to express yourself is crucial to your well-being. A child or new friend might come off as being rather testy. Look the other way, and understand that this has more to do with the other party than with you. Tonight: Buy a coveted item that you have been wanting.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★★ Listen to news more openly, and don't get bogged down in a family member's tale of woe. This person has been a downer lately. The unexpected draws positive results because of your optimism. You have a unique quality that is contagious. Tonight: The world is your oyster.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★ Assume a low profile, and you could have the good fortune of avoiding a difficult situation. You might have been feeling a little down as of late, but know that it is only a passing mood. You will want to withdraw and handle a personal matter. Tonight: Togetherness works.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★ A meeting will allow you to see the pros and cons of a situation. You are responsible for your own choices, but the right one will land you a home run. Follow your instincts, and you'll know where to head in a particular circumstance. Tonight: Where the crowds are.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★ You might not be aware of how stern you seem to others. You have a tendency to take responsibilities very seriously, and you don't smile a lot when handling important matters. If you could schmooze a little more, the results would be better. Tonight: Watch some fireworks.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★ You might want to rethink a personal situation. How you handle someone at a distance could define your relationship much more clearly. A child or loved one might surprise you with his or her actions. Be spontaneous, and do not judge. Tonight: Laugh the night away.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★ One-on-one interactions will be highlighted. Everyone needs to feel important. Through this type of contact, you'll ensure that other people feel valued. You might discover that a roommate or family member surprises you with his or her actions. Tonight: At home.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★★ Someone might be too assertive for your taste. Listen to what is being suggested, and try to ignore this person's attitude. If it seems like a good idea, go along with it. If not, say "no." Getting caught up in the details won't serve you well. Tonight: Go along with a friend's request.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★ You might be recuperating from a Labor Day party. A surprising development could shake you up, especially if it involves your finances. Even if you feel lucky, you still should avoid going beyond what your budget can handle. Tonight: Take some much-needed "you" time.

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BORN TODAY

Actor Keanu Reeves (1964), football player Eric Dickerson (1960), musician Billy Preston (1946)

DAILY CROSSWORD

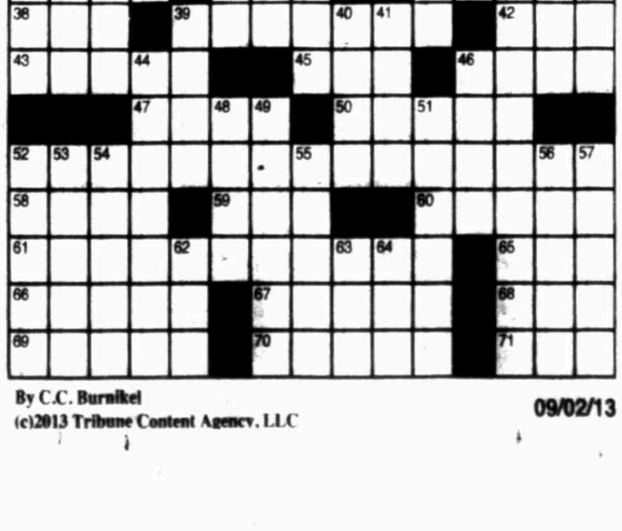
ACROSS
1 Beach lotion letters
4 Piece of information
9 Like a visit from Francis
14 Lao Tzu principle
15 Really angry
16 Musical in which Madonna set a Guinness World Record for "Most costume changes in a film"
17 That, to Teresa
18 "File folder material
20 Book of maps
22 Police force member
23 Eye drop
24 "Halloween bash with costumes
28 Only brother not in any Marx Brothers films
29 Belgian river
30 "Stop, horse!"
32 The Spartans of the Big Ten: Abbr.
34 Old Russian leaders
38 "You've got mail" company
39 The Kettles, or a hint to the answers to starred clues
42 Lav of London
43 Cowboy contest
45 Onassis nickname
46 Barristers' degs.
47 Norse prankster
50 First of four Holy Roman emperors
52 "Law firm bigwig
58 Bird sacred to Tut
59 T, to Socrates
60 Pong producer
61 "Foam bedding item
65 Fishing pole
66 Trap during a winter storm, maybe
67 Chopin work
68 "__ to Joy"
69 About, date-wise
70 Managed somehow
71 Filmmaker Craven

