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Panel addresses issues facing operators

Roads, water, infrastructure discussed during PBPA meeting

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From roads to water, Permian Basin operators must put together many puzzle pieces to successfully develop the region's natural resources.

The Permian Basin Petroleum Association asked a panel of experts to address the various issues impacting operators during its annual meeting Thursday.

"For the last 15 years, I've been involved in roads in this area," said Robin Donnelly, Midland County commissioner and president of Eastland Oil Co.

He said the region and its roads have been impacted by oil field-related traffic.

Donnelly questioned how to get the Texas Department of Transportation to spend more money in West Texas.

"We were producing $100 oil and sending a lot of money to Austin, and they (still) didn't get the message."

Of TxDOT's 2012 study of energy-impacted areas, the Permian Basin was not represented in the top six Category 1 listings, he said.

After Texas voters approved taking $2.8 billion from the state's rainy day fund for transportation, Donnelly said the area will receive $626 million over the next 10 years, but that amount is hardly enough to keep up with road maintenance. Plus, those funds go into Category 11, which is spent at the discretion of each TxDOT district office.

"It's better than what's been done," he said. "It gives us $60 million more a year."

The ability to take from severance taxes and redirect that money creates opportunities for the area in addressing road issues, Donnelly said.

Water use is also a major issue, especially in arid West Texas and with tens of thousands of wells being drilled that require millions of barrels of water for completion.

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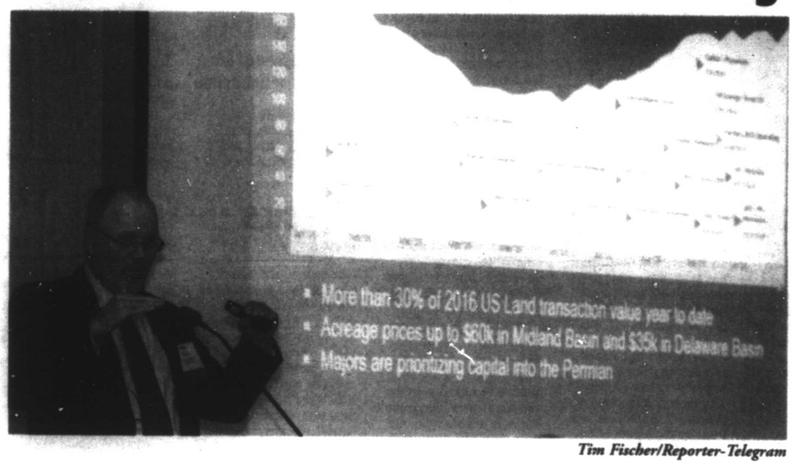

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David Christmas, region vice president with Schlumberger, speaks Thursday during a panel discussion with service company executives at the 54th annual Permian Basin Petroleum Association meeting at the Petroleum Club.

Seliger OK with using rainy day fund to help RRC

- Legislative panelists at PBPA meeting want clean sunset bill

By Trevor Hawes
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The Texas legislative panel at the annual Permian Basin Petroleum Association meeting is often the must-attend segment, and this year was no exception.

Moderator State Rep. Tom Craddick led a panel of four legislators Thursday: state Sens. Kel Seliger (R-31) and Craig Estes (R-30) and state Rep. Brooks Landgraf (R-81) and Chris Paddie (R-9).

The panel touched on several topics, but on energy matters it was the issues facing the Railroad Commission, namely its upcoming third sunset review in the past four sessions and funding in a time when the self-funded agency is having difficulties in a downturn oil and gas industry, particularly for technological upgrades.

Seliger said the budget session is going to be tight, "but all budget sessions should be tight because we're spending other people's money that the people who are being taxed could spend themselves.

"So what we're telling most agencies — except those under court order like the foster system — is you can ask for whatever you want to ask, but don't expect anything to increase your budget, and that's true for the Railroad Commission and everybody else," he said.

Seliger, however, supported using some money from the Economic Stabilization Fund, commonly called the rainy day fund, which is largely funded by oil and gas.

"It's all about principle. All of that money came from the oil and gas industry, and because it's not recurring expenditure — it's designed for upgrade and updating — I'm perfectly OK with taking some of that money and putting it into the Railroad Commission for those one-time technology (expenditures). To tax one industry for a big ol' slush fund is unconscionable."

All of the panelists agreed that the Railroad Commission should remain in operation and that its sunset bill should not be encumbered by extraneous requests for agency changes.

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Experts warn tougher battles on endangered species lie ahead

By Mella McEwen
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Having fought two endangered species listings, members of the Permian Basin Petroleum Association were cautioned Thursday that more battles are looming.

Myles Culhane, managing counsel with Occidental Petroleum Corp., said at a panel discussion held during the association's annual meeting that the Fish and Wildlife Service is preparing ESA listings for 2018 and beyond and will review 522 species for listing over the next five years.

He listed some species that could affect the Permian Basin, including Texas mussels, monarch butterflies, the Rio Grande cooter, springsnail and spot tailed earless lizard. Showing a map of the lizard's habitat, Culhane pointed out that its habitat essentially tracks the Permian Basin.

Robert Gulley, director of economic growth and endangered species with the Texas Comptroller's Office, said that regulatory focus will be turning to the issue of critical habitat.

"Critical habitat will be an important focus and we'll get a read on that with the Texas hornshell mussel," he said.

Kathleen Sgamma, vice president, government and public affairs with the Western Energy Alliance of Denver, said the PBPA's successful lawsuit that overturned listing the lesser prairie chicken as endangered was important as associations fight to avoid listings or lessen the impact.

"Litigation needs to be a major tool in our tool box," she said. "The PBPA and Western Energy Alliance are taking the lead in using litigation aggressively and successfully."

Judge Robert Junell's decision to overturn the listing meant "the PBPA made the case that all the conservation efforts its members made can't be discounted," Sgamma said.

Culhane agreed that it was important the association had filed the lawsuit,

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Obama commutes sentences of Midlander, Odessan

From staff reports

WASHINGTON, D.C. — A Midlander and Odessan were among 98 people who were granted commutation of sentence Thursday by President Obama.

Midlander Arandal Derrick Goodley was sentenced for conspiracy to distribute cocaine base "crack;" possession with intent to distribute a quantity of cocaine base "crack;" 15 counts of money laundering; and aiding and abetting money laundering.

His sentence was life imprisonment and 10 years' supervised release. His prison sentence was commuted to expire on Oct. 27, 2018, conditioned upon enrollment in residential drug treatment, according to a press release from the White House press secretary.

Odessan David Alan Aldridge was sentenced for conspiracy to manufacture 50 grams or more of actual methamphetamine and possession of pseudoephedrine with intent to manufacture methamphetamine; possession with intent to distribute a quantity of methamphetamine; possession of equipment, chemicals, products and materials to manufacture methamphetamine; possession of a detectable amount of methamphetamine; and six counts of purchasing more than 9 grams of ephedrine or pseudoephedrine during a 30-day period.

His sentence was life imprisonment, 10 years' supervised release and $35,000 fine. That sentence was commuted to a term of 151 months' imprisonment and unpaid balance of the $35,000 fine remitted, conditioned upon enrollment in residential drug treatment, according to the release.

Earlier this month, the president commuted the sentence of Midland's Derrick Drake Price, who in 2004 was sentenced for conspiracy to distribute 5 grams of cocaine base and a violation of supervised release. He has commuted the sentences of at least two Odessa men — Eugene Durst Self and Samuel Latrell Johnson — since August.

Rebound expected in oilfield spending

By Collin Eaton
Houston Chronicle

U.S. oil companies have hemorrhaged money and jobs for two years, and scores have gone bankrupt, but now they're making a run at a comeback.

As exploration and production firms begin reporting spending plans for next year, the first nine said they expect to pump billions of dollars more into oil field operations in 2017.

Analysts believe many other companies will follow, hiking spending across the industry by 25 to 45 percent if crude prices hold at $50 a barrel.

A resurgence in oil field spending would mark a key turning point for an industry that cut more than $100 billion in U.S. capital expenditures and axed more than 100,000 energy jobs in Texas alone during the downturn that began in the summer of 2014. Such a rebound in spending would lift Houston's energy services companies, toolmakers and other businesses that support oil production, and slowly bring back jobs to a traumatized industry.

"We're walking down the tunnel and finally seeing the light," said Joe DeGeare, president of Energy Fishing and Rental Services, a Houston company that provides tools to retrieve objects stuck in oil wells. "We're looking forward to an uptick, no doubt about that."

Historically, energy employment in Houston begins to rise about a year after crude prices hit bottom and six months after the nation's fleet of drilling rigs reaches its lowest point. U.S. crude snapped higher after plummeting to $26 a barrel in February, and the rig count has steadily climbed since May.

That means Houston's energy job market will probably start to show signs of life around the beginning of next year, when companies begin spending more, said Bill Gilmer, an economist and director of the Institute for Regional Forecasting at the University of Houston. But hiring isn't just going to take off.

"The last step in the improvement process," Gilmer said, "will be robust hiring."

$50 mark brings optimism

Energy executives have changed their tune about the oil industry's prospects since crude prices climbed to $50 a barrel and strong global demand began whittling the supply glut. U.S. stockpiles of crude oil, for example, have plunged 43 million barrels since the beginning of September, including a 550,000 barrel decline last week, according to the Energy Department.

In addition, Saudi Arabia and other major oil-producing nations have moved to cut output and resume their role of managing markets, further propping up prices.

Energy services firms Baker Hughes of Houston, and Weatherford, which has its main U.S. offices in Houston, reported combined job cuts of more than 2,000 in the third quarter, but their executives said worst of the downturn appears behind them. "The fourth quarter is the beginning," Bernard Duroc-Danner, Weatherford's CEO, told investors Wednesday.

They'll know for sure soon enough. In coming weeks, oil companies will put out a flurry of announcements detailing how much money they plan to spend in oil patches in Texas, Oklahoma and North Dakota. Over the last two years, the industry has found itself crippled by ultra-low oil prices, forcing them to make deeper budget cuts in 2015 and

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CRIMEBRIEFS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Man arrested on stalking and aggravated assault charges

A Midland man was arrested Tuesday after allegedly stalking and causing injury to a woman, according to court documents.

Marcus Anthony Avila, 23, was being held Thursday on a $150,000 bond for a third-degree felony charge of stalking, a $150,000 bond for a first-degree felony charge of aggravated assault causes serious bodily injury and a $5,000 bond for a misdemeanor charge of burglary of a vehicle.

Avila

A Texas Department of Public Safety trooper responded on Sept. 26 to a vehicle that crashed into a pole. The female driver received numerous stitches after the crash, according to the arrest affidavit.

Avila had repeatedly called, texted and followed the woman, according to the affidavit. He allegedly forced the woman's car off the road and stole her phone on Sept. 26. After the woman got back into her car, Avila followed her at high speeds, causing the woman to lose control and hit the pole, according to the affidavit.

If convicted, Avila could face up to 10 years imprisonment for the third-degree felony charge and up to 99 years imprisonment for the first-degree felony charge.

Man arrested for burglary of habitation

A Midland man was arrested Tuesday after allegedly breaking into a home, according to court documents.

Timothy Glenn Prince, 33, was being held Thursday on a $10,000 bond for a second-degree felony charge of burglary of a habitation.

On Oct. 24, Prince allegedly entered his neighbor's residence through a back window and gave his friends access to the home. He also took items from inside the residence, according to his arrest affidavit.

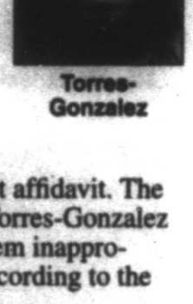
Prince

If convicted of the second-degree felony charge, Prince could face up to 20 years imprisonment.

Man arrested on two charges of indecency with a child

A Midland man was arrested Tuesday after he allegedly touched two girls inappropriately, according to court documents.

Jose Ignacio Torres-Gonzalez, 26, was being held Thursday on two $50,000 bonds for second-degree felony charges of indecency with a child by sexual contact.


Torres-Gonzalez

Midland Police Department officers spoke to two girls Tuesday about the alleged incidents, according to the arrest affidavit. The girls said Torres-Gonzalez touched them inappropriately, according to the document.

If convicted of a second-degree felony, Torres-Gonzalez could face up to 20 years imprisonment.

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"The sunset bill needs to be kept clean," Estes said. "Any changes you want to make in any way, shape or form need to be in a separate bill. I will exert as much pressure as I can to make sure that bill stays clean."

Seliger offered similar sentiments: "The simple fact of the matter is, we have got to have the Railroad Commission and the mission that it accomplishes. Anything in the bill that keeps reauthorization from being had needs to be discarded. The chairman of our committee is welcome to hear any of that other stuff, even the stuff that has failed to pass in three or four sessions ago. Bring them to our committee, and we will hear them."

Added Landgraf: "It's not good to abuse the sunset process by turning it into something it's not. I certainly don't think we should use the Railroad Commission sunset process as a way to add a bunch of add-ons. Everything needs to be addressed separately."

What's missing

At the PBPA's annual meeting in 2015, all state legislators on the panel said their top concern for the 2017 legislative session was the brewing fight over allocation wells, but it wasn't a topic for this year's panel.

Traditionally, companies would tap into multiple leases and pool production into one number. The advent of horizontal drilling and slickwater fracturing has made it possible to tap into multiple fields from one wellbore and allocate that production.

At issue is defining the methodology of calculating production from each field to pay proper royalties. The most common industry practice is to divide allocations by the length of lateral in each field and prorate production accordingly. There isn't a mechanism for dispute at this point, and the state does not have its own methodology.

Seliger spoke with the Reporter-Telegram after Thursday's panel session and said that a lot of groups have gotten together, such as the PBPA, University Lands and landowner groups to discuss the issue. For the Legislature, "It's going to be an issue before us, but we don't know in what form and in what way people would like to see in terms of legislation. So people like me are paying attention to what's going on, and we've talked with the various stakeholder groups. We're in a learning mode right now, and then we'll see what happens."

Seliger added that the allocation wells issue will be contentious but that "what those points of contention are going to be, though, we don't know right now. That's why we're in learning mode."

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Species

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especially as the industry faces adverse impact from other listings, and even though the group has been deeply involved in conservation efforts.

He questions if the act could be used to control how water is handled, while Sgamma worries it could be used to halt any industrial activity.

"It's no coincidence these species are being found in oil- and gas-producing areas," she said.

The best way to enact reform of the Endangered Species Act and ensure that it includes consideration of the economic impact is to make sure decisions are made based on good science, Gulley said.

Sgamma said she was heartened by the fact Wildlife Guardians just submitted a list of more than 500 species it wants listed, all located primarily in the Southeast.

"For so long, the West hasn't had much political power because we're not that populated," she said. "If we can get some other regions to feel the pain we've been feeling, maybe we can get support for reform."

The panelists' comments are "a snapshot of the things we're faced with," said Ben Shepperd, PBPA president. "The Permian Basin is the No. 1 producing region in North America, if not the world, and it deserves protection.

"We have no choice but to fight," he said. "These issues aren't going away."

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began in 2011, voters approved taking $2 billion from the rainy day fund for water development projects.

Part of that effort involves 16 regional planning boards, said Kathleen Jackson, a member of the Texas Water Development Board. She called it a "bottoms up" effort.

Jackson said that oil and gas is responsible for less than 1 percent of water use statewide, but the perception is that the industry uses much more.

"Oil companies participate in the regional planning process and are doing a great job recycling and reusing water and using brackish water instead of fresh water," she said.

Of the many who have a stake in Texas' water supply, "who is more talented than the oil and gas industry?" Jackson said. "No one is more involved in developing resources. And talk about brain power."

A discussion of water use should involve all factions, she said.

"People all over Texas need to be concerned about the development of water supplies, as well as conserving the water they have," Jackson said.

As Texans statewide look at estimating what water supplies are available, what will be needed in the future and the strategy to develop those future supplies, conservation of current supplies tops the list, she said.

"People expect conservation to be the top of the list of strategies. We have to use the water we have effectively. Conservation of supply is the most cost-effective water supply source," she said.

Permian Basin oil and gas wells require electricity to drill and produce, and the surge in demand from booming West Texas oil fields caught utilities by surprise, said James Meier, vice president for gas and power infrastructure for Pioneer Natural Resources.

He pointed to a 2014 Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT) study that was done to determine local demand levels for the next 10 years. It found that capacity would be restrained by 2020 because of demand primarily from the oil and gas industry.

There are projects commissioned to provide additional power, but Meier called on oil and gas companies, whether upstream, midstream or downstream, to provide data to help utilities plan for the future.

"I cannot emphasize enough there is no bad way to submit data; the only wrong way is to submit no data," he said.

He said there are two reasons companies resist providing data. One, it's a competitive industry and no one wants to tip their hand on where they're planning a new plant or drilling program.

Secondly, companies say forecasting is not their core competency and they're concerned they won't submit correct forecasts and don't want to be held liable for incorrect data. Submissions are non-binding, Meier said, and the utilities will "boil the data down to compile a real forecast. If they have nothing to go on, it's a problem."

While operators may be successful in getting roads and power to their well sites, they also need the infrastructure to move crude and natural gas to market.

Andy Deck, senior vice president, Permian Basin with EnLink Midstream, estimated the industry will require $522 billion in capital expenditures on midstream infrastructure through 2035 nationwide for adequate infrastructure. He said that includes spending on the entire infrastructure, from pipelines to processing plants to trucks.

EnLink alone has spent $6 billion in the Midland and Delaware basins since October 2014, he said.

Deck also cited the billions in mergers and acquisitions in the Midland and Delaware basins that will result in more new wells and more demand for takeaway capacity.

"We see these deals as an opportunity to grow," he said. "We're excited to be here and we feel the Permian Basin will be the center of the recovery for the U.S., and we want to be part of that," he said.

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Texas metro areas to see premium spikes, fewer providers

By David Warren
Associated Press

DALLAS — Large population hubs in Texas will see the sharp increases in health premiums under the Affordable Care Act that federal officials announced earlier this week, but the sting won't be felt as deeply in some more rural settings, an analysis for The Associated Press shows.

Meanwhile, Oklahoma is among five states that will have only one participating health insurer in 2017.

Premiums for a midlevel benchmark health plan will increase an average of 25 percent across the 39 states served by the federally run online market, which include Texas and Oklahoma, according to a report from the Department of Health and Human Services. About 1 in 5 consumers will have plans only from a single insurer to pick from, after major national carriers such as UnitedHealth Group, Humana and Aetna scaled back their roles.