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1 Cook, as asparagus
2 Carb-loader's entrée
3 Forty-niner's disillusionment
4 Bite-sized Chinese dish
5 Parseghian of football
6 Light brown
7 Mohawk River city
8 Something to hum
9 Energy
10 Blog posters' self-images
11 Peter, the pickled-pepper picker
12 Dined in
13 Comedic Cable Guy
19 Jungle swingers
21 Color of water
25 Actress Thompson
26 Civil rights pioneer Parks
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31 "Yoo-__!"
33 One, to Juanita
35 Aligned perfectly
36 Hold up
37 Sailor's distress signal
39 Synthesizer pioneer Robert
40 Fall
41 Pocket bread
44 Stretchy, as a waistband
46 Former Senate majority leader Trent
48 Flying toy
49 "Be right there!"
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52 Act like
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ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

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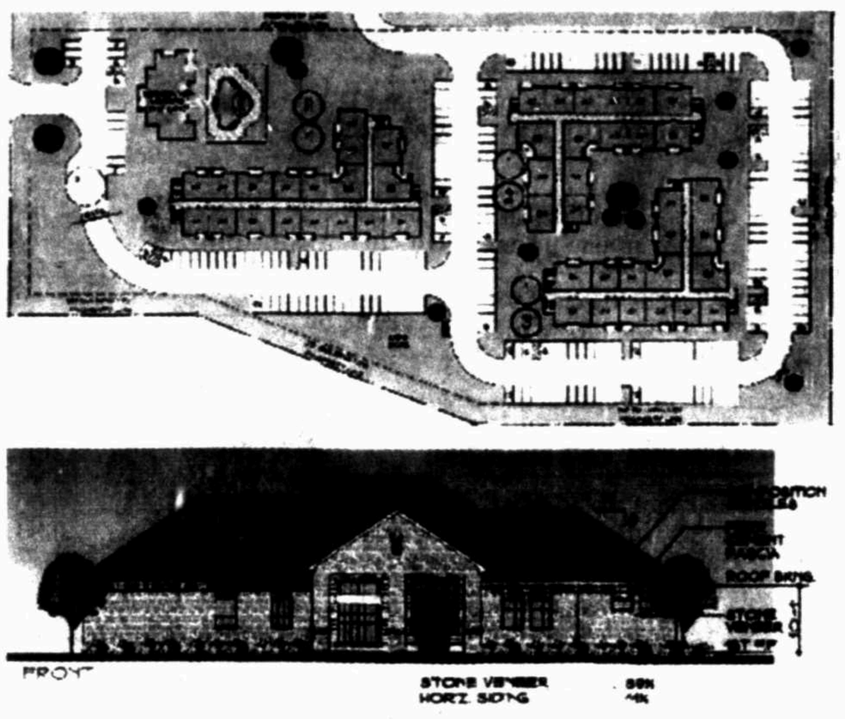
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Coming Soon

Westridge Apartments



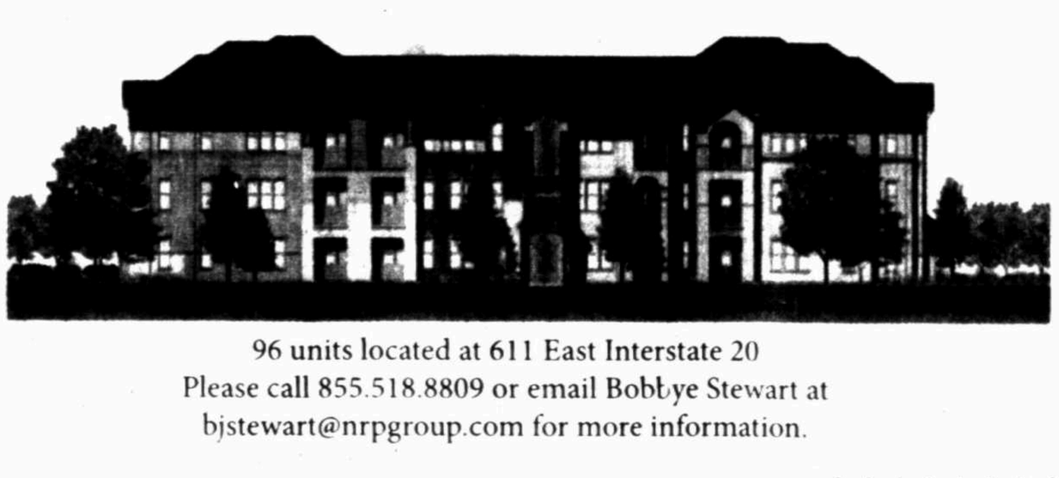
The McDonald Companies has partnered with the Midland Community Development Corporation to develop, construct, and manage a 96 unit senior housing apartment to be located on 5400 Graceland; just south of Loop 250 and Thomason. The development will provide affordable apartment units for seniors of the age 55 and older. The complex will include a fully furnished clubhouse. Construction to begin early 2014!

Thank You! Bank Partners

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Sparks Park Development

The Sparks Park Developments is located on East Jax St. and is plotted for 24 home-sites. The development area was made possible by the City of Midland. Families choose from a variety of floor plans and exterior designs to create a neighborhood of uniqueness and style. Improving the perception of affordable housing is an important element of MCDC's development protocol.

Thank you! Development Partners

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6	$60,450
7	$64,650
8	$68,800

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Natural Gas Services Group FT

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ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

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Midland Reporter-Telegram HAS IMMEDIATE OPENINGS IN IT'S DISTRIBUTION DEPARTMENT FOR NIGHT TIME ASSOCIATE

Night time associate - MUST BE DEPENDABLE

Must be able to count at a fast pace. Be able to work between the hours of 12-6 pm Sunday night thru Friday night and be able to work Saturday night 8pm -4am. Will be working inside and outside depending on the job you are doing that night. Will be 5-6 nights per week. We will train the right person.

Pay 10.00 per hour paid every 2 weeks

These positions require some physical lifiting 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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OTHER JOBS

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We are looking for an exceptional, experienced, **Certified Dental Assistant,** one full time and one part time position, to join our team, at Midland's premier dental practice. We are also seeking **2 Front Desk Receptionists** and a full time **Registered Dental Hygienist.** Please email **info@smilemidland.com,** fax **(432) 520-0720** or bring resume to: **3722 N. Loop 250, Midland, TX.**

Front Desk

West Texas Allergy FT

No phone calls please.

Insurance experience a plus, for busy office, Monday - thursday 8-6 Friday 8-1pm. Salary DOE. Health and Dental benefits. Fax resume to 432-682-1265

Mammography Technologist

Reeves County Hospital District FT

Openings for the following: Ma,,ography Technologist.

Must have Associates degree and AART or equivalent with an associates degree or higher. Benefits to include Retirement with TCDRS, Vacation/Sick Time. Apply in person at: Human Resources Department, Reeves County Hospital District, 2323 Texas Street, Pecos, TX 79772, online at: reevescountyhospital.com or call: (432) 447-3551 ext. 6601. EOE

Optician

Phillips Eye Clinic FT

4311 W. Wadley Ave. **Midland, TX 79707**

Experienced preferred but not required. Please apply in person.

MARKETING

Web Site & Marketing Specialist

Century Graphics & Sign is currently seeking a full time Web Site & Marketing Specialist to join our team. Will have overall responsibility for working on a variety of projects primarily nvolved in web site design and development. Responsible for designing the user interface and overall customer experience for our web sites and applications. This includes overall navigation flow, layout of specific pages, and creation of individual graphic elements. Must be able to plan, develop and implement cost-effective marketing communications activity. This is a role where the primary aim is to generate leads through direct marketing campaigns and events, and through effective campaign management track the productivity to their conclusion. Will also be cross trained as graphic artist. Knowledge of Illustrator, Photoshop and InDesign is preferred. Send resumes to luzi@centurygs.com. No phone calls, please.

OTHER JOBS

All Positions

Firehouse Subs FT

Midland, TX 79701

Now hiring Slice, Prep, Cashiers, Catering & Kitchen help for AM/PM positions. Apply in person: 2900 W. Loop 250 North, Ste 182.

All Positions

QSN Realty: Restaurant Staff all positions. Bartender, Waitstaff, Office Managers, HVAC Tech. Please apply in person at 3100 W. Wall.

Assistant Mgr. & Sales Associate

Wood's Boots FT

Midland, TX 79701

Assistant Manager & Sales Associate positions available at Wood's Boots. Best customers & best hours in retail. Plus you get to wear boots & jeans. Come talk to us! 4803 Andrews Hwy.