A county-by-county analysis by AP and Avalere Health shows premiums in Austin, Dallas and Houston continue to rise as insurance providers pull out, leaving fewer options for those not covered under an employer's plan. It's not clear that insurers bailing out is the main reason driving double-digit increases across many parts of the country.

In Dallas County, the premium for a midlevel plan was about $300 in 2015 but rose to $369 this year and will rise to $395 next year. Seven different insurers served the county last year, but there will be just two in 2017.

Premiums for the same plan in Travis County jumped 66 percent this year and will go up an additional 15 percent for the new year. People in the Austin area who signed up for the federal exchange had nine insurance providers to choose from in 2015 but that number now will drop to three.

"With fewer health plan options and higher monthly premiums, it's likely that some individuals and families insured through the marketplace will not re-enroll in health insurance coverage next year," said Lisa Kirsch, senior policy director at the University of Texas' Dell Medical School. "It will take time to measure the full extent of change in insurance enrollment and the impact on Texans' health."

The number of Texans enrolled in the federal exchange stands at more than 1.3 million, up from about 1.2 million a year ago. Texas is the federal health care exchange's third-largest market, after Florida and California. Sign-up for the 2017 enrollment season starts Nov. 1.

Insurers say they're confronted with new customers who turned out to be sicker than expected, and not enough younger, healthier people signing up to help defray costs. Also, the federal law's internal system to help balance out gains and losses among insurers has not worked well.

Blue Cross Blue Shield has about 603,000 individual policyholders in Texas and offers coverage in every county. The company is seeking increases averaging from 57.3 percent to 59.4 percent across many of its individual market plans. But 177 counties in Texas — primarily rural ones that in many cases are served by just one provider — will see a premium drop of 16 percent.

In Oklahoma, the reduction to a single insurer — Blue Cross Blue Shield of Oklahoma — should have minimal impact, as roughly 85 percent of residents who purchase coverage on the exchange are eligible for subsidies that greatly reduce premium costs, health care advocates said Thursday.

"Certainly, the goal is to have more insurance companies participate, and the hope is, after the election, there are some tweaks that can be made to the Affordable Care Act that would help encourage more plans to participate," said David Blatt, the executive director of the nonprofit Oklahoma Policy Institute. "But again, for the 85 percent of Oklahomans (who have purchased coverage), it's not going to have much of an effect."

Search continues for fugitive in Oklahoma 'rage killings'

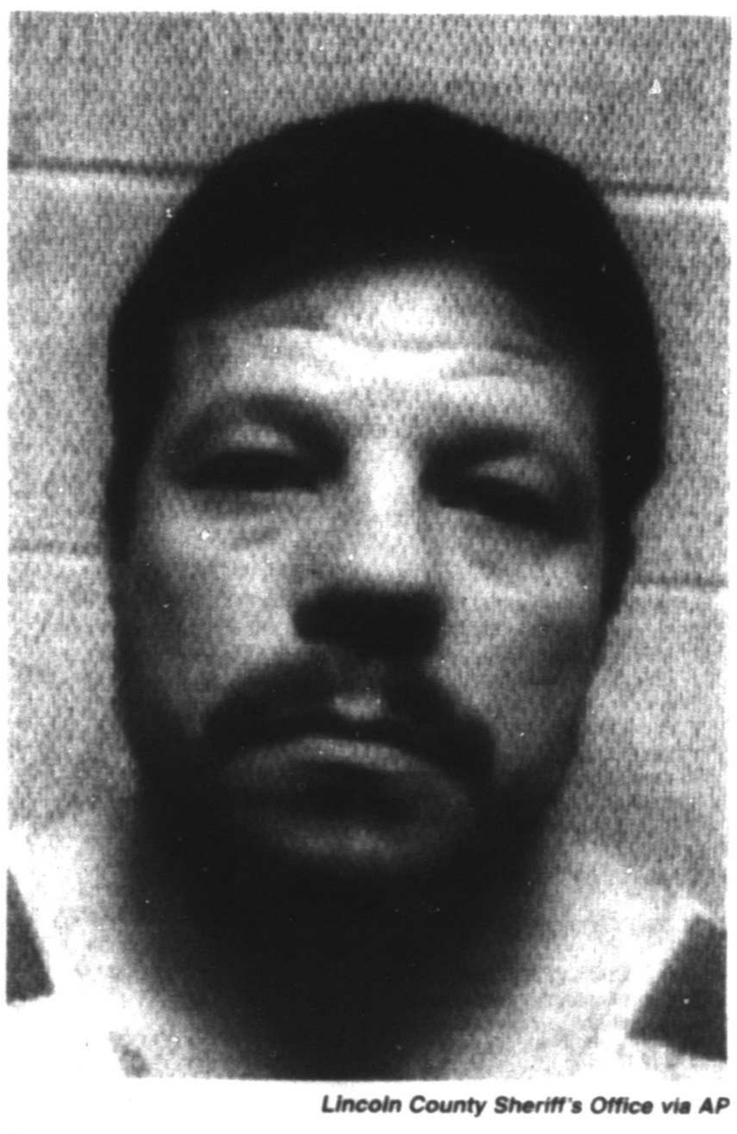
Associated Press

OKLAHOMA CITY — The search for an Oklahoma man wanted in a string of killings, shootings and carjackings is entering its fourth day, and authorities say they have no idea where he is.

Michael Dale Vance Jr. is wanted on multiple charges, including two counts of first-degree murder for the near-decapitations of two relatives in the town of Luther that Oklahoma County Sheriff John Whetsel described as "rage killings."

The 38-year-old Vance was last seen early Monday about 30 miles from the Texas border in western Oklahoma. Whetsel says Vance could be anywhere from California to Florida.

Whetsel says it's also possible that Vance has died if he hasn't received medical treatment for a gunshot wound he suffered Sunday during a shootout with police in Wellston, 35 miles northeast of Oklahoma City.



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This undated photo provided by the Lincoln County Sheriff's Office shows Michael Vance. Authorities are searching for Vance, who is suspected in a double slaying and accused of shooting and wounding multiple police officers Sunday near Oklahoma City.

Body found on fire near Beaumont, officials seek woman's ID

Associated Press

BEAUMONT — Investigators have recovered a burned body after a 911 call about a person or possibly a mannequin on fire on a Southeast Texas road.

The Jefferson County Sheriff's Office says authorities worked Thursday to try to identify the woman.

A sheriff's statement says the remains were located Wednesday night near Beaumont after a motorist called 911 to report seeing what appeared to be a mannequin or a person on fire.

Deputies arrived and extinguished the blaze. Investigators determined that a human body had been set on fire.

Authorities have classified the death as a homicide.

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2016 than they did during the mid-1980s oil bust. Over the past two years, oil companies have cut their U.S. budgets by 51 percent compared to 46 percent in the mid-1980s, according to investment bank Cowen & Co.

So far, it looks like the nation's shale plays will get an infusion of additional cash in 2017. Midland-based Diamondback Energy, one of the largest producers in the Permian Basin in West Texas, plans to boost its budget 48 percent to as much as $650 million next year. Several others, including U.S. drillers Rice Energy and RSP Permian, signaled they'll increase spending by 52 percent, to more than $5 billion combined.

Upsurge in 2017 likely

Assuming crude prices remain around $50 a barrel, the oil industry will likely spend at least 25 percent more in 2017 than it did this year across North America, bringing capital expenditures in the region to around $110 billion, according to investment bank Evercore ISI. That would be the largest increase Evercore has recorded since at least 2000.

If crude prices keep climbing, spending could increase somewhere between 30 percent and 40 percent, Evercore forecast.

"We're coming out of the biggest recession for the oil field in a generation," said James West, an analyst at Evercore ISI in New York. "North American companies are very intent on stemming production declines and returning to growth mode."

Oil companies cut their budgets by more than half this year, to $88 billion from $195 billion in 2014, Evercore estimates. A 25 percent increase would make up a lot of ground, analysts noted, but it wouldn't restore the industry to its condition at the height of the shale oil boom in 2014.

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Early voting information

Times
Today: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Saturday: 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.
Sunday: 1-6 p.m.
Oct. 31-Nov. 4: 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Locations

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

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

Number of voters

Monday: 3,946
Tuesday: 4,282
Wednesday: 3,883
Thursday: 3,628
Mail: 1,240
Total: 16,979

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ID required Texas Voters

- A voter most present one of the following forms of photo ID when voting in person
- Texas driver's license issued from the Texas Department of Public Safety
- Texas Election Identification Certificate issued by DPS
- Texas personal identification card issued by DPS
- Texas license to carry a handgun issues by DPS
- U.S. military identification card containing the person's photograph
- U.S. citizenship certificate containing the person's photograph
- U.S. passport.

If one does not possess and cannot reasonably obtain one of these IDs, he or she can fill out a declaration at the polls explaining why and bring one of the following supporting documents.

- Valid voter registration certificate
- Certified birth certificate (must by an original)
- Copy of or original current utility bill
- Copy of or original bank statement
- Copy of or original government check
- Copy of or original paycheck
- Copy of or original government document with the person's name and an address (original required if it contains a photograph)

Things to do

- Pretend and Play for ages 3-6, 10 a.m., Midland County Public Library Centennial branch, 2503 W. Loop 250 N. Every other Friday. co.midland.tx.us/lib.
- Evening Storytime at the Library, 4:30 p.m., Midland County Public Library Centennial branch, 2503 W. Loop 250 N. co.midland.tx.us/lib.
- Bingo Nights, 7 p.m., 501 Veterans Airpark Lane. 432-682-5511
- Hold 'em poker tournaments, 7 p.m., The Detour.
- Tim Kaiser, 7 p.m., Kamiposi, 510 S. Big Spring St. $5. All ages.
- Brandon Rhyder, Mark McKinney, Larry Joe Taylor, 8 p.m., Rolling 7's Ranch Event Center, 11312 W County Road 122, Odessa.
- Callahan Divide, 9 p.m., Beer Garden, 7112 West Highway 80.
- DJ Wildman, 9 p.m., The Loft on 7th, 1401 E. Seventh St. Odessa.
- "High School Musical" by MISD Theatre, Lee High School auditorium. $12-$8.
- "Junie B. Jones the Musical," at Permian Playhouse, 310 W. 42nd St. Odessa. $10. permianplayhouse.com
- "Southern Hospitality" at Midland Community Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave. mctmidland.org.

Source: city of Midland

Halloween events today

- The city's Parks & Recreation Division is seeking businesses, churches and organizations to take part in the fourth annual Halloweenfest. The event is 6-8 p.m. at Martin Luther King Jr. Community Center, 2300 Butternut Lane.
- Participants will set up a table and hand out candy and provide a children's game or activity.
- Other family activities at the event will include face painting, movies, jumpers, music and costume Zumba.

At least 1,000 kids are expected to attend.

- Camp Fire West Texas is hosting a free fall festival for 6:30-8 p.m. at St. Mark's United Methodist Church, 1701 N. Main St.

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Pick 3 night: 4-9-3
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All or Nothing day: 2-4-5-6-7-8-9-12-13-16-18-23
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All or Nothing night: 2-6-9-10-12-13-14-17-18-20-21-22

Conaway: Republicans have to stop going 'whole hog'

■ US representative gives impromptu talk about keeping the GOP together

By Trevor Hawes
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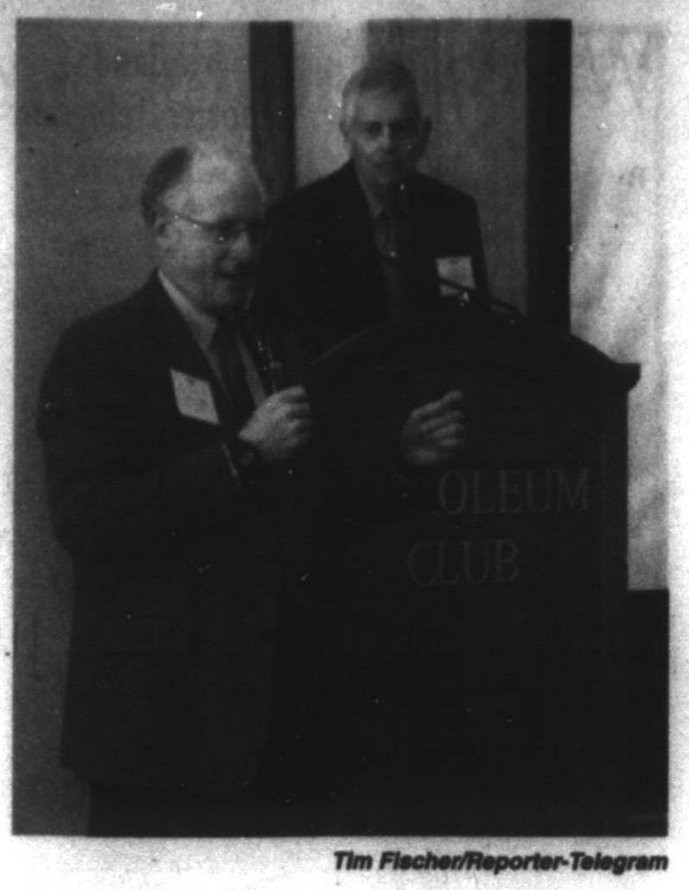
U.S. Rep. Mike Conaway gave his impromptu insights during the legislative panel at the Permian Basin Petroleum Association's annual meeting Thursday when asked about how to prevent the Texas Republican party from breaking up amid tense times as Republican presidential nominee Donald Trump has proven to be an iconoclast to traditional conservative ideals.

"We spend a lot of time whipping each other up over tactics," he said. "Think about that. We all want to reduce taxes, we all want efficient government, we all want to lower spending — all of those goals and (strategies) we want to get to. We fight about the tactics."

Conaway said Republicans on a national level don't take the wins that it can, bank them and move on.

"We've got to have whole hog or nothing," he said, adding that Democrats don't do this. The representative from Midland used passage of the Affordable Care Act as an example. Democrats previously were against passage of a bill without a public option for health care but were satisfied with "Obamacare." Democrats passed the Affordable Care Act without a single Republican vote and didn't get a public option, "but look at what we're talking about today: Obamacare is so bad that there are those talking about a public option."

"The Democrats beat the dog out of us on that, got literally what they wanted, but now they've advanced their broader mission of getting to a public one-payer system with health care farther than they ever have before," Conaway said. "Republicans don't do that. We've got to have it all, or we toss in the towel or go down in flames because we can't attract enough votes."



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U.S. Rep. Mike Conaway addresses the PBPA meeting Thursday during a quick Q&A at the annual meeting.

Texans for Hillary chair: 'I am convinced this is our time'

By Stewart Doreen
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Presidential elections in Texas since 1996

1996: Bob Dole 48.76 percent, Bill Clinton 43.83
2000: George W. Bush 59.3 percent, Al Gore 37.98
2004: George W. Bush 61.09 percent, John Kerry 38.22
2008: John McCain 55.43 percent, Barack Obama 43.68
2012: Mitt Romney 57.17 percent, Barack Obama 41.01
Average (1996-2012): Republican 56.35 percent, Democrat 41.01

Former four-term Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro came to Midland Thursday to tell Democrats and the people of the Permian Basin that Donald Trump doesn't represent Texas values and the polls show Hillary Clinton can win Texas.

Mauro, the chairman of Texans for Hillary campaign, expects the former secretary of state to become the 45th president of the United States, saying the polls show too great of a spread and only complacency, not Republican Donald Trump, is the Democratic Party's biggest foe at this point.

However, on the same day, a University of Texas/Texas Tribune poll showed Trump leading Clinton by 3 points (within the margin of error).

Mauro said an opportunity is staring Texas Democrats in the face — for the first time in 40 years, a Democratic candidate for president can carry Texas.

Does he believe the November election will mean Texas has turned Democratic Party "blue?" He wasn't going there, as he said he would treat a first victory of a Democrat statewide since 1994 as an outlier.

Still, he delivered a passionate argument for his candidate, directing his argument toward undecideds and Democrats.

He told those sitting on the fence with less than two weeks before the Nov. 8 Election Day that the facts and information provided by real journalists (not "blogs") point to Clinton being the ideal candidate. He said to check out why 41 newspapers in the state of Texas — including those which traditionally back conservatives — endorsed Clinton, while only one is backing Trump. (Editor's note: The Reporter-Telegram does not endorse candidates running for election).

He also said the fact-checkers are showing Clinton to be more straightforward with voters.

"We need Texans to get a hold on reality. Look at the polls, read the facts put out not by Democrats but by the Republican newspapers that normally endorse Republican candidates for president. See what they say and then make you decision," Mauro said.

For Texans whose blood is Democrat blue, Mauro said this election provides a cure — or at least temporary relief — from "Texas Democrat Syndrome." He said Texas Democrats need to get more confident because this isn't just any presidential election.

The secretary of state's website shows that Republican presidential candidates have a 15-point advantage (56.35 to 41.01) over Democrats going back to 1996.

"I am convinced this is our time," Mauro said. "I'm not convinced we will be a blue state when this all over, but I am convinced Donald Trump does not represent Texas values and that we can win this election."

He expects Trump to win white males in Texas, but that Democrats should carry Hispanics, African-Americans, Asians, millennials and women.

"I don't think there are enough white guys that he can win," Mauro said. "It is a numbers game, pure numbers, and they say we can win this election."

RealClearPolitics.com shows Trump with a 4.7 percent lead using three polls going back to Oct. 10-12. The most recent UT/Tribune poll is not factored in the RCP average.

Mauro sounded off on Trump for his comments on the election being "rigged." He also said should Clinton win, "elections have consequences" and Republicans leaders should be prepared to carry through a Clinton agenda like Democrats rallied behind the Bush tax cuts of 2001 (Republicans did have control of the House and Senate that year).

UT/TT Poll: In Texas, Trump holding 3-point lead over Clinton

By Ross Ramsey
Texas Tribune

Republican presidential candidate Donald Trump held a three-percentage-point lead over Democrat Hillary Clinton on the eve of early voting in Texas, according to the latest University of Texas/Texas Tribune Poll.

Trump and his running mate, Mike Pence, had the support of 45 percent of likely Texas voters, compared with 42 percent for Clinton and Tim Kaine; 7 percent for Libertarian Gary Johnson and William Weld; and 2 percent for the Green Party's Jill Stein and Ajamu Baraka. The remaining 5 percent said they would vote for someone else for president and vice president.

"This is the trend that we've been seeing in polling for the last two weeks," said Jim Henson, co-director of the UT/TT Poll and head of the Texas Politics Project at the University of Texas at Austin.

In spite of the closeness of the race and the margin of error, the number of polls showing similar distance between the candidates, with Trump in front, "is probably a telling us where this race really stands," Henson said. Close, with a Trump lead, in other words.

The survey was in the field from Oct. 14 to Oct. 23; early voting in Texas began Oct. 24.

Trump was ahead with men, 46 percent to 39 percent, while the two candidates each had 45 percent of women's support. While 93 percent of Democrats support Clinton, 83 percent of Republicans and 46 percent of independents support Trump. Only 19 percent of independents said they support Clinton. And there is a big divide on racial and ethnic lines: Trump led Clinton 57 percent to 28 percent among white voters, but Clinton led 95 percent to 4 percent among black voters and 56 percent to 33 percent among Hispanic voters.

Trump's voters are split when asked for the reason behind their vote: While 47 percent said they want Trump to be president, 53 percent said their position would better be explained as not wanting Clinton to become president.

Clinton's voters were more positive about their own choice, with 66 percent saying they want her to be president. Still, 34 percent of those voting for Clinton said they were with her because they don't want Trump to be elected.

"The lack of enthusiasm amongst Republicans is remarkable," said Joshua Blank, who supervised the poll. He said the Democrats are voting in favor of their candidate while more Republicans are voting against their opponent than are voting for Trump.

Asked to select from a list of issues most important to their presidential vote, 35 percent of Trump's voters chose "nominating justices to the U.S. Supreme Court," followed by immigration (17 percent) and the economy (14 percent).

"This actually underlines something that is really good for congressional candidates who are really trying to navigate how to manage the unpleasantness for them at the top of the ticket," Henson said. They can talk about the nation's highest court instead of their party's nominee.

Clinton's voters listed the economy first (19 percent), followed by Supreme Court nominations (18 percent) and health care (11 percent).

Two other issues — terrorism and national security — combined for the top items on 22 percent of Trump supporters' lists and 13 percent on Clinton supporters' lists.

Those who said they plan to vote for Johnson or Stein were asked who would be their second choice. Among Johnson voters, 34 percent named Trump, 29 percent named Clinton and 37 percent said they would not vote in the presidential election if they didn't vote for Johnson. Among Stein voters, the split was 36 percent for Trump, 35 percent for Clinton and 29 percent for no second choice.

Asked what kind of president the top two candidates would make, Republicans and Democrats split as you might expect. Among Republicans, 23 percent said Trump would be great, 35 percent said he would be good and 20 percent said he would be an average president. Among those same voters, 86 percent said Clinton would be a terrible president.

Among Democratic voters, the numbers flipped, with 39 percent saying Clinton would be a great president, 38 percent saying she would be good and 17 percent saying she would be average. Those voters dumped on Trump: 86 percent said he would be terrible.

Independent voters in Texas are more like the Republicans than the Democrats. They are strongly anti-Clinton, with 73 percent saying she would be a terrible president; only 33 percent of independents said the same of the Republican nominee. Eight percent of independents think Trump would be great, 24 percent good and 22 percent average.

Asked about the temperament of the candidates, voters split on party lines. But not evenly. While 78 percent of Trump's voters said he has the temperament to be president, 10 percent said he doesn't and 12 percent said they don't know. Among the Clinton voters, 95 percent said she has the temperament to be president and 3 percent said she doesn't.

Trump's supporters were slightly more likely to think their candidate is honest and trustworthy: 75 percent said he is, 12 percent said he is not and 13 percent were undecided. Among Clinton's voters, 67 percent said she is honest and trustworthy, 18 said she is not and 15 percent were undecided.

The University of Texas/Texas Tribune internet survey of 1,200 registered voters was conducted from Oct. 14 to Oct. 23 and has an overall margin of error of +/- 2.83 percentage points. Among likely voters — those who said either that they are certain to vote or that they have voted in "every" recent election — the margin of error is +/- 3.16 percentage points (n=959). Numbers in charts might not add up to 100 percent because of rounding.

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Texas officials refute 'vote-flipping' after Trump tweet

By Paul J. Weber
Associated Press

AUSTIN — In his latest attempt to cast doubt on the election process, GOP presidential candidate Donald Trump raised suspicions Thursday about the voting machines in reliably Republican Texas despite producing no evidence of an actual problem.

"A lot of call-ins about vote flipping at the voting booths in Texas. People are not happy. BIG lines. What is going on?" Trump said in a message to his followers on Twitter.

An email sent to his campaign to determine where the candidate got his information was not immediately returned.

Texas Secretary of State Carlos Cascos, a Republican, said on Facebook that there was no evidence of vote-flipping, a term generally used to describe a correctable technical glitch on older electronic voting machines. Cascos' spokeswoman said he was responding to speculation circulating on social media.

"Our office has received reports concerning rumors that some voting machines may be changing candidate selections when voters cast straight party ballots," Cascos said in his statement, which was posted a day before Trump sent his Twitter message. "We are actively monitoring the situation, and have yet to receive any verified reports of machines changing votes."

Cascos' spokeswoman added that the reports the office has received have not come from voters who personally experienced a problem. Local election officials have said the machines are not malfunctioning and some voters may be inadvertently making errors.

"The machines work exactly as intended. There was no vote-flipping," said Shannon Lackey, the elections administrator of Randall County, in the Texas Panhandle.

Vote-flipping generally describes a circumstance in which a voter claims an electronic voting machine — usually of the touch-screen variety — changed the selection from one candidate to another. Election officials say those claims usually are traced to user error.

When they do occur, it is typically during a process called straight-ticket voting that is used to select all candidates from one party. Voters might press the button next to a candidate a second time to affirm their choice, but instead wind up de-selecting the candidate.

If voters notice a wrong selection, they can correct it before submitting their ballot.

In Georgia, a voter this week reported trying to cast an early ballot for Clinton but said Trump's name kept showing up instead. A spokesman for Secretary of State Brian Kemp said it appeared the county improperly tested the machine but said its office was confident machines were not flipping votes.

Trump has claimed over the final weeks of the presidential campaign that the election is rigged against him and suggested the possibility of widespread voter fraud. The billionaire has provided no evidence supporting those claims.

In the meantime, voting rights groups in Texas said there is actual evidence of misinformation at some polling places over a newly weakened voter ID law.

Voters who do not have one of seven previously required forms of photo ID can cast a ballot this year by signing an affidavit, but some polling locations put up outdated signs listing the old rules.

A hotline set up by voting rights watchdogs has received about 300 calls since early voting started in Texas on Monday, said Zenen Jaimes Perez, a spokesman for the Texas Civil Rights Project. He said some callers said they were mistakenly turned away because they didn't have a photo ID.

Wisconsin student accused of assaulting 4 more women

By Todd Richmond
Associated Press

MADISON, Wis. — A University of Wisconsin-Madison student already accused of sexually assaulting a woman in his apartment this month was charged Thursday with sexually assaulting four other women since early 2015.

Alec Cook, 20, of Edina, Minnesota, now faces seven counts of second-degree sexual assault, three counts of third-degree sexual assault, two counts of strangulation, two counts of false imprisonment and one count of fourth-degree sexual assault.

The complaint prosecutors filed Thursday accuses Cook of assaults dating back to March 2015. Prosecutors said one of the women was assaulted multiple times during a ballroom dancing class she was attending with Cook this past spring. The other alleged victims were a woman Cook met at a party at his apartment in March 2015; a woman he met in a human sexuality class in February; and a woman he met during a psychology class experiment in August.

Cook was charged last week with sexually assaulting a woman in his apartment the night of Oct. 12 after inviting her over after studying together.

Media reports of those charges have driven dozens of women to report to police their encounters with Cook. Officers searching Cook's apartment found a black book listing women he'd met and documenting his "sexual desires" and statements of "kill," authorities said.

Dane County Circuit Court Commissioner Brian Asmus set Cook's bail at $200,000 cash during a brief hearing Thursday. Cook made no statement at the hearing.

His attorneys, Jessa Nicholson and Chris Van Wagner, told reporters after the proceeding that they believe the ballroom assaults never happened, noting the complaint didn't cite any witnesses. The rest of the encounters, they said, were consensual. Van Wagner showed reporters a page from Cook's book with the word "Killed?" written at the top and said it's unclear what it means.

He said Cook has been vilified on social media but the prosecution's case is "just dust." Women are coming forward because they've seen social media postings about Cook and have become frightened, he said.

"He's been painted as the face of evil," Van Wagner said. "That's wrong."

According to the complaint, the accuser from the Oct. 12 incident says she went his apartment after studying with him at a campus library. She said he assaulted her for 2 1/2 hours, maintaining what she described as a "death grip" on her arm or body.

Cook told police the woman never told him to stop, the complaint said.

Another woman came forward two days after charges were filed in that case. She said she met Cook at a party in March 2015. Two weeks later she visited his apartment, where he began kissing her forcefully, then sexually assaulted her.

The same day that Cook was charged with the Oct. 12 assault, two other women reported being assaulted by him.

One woman told police she was in a ballroom dance class with Cook during the spring 2016 semester. She accused him of repeatedly touching her breasts and buttocks while they were dancing despite her telling him to stop. The touching occurred 15 to 20 times over the semester, she said.

The class instructor told investigators she got an email from the woman saying she was uncomfortable with how Cook was touching her. The instructor responded by speaking to the class about appropriate contact during dances. She said no other students complained about Cook.

Another woman told police that she met Cook during a human sexuality class and began dating him in January, the complaint said. She said he assaulted her at his apartment in February. She told police at one point she told Cook "OK, let's just have sex" but she believes she said that to make herself feel as if the assault was consensual, the complaint said.

Another woman told police on Monday that she met Cook during an psychology class experiment. They had consensual sex at his apartment in August, the woman said, during which he tried to choke her. After taking a break to smoke marijuana, Cook tried to have sex with her again, this time slapping her and leaving bruises.

John Hart/Wisconsin State Journal via AP

Suspended University of Wisconsin-Madison student Alec Cook, center, appears Thursday in Dane County Circuit Court in Madison, Wis., after being charged with multiple counts of sexual assault stemming from the reported assaults of several women between March 2015 and October 2016.

US charges 61 defendants in call center scam based in India

By Eric Tucker
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — It can be a frightening call to get — and it's a familiar one for many thousands of Americans.

Callers posing as tax and immigration agents are threatening arrest, deportation or other punishment unless money is sent to help clear up what they say is a deportation warrant or to cover supposedly unpaid income taxes.

The government says it's a scam that's tricked at least 15,000 people into shelling out more than $300 million.

In a first-of-its kind nationwide takedown, the Justice Department announced charges Thursday against 61 defendants in the United States and abroad in connection with call center operations based in India. As agents fanned out across

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OPINION

Is Obama preparing a parting shot at Israel?

■ Clinton needs to step in and tell the president not to support a new Security Council resolution officially recognizing a Palestinian state

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Washington Post Writers Group

Last week, the U.N.'s premier cultural agency, UNESCO, approved a resolution viciously condemning Israel (referred to as "the Occupying Power") for various alleged trespasses and violations of the Temple Mount in Jerusalem. Except that the resolution never uses that term for Judaism's holiest shrine. It refers to and treats it as an exclusively Muslim site, a deliberate attempt to eradicate its connection — let alone its centrality — to the Jewish people and Jewish history.

This Orwellian absurdity is an insult not just to Judaism but to Christianity. It makes a mockery of the Gospels, which chronicle the story of a Galilean Jew whose life and ministry unfolded throughout the Holy Land, most especially in Jerusalem and the Temple. If this is nothing but a Muslim site, what happens to the very foundation of Christianity, which occurred 600 years before Islam even came into being?

This UNESCO resolution is merely the surreal extreme of the worldwide campaign to delegitimize Israel. It features the BDS movement (Boycott, Divestment and Sanctions), now growing on Western university campuses and some mainline Protestant churches. And it extends even into some precincts of the Democratic Party.

Bernie Sanders tried to introduce into the Democratic Party platform a plank more unfavorable to Israel. He failed, but when a couple of Clinton campaign consultants questioned (in emails revealed by WikiLeaks) why she should be mentioning Israel in her speeches, campaign manager Robby Mook concurred, "We shouldn't have Israel at public events. Especially dem activists." For whom the very mention of Israel is toxic.

And what to make of the White House's correction to a press release about last month's funeral of Shimon Peres? The original release identified the location as "Mount Herzl, Jerusalem, Israel." The correction crossed out the country identifier — "Israel."

Well, where else is Jerusalem? Sri Lanka? Moreover, Mount Herzl isn't even in disputed East Jerusalem. It's in West Jerusalem, within the boundaries of pre-1967 Israel. If that's not Israel, what is?

But such cowardly gestures are mere pinpricks compared to the damage Israel faces in the final days of the Obama presidency. As John Hannah of the Foundation for Defense of Democracies recently wrote (in Foreign Policy), there have been indications for months that President Obama might go to the U.N. and unveil his own final status parameters of a two-state solution. These would then be enshrined in a new Security Council resolution that could officially recognize a Palestinian state on the territory Israel came into possession of during the 1967 Six-Day War.

There is a reason such a move has been resisted by eight previous U.S. administrations: It overthrows the central premise of Middle East peacemaking — land for peace. Under which the Palestinians get their state *after* negotiations in which the parties agree on recognized boundaries, exchange mutual recognition and declare a permanent end to the conflict.

Land for peace would be replaced by land for nothing. Endorsing in advance a Palestinian state and what would essentially be a full Israeli withdrawal removes the Palestinian incentive to negotiate and strips Israel of territorial bargaining chips of the kind it used, for example, to achieve peace with Egypt.

The result would be not just perpetual war but incalculable damage to Israel. Consider but one example: the Jewish Quarter of Jerusalem, destroyed and ethnically cleansed of Jews by its Arab conquerors in the war of 1948-1949. It was rebuilt by Israel after 1967. It would now be open to the absurd judicial charge that the Jewish state's possession of the Jewish Quarter constitutes a criminal occupation of *another country*.

Israel would be hauled endlessly into courts (both national and international) to face sanctions, boycotts (now under color of law) and arrest of its leaders. All this for violating a U.N. mandate to which no Israeli government, left or right, could possibly accede.

Before the election, Obama dare not attempt this final legacy item, to go along with the Iran deal and the Castro conciliation, for fear of damaging Hillary Clinton. His last opportunity comes after Election Day. The one person who might deter him, points out Hannah, is Clinton herself, by committing Obama to do nothing before he leaves office that would tie her hands should she become president.

Clinton's supporters who care about Israel and about peace need to urge her to do that now. It will soon be too late. Soon, Obama will be free to deliver a devastating parting shot to Israel and to the prime minister he detests.

OUR VIEW

Basin PBS has 'Indie Lens' series worth seeing; COM athletes stand out

Laurels

■ **For Basin PBS**. We want to thank Basin PBS for their invitation to its screening of the new Indie Lens Pop-Up film, "Best of Enemies." The film looks at the coverage of the 1968 debate between Gore Vidal and William F. Buckley. The preview offered was fascinating, and we hope all Midlanders view the documentary, which is set to air at 9 p.m. Thursday on Basin PBS. The documentary can also be found on the Basin PBS website.

The event this week also included a discussion about how did television/media change the way we talk about politics. We would like to thank the chairmen of the Midland County Republican and Democratic parties — James Beauchamp and David Rosen, respectively — for their participation. The Reporter-Telegram and Odessa American were also involved in the discussion.

Basin PBS will have more events during its "Indie Lens Pop-Up season." If you have the opportunity, take part in an event; it is a great way for Midlanders to get together and talk about current issues. A quality, civil discussion is a great thing to be a part of.

■ **For students in government.** The Midland College Students in Government held a forum last week, which showed the lengths students are willing to work to get people involved. We congratulate them on their forum and their drive earlier in the month to get other students registered to vote.

■ **For more aquatics commitments.** Two City of Midland (COM) Aquatics stars — diver Charlye Campbell and swimmer Kile Carriger — announced they will continue their careers beyond high school and elite national programs. Campbell, from Lee High School, will add to the legacy of Midland divers at the Division I level as she will dive at Texas A&M. Carriger, a Midland High swimmer, picked Florida State. Both are bronze medal winners at the UIL state meet.

■ **For a good MISD candidate forum turnout.** We congratulate the League of Women Voters and Negro Business and Professional Women for their forum before a crowded Carrasco Room at Midland College. We called for a large audience, and that is what we got as Midlanders prepared to head to the polls to decide what type of change they want in their school board.

■ **For a cool Halloween carnival.** Kudos to the Midland Fire Department for putting on a street festival/carnival Saturday that brought out hundreds of people to central Midland. A nice chunk of Texas Avenue was closed off for games, candy give-aways and other activities for people to enjoy. It was well-done.

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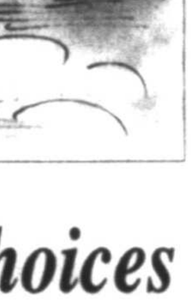
'Never, Never' means no good choices

■ If you're Latino and were offended by a certain candidate, make sure you vote



RUBEN NAVARRETTE
Washington Post Writers Group

Latinos have such contempt for Donald Trump that every little thing sets them off. A recent NBC News/Wall Street Journal/Telemundo poll found the Republican nominee trailing Hillary Clinton by more than 50 points among Latinos. Eighty percent expressed a negative view of Trump, while only 13 percent said they view him positively.

The latest little thing to rile up Latinos was a casual phrase that Trump used in the last debate in talking about deportations.

"We have some bad hombres here, and we're going to get them out," Trump said.

Bad hombres. Those two words were all it took to get Latinos fired up on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram. I don't see why. If I were to make a list of every insult that Trump has leveled at Latinos over the last 16 months, the innocuous phrase "bad hombres" wouldn't even make the top 10.

Besides, Latinos are mistreated every day in America by both political parties. And yet what gets us up in arms? The zinger "bad hombres." That's silly.

Some Latinos are wearing the label as a badge of honor. Others are blowing the whole thing out of proportion.

Carolina Moreno, an editor at "Latino Voices" — the Huffington Post's journalistic barrio for Latino writers and topics that are considered not interesting or valuable enough by a mostly white editing staff to be put on the main site — took it further. What galled her about the "hombres" crack was that Trump "dared to use my native language and the language of Latinos' ancestors to demean undocumented immigrants." According to Moreno, Trump was trying to "use our own language against us" in a way that amounted to "a corruption of something I felt to be mine — my mother tongue."

That's a bit overdone. I take it Moreno wasn't overwrought with cultural angst a few years ago when President Obama mistakenly welcomed a group of Latinos to the White House to celebrate "Cinco de Cuatro."

My rundown of Trump's worst affronts would include calling Mexican immigrants "criminals" and "rapists," maintaining that U.S. District Court Judge Gonzalo Curiel couldn't be fair because "he's a Mexican," and labeling former Miss Universe Alicia Machado of Venezuela "Miss Housekeeping." The fact that Trump used the word "hombres" to describe illegal immigrants with criminal records isn't in the same league.