Available Positions

QSN Realty: Maintenance Tech & HVAC Tech. Please apply in person at 5010 W. Loop 250 N.

Available Positions

The YMCA of Midland is currently seeking Childcare Counselors, Van Drivers, Fitness Attendants, Lifeguards and Maintenance staff. Please apply in person at 800 N. Big Spring Street, no phone calls please.

DME Technician

Hospice of Midland FT

Midland, TX 79701

Hospice of Midland now hiring Full-time DME Technician for delivery of equipment in the Midland/Odessa area. Benefits, paid vacation & paid holidays available. Some on-call duties required. Competitive pay & regular hours. Call 432-682-2855 for information or apply at: 911 West Texas Ave, Midland, Monday-Friday.

Fabricators/Installers

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Now hiring Fabricators/Installers. Tile/Carpentry experience a plus. Apply within 4309 SCR 1290 (Coors Rd.), Odessa, TX 79765. 563-8004 accentgranitemidland.com

Lead Maintenance

Summerhill Apartments FT

Must be HVAC certified. Salary depending on experience. Apply in person to: 3001 North Midland Dr. or call 432-697-6039.

McCOY'S BUILDING SUPPLY

Has Full-Time positions available at our Midland, TX location!

Class A CDL Delivery Truck Driver
Retail Yard Crewmember
Retail Cashier
Retail Sale Associate

Qualified applicants must have excellent customer service skills and knowledge of lumber and building supplies.

Apply at:
http://www.mccoys.com/why-mccoys/careers/

Please no calls to the store.

Applicant must be at least 18 years of age to work in the yard. To drive for McCoy's, Applicants must meet McCoy's driver eligibility guidelines and be at least 23 years of age. (Competitive Wages)
Drug Screens and Background Checks Required
EOE, AAP, D, F, VA

NOW HIRING!!!

Fiddlesticks Farms is looking for help on fall weekdays to work with school field trip students & teachers. This is a perfect opportunity for stay at home moms/dads or college students who are wanting to make a little extra money for Christmas! Our field trips are Tuesday- Friday in October and November from 8:30a- 2:00p! Please call (432)687-6293 for more details!!! The application can also be found on our website: **www.fiddlesticksfarms.com/about-us/work-at-the-farm**

Now Hiring

Property Management Company looking for Full Time Assistant Maintenance and Activity Director for Midland/Odessa properties. Sign on bonus! Pay DOE and Benefits available. Please apply in person at 1701 N Fairgrounds Rd in Midland.

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OTHER JOBS

Now hiring

Healthcare Services Group, Inc. FT

Rapidly growing management company is seeking Housekeepers, Floor Techs, and Manager's. Manager based salary is $30k plus. Previous experience is a plus. Please apply at the facility: 3000 Mockingbird Lane, Midland, TX. 76904.

The Midland Reporter-Telegram has an opening in its Production Department for the position of:

Pressman/Pressman Trainee

for our Harris N-1650 Printing presses. This 5 - 6 day per week, fast paced, deadline oriented position, requires night shift work and work with a strong emphasis on safety. The Midland Reporter-Telegram offers a full package of company benefits including 401K program. Salary DOE.

Send resume and salary requirements to:

John Maddox, Production Director
c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram
201 E. Illinois St., Midland, TX 79701
E-mail: jmaddox@hearstmp.com
or
come by 201 E. Illinois Street to fill out an application.

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Resident Monitor & Cook

Dismas Charities FT/PT

Midland, TX 79701

Dismas Charities is hiring Full, Part-time & relief staff for the positions of Resident Monitor & Cook. Apply online at: www.dismas.com Walk-in applicants are welcome at: 24 W. Industrial Loop.

Sales/Warehouse Help

Outside sales, Counter sales and Warehouse help. Apply at Midland Winlectric, 3606 Bankhead Hwy., Midland, TX 79701

Sandblaster and Coaters

C&C Coating FT

Apply in person at 2908 North County Road 1150, Midland, TX. 79705.

Warehouse/Delivery Driver

Corley Paper & Box FT

Warehouse/Delivery Driver needed. 8am-5pm, Monday-Friday. Must have a good driving record. Some heavy lifting. Apply at: 5120 Andrews Highway.

Warehouse Manager

Natural Gas Service Group FT

NGSG, Inc. has an immediate opening for a **Warehouse Manager**. This position is responsible for materials, equipment, and supplies by directing, receiving, warehousing, inventory control, budget, distribution services and supervising staff. The ideal candidate must have the 5 years + as Warehouse Manager Excellent Salary and Benefit package for the right person. For more information or to submit your resume contact employment@ngsgi.com or call (432) 262-2700.

RESTAURANT & FOOD SERVICE

Available Positions

Marriott/Hilton now hiring top talent for Front Desk, Maintenance, and Restaurant positions. Apply at Courtyard by Marriott, 1505 Trade winds Blvd. Fax 432-689-9401, Email: Clint.Friddle@platinumcos.com. Great pay and flex schedule.

Bartender, Wait Staff, Busser, Dish Washer

Wall Street Bar & Grill FT

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Dining Services Staff

Midland's Premier Country Club FT

Is looking for **Line/Prep Cooks**. *We hire attitude and personality over experience.* Position is full-time. In addition to competitive wages we offer paid medical and 401k. Please apply in person: Midland Country Club, 6101 N. Hwy 349, Midland, TX 79705.

Dishwashers, Cooks, Bussers

The Garlic Press FT

Midland, TX 79705

The Garlic Press is hiring for Dishwashers, Cooks, Bussers. Apply in person at: Oakridge Square, Wadley/Garfield, between 11am-2pm or 5:30pm-7pm.

DOMINO'S PIZZA NOW HIRING!

•Drivers: Make cash everyday. Great part time & full time shifts. Starting wage of $7.50 an hour (no split tip/wage here) plus delivery reimbursement, plus tips. **•CSRs:** Great part time & full time shifts. Starting wage of $8.25 an hour. Bright & Friendly people only! **•Shift Leaders:** Great part time & full time shifts. Starting wage of $10 an hour. Flexible Schedules. Apply at any **Domino's Pizza** Midland or Odessa or send resume: **cassie@clearwire.net** Senior citizens & stay at home moms always welcome. EOE

Outside Service Staff

Green Tree Country Club is seeking individuals for our Outside Services Staff. Pay starts at $11/hour plus tips. Morning and Evening Shifts Available. Meals and uniforms provided. Apply in person 4900 Green Tree Blvd Midland, Texas 79707.

Servers

Cattle Baron FT

Cattle Baron Restaurant now hiring experienced servers. Starting wage $11.00 - $15.00 per hour depending on experience. Please apply daily 2:00 pm – 5:30 pm 418 Wadley Ave., Midland, TX No phone calls please!! EOE

RETAIL JOBS

Retail Associate

CeCe's Adornment FT/PT

Cece's Adornments (Women's apparel & accessories) is seeking a part/full time employee. Please apply at 4100 West Loop 250 North inside of Chelsea Rae's.

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Call Bobby Moore: 432-[illegible]
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ROGERS

SALES JOBS

Multi-Media Sales Consultant



The Midland Reporter-Telegram and mywesttexas.com advertising department is looking for a Multi-Media Sales Consultant. The ideal candidate will have a proven track record of personal sales successes, preferably in a newspaper/media environment. Some knowledge of the advertising industry would be helpful, but not required.

Duties for this position will include, but are not limited to selling advertising in all print publications of the Midland Reporter-Telegram and all online products, including mywesttexas.com.

Qualifications & Skills:

- *Ability to work in a fast-paced, deadline oriented environment*
- *Excellent customer service and time management skills*
- *Highly organized with the ability to work independently with minimal supervision*
- *Detail-oriented with good communication, spelling and math skills*

The Hearst Corporation is one of the largest diversified communications companies. Its major interests include magazine, newspaper and business publishing, cable networks, television and radio broadcasting, Internet businesses and more. As an associate of the Midland Reporter-Telegram, you join more than 20,000 in the Hearst family. The Multi-Media Sales Consultant is a full-time, outside sales position. We offer a competitive compensation plan and benefits package, comprehensive training, mileage allowance, and the opportunity to advance your career in an exciting, progressive, and innovative organization in one of the fastest growing markets in Texas.