Latinos might be taken more seriously if we were less selective in our outrage, and if we weren't so quick to cut Democrats so much slack.

In trying to justify mass deportations, Obama has insisted that his priority is to remove "gang-bangers or criminals." While stumping for an anti-crime bill in the 1990s, Hillary Clinton — in an apparent reference to African-American teenagers — referred to them as "the kinds of kids who are called 'super predators'" and said "we have to bring them to heel."

Clearly, Democrats can be as offensive and tone-deaf as the next guy — especially when it comes to race. And we need to call them on it.

But being offended is easy. Let's just hope everyone who got their feelings hurt by something that Trump said or did during this campaign shows up at the polls and votes.

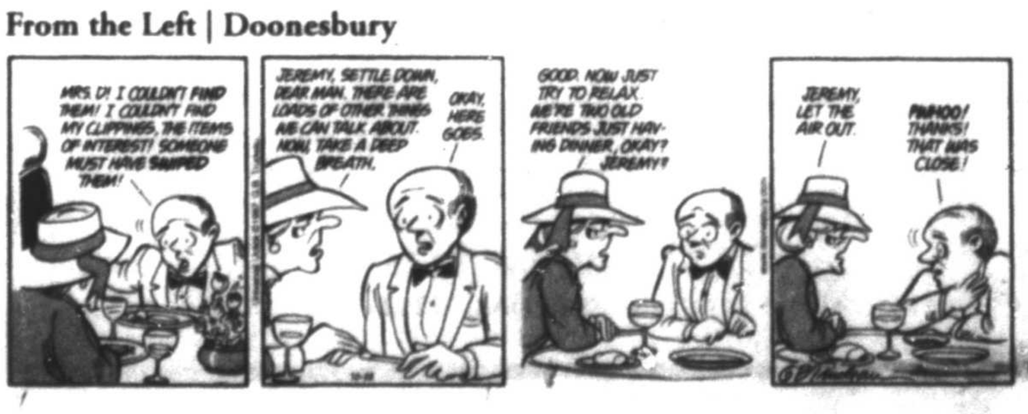
Jan Brewer doesn't think that will happen. The intensely unlikable former Arizona governor — who signed into law an immigration measure that required local and state law enforcement officers to ethnically profile Latinos — claimed last week that Clinton would have a tough time winning Arizona on the support of Latino Democrats because, as Brewer told The Boston Globe, "they don't get out and vote."

I hope Latinos prove her wrong. This election is too important. How you vote is your business. Write in someone, or vote for a third party. But vote.

The best reason to vote for Clinton is not because you believe that she cares about you or will keep her promises; it's to stop Trump. And the best reason to vote for Trump is not because you believe that he'll change a system that made him rich and famous or will keep his promises; it's to defeat Clinton.

As for me, I remain "Never, Never." I've chosen this path because I see the truth in the meme I read recently that described Trump as representing "everything that is wrong with our culture" and Clinton as embodying "everything that is wrong with our government." That about covers it.

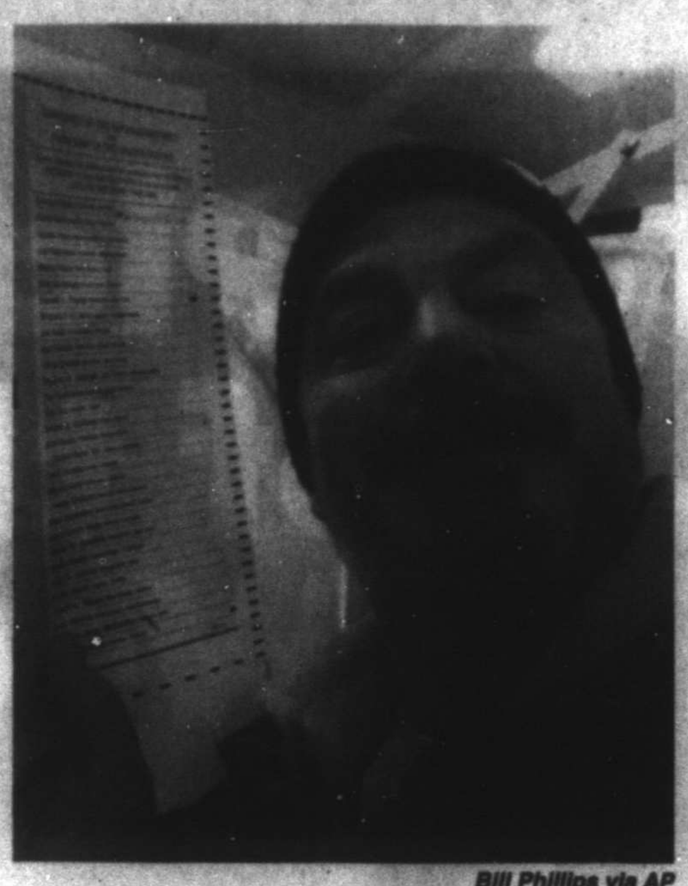
From the Left | Doonesbury



From the Right | Mallard Fillmore

Lawsuit seeks to block New York ban on 'ballot selfies'

By Larry Neumeister
Associated Press



Bill Phillips via AP

In this photo provided by Bill Phillips, of Nashua, N.H., Phillips takes a selfie with his marked election ballot Feb. 9. The secrecy of the voting booth may soon be a thing of the past. Ballot selfies, where people use smartphones to photograph and share their marked ballots online, are becoming more common, as voters young and old look to share their views with family, friends and the world. But what they don't realize is they may be breaking the law, depending on where they live.

NEW YORK — A New York state law that makes it a misdemeanor to show a marked election ballot to others is unconstitutional and a violation of the First Amendment, according to a lawsuit brought as people increasingly look for ways to express their political opinions over the internet.

The lawsuit carrying the names of three New York voters was filed Wednesday in Manhattan federal court. It seeks to have the law banning so-called "ballot selfies" thrown out.

The lawsuit said publishing a marked ballot on social media can be a powerful form of political expression and a way of adding credibility to claims of political support for various candidates and ballot issues.

Attorney Leo Glickman said the lawsuit is consistent with claims made in Michigan, Indiana and New Hampshire, where similar laws have been struck down.

Glickman, a Brooklyn-based civil rights lawyer, said the plaintiffs are political activists.

"It shouldn't be against the law," he said. "Social media is what brought these plaintiffs together with me. We have mutual friends who have been deterred from doing what they would like to do and how they would like to express their opinion."

The New York attorney general's office declined comment.

U.S. District Judge Kevin Castel has set a hearing for Tuesday, though he questioned Wednesday why the lawsuit wasn't brought sooner so there would be more time to explore legal issues before the Nov. 8 election.

"I don't blame him," Glickman said. "We are asking a lot of the courts to do something in a short period of time."

The lawyer said he understands voters might not want everyone walking around taking pictures and holding up lines to vote.

But he added that inside a voting booth, "It does seem to me pretty easy to take a very discreet photograph."

In New York state, it is a misdemeanor punishable by fines up to $1,000 and one year imprisonment for showing anyone a filled-out ballot, the lawsuit noted.

A story by The Associated Press on Wednesday showed that ballot selfies are legal in 20 states and the District of Columbia, illegal in 17 states and the legal status is mixed or unclear in the rest.

SCAM

From 5A

the country to make arrests, officials in Washington advised the public that the callers on the other end of the line are fraudsters and not representatives of the U.S. government.

"The U.S. government does not operate in this manner," said Assistant Attorney General Leslie Caldwell, head of the Justice Department's criminal division. "We never call to demand that money be loaded immediately onto prepaid cards. U.S. government agencies do not call to demand immediate payments to avoid deportation or to avoid arrest."

The indictment, which was issued by a federal grand jury last week in Houston, charges the defendants — which include five call centers in India — with crimes including wire fraud, money laundering and false impersonation of an officer of the United States. Authorities served warrants in cities around the U.S. on Thursday and were seeking the extradition of defendants in India, Caldwell said.

The indictment outlines a complex web of criminal actors, each with a different role in the conspiracy.

Callers working off of scripts and posing as officials with the Internal Revenue Service and U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement would tell unsuspecting victims on the other end of the line that they had failed to pay taxes they owed or were at risk of deportation, and that a fast payment was needed to get them out of trouble.

Data brokers arranged the purchase of names and personal information of potential targets. "Runners" in the U.S. were responsible for getting scammed funds into bank accounts, a laundering process aided through wire transfers and prepaid debit cards. And payment processors based in India helped facilitate overseas payments.

Though the calls would appear to be obviously bogus, officials say savvy and successful individuals have nonetheless been duped.

The callers would use information about their victims they learned through the Internet to present a facade of authenticity, and the numbers that appeared on a caller ID often seemed to come from a legitimate U.S. government call center.

Among the victims: an elderly San Diego woman who forked over $12,300 after she was threatened with arrest if she didn't pay a penalty for fictitious tax violations, and a California man who paid $136,000 to resolve alleged tax violations after being called repeatedly over 20 days.

When a Colorado man did not respond to repeated demands that he withdraw funds to pay supposed back taxes, scammers posing as him called 911 and said he was armed and eager to kill police officers, prompting law enforcement officers to surround his home.

"The scammers in this case and so many like this are convincing. They are menacing and they are ruthless in their pursuit of their victims," said Bruce Foucart of ICE's Homeland Security Investigations. "They convey authority and a sense of urgency that leaves their victims terrified."

In a separate but similar call center scam, authorities in India said earlier this month that they'd arrested 70 people and were questioning hundreds more.

The Justice Department said it's not clear that the victims will get any of their money back, or that the defendants arrested cannot be easily replaced.

But, said Caldwell, "We are watching and we're paying attention to this, and we're taking appropriate action."

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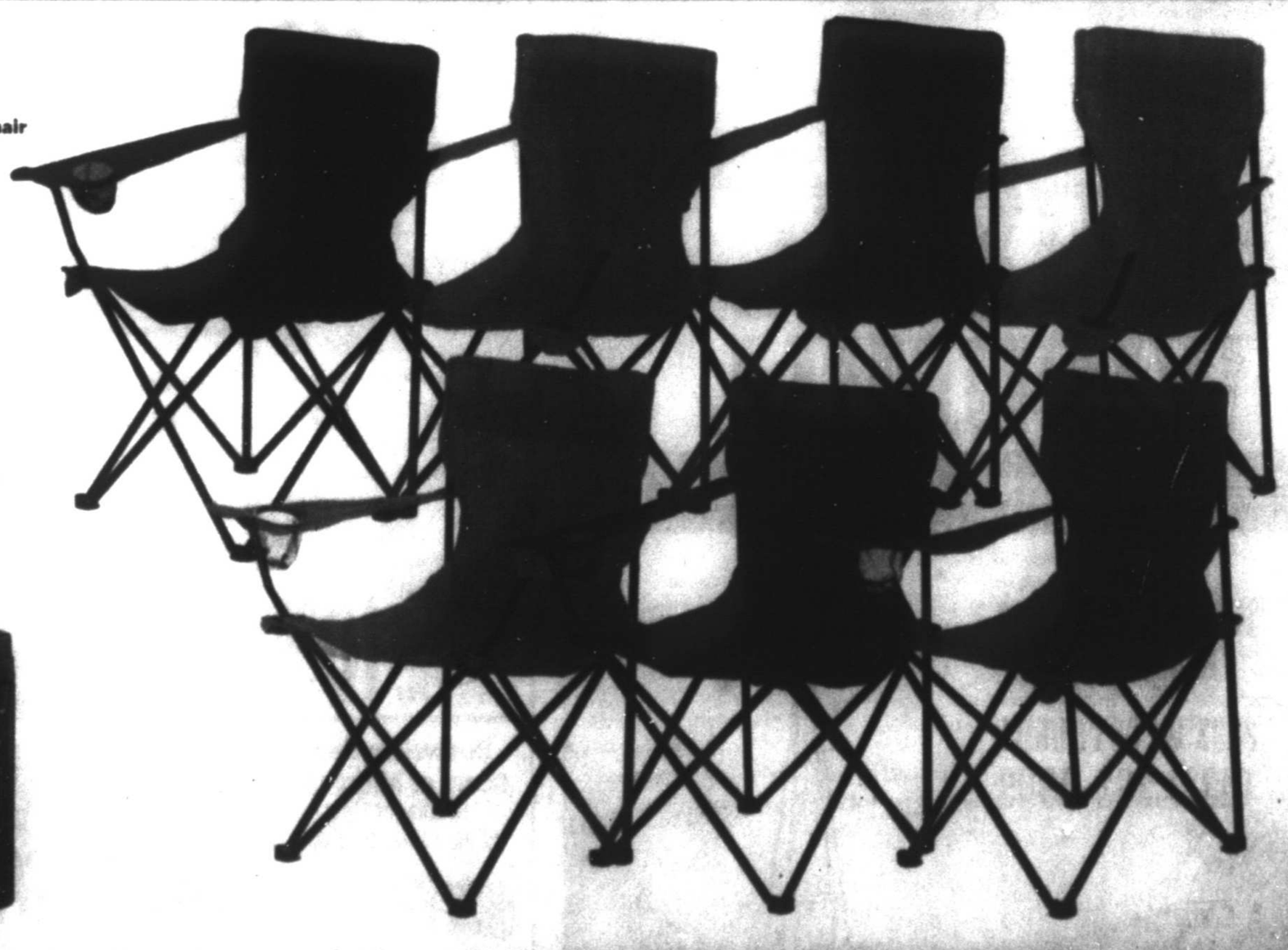

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THIS WEEK

FALL FESTIVITIES

Today

Annual Halloween Swim Bash with carnival games, bounce houses, food, costume contest and swimming for all ages. at COM Aquatics. Canned food donations benefit Midland Soup Kitchen. 5:30 p.m.

Midland Y Halloween Carnival is open to the public and will feature an obstacle course, live music by Jesse Jennings and guest appearances by superheroes and princesses. Canned good donations accepted. 6 p.m.

Saturday

Midland County Public Library Fall Festival will feature Harry Potter-themed games, trick or treating and more at the downtown branch. 1 p.m.

Sunday

Harvest Party with a trunk or treat, carnival games and more at Golf Course Road Church of Christ. 4 p.m.

Monday

Trick or Treat: Food Truck Style is a safe zone of trick or treating among food trucks at Haverty's Furniture. The mobile restaurants will also collect coats and canned goods for High Sky Children's Ranch and the West Texas Food Bank. 5 p.m.

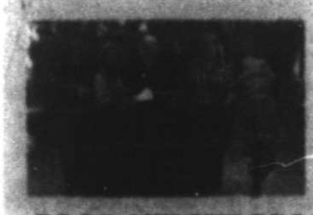
PINK THE BASIN

Saturday

Pink the Ranch golf tournament is a four-person scramble benefiting the American Cancer Society at Ranchland Hills Golf Club. Dinner and entertainment will follow immediately after game play. $600 per team, $150 per player. Noon.

PET FRIENDS

Midland Humane Coalition sixth annual Furr Ball will features dinner, dessert, casino games and live music by Jerry Dugan and the West Wind Band at the Petroleum Club. 6 p.m.



GOOD NEIGHBORS

Miss Cayce's donates $6,540 to the West Texas Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association. The store matched customer's donations from the Big O Open House event.

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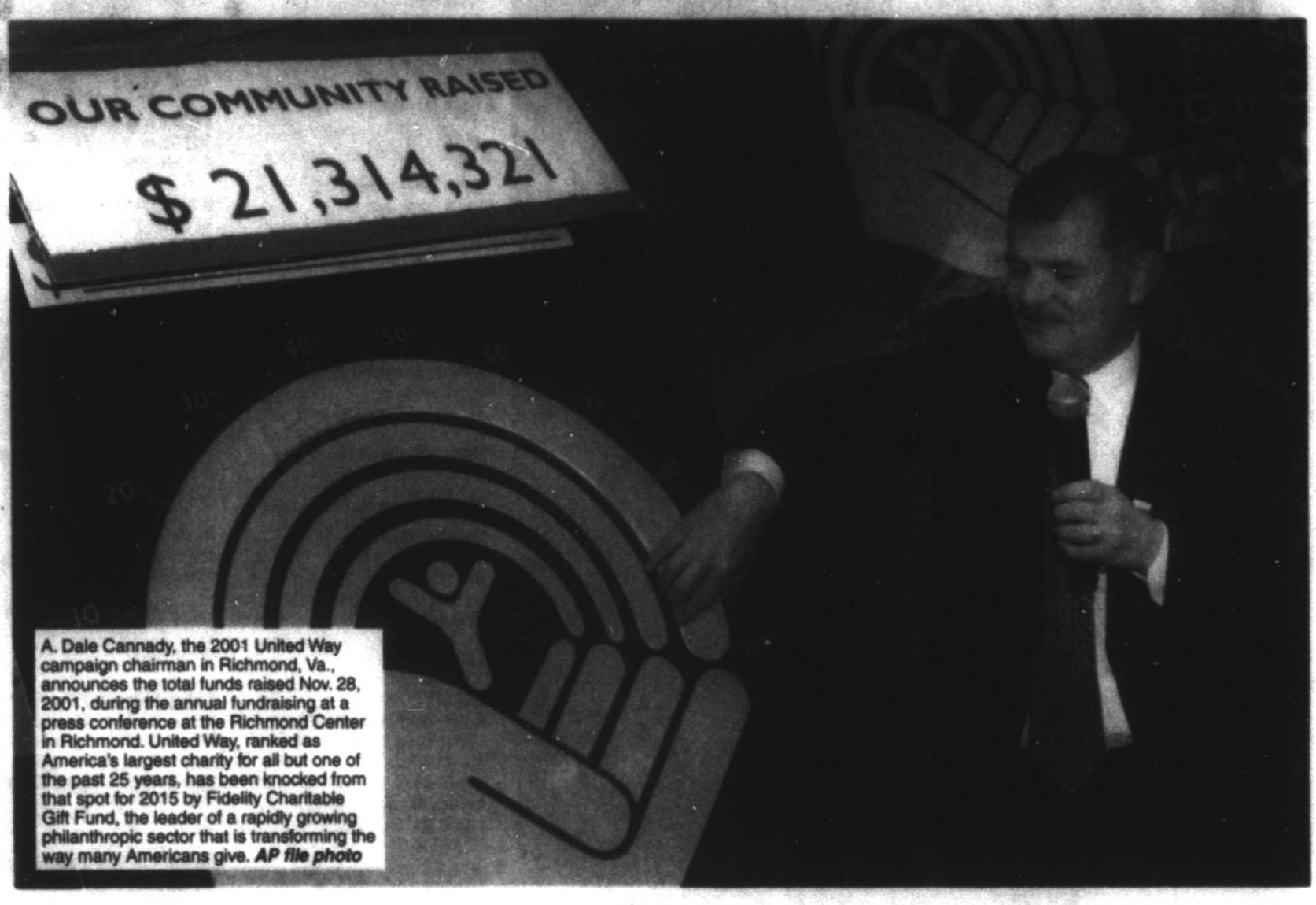

A. Dale Cannady, the 2001 United Way campaign chairman in Richmond, Va., announces the total funds raised Nov. 28, 2001, during the annual fundraising at a press conference at the Richmond Center in Richmond. United Way, ranked as America's largest charity for all but one of the past 25 years, has been knocked from that spot for 2015 by Fidelity Charitable Gift Fund, the leader of a rapidly growing philanthropic sector that is transforming the way many Americans give. ***AP file photo***

United Way loses ranking as largest US charity

By David Crary
Associated Press

NEW YORK — United Way, ranked as America's largest charity for all but one of the past 25 years, has been emphatically knocked from that spot by Fidelity Charitable, the leader of a rapidly growing philanthropic sector that is transforming the way many Americans give.