If you are the one we are looking for, please send current resume to:

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Midland Reporter-Telegram, 201 E. Illinois Avenue, Midland, TX 79701
or email to: jhouston@mrt.com

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STORE MANAGERS and CASHIERS

Smoker's Outlet is looking for **Store Managers** and **Cashiers** in the Midland area. We offer competitive wages and a good work environment. Paid is weekly plus tips. Go by your nearest **Smoker's Outlet** to apply.

SKILLED LABOR

All Positions

Teraco, Inc. FT

Teraco, Inc. is an industry leading plastic card manufacturer located in Midland. We are currently hiring for all positions. Starting salary is $10 to $25 per hour. Candidates will need to pass a background check and drug test. At least a high school diploma or equivalent is required. Benefits include: shift differentials of $1.00 per hour for 2nd shift (3pm-11pm) and $1.50 per hour for 3rd shift (11pm-7am), paid vacation and holidays, tuition reimbursement, a matching 401K plan, and medical insurance. Stop by 2080 Commerce Dr. in Midland to fill out an application.

Apprentice & Journeyman Electricians

Strong Electric is hiring licensed Apprentice & Journeyman Electricians to work in the Permian Basin area. High wages & great benefits! Per diem when applicable. We are seeking great people who have the passion and energy to join our growing organization.
Download application at www.strongelectric.net or call 512.252.9500

Building Maintenance

The Petroleum Museum FT

Must be knowledgeable in basic commercial building maintenance and repair. Electrical, plumbing, and painting experience necessary. HVAC a plus. Competitive wage with benefits. Call 432-683-4403

Licensed Commercial Plumber & Exp. Helpers

TMI Mechanical currently hiring **Licensed Commercial Plumbers & Experienced Helpers** for local jobsites. We offer top pay **(up to $28/hr and we will pay additional for medical gas endorsements)**. Paid medical, paid vacations and holidays. Must have good driving record. Please call **432-686-0002** for interview.

Mechanics

Western Auto FT

Mechanics! Western Auto is hiring! Apply at: 4000 S. FM 1788 (Warfield Plaza), Midland.

Machinist

Mesquite Oil Tools Manual Machinist Job Description Experienced Manual Lathe machine operator needed, mill/drill press experience a plus. Shop located at 8007 West Industrial Ave. Midland, Texas 79706 (432)-563-1071. General duties such as shaving/milling of down-hole completion equipment, threading down hole- tools, cross overs etc. Great benefits that include a friendly fun work environment, paid vacation bonuses, Full paid family insurance. Email resumes to carsona@mesquitetools.com or come by today for your new amazing career opportunity.

REBUILD TECHNICIAN

Natural Gas Services Group FT

NGSG has an immediate opening for a **Rebuild Technician** in our Rebuild Department. This position is responsible for the inspection, cleaning, processing, repair and paperwork processing for all items in Rebuild Services, including tools, parts and upgrades. The ideal candidate will have mechanical and engine rebuild experience, with technical school training preferred. Excellent Salary and Benefit package for the right person. For more information or to submit your resume contact employment@ngsgi.com or call (432) 262-2700.

Welders

M & D Welding FT

Single hand contract needed. Oil field experience a plus & Drivers License a must. Salary DOE. Please call for application 432-520-3853 or 432-638-8266.

TECHNOLOGY

PLC Programmer Tech

PLC Programmer/Tech- Excellent pay & benefits. Must have valid driver's license. Must have experience working in the oil field. Must have experience with controls, programming PLCs, configuring VFDs. Please email resume to jobs@tanklogix.com

TRANSPORTATION & LOGISTICS

CLASS A CDL DRIVER

Class A CDL needed - Guaranteed Weekly Pay! Brown Brothers is a new Oil & Gas Transportation Co. in Midland/Odessa. Apply today! Email **JOBS@BBDOS.COM**, visit **WWW.BBDOS.COM**, or call 432-272-7640 to schedule an interview. Apply in person at 11308 W. Hwy. 80 E. in Odessa.