Boston-based Fidelity, which collected $4.6 billion in private donations in 2015, is a donor-advised fund — an increasingly popular type of charity to which a donor can make a contribution, immediately receive a tax benefit, and then recommend grants from the fund at any time thereafter.

The new rankings released Thursday by the Chronicle of Philanthropy showed that Fidelity's private support rose nearly 20 percent from 2014, when it narrowly trailed United Way. The new data showed United Way in second place, with $3.7 billion in support — down 4.2 percent from 2014.

Feeding America, which supplies many food banks in the U.S., was third in the new rankings, followed by a California-based donor-advised fund, the Schwab Charitable Fund. Catholic Charities USA ranked fifth, the Salvation Army was sixth.

Since 1991, when the Chronicle of Philanthropy started its rankings, United Way had been the largest charity in every year except 2006, when the Salvation Army took the top spot.

Please see **UNITED**/6B

Local reaction

"It really is not surprising that United Way Worldwide (UWW) moved out of the top spot. As competition for the nonprofit donation has increased, the sophistication of donors and their trust needs have developed. The warranted desire to truly know what type of impact a charitable dollar can have has increased, so donations that once were trusted to an entity like United Way, even locally, have been scrutinized. (UWW President Brian Gallagher) is correct, it isn't a competition, it is measured as we measure most things in America — by size. However, what should be compared is the good that is occurring, in what ways, and with whom that is most important.

Thankfully, both UWW and United Way of Midland, practice a community impact and collaboration model that provides for meeting community needs, coupled with accountability for results, so that we are able to communicate to any donor, exactly what impact is being made. We believe meeting needs, addressing root causes of those needs, and transparency for use of a donor's funds are the key to donor connection. Hopefully, in any economy, those aspects of what we do locally can be affirmed by any donor."

— Mark Alexander
Executive director United Way Midland

PHILANTHROPY BRIEFS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Midland Crime Stoppers selling tickets for 40 Guns in 40 Days

Midland Crime Stoppers is selling tickets for its 40 Guns in 40 Days fundraiser. Once the nonprofit sells all 1,000 tickets, the raffle will begin. One ticket will be drawn each day for 40 days. Tickets are $40.

"We use the weekday 12:27 p.m. Pick 3 lotto numbers to determine the winning ticket for that day," said Angie Valenzuela, executive director, in an email. "Each ticket is good for the entire 40 days, which means that as many times as a person's number comes up on the Pick 3 lotto (12:27 p.m. drawing), they will win the gun listed on that day."

Tickets are available 8 .m.-5 p.m. Monday through Friday at TMP Hunters Supply, 2700 S. Highway 80; Midland County Sheriff's Office-Public Safety Office, 400 S. Main St.; and Midland Fire Deptartment Central Fire Station, 1500 W. Wall St.

For more information, call 684-9884 or visit midlandcrimestoppers.com.

Big Brothers Big Sisters announces new fundraiser

Big Brothers Big Sisters will debut their new ranch-style fundraiser, Wildcatters Ball, next month. The event is Nov. 19 at Rolling 7s Ranch Event Center, 11312 W. County Road 122 in Odessa. The night will feature music by country singer Charlie Robison and Texas indie rocker Johnny Cooper, a cornhole tournament, a live auction and dinner.

Sponsorships and underwriting opportunities are available. Sponsorships range from $2,000 to $8,000 and can be purchased online.

"Kick off your holiday season by putting on some jeans and boots to support our at-risk children and the amazing work provided by Big Brothers Big Sisters," said Merideth Feris, event chair. "Join us in wildcatting to fund the mentor programs to ensure a brighter future for their tomorrow."

Proceeds from the Wildcatters Ball will help BBBS continue to match children facing adversity with professionally-supported, one-to-one mentoring relationships. Big Brothers Big Sisters of Midland has been matching children with mentors in Midland County for the past 41 years.

For more information, call 432-687-0195 or visit bbbsmidland.org.

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Dr. Jim Denison recently quoted a scholar from the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences who told a group of Westerners in 2002 that his group was "asked to look into what accounted for the success, in fact, the pre-eminence of the West all over the world." They concluded: "The heart of your culture is your religion: Christianity. That is why the West has been so powerful. The Christian moral foundation of social and cultural life was what made possible the emergence of capitalism

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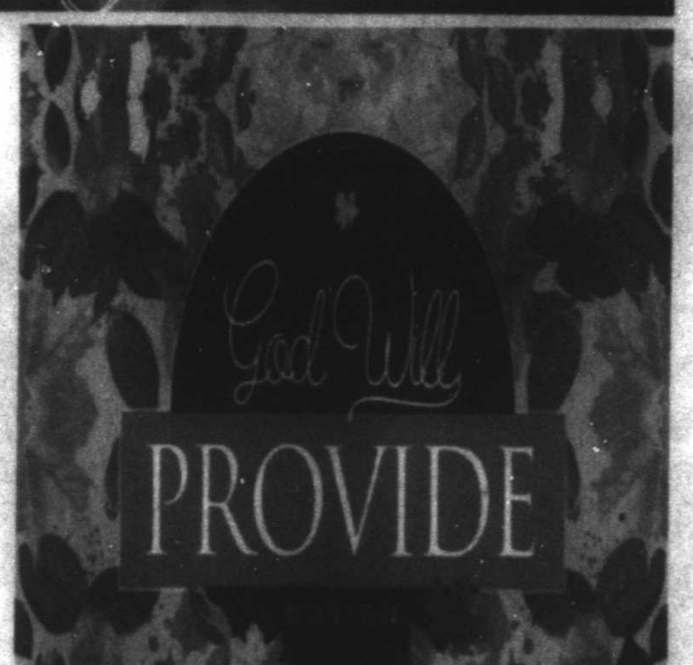

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Obituaries

Audrey "Chata" Miller Mee

Audrey "Chata" Miller Mee, 82, of Midland, died peacefully at her home on Saturday October 22, 2016.

Audrey was born on July 2, 1934 to Hazel and Donald Miller of Woodbridge, Connecticut. She attended Hillhouse High in New Haven, Connecticut and shared numerous wonderful memories about the wonderful school she graduated from. She also worked at a bank in New Haven where she met many interesting people of the town. The bank is where she met a man who encouraged her to learn to play golf and she would go on to make that her favorite hobby for a good portion of her life.

She then met the love of her life, Eddie L. Mee Jr. He was enlisted at the time in the Navy so they quickly married in Woodbridge on January 16, 1953 before Eddie shipped out to Cuba. They were able to have a short honeymoon in New York City before he left. Upon his return, they settled in Levelland, Texas - quite a shock for a woman coming from New England to the dry West Texas town but she settled in to life there until they moved to Odessa, Texas.

In Odessa they started their family; first with a son, Eddie, and a daughter, Wendy, then another son, Doug, and a daughter, Ellie. Life was full and busy and then came a move to Midland where Audrey and Eddie would spend the remainder of their lives and raise their children.

Audrey spent many years raising her brood of four and shuffling them to sports, pools, friends' houses, and church at Grace Lutheran.

Audrey had numerous friends that she enjoyed over the years; Bob and Isabelle Angevine, Tom and Margaret Cloyd, Red and Dini Roberts, Robert and Darlene Gould, Tom and Dorothy Dolahite, Rob and Jean Satterfield, and of course, Richard and Frances Harvey, just to mention a few. Audrey was a wonderful wife, Mother, and friend and she will be missed greatly by her children, grandchildren, sister, relatives, and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Donald J. and Hazel Miller; her husband, Eddie Mee Jr.; and her son, Doug Mee.

She is survived by her son, Eddie Mee (Juanita) of Carlsbad, New Mexico; daughter, Wendy Mathis (Russell) of Midland; daughter, Ellie Hackey (Don) of Hatch, New Mexico; daughter-in-law, Chrissie Mee of Midland; sister, Ellie Miller-Butt of Colorado Springs, Colorado; sister-in-law, Abby Mee-Headrick of Laurel, Mississippi; nine grandchildren, Katie Mathis of Denver, Colorado, Andy Mee of Hurst, Laura Ferguson (Dillon) of Rapid City, South Dakota, Holly Thompson of Hobbs, New Mexico; Mollie Mathis of Lubbock and Midland; Audrey Hackey of Hatch, Cade Hackey of Hatch, and John Mee and Ray Mee of Midland; numerous great-grandchildren; many special nieces and nephews; and lastly her dog, Tooter, that she adored and who helped her through numerous difficult times.

Thank you to the staff of Nurses Unlimited, especially to Ofelia Evans, Melisse Brookshire, and Bob Anglin. The family is forever grateful for the help, love and attention you gave to Audrey during the last years of her life. The family also wants to thank Hospice of Midland.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you make a donation to a charity of your choice or to the Salvation Army by calling 800-725-2769 or *https://give.salvationarmyusa.org* or to the Wounded Warrior Project: P.O. Box 758517, Topeka, Kansas 66675 or *https://support.woundedwarriorproject.org*.

The family will be having an intimate celebration of Mom's/Grandma's life that will be held later this fall with the Reverend Dillon Ferguson officiating.

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

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Debra Ann Settles

Debra Ann Settles, 58, of Longview, Texas, was called home by the Lord to join her husband Wesley Ray Settles on October 19, 2016.

Debra was born January 7, 1958, in Midland, Texas. She was married to Wesley Ray Settles in Brownwood, Texas in 1976. They lived in Midland until the Lord called Wesley home in 1989.

She moved to Longview in 2004 and worked at Joy Global as a metallurgy laboratory technician. She was a loving mother, wonderful grandmother, and a blessing to all that surrounded her.

She is survived by her son, Scott Allen Settles of Longview; daughter, Ashley Rene Settles of Longview; daughter-in-law, Nicole Settles; grandsons, Tristan Lee Cain of Burleson, Ethan Wesley Settles of Oklahoma, and Wesley Ryan Wells of Longview; her brother, Mike Myrick and his wife Pam Myrick of Longview; and by her mother, Eleanor Alameda Myrick of Longview. She was also a beloved Aunt to many nieces and nephews.

She is preceded in death by her sister, Brenda Kay Myrick; father, Lowell Madson Myrick; and husband, Wesley Ray Settles.

Her memorial service will be Saturday October 29, 2016 at 1:00 p.m. at Fairview Cemetery in Midland.

Jerry Warren Webb

Jerry Warren Webb, 93, of Midland and formerly of El Campo, Texas, passed away Tuesday, October 25, 2016 in Midland.

Funeral services will be held at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 29, 2016 at the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home Chapel in Midland. Burial will be at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 1, 2016 at Oaklawn Memorial Park in El Campo, Texas.

Jerry was born January 7, 1923 in Lenorah, Texas to James Castle Webb and Willie Crystal McClane Webb. After graduating from high school, he went to Peoria, Illinois to watch making school. He moved back to Texas and worked for several different jewelers and also owned his own watch making and repair business. He was a longtime and faithful member of the Masonic Lodge #951 in Stanton where he was initiated in 1947.

Jerry married Audrey Clayton on July 16, 1971 and she preceded him in death in 2012.

Those left to cherish his memory are his sister-in-law, Joanna Webb of Midland; nieces, Glenna Mims and husband Jack of Midland, and Jerrie Ann Westmoreland of Pahrump, Nevada; nephew, Jimmy Webb and wife Linette of Sun Rose Beach, Texas; numerous great nieces and nephews; , special friends, Laura Castillo, Fred Jimenez, and Edvardo Aguirre; and Danzel Price, who held a special place in Jerry's heart. Jerry was preceded in death by his parents; wife, Audrey Webb, and brother, James Webb.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hogan Park Nursing and Rehabilitation Center Activity Fund, 3203 Sage St, Midland, TX 79705.

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Sessions Hammond

Sessions Marion Hammond was born March 22, 1936 in Wells, Texas. He died in his home in Hawley on the morning of October 25, 2016.

He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Betty Raye; brothers; David Hammond and wife Barbara of Hurst, and Bob Hammond and wife Mychelle of Merkel; his sons, Leslie and wife Linda of Abilene, Kyle and wife Lori of Midland, and Joel and wife Edith of College Station. He had seven grandchildren, Cody, Caroline, Catherine, Justin, Madelyn, Blake, and Beth.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Johnnie and Ruby Hammond of Merkel; in-laws; Jeff and Neva Chancey of Abilene, and Dion Hammond of Midland; and by a brother, Johnny Wayne.

He grew up in Merkel, Texas. There, he forged friendships that he enjoyed throughout his life. He and Johnny Wayne were Eagle Scouts and traveled to the Boy Scout Jamboree in Valley Forge, Pennsylvania, and made many trips to East Texas to visit grandparents and relatives in Wells. He graduated from Merkel High School in 1954 and later married his high school sweetheart on August 31, 1956. They moved to Austin where Sessions attended the University of Texas and worked for the Texas Department of Agriculture.

In Austin, he met a preacher named Tex Williams who studied the Bible with him, resulting in Sessions giving his life to the Lord. Sessions' faith has blessed the lives of not only his family, but countless people through the years.

Sessions and Betty moved back to Abilene where he started a career as a salesman for Chancey Equipment Company and later, Wilson Trailer Corporation and Dansco Manufacturing. They built a home in the country and moved to Hawley in 1971, finding the perfect place to raise their three boys, join a community, lead a church, and make friends. He served as an Elder in the Hawley Church of Christ for over 30 years.

Sessions was the quintessential traveling salesman, covering almost every road in Texas. For 30 years, he sold construction equipment to highway projects all over the state, sold cattle and grain trailers to "bull haulers" wherever they were, and sold oil field equipment throughout West Texas. He was a successful salesman because his real vocation was loving people and collecting stories. Sessions was the Dad that traveled, but was never gone. He never missed a game, a stock show, or an event that was important to his family.

He retired as a salesman and opened the Hawley Grocery in 1987. His intention was to have a business that sold groceries. The result was a gathering place for friends to drink coffee, and a venue to help folks in need. He loved the people of Hawley and they loved him.

For 30 years, Sessions visited prisons in Snyder and Abilene, teaching and preaching Grace to men abandoned by society who longed to hear that Jesus loved them. Sessions loved these men and modeled the unconditional love of a father.

Sessions died in his sleep in the house he built, surrounded by his family. He traveled extensively all his life, finally arriving where he intended to be all along. We can hear Jesus saying "Welcome Home Sessions."

Services will be held at Hawley Church of Christ on Saturday, October 29, 2016 at 10:00 a.m., directed by Adams-Graham Funeral Home of Anson.

Visitation will be at the church on Friday evening, October 28, 2016 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Pallbearers will be David Hammond, Bob Hammond, Carol Ward, Justin Hammond, Cody Hammond, and Blake Hammond.

Honorary pallbearers will be Ed Womack, Don Sikes, Gary Womack, Ted Knight, Randy Scott, and Richard Templeton.

William F. Pennebaker

William Fendall (Bill) Pennebaker, a longtime Midland lawyer, died October 14, 2016. He was 98. Bill led an active, curious, and almost charmed life until his final illness.

The fourth of seven children, Bill grew up in Dallas, Texas and New Orleans, Louisiana then headed east for college. He graduated from Harvard in 1940 then entered Yale Law School. In 1941, he drove from New England to New Orleans in a Model T to report to the draft board. He was too short for the Naval Air Corps and barely passed the Army Air Corps physical because of low blood pressure.

After graduating at the top of his class in flight school, he was named second in command of the 390th Bomb Group in 1943. From Parham, England, he led 44 bombing missions into France and Germany through March 1945, when he left the Army Air Corp as a Lieutenant Colonel.

After the war, Bill graduated from Yale Law in 1947 and took a job in Shell's new office in Midland. The city's population was 8,000 then. He joined the law firm of Stubbeman, McRae and Sealy in 1951, where he worked as a partner till he completely retired in his 80s. Bill specialized in oil and gas, corporate and transactional matters, and estate and probate, and was a mentor to many of today's senior lawyers in Midland and around the state.

Bill and his wife Elizabeth (Liz) Whiting, whom he'd met in Cambridge, MA, were married in 1948 and enjoyed an active social and cultural life in the oil boomtown. Liz Pennebaker was one of the founders of Midland's Community Chest which later became the United Way of Midland; she was also active as an actress in Midland Theater.

Bill, along with Art Cole, Norris Creath and Bill Pomeroy, met in 1947 to create a fundraiser for Midland Community Theatre. They founded the Midland Summer Mummers, which still thrives today. He also served multiple terms on the Board of Governors of MCT, was chairman of the Board of Governors for the Midland Memorial Hospital, and participated on the boards of the Petroleum Museum and other local organizations. For the last two decades of his life, he was particularly active with the 390th Veterans Association and also the 390th Memorial Museum in Tucson to honor the air campaign over Europe in World War II.

The Pennebaker family expanded with Jamie's birth in 1950, Ward's in 1953, and Mary's in 1956. Bill aided and abetted his children's escapades with natural gas balloons, which were sometimes connected by a fuse to a lit cigarette for eventual ignition in the air. Owing to a slight mathematical miscalculation, young Mary was almost sent up in one of these would-be infernos. (Childhood in the '50s was more precarious and a lot more fun.) In all of his children, Bill encouraged intellectual curiosity, healthy skepticism, a sense of adventure, and a stubborn preference for used over new cars.

After Liz's death in 1990, Bill organized a number of rafting trips at Big Bend, leading the way in an ancient Suburban with four bald tires. He married Dorothy Applegate in 1993. The two traveled frequently and split their time between her house in Charleston, S.C. and his in Midland. Dorothy Pennebaker predeceased him in 2013.