Class A CDL Truck Drivers

Prefer drivers with Pneumatic Tanker experience. Benefits include: driver $2,000 sign-on bonus, medical, life and dental insurance, and paid vacation. Applicants having experience hauling sand and/or dry cement helpful. Good driving record, DOT, drug & alcohol testing required. Apply in person, call **432-563-1894** for interview or online @ **www.silverlinetx.com**

Non CDL Drivers

B & B Wrecker Service is looking to hire **Non CDL Drivers**. Must be 21 years or older. Good driving record. Paid every Friday. Health Insurance provided. Please come by **2823 S. Rankin Hwy.**

TRANSPORTATION & LOGISTICS

Delivery Driver

Ferguson Enterprises FT

Immediate opening for Delivery Driver. CDL license not required. Competitive wages. Background and drug test required. Apply in person at: 2121 W. Florida. Midland, Tx 79701. E.O.E.

Drivers

Strong Electric is looking for positive, dependable and professional individuals for Part-Time Driver positions. Driver(s) will drive a professional mobile office within a Ford F-350 van utilized by company executives. Applicants must be punctual and have excellent communication skills. A geographical knowledge of West Texas and Southeastern New Mexico area is required. Hourly rate: $12-$15. Download application at www.strongelectric.net or call 512.252.9500

Fleet Logistics Coordinator

Strong Electric is hiring a Fleet Logistics Coordinator. This person carries out all movements of materials and equipment to and from location sites. Previous experience with large vehicles is preferred. Hourly rate: $16-$18 Download application at www.strongelectric.net or call 512.252.9500

Frac Water Haulers

Frac Water Haulers. $20-$21/hour. 6 months or more experience. $1500 sign on bonus. **Call Talana: (214) 677-6918**

SPOOLERS AND DRIVERS

JW Enterprise is looking for **spoolers amd Drivers** with Class A CDL. Must have a good driving record. Competitive Wages and a great place to work. On the job training available. Contact 432-664-3408 or 432-664-5019 for more information. Serious applicants only.

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Truck Mechanics - Excellent pay based on experience with a minimum of 1 year experience. Must have own tools.
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Gray/Blk Sat, Rear Seat Ent, 3rd row, 125k Super Clean

2012 BMW 535i
Space Gray/Oyster Prem sound, Sport , Prem 11k miles, CPO

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Blk/Blk Harman Kardon, Nav., 20k miles

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Appliances

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Midland Reporter-Telegram (on dock side)

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If You Have Items You Are Giving Away For FREE, Your Ad Is On Us! CALL 432-682-6222 TODAY!

Furniture

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USED DEEP blue stripped queen sleeper sofa - $300 (OBO); used brown twin sleeper - $100 (OBO); bar height table with four chairs (bronze metal with glass top) - $300 (OBO); queen bedspread (gold) - $25. See at SE corner of Golf Course and Airview - on porch. Call for info - 432-695-4421.

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Fax Your Classified Ad In Today! 682-6999

Miscellaneous For Sale

150 GALLON saltwater tank w/ fish, new lights and corals for $2500. Also a 9 month old tempurpedic king size for $900 hardly used. Bed only. Great condition. 432-934-6050

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DOWNSIZING! LOTSA High Quality STUFF! I cannot say NO! LOOK- Rare 1 owner Spinet piano, 2 Recliners w/ footstools - recliner loveseat - Queen bed/matt - Fireplace Screen - 2 rockers w/ oak table/lamp - deco mirror - antique student desk/chair - tools - 5 dr legal file - Sony TV w/ corner cabinet - glass top dressers -29"x54" mirror - Blower - laser printer. Call 432-638-4030

Miscellaneous For Sale

LARGE Metal shelves, clothing rack, smaller wood shelves, old tools, Coke bottles & holders, records, books. Lots of misc items, low prices. Call Private party 694-9491

Four tickets to TEXAS vs. Ole Miss on Sept. 14. Sec 104, row 8, 35 yard line. $800, 432-553-8019.

Musical Instruments

NEW TODAY!

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Pets

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Pets

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HARLEY DAVIDSON 2007 Heritage Softail Black & cherry, 96 cu", 32k miles. Perfect condition, $9500. Call 432-682-8360 or 432-352-7994

HONDA 2007 VLX Shadow, silver blue, lots of chrome. 2800 miles, small rack, great cruiser, NADA $3,963. Sale price $3,250. 432-664-8411

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RANGER 2002 Bass Boat 150 Yamaha, nice boat $10,000 Call 432-557-7674