Bill is survived by two sons, Jamie (and wife Ruth) in Austin and Ward (Susan) in Houston; his daughter, Mary (Jim) in Midland; his grandchildren, Teal (Bennett) in Seattle, Nicholas in Chicago, and Drew (Louise) and Matt (Lyndsay) in Houston; along with four great-grandchildren. His older brother Eugene and younger sister Mary also survive him.

A memorial service will be held for Bill Pennebaker on Saturday afternoon, October 29th, at the Midland Community Theater at 2:00pm.

In lieu of flowers, please consider donating to the Midland Community Theater at 2000 W. Wadley, Midland, Texas 79705 or to the Midland Memorial Foundation, at 400 Rosalind Redfern Grover Parkway, Midland, Texas 79701 www.midland--memorial.com/ways-to-give or to a charity of your choice in your community.

Bill Pennebaker was devoted to his community, which might explain why a man who loved sailing as much as he did spent so many decades in West Texas. Remember him when you throw popcorn and hiss at the next Summer Mummers or notice an unexplained

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Death Notices

Bobby Ray Newsom

Bobby Ray Newsom, 79, of Midland, Texas passed away Tuesday, October 25, 2016 in Midland.

Mr. Newson will be in state from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday, October 31, 2016 at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home in Midland, TX.

Funeral services will be at 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, November 1, 2016 at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Chapel in Midland. Burial will be at 1:00 p.m., Tuesday at Trinity Memorial Park in Big Spring.

Survivors include his wife, Donna Newsom; children, Michael Newsom, Robin Wilson, and David Newsom.

Vaughn Dean Robinson

Vaughn Dean Robinson, 66 of Gardendale, Texas, passed away Wednesday, October 26, 2016.

Visitation will be held from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Sunday, October 30, 2016 at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home in Midland.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 a.m., Monday, October 31, 2016 at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Chapel in Midland. Interment will follow at Evergreen Cemetery in Stanton.

Experts uncover hidden layers in the inside of Jesus' tomb site

By Daniel Estrin
Associated Press

JERUSALEM — In the innermost chamber of the site said to be the tomb of Jesus, a restoration team has peeled away a marble layer for the first time in centuries in an effort to reach what it believes is the original rock surface where Jesus' body was laid.

Many historians have long believed that the original cave, identified a few centuries after Jesus' death as his tomb, was obliterated ages ago.

But an archaeologist accompanying the restoration team said ground penetrating radar tests determined that cave walls are in fact standing — at a height of six feet and connected to bedrock — behind the marbled panels of the chamber at the center of Jerusalem's Church of the Holy Sepulchre.

"What was found," said National Geographic archaeologist Fredrik Hiebert, "is astonishing."

The work is part of a historic renovation project to reinforce and preserve the Edicule, the chamber housing the cave where Jesus is said to have been entombed and resurrected. It is the centerpiece of one of Christianity's oldest churches and one of its most important shrines.

"I usually spend my time in Tut's tomb," said Hiebert about the Egyptian pharaoh Tutankhamup's burial site, "but this is more important."

National Geographic is partnering with Greek restoration experts to document the work.

A 12th-century building sitting on fourth-century remains, the Church of the Holy Sepluchre is the only place where six Christian denominations practice their faith at the same site.

The Edicule was last restored in 1810 following a fire, and is in need of reinforcement after years of exposure to humidity and candle smoke. A hulking iron cage built around the Edicule by British authorities in 1947 for support still stands, but is not enough.

Renovations at this holiest of spots require mutual agreement by the church's various custodians, and that is notoriously hard to secure. The denominations jealously guard different parts of the site and often object to even the slightest of changes.

Last year, Israeli police briefly shut down the building after Israel's Antiquities Authority deemed it unsafe. It prompted the Christian denominations to green light the repairs, which began in June.

Pilgrims line up throughout the day for the chance to crouch in the Edicule's tiny room. They kneel before a white marble encasing, said to cover a surface hewn from the side of the limestone cave where Jesus' body was laid before his resurrection.

Church officials closed the Edicule to pilgrims beginning Wednesday evening, and workers used a pulley to slide open the marble slab, in hopes of reaching the burial surface. Hiebert said the slab hadn't been removed since the year 1550.

Underneath the marble was a layer of debris. By Thursday afternoon, workers had finished removing the debris, revealing something unexpected: another marble slab.

Hiebert said he thinks the second slab, which is gray and features a small etching of a cross, dates to the 12th century. It is cracked down the middle, and underneath it is a whitish layer.

"I don't believe ... that is the original rock," Hiebert said. "We still have more to go."

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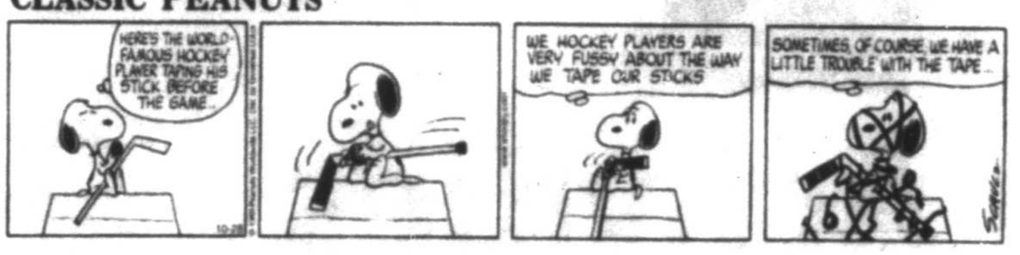

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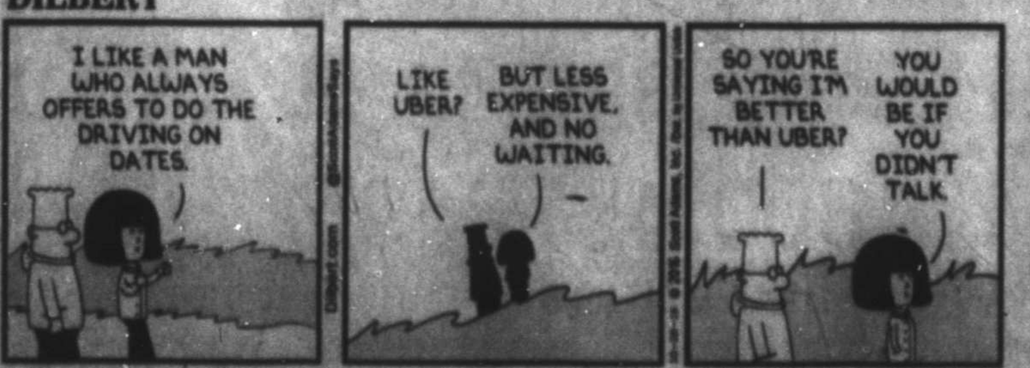

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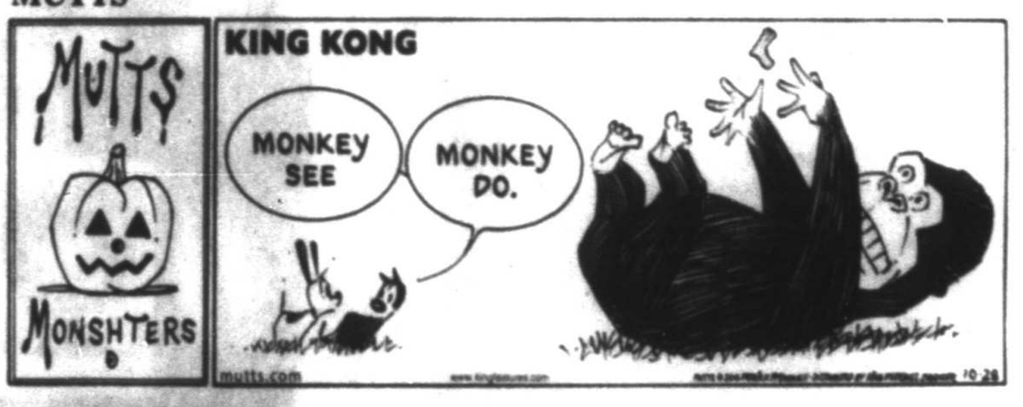

CLOSE TO HOME

"Yes, of COURSE I know that Reggie was an avid nudist. I just wasn't ... well, I wasn't expecting THIS!"

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"MY FUNNY BONE ISN'T LAUGHIN' ANYMORE."

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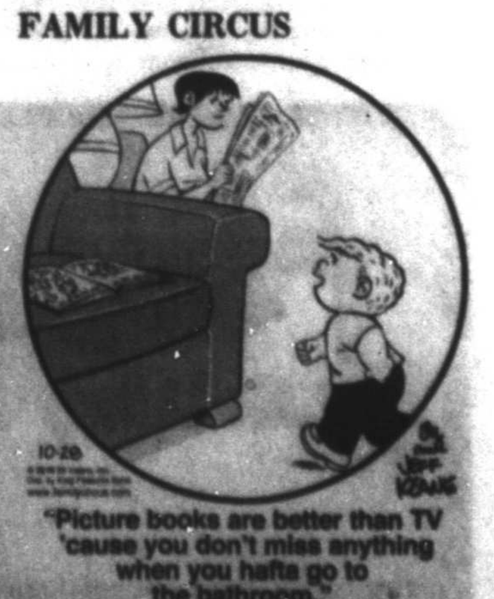

"Picture books are better than TV 'cause you don't miss anything when you hafta go to the bathroom."

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Brian Gallagher, president of United Way Worldwide, attributed the shift to economic trends, including a surge in giving by the wealthy and stagnating wages for many of the middle-class Americans who have been loyal United Way donors. United Way's average contribution is $365, while the minimum a donor must give to open a Fidelity Charitable account is $5,000, and the average account size is about $15,000.

"We see it as a good thing — we don't see it as competitive," said Gallagher, noting that United Way receives some donations via donor-advised funds.

Founded in 1991, Fidelity is nearing its goal of allocating $25 billion in charitable grants over its first 25 years. Last year, its 132,000 donors recommended $3.1 billion in grants to support more than 106,000 organizations across the U.S. and abroad — making it the nation's second-largest grant-maker behind the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation.

Pamela Norley, who became Fidelity's president in August, said its donors appreciate technological arrangements that facilitate online giving and tax-related record-keeping.

"It's a way to democratize giving," she said. "We make it easy and accessible for everybody."

Another advantage of Fidelity and other large donor-advised funds: They're efficient at processing non-cash donations such as real estate, securities, even bitcoins. Fidelity says about two-thirds of its contributed dollars last year were non-cash assets.

By some calculations, donor-advised funds could soon account for 10 percent of all giving from individual Americans.

Stacy Palmer, editor of the Chronicle of Philanthropy, said she expects the sector to continue its speedy expansion.

"There is a transformation going on in how donors give," she said. "It means donors have a lot more control over their donations than if they just write a check to United Way."

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> **Stacy Palmer,** editor of the Chronicle of Philanthropy

Palmer said traditional charities will have to adjust to the popularity of donor-advised funds, perhaps offering their own versions of the concept or explicitly wooing contributions that cycle through funds like Fidelity.

As they gain prominence, donor-advised funds have drawn some criticism.

One of the most vocal skeptics is Ray Madoff, a Boston College law professor who has called them "a bad deal for American society." She says the funds are thriving because of the benefits they offer to wealthy donors and to the financial-services industry, which can make money through fees for managing the donors' accounts.

"Affluent people love DAFs because they make it easy to time their contributions to get the maximum tax benefit," she wrote in a commentary for the Chronicle of Philanthropy. "DAFs are here to stay — but that doesn't mean that lawmakers, nonprofit leaders and the public need to keep letting them undermine the philanthropic spirit that is the very bedrock of our democracy."

Fidelity Charitable was the brainchild of Edward C. Johnson III, the chairman of Fidelity Investments. Some of the charity's funds are managed by Fidelity Investments, but the two organizations are legally independent of one another.

Unlike foundations, donor-advised funds are not subject to any payout requirements. Madoff and other critics say Congress should impose some sort of payout timetable so donors' dollars do not sit in the accounts indefinitely without benefiting individual charities.

Norley said Fidelity does prod its donors to make contributions on a timely basis, rather than letting funds sit inactive for many years. But she's not in favor of federal legislation that would mandate a particular timetable.

According to the new Chronicle of Philanthropy rankings, fortunes were mixed for some of the longstanding, brand-name charities. The Y, for example, reported a 28 percent increase in private donations and held the No. 12 spot, while the American Red Cross recorded a 16 percent drop in donations and fell from 21st place to 31st.

The Planned Parenthood Federation of America, targeted by anti-abortion activists who want to halt its receipt of government funding, reported that its private donations rose by 11 percent to nearly $188 million.

Even as donor-advised funds grow in size, some barometers suggest that Americans overall are not getting more generous.

According to the latest annual Giving USA report, giving by individuals represented 2 percent of total disposable income in 2015 — down from 2.4 percent in 2000 and the same as the rate in 1975.

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and then the successful transition to democratic politics. We don't have any doubt about this."

Why, we might ask, can some outside our country see this much more clearly than many of our fellow countrymen today?

It reminded me of what another foreigner, Alexis de Tocqueville, said about the American experiment in self-government back in the early part of the 19th century: "Liberty cannot be established without morality, nor without faith."

Recent British transplant, Os Guinness, in his book: "A Free People's Suicide," expresses it as the Golden Triangle of Freedom. Freedom requires virtue; virtue requires faith; and faith requires freedom.

The danger that faces our current generation of Americans is that we have forgotten our roots. Uniquely among the nations of the world we are a country founded on a set of ideas rather than particular ethnic or tribal boundaries, and those ideas have predominantly come from a Christian worldview.

Of course, Christians are called to live on this earth as resident aliens, as those who "desire a better country, that is, a heavenly one" (Heb. 11:16). But we are also called to seek the welfare of the cities and countries where we presently live in exile, as earthly citizens, praying to the Lord on their behalf (Jer. 29:7). So if indeed "it is time for judgment to begin at the household of God" (1 Pet. 4:17), then repentance and renewal also need to begin with us (cf. 2 Chron. 7:14).

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Are you looking for effective ways to get your classroom active in drug awareness during Red Ribbon Week? Regardless of the age of your pupils, there are many ways to get your students involved in the drug-free movement.

Whichever activities you choose to incorporate in your school, be sure to choose ones that will create lasting impressions on the children. Having fun while celebrating Red Ribbon Week will help your students appreciate and look forward to this week every October.

BENEFIT FROM THE INTERNET

Whether you are teaching junior or high school students, chances are you have seen them with their nose glued to their smartphones. Take advantage of this by posting positive, drug-free messages on social media sites your students frequent and encourage them to do the same.

Another good way to benefit from today's technology is to use websites like naturalhigh.org. There, you can watch and share videos of celebrities promoting drug-free lifestyles. A message from a student's favorite actor or athlete will likely stick in their mind and can influence future behavior.

CONTESTS

Take a page from National Family Partnership's book and encourage contests for your students. While the NFP gifts cash prizes and iPads for their contests, you don't need such extravagant gifts for the classroom.

Encourage your students to apply for NFP-sponsored contests like the Red Ribbon Photo Contest and creating next year's theme. Consider rewarding students who show the most enthusiasm or creativity with gift cards or trophies.

USE EACH DAY

Most schools use a sprit week to celebrate a sporting event or an upcoming dance. During spirit week, students are encouraged to follow each day's theme. Popular themes are pajama day, school color day and hat day.

Why not create fun themes that incorporate Red Ribbon Week's message? Some unique ideas recommended by the NFP:

Shade Out Drugs Day: Encourage your students to wear sunglasses to symbolize their commitment to staying drug-free.

Decoration Day: Your students can decorate the school in red ribbons and anti-drug messages to take their objective outside the classroom.

Be on a Drug-Free Team Day: Students should wear their favorite team's clothing to create a consistent, positive message.

Webb gaining confidence as Chargers' QB

Trinity hopes to continue hot streak against Watauga Harvest Christian

By Christopher Hadorn
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Trinity junior Daniel Webb has found his rhythm at the quarterback position.

By no coincidence, the Chargers have found their groove too.

Webb

Trinity (4-3, 1-0 in TAPPS Six-Man Division II, District 1) is on a roll after combining to defeat McLean and Abilene Christian, its last two opponents, by a 126-30 margin.

In those contests, Webb has completed 18 of 22 passes for 285 yards, seven touchdown passes and no interceptions.

Webb and the Chargers hope to stay hot when they host district rival Watauga Harvest Christian (3-5, 1-0) in today's 7:30 p.m. homecoming game at Coombes Field.

In Trinity's 66-16 win over Abilene Christian in its district opener last week, Webb didn't have any of his throws hit the turf as he completed 8 of 8 passes for 112 yards and five TD passes.

"I definitely feel I'm getting more comfortable," Webb said. "It just takes time to get that execution level where we are at right now and I feel like we're only going to get better."

Webb had huge shoes to fill this season when he took over the quarterback reigns from 2016 graduate Vincent Baiano, a first-team all-state selection that led the Chargers to the state championship game in 2015.

Adding to the challenge, Webb had never played quarterback before at any level of football. The Chargers junior played wide receiver and center in 2015.

But Webb was a good athlete, having played the point guard and shooting guard positions for the Trinity basketball team so he had some experience with controlling ball movement.

"When you are looking for a person to come in and fill that spot, you look for someone that has a lot of confidence, has a short-term memory as far as making mistakes and a person that the kids will follow," Chargers head coach Antwan Alexander said. "He has good rapport with the kids around here."

Webb started at square one. He was slinging the football with a sidearm delivery over the summer, a flaw that offensive coordinator Hank Cunningham worked with him to correct.

By watching professional and college quarterbacks on television, Webb was able to fix his throw with a more conventional over-the-top motion.

"Whenever my throw was down low, all I would do was watch where their arm was, how high they were keeping it above their shoulder," Webb said of watching quarterbacks on television.

Webb said watching Green Bay Packers quarterback Aaron Rodgers throw had a positive impact on his improvement.

The Chargers junior also had to become comfortable with the dropback after the snap.

"Definitely in the beginning of the year, I would stop my feet," Webb said. "But I've learned now, it's all in the feet. You've got to keep them moving."

And Trinity has been moving the ball lately behind a balanced offense that is using both the rush and Webb's arm to score 60-plus points in successive weeks.

Alexander said that Webb has grown so much as a quarterback that he is now able to read defenses and provide invaluable input to the coaching staff. He says Webb

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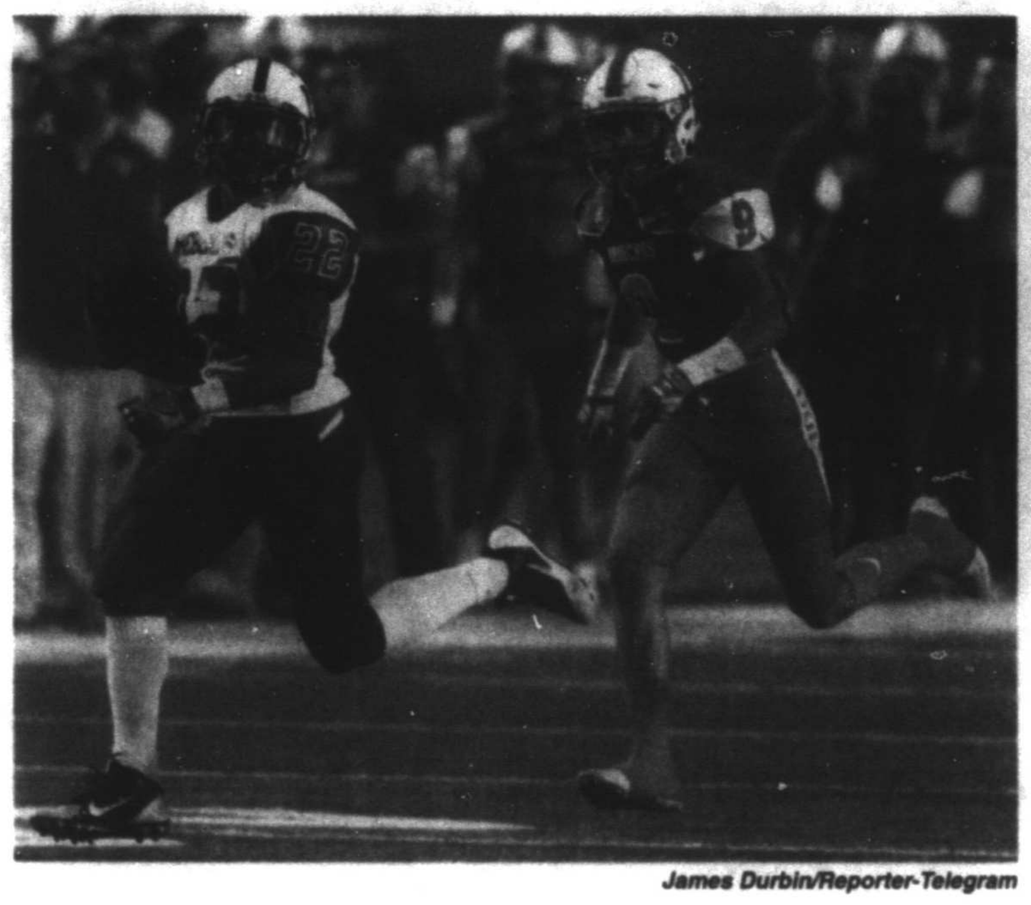

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Lee running back Josh Traylor (22) runs the ball for a touchdown against Odessa High on Oct. 14 at Ratliff Stadium.

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Midland High offensive tackle Noah Payan (62) locks up with Lee defensive lineman Jauquai Polk (40) on Sept. 23 at Grande Communications Stadium.

Small Traylor carries big load for Rebels

By Will Korn
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Lee tailback Josh Traylor is one of the smallest runners in District 2-6A. At 5-foot-7 and 175 pounds, Traylor usually finds himself matching up against considerably larger defensive players when he carries the football.

But Traylor has done anything but let his small stature hold him back this season. In his first year on varsity, the sophomore has piled up 909 yards and eight touchdowns in just seven games as a starter. He's the district's third-leading rusher, is currently gaining 7.7 yards per carry and has run for 133 yards or more in each of Lee's last three games.

After a 62-17 throttling of Odessa High on Oct. 14, Traylor will look to carry a rested Rebels (3-5, 2-2 in District 2-6A) team to a playoff berth when they host Wolfforth Frenship (4-5, 2-3 in District 2-6A) at 7:30 p.m. today at Grande Communications Stadium.

Lee head coach Clint Hartman said Traylor felt a bit uncomfortable prior to his first varsity start against Abilene High on Sept. 2. Since then, Traylor has been the driving force of the Lee running game — one of the best in the district — and an entirely different back who hasn't looked back or hesitated in the face of larger competition.

"We had a conversation with him (Monday) in practice and he said 'Coach, I was so nervous when the year started. Everybody was bigger and faster. Now I feel comfortable,'" Hartman said.

Traylor knows what he has to do to be successful every time he touches the ball out of the Rebels' backfield.

"I just have to outplay them (bigger opposing players)," Traylor said. "Since they're bigger and stronger than me, I just have to outperform them every week."

Hartman said it's never been difficult for Traylor to summon the unbridled energy he needs to play with that mentality. He added that Traylor is eager to learn and has steadily improved over the last seven weeks.

"He does keep getting better," Hartman said. "I think what a lot of people miss from the stands is that he's been very coachable. His steps have gotten better. He's become more of a square runner and very seldom does the first guy (on defense) knock him down. I think his balance and his vision are really instinctive. He's very humble and he works his rear end off. It's fun to see."

Traylor, a shifty runner in between the tackles, said he's been working hard to improve his explosive play ability. Against OHS two weeks ago, he ran for touchdowns on 73 and 43 yards en route to his 13-carry, 209-yard performance.

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Undersized Payan big part of MHS' success up front

By Christopher Hadorn
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Midland High right offensive tackle Noah Payan can easily be underestimated by his foes.

At 5-foot-10, 205 pounds, Payan looks a little out of place on the Bulldogs' offensive line that fields a couple of massive fellows on the left side with Paxton Heiting (290 pounds) and Juan Vasquez (305 pounds).

But Payan's opponents soon find out they're in for a long game when they are matched against the MHS senior.

Bulldogs head coach Craig Yenzer has lauded Payan all season long for his tenacity.

At 7:30 p.m. today, Midland High (7-1, 4-0 in District 2-6A) visits No. 7-ranked San Angelo Central (8-0, 4-0) in a clash of first-place teams at San Angelo Stadium, and the Bulldogs know they count on Payan to bring intensity to a showdown that will decide at least a share of the district title.

"He's got a lot of spunk, a lot of vinegar and a lot of fire," Yenzer said. "He's such a competitor. Guys play like that on the offensive line, you just love them and you never worry about them because you always know that they're going to be there and they're going to be fighting their tail off to pass protect or to run block, whatever it is you ask them to."

MHS standout defensive end Dillon Springer said Payan gave him all he could handle in their one-on-one battles in spring football. Springer credited Payan for making him a better football player.

Payan says his success on the gridiron begins with a strong mind and the confidence that he belongs out there.

"I know I'm undersized, especially in the 6A level," Payan said. "I never let that get to me. I always try and think that the other person is trying to get better and I'm trying to better myself as well in the weight room and on the field."

"You've got to be mean in the 6A division out here," Payan added. "You can't take anybody lightly. You've got to get mean, you've got to fight because it gets dirty in the trenches."

Payan and the Bulldogs offensive line have been the unsung heroes of an explosive offense that is averaging 174.5 rushing yards, 282 passing yards and 41.3 points per contest.

This past week, the MHS offensive line's contributions didn't go unnoticed as the coaching staff recognized the unit as the team's offensive players of the week at their booster club meeting after they paved the way for a 221-yard rushing output during a 49-34 win over Amarillo Tascosa.

In the same game, quarterback Jackson Anuszkiewicz tossed a pair of TD passes to set a new single-season school record

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MCS impressive in victory over Cedar Hill Trinity Christian

By Will Korn
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In its attempt to bring the program's first volleyball state title back home, Midland Christian couldn't have produced a more dominant start to the 2016 playoffs on Thursday.

MCS barely broke a sweat as it cruised to a 25-1, 25-3, 25-10 TAPPPS 5A bi-district victory against Cedar Hill Trinity Christian at McGraw Event Center.

It was a stifling defensive performance for the No. 5-ranked Lady Mustangs (26-7), who advanced to the area round to face No. 10 Austin Hyde Park (22-19) at 1 p.m. Saturday at Austin High School.

Of Cedar Hill Trinity's 14 total points in the match, six came courtesy of an MCS error. The Lady Tigers looked overmatched from the opening serve, as the Lady Mustangs began the first set with a 16-0 run and then closed the second on a whopping 19-0 streak.

Middle blocker Shayla Ellison led the way for MCS with a match-high 13 kills, six digs, 3 1/2 blocks and three aces. Kenzie Pullen added seven kills for the Lady Mustangs.

"It was very impressive," said MCS head coach Alicia Filyukova. "I felt like we had hardly any errors on our side of the net, so that was good to see on the defensive side. Knowing we can make those plays in a game like this was definitely exciting to see.

"I think it's definitely a confidence booster for the girls, getting that first shutout out of the way."

MCS senior outside hitter Meagan Thomason had a simple answer when asked how her team managed to maintain its intensity.

"(We) just played volleyball," said Thomason, who was credited with five kills and a block in the win.

The match, which lasted just over 45 minutes, saw Cedar Hill Trinity consistently struggle to respond defensively to MCS' hitters. To compound the difficulties for the Lady Tigers, the MCS attackers' accuracy was lethal to both back corners and along the sidelines.

In the third set however, the Lady Tigers showed noticeable

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MOTORSPORTS
Sprint Cup: Goody's Fast Relief 500, Practice, 10 a.m., NBCSN Camping World Truck Series: Texas Roadhouse 200, Practice, 11:30 a.m., FS1 Camping World Truck Series: Texas Roadhouse 200, Final Practice, 1:30 p.m., FS1
F1: Mexican Grand Prix, Practice, 2 p.m., NBCSN
Sprint Cup: Goody's Fast Relief 500, Qualifying, 3:30 p.m., NBCSN
MotoGP: Shell Malaysia Motorcycle Grand Prix, Qualifying, 1 a.m., beIN, beIN2

NBA
Cleveland at Toronto, 6 p.m., ESPN, ESPNDEP Houston at Dallas, 7:30 p.m., FSSW Golden State at New Orleans, 8:30 p.m., ESPN, ESPNDEP

RUGBY
Four Nations: Australia vs. Scotland, 1:50 p.m., FSP

TENNIS
WTA: BNP Paribas Finals, ATP: Basel, ATP: Vienna, 6 a.m., TENNIS
WTA: BNP Paribas Finals, Doubles Semifinal 1, 12:30 a.m., TENNIS
WTA: BNP Paribas Finals, Singles Semifinal, 3 a.m., TENNIS

WOMEN'S COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL
Florida State at Louisville, 5 p.m., ESPNU Tennessee at Alabama, 6 p.m., SEC Penn State at Wisconsin, 8 p.m., BTN San Diego at BYU, 8 p.m., BYUtv Hawaii at UC Riverside, 10 p.m., ESPNU

WOMEN'S SOCCER
NCAA: Southern Utah at Northern Arizona, 9 p.m., FCSA

ON RADIO

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL
Greenwood at Lamesa, 7 p.m., KPET 105.1 FM/690 AM (Lamesa), Greenwood-SportsRadio.com (Greenwood) Wolfforth Frenship at Midland Lee, 7:30 p.m., KCRS 97.5 FM/550 AM Permian vs. Odessa High, 7:30 p.m., KMCM 96.9 FM, KHKX 99.1 FM Midland High at San Angelo Central, 7:30 p.m., KFZX 102.1 FM Mountain View at Andrews, 7:30 p.m., KACT 105.5 FM/1360 AM (Andrews) Big Spring at Brownwood, 7:30 p.m., KBEST 95.7 FM, KBYG 106.1 FM/1400 AM (Big Spring) Idalou at Stanton, 7:30 p.m., KBTS 94.3 FM (Big Spring) Forsan at Post, 7:30 p.m., KXCS 105.5 FM (Big Spring)

NAHL HOCKEY
Lone Star at Odessa, 7 p.m., KMRK 96.1 FM

WHAT'S ON DECK

High school

FOOTBALL

Lee vs. Wolfforth Frenship, 7:30 p.m., Grande Communications Stadium
Midland High at San Angelo Central, 7:30 p.m.
Odessa High vs. Odessa Permian, 7:30 p.m., Ratliff Stadium
Greenwood at Lamesa, 7:30 p.m.
Frisco Legacy Christian at Midland Christian, 7:30 p.m.
Big Spring at Brownwood, 7:30 p.m.
Andrews at Clint, 7:30 p.m.
Idalou at Stanton, 7:30 p.m.
Stanton at Post, 7:30 p.m.
Watauga Harvest at Trinity, 7:30 p.m.
Garden City at Sterling City, 7:30 p.m.
Loop at Grady, 7:30 p.m.
Marfa at Rankin, 7:30 p.m.

Junior college

VOLLEYBALL

Langston University at Midland College, 6:30 p.m.

HS FOOTBALL

GRADY CRUSHES LOOP FOR FIRST DISTRICT WIN, 66-6

LENORAH — The Grady football team got its first district win of the season with a 66-6 mercy-rule victory over Loop on Thursday at Tunell Stadium.

The game ended at the half because of the 45-point mercy rule.

Grady improved to 2-7 overall and 1-2 in District 6-1A Division II play, while Loop fell to 4-5, 0-4 to end its season.

No other information was available at press time.

Grady next heads to Wellman-Union on Friday, Nov. 4 to close out the regular season.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
American League
TEXAS RANGERS — Announced RHP Shawn Tolleson declined his outright assignment to Round Rock (PCL) and became a free agent.
National League
CINCINNATI REDS — Selected the contract of RHP Ariel Hernandez. Activated RHP Caleb Cotham. OF Yorman Rodriguez. C Devin Mesoraco and SS Zack Cozart from the 60-day DL. Designated LHP John Lamb for assignment.
Can-Am League
QUEBEC CAPITALES — Released INF Yoritani Manduley.

BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
CHICAGO BULLS — Signed G R.J. Hunter.

FOOTBALL
National Football League
BUFFALO BILLS — Signed OT Michael Ola to the practice squad. Released OT William Poehls.
GREEN BAY PACKERS — Released CB Keith Saunter from the practice squad.
HOUSTON TEXANS — Signed G Josh Walker to the practice squad. Released OT Joseph Cheek from the practice squad.
Canadian Football League
CFL — Fined BC Lions Adam Bighill an undisclosed amount for a low hit to Edmonton QB Mike Reilly. Fined Montreal's Winston Venable an undisclosed amount for leading with the crown of his helmet on a hit to Saskatchewan RB Joe McKnight.
WINNIPEG BLUE BOMBERS — Released OL Alex McKay and WR Quinshad Davis from the practice roster.
Indoor Football League
SPOKANE EMPIRE — Signed DL Pat McNeal.

HOCKEY
National Hockey League
ANAHEIM DUCKS — Signed D Hampus Lindholm to a six-year contract. Reassigned D Shea Theodore and LW Emerson Etem to San Diego (AHL).
American Hockey League
ONTARIO REIGN — Recalled G Jack Flinn from Manchester (ECHL).

SOCCER
Major League Soccer
COLUMBUS CREW — Announced the retirement of F Connor Casey.
United Soccer League
NEW YORK RED BULLS II — Named Jamie Ponce director, business operations.

COLLEGE
CHOWAN — Named Charlotte Dinkins as internal operations assistant.
MARYLAND — Signed men's basketball coach Mark Turgeon to a four-year extension on his contract through the 2022-23 season.
TEMPLE — Announced G/F Steve Leonard and G Isaiah Lewis have been added to the men's basketball team.

SPORTS ODDS

FAVORITE	OPEN	TODAY	O/U	UNDERDOG
		College Football		
		Saturday		
at TEXAS A&M	43½	43½	(69½)	New Mexico St
at TCU	8½	8	(64½)	Texas Tech
Baylor	2½	3½	(72½)	at TEXAS
at OHIO STATE	23½	27½	(52½)	Northwestern
at WISCONSIN	6½	8½	(43)	Nebraska
at SOUTHERN MISS	10	15	(65½)	Marshall
at GEORGIA TECH	9	6½	(50)	Duke
Florida	7½	7½	(43)	Georgia
Auburn	-1½	4½	(63)	at MISSISSIPPI
Tennessee	13½	13½	(50)	at SOUTH CAROLINA
at HOUSTON	12½	9½	(59)	UCF
at LOUISIANA TECH	23	28½	(71½)	Rice
Boise St	12	14	(63½)	at WYOMING
at UTSA	4	3½	(54)	North Texas
at MISSOURI	4½	6	(70½)	Kentucky
at ARKANSAS ST	17	20	(55½)	Louisiana-Monroe
Old Dominion	4½	5	(56)	at UTEP
Michigan	18½	24½	(55)	at MICHIGAN ST
Washington	11½	10	(54)	at UTAH
at OREGON	7½	7½	(78)	Arizona St
UNLV	+1	3	(57½)	at SAN JOSE ST
at HAWAII	3	3	(66)	New Mexico
Clemson	3	4½	(60)	at FLORIDA ST
Kansas St	7	6½	(51)	at IOWA ST
		NFL		
		Sunday		
Cincinnati	3	3	(46)	Washington
at ATLANTA	3	3	(53)	Green Bay
at HOUSTON	3	2½	(45)	Detroit
Seattle	6	2½	(47½)	at NEW ORLEANS
New England	6	6½	(47½)	at BUFFALO
NY Jets	3	4½	(OFF)	at CLEVELAND
at TAMPA BAY	+1	1½	(49½)	Oakland
Kansas City	2	2½	(50)	at INDIANAPOLIS
at DENVER	7	5½	(44)	San Diego
at CAROLINA	1	3	(48)	Arizona
at DALLAS	4	4	(43½)	Philadelphia
		Monday		
Minnesota	5	6	(40½)	at CHICAGO

Chaps, Dreiling get a win added

From staff reports

The Midland College men's basketball team and head coach Jordan Dreiling got a win added from their 2015-16 season after it was ruled by the NJCAA that Ranger College used an ineligible player.

The use of an ineligible player was discovered over the summer but Ranger appealed the initial ruling. Midland College officials were recently informed that the appeal was denied and that the Chaparrals would get a forfeit win from the Jan. 3 contest played at Ranger in which Ranger won 69-67.

With the win added, MC's record from last season is adjusted to 22-8 overall and Dreiling picked up his 100th career win as a head coach.

Ranger is coached by former Texas Tech and Kentucky head coach Billy Gillispie, who led the Rangers to a 31-7 record and a fourth-place finish at the NJCAA National Tournament last season.

MC plays Ranger twice this season in non-conference play: On Nov. 14 in Ranger and then on Jan. 9 at Chaparral Center.