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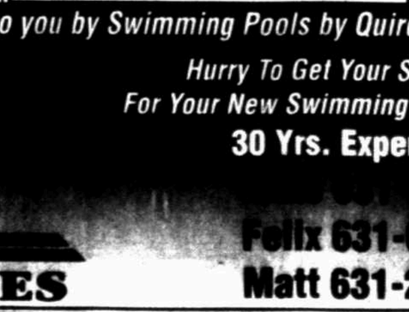


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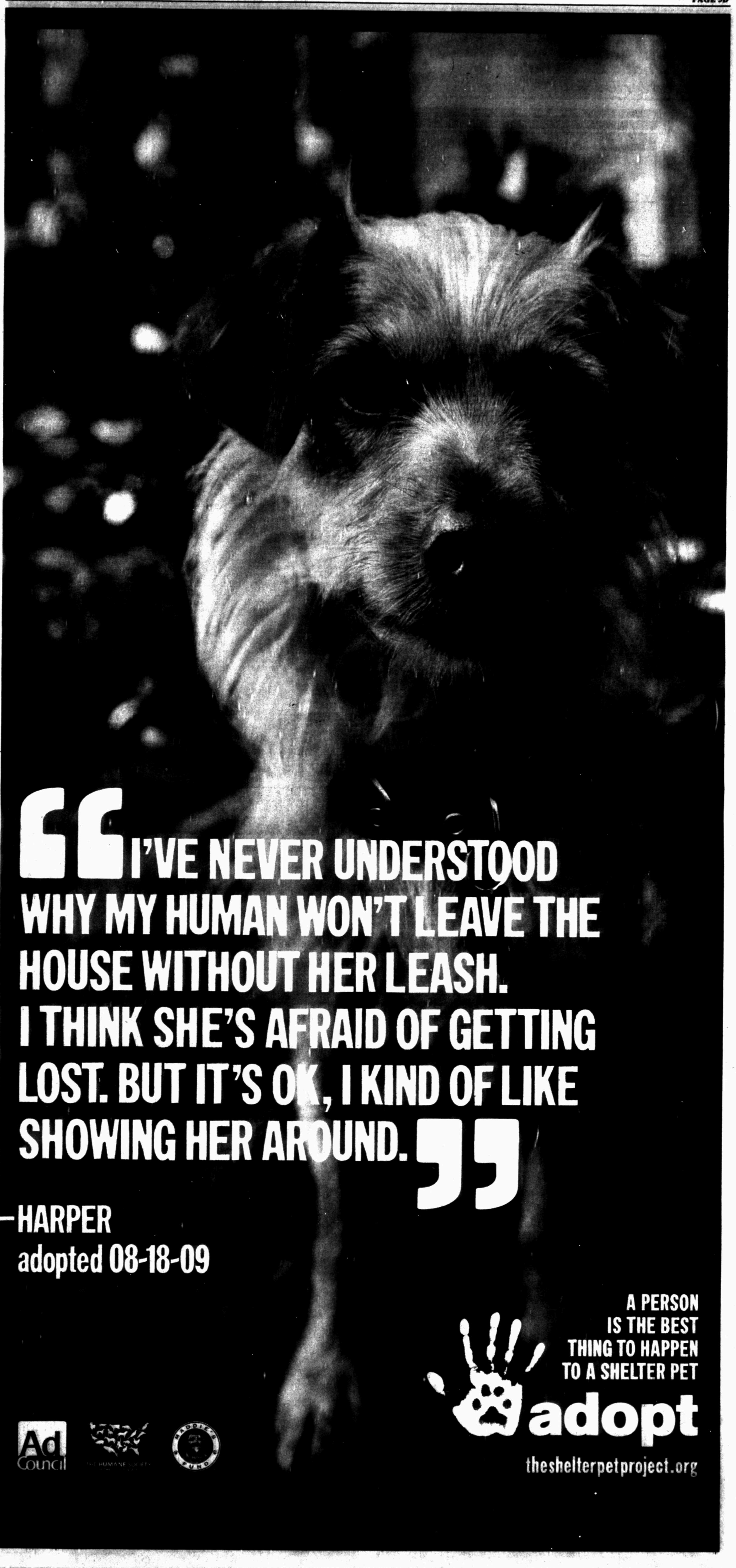
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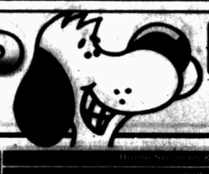
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