Jacks fall in home opener to Brahmas

From staff reports

ODESSA — The Lone Star Brahmas scored four unanswered goals en route to a 4-1 win that spoiled the Odessa Jackalopes' season home opener, Thursday at Ector County Coliseum.

Chase Thudium scored to give Odessa (7-7) a 1-0 lead in the first before the Brahmas took over. Lone Star tied the game in the first and took a 2-1 lead in the second.

The Jackalopes and Brahmas (11-2-1) will continue their three-game series at 7:05 p.m. today at Ector County Coliseum.

Titans roll to 36-22 victory over Jaguars

Associated Press

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Marcus Mariota threw for 270 yards and two touchdowns to end his home struggles and the Tennessee Titans had their highest point total of the season in a 36-22 victory over the Jacksonville Jaguars on Thursday night.

Since the start of the 2014 season, the Titans' home record is 3-0 against the Jaguars and 1-17 against everybody else.

TITANS 36, JAGUARS 22

Jacksonville	0	0	8	14	—22
Tennessee	9	24	6	3	—36

First Quarter
Ten—FG Succop 32, 3:31.

Second Quarter
Ten—Wright 36 pass from Mariota (Succop kick), 14:53.
Ten—Henry 6 run (Succop kick), 10:36.
Ten—Murray 14 run (Succop kick), 7:09.
Ten—FG Succop 22, :00.

Third Quarter
Jac—Thomas 10 pass from Bortles (Bortles run), 11:05.
Ten—Matthews 4 pass from Mariota (kick failed), 6:53.

Fourth Quarter
Ten—FG Succop 33, 12:32.
Jac—Hurns 5 pass from Bortles (Myers kick), 3:11.
Jac—Walters 7 pass from Bortles (Myers kick), :01.
A—61,619.

	Jac	Ten
First downs	27	25
Total Net Yards	370	494
Rushes-yards	11-48	43-214
Passing	322	280
Punt Returns	2-0	1-9
Kickoff Returns	2-45	1-4
Interceptions Ret.	0-0	0-0
Comp-Att-Int	33-54-0	19-23-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-15	0-0
Punts	6-45.8	4-38.8
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	7-75	7-54
Time of Possession	25:35	34:25

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Jacksonville, Bortles 4-22, Yeldon 3-20, Ivory 4-6. Tennessee, Murray 21-123, Henry 16-60, Wright 1-15, Mariota 3-11, Walker 1-3, Cassel 1-2.

PASSING—Jacksonville, Bortles 33-54-0-337. Tennessee, Mariota 18-22-0-270, Cassel 1-1-0-10.

RECEIVING—Jacksonville, Hurns 7-98, A.Robinson 6-70, Kaysch 5-41, Yeldon 4-36, Lewis 4-23, Thomas 3-28, Walters 2-14, Lee 1-21, Ivory 1-6. Tennessee, Wright 4-84, Walker 4-76, Matthews 4-38, Henry 4-37, Supernaw 1-30, Sharpe 1-11, Murray 1-5.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

NFL GLANCE

Standings

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
New England	6	1	0	.857	176	107
Buffalo	4	3	0	.571	167	131
Miami	3	4	0	.429	146	159
N.Y. Jets	2	5	0	.286	119	180
South						
Houston	4	3	0	.571	117	154
Tennessee	4	4	0	.500	182	183
Indianapolis	3	4	0	.429	194	200
Jacksonville	2	5	0	.286	139	196
North						
Pittsburgh	4	3	0	.571	170	150
Baltimore	3	4	0	.429	133	139
Cincinnati	3	4	0	.429	140	162
Cleveland	0	7	0	.000	130	207
West						
Oakland	5	2	0	.714	185	179
Denver	5	2	0	.714	167	117
Kansas City	4	2	0	.667	136	123
San Diego	3	4	0	.429	208	185

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Dallas	5	1	0	.833	159	107
Philadelphia	4	2	0	.667	156	68
Washington	4	3	0	.571	159	162
N.Y. Giants	4	3	0	.571	133	141
South						
Atlanta	4	3	0	.571	229	169
Tampa Bay	3	3	0	.500	128	159
New Orleans	2	4	0	.333	176	195
Carolina	1	5	0	.167	161	176
North						
Minnesota	5	1	0	.833	129	84
Green Bay	4	2	0	.667	140	123
Detroit	4	3	0	.571	170	170
Chicago	1	6	0	.143	111	169
West						
Seattle	4	1	1	.750	111	84
Arizona	3	3	1	.500	159	110
Los Angeles	3	4	0	.429	120	154
San Francisco	1	6	0	.143	144	219

Scores and schedules

Thursday's Score
Tennessee 36, Jacksonville 22

Sunday's Games
Washington at Cincinnati, 8:30 a.m.
Detroit at Houston, 12 p.m.
Arizona at Carolina, 12 p.m.
Kansas City at Indianapolis, 12 p.m.
N.Y. Jets at Cleveland, 12 p.m.
New England at Buffalo, 12 p.m.
Seattle at New Orleans, 12 p.m.
Oakland at Tampa Bay, 12 p.m.
San Diego at Denver, 3:05 p.m.
Green Bay at Atlanta, 3:25 p.m.
Philadelphia at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.
Open: Los Angeles, San Francisco, N.Y. Giants, Miami, Baltimore, Pittsburgh

Today's Game
Minnesota at Chicago, 7:30 p.m.

NBAROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

HAWKS 114 WIZARDS 99

ATLANTA — Dwight Howard dominated the boards in his Atlanta debut, Paul Millsap scored 28 points and Tim Hardaway Jr. ignited the new-look Hawks to a 114-99 victory over the Washington Wizards in their season opener Thursday night.

Howard grabbed 19 rebounds to go along with 11 points, just what the Hawks expected from their new center, and it certainly wasn't unusual for three-time All-Star Millsap to lead the way in scoring.

BULLS 109 CELTICS 99

CHICAGO — Dwyane Wade scored 22 points in a triumphant Chicago debut, Jimmy Butler had 24 and the Bulls won their season opener, beating the Boston Celtics 105-99 on Thursday night.

Wade nailed a 3 from the corner in the final minute to make it a five-point game.

NBA GLANCE

Standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Toronto	1	0	1.000	—
Boston	1	1	.500	½
Brooklyn	0	1	.000	1
New York	0	1	.000	1
Philadelphia	0	1	.000	1
Southeast Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Miami	1	0	1.000	—
Charlotte	1	0	1.000	—
Atlanta	1	0	1.000	—
Washington	0	1	.000	1
Orlando	0	1	.000	1
Central Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Cleveland	1	0	1.000	—
Indiana	1	0	1.000	—
Chicago	1	0	1.000	—
Detroit	0	1	.000	1
Milwaukee	0	1	.000	1

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Southwest Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Memphis	1	0	1.000	—
San Antonio	1	0	1.000	—
Dallas	0	1	.000	1
Houston	0	1	.000	1
New Orleans	0	1	.000	1
Northwest Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Portland	1	0	1.000	—
Denver	1	0	1.000	—
Oklahoma City	1	0	1.000	—
Minnesota	0	1	.000	1
Utah	0	1	.000	1
Pacific Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Sacramento	1	0	1.000	—
L.A. Lakers	1	0	1.000	—
L.A. Clippers	0	0	.000	½
Golden State	0	1	.000	1
Phoenix	0	1	.000	1

Scores and schedule

Thursday's Scores
Atlanta 114, Washington 99
Chicago 105, Boston 99
L.A. Clippers at Portland, late
San Antonio at Sacramento, late

Today's Games
Cleveland at Toronto, 6 p.m.
Indiana at Brooklyn, 6:30 p.m.
Orlando at Detroit, 6:30 p.m.
Charlotte at Miami, 7 p.m.
Phoenix at Oklahoma City, 7 p.m.
Houston at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.
L.A. Lakers at Utah, 8 p.m.
Golden State at New Orleans, 8:30 p.m.

Saturday's Games
Atlanta at Philadelphia, 11:30 a.m.
Boston at Charlotte, 6 p.m.
Memphis at New York, 6:30 p.m.
Orlando at Cleveland, 6:30 p.m.
Brooklyn at Milwaukee, 7 p.m.
Indiana at Chicago, 7 p.m.
New Orleans at San Antonio, 7 p.m.
Portland at Denver, 8 p.m.
Minnesota at Sacramento, 9:30 p.m.

Laine scores 2 on power play, Jets beat Stars 4-1

Associated Press

WINNIPEG, Manitoba — Patrik Laine scored twice on the power play to help the Winnipeg Jets beat the Dallas Stars 4-1 on Thursday night.

Defenseman Tyler Myers got the Jets on the scoreboard 15 seconds into the game and rookie Kyle Connor got his first NHL goal. Connor Hellebuyck had 38 saves.

Winnipeg, which lost at Dallas in the opener of the home-and-home on Tuesday, has scored five power-play goals this season, with the 18-year-old Laine getting four.

Tyler Seguin scored early in the third period for Dallas, and Antti Niemi stopped 32 shots.

In the opening minute, Myers took advantage of a loose puck bouncing off the boards in the Dallas end to fire a one-timer from the point past Niemi. Connor's high shot doubled the lead with 3:48 left in the opening period, and Laine's fifth of the season at 4:30 of the second made it 3-0.

NHL GLANCE

Standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Montreal	8	7	0	1	15	29	13
Tampa Bay	7	5	2	0	10	25	20
Detroit	7	5	2	0	10	24	17
Ottawa	6	4	2	0	8	21	20
Florida	7	3	3	1	7	20	18
Toronto	7	2	2	3	7	24	28
Boston	7	3	4	0	6	17	23
Buffalo	8	1	3	2	4	14	20
Metropolitan Division	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Pittsburgh	8	5	2	1	11	20	23
N.Y. Rangers	7	5	2	0	10	27	18
Washington	6	3	2	1	7	14	14
New Jersey	6	3	2	1	7	13	12
Philadelphia	8	3	4	1	7	28	30
N.Y. Islanders	8	3	5	0	6	22	24
Columbus	5	2	2	1	5	13	14
Carolina	6	1	3	2	4	18	24

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Central Division	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Minnesota	8	5	2	1	11	26	19
St. Louis	7	4	2	1	9	20	19
Dallas	7	3	3	1	7	18	22
Chicago	7	3	3	1	7	25	25
Colorado	5	3	2	0	6	16	16
Winnipeg	7	3	4	0	6	20	23
Nashville	6	2	4	0	4	16	21
Pacific Division	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Edmonton	7	6	1	0	12	27	17
Vancouver	7	4	2	1	9	15	17
San Jose	7	4	3	0	8	18	19
Anaheim	8	3	3	2	8	21	19
Calgary	8	3	4	1	7	25	30
Los Angeles	6	3	3	0	6	17	20
Arizona	7	2	5	0	4	22	30

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

Scores and schedule

Thursday's Scores
Pittsburgh 4, N.Y. Islanders 2
Arizona 5, Philadelphia 4
Minnesota 4, Buffalo 0
Toronto 3, Florida 2
Montreal 3, Tampa Bay 1
Winnipeg 4, Dallas 1
Detroit at St. Louis, late
Nashville at Los Angeles, late
Columbus at San Jose, late

Today's Games
N.Y. Rangers at Carolina, 6:30 p.m.
Chicago at New Jersey, 6:30 p.m.
Winnipeg at Colorado, 8 p.m.
Ottawa at Calgary, 8 p.m.
Edmonton at Vancouver, 9 p.m.
Columbus at Anaheim, 9 p.m.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Oct. 29th **Furr Ball** Costume Party at Petroleum Club of Midland 6-11
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Nov. 12th **Shot & Microchip Clinic** at PetSmart 10-2
Dec. 31st **Toasting for Tails New Year's Eve Party** at DoubleTree 7-1

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HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL CAPSULES

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Midland High's Dillon Springer (42) chases down Amarillo Tascosa running back Deveion Gray (27) on Oct. 21 at Grande Communications Stadium.

ODESSA HIGH AT ODESSA PERMIAN

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

On the radio: KMCM 96.9 FM

Records: Odessa High 0-8, 0-4 in District 2-6A; Odessa Permian 4-4, 0-4 in District 2-6A

Last week: Wolfforth Frenship 24, OHS 21; San Angelo Central 28, Permian 14

Last meeting/series: Permian def. OHS 57-7 last year and leads the all-time series 48-8-1

Three things to know:

■ The Panthers, looking to put an end to an already surprising four-game skid in District 2-6A play, should have little trouble getting up for a showdown with their cross town rival Bronchos. Both teams are winless in district play and that should add a bit more fuel to the fire today.

■ Permian managed just 258 yards of offense — a season low — in its 28-14 home loss against No. 7 San Angelo Central last Friday. On the other hand, OHS could be bringing an extra dose of confidence into this game after giving playoff contender Wolfforth Frenship a scare last week.

■ Against the Bronchos, the Panthers will need to re-discover their running game, which has been the foundation of their offense once again this season. Combined, running back Ed Williams and quarterback Steve Steen rushed for just 102 yards on 34 carries versus Central.

OHS running bark Keive Robinson piled up 116 yards and a score on 14 touches against Frenship and will be the focal point of the Panthers' defense today.

Next: Odessa High at Midland High, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 4; Lee at Odessa Permian, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 4

FRISCO LEGACY CHRISTIAN AT NO. 2 MIDLAND CHRISTIAN

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

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

Records: Frisco Legacy 2-5, 0-3 in TAPPS Division II, District 1; MCS 5-3, 2-0

Last game: Fort Worth Southwest Christian 49, Frisco Legacy 22; MCS 41, Wall 36

Last meeting/series: First meeting

Three things to watch:

■ Mustangs starting quarterback Peyton Powell and backup quarterback Anderson Needham exited last week's 41-36 win over Wall due to injuries. Powell is doubtful for today's game, while Needham has a much better chance to play. If Needham can't start, MCS would turn to wide receiver/third-string quarterback Blake Ray, who engineered the Mustangs' game-winning drive against Wall.

■ MCS head coach Greg McClendon says the visiting Eagles try to force the issue on defense by putting seven defenders in the box, even when offenses spread them out with five receivers.

"Their defense is really pretty good for the most part," McClendon said. "They do give up points. They have given up a few big plays, but they're playing aggressive and they're going to get stops with that aggression."

■ Legacy running back Chase Eisenmann has rushed 126 times for 793 yards and 11 TDs this season following a 1,700-yard rushing season in 2015. Eagles quarterback Ethan McKasson, a 6-foot-5, 195-pound junior, has averaged 15.3 yards per completion this year.

"They got a quarterback that's not bad, a running back that is not bad," McClendon said. "They have just struggled to be consistent moving the football."

Next: MCS at Fort Worth Christian, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 4; Frisco Legacy at Carrollton Prince of Peace, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 4

GREENWOOD AT LAMESA

When/where: 7 p.m., Tornado Stadium, Lamesa

On the web: towntalkradio.com/greenwood-sports-radio

Records: Greenwood 6-1, 3-1 in District 2-4A Division II; Lamesa 1-6, 0-4

Last game: Greenwood 77, Pecos 45; Monahans 48, Lamesa 0

Last meeting/series: Greenwood defeated Lamesa 53-0 last year and leads the all-time series 13-3

Three things to watch:

■ Greenwood is coming off a record-breaking comeback win over Pecos in which it scored 64-points in the second half, tied a single-game school record with 77 points scored and RB Stace Bell tied a record with five touchdowns scored in a single game.

■ Lamesa has struggled offensively this season but the Golden Tors run a split-back veer and will try to control the clock.

■ Greenwood coach Shad Hanna said Lamesa is an improved team from last year and the Golden Tors seem to be playing hard for head coach Tim James. Hanna said the key is to get some stops and put the ball in the end zone.

Next: Sweetwater at Greenwood, 7 p.m. Nov. 4; Lamesa at Pecos, 7 p.m. Nov. 4

ANDREWS AT CLINT

When/where: 7:30 p.m., Lion Stadium, Clint

On the radio: KACT (105.5 FM, 1360 AM), Andrews

Records: Andrews 8-1, 3-0 in District 2-4A Division I; Clint 8-0, 2-0

Last game: Andrews 73, Clint Mountain View 10; Clint 42, El Paso Cathedral 13

Last meeting/series: Andrews defeated Clint 48-10 last year and has won both meetings

Three things to watch:

■ Andrews not only looks to extend its district winning streak to 14 games but also clinch the outright district title for the third straight season.

■ Clint looks to provide Andrews with its biggest challenge in the three years the teams have been together in the same district as the Lions seem to be an improved team from last year with several returning players.

■ Clint will look to run the ball the majority of the time and control the time of possession against an Andrews team that likes to play at a fast pace and throw the ball around. Andrews coach Ralph Mason said it's going to be important for his team to start fast and take control of the game early.

Next: Andrews vs. TBA, Class 4A Division I bi-district; Clint at San Elizario, 7:30 p.m. Nov. 4

BIG SPRING AT BROWNWOOD

When/where: 7:30 p.m., Gordon Wood Stadium, Brownwood

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

Records: Big Spring 0-8, 0-3 in District 3-4A Division I; Brownwood 3-3, 1-1

Lats game: Stephenville 52, Big Spring 27; Brownwood 27, Stephenville 13 (Oct. 14)

Last meeting/series: Brownwood defeated Big Spring 38-0 last year and leads the all-time series 10-5

Three things to watch:

■ Big Spring looks to avoid a winless season today, which would be the first since the 2011 season.

■ The Steers put up a fight in last week's loss against Stephenville as QB Dylan Cantu threw for 243 yards and accounted for three touchdowns while Robert Valencia rushed for 90 yards and a TD and also caught three passes for 104 yards and a TD.

■ The Lions have a balanced offense attack as senior QB McLane Moore has thrown for 917 yards and nine TDs, while junior RB Gavin Jefferson has rushed for 626 yards and seven TDs to lead Brownwood.

Next: Brownwood at Snyder, 7:30 p.m. Nov. 4; Big Spring, TBA

IDALOU AT STANTON

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

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

Records: Stanton 0-7, 0-2 in District 2-3A Division II; Idalou 6-3, 3-0

Last game: Lubbock Roosevelt 8, Stanton 0 (Oct. 14); Idalou 26, Roosevelt 0

Last meeting/series: Idalou defeated Stanton 45-7 in 2011 and has won both meetings

Three things to watch:

■ Stanton looks for its first win a bit short-handed as it was revealed that RB/S Alex Martinez had left the team for personal reasons. The team will look to regroup and keep its slim postseason hopes alive.

■ Idalou looks to win an outright district title with a victory.

■ The Wildcats will be led by their defense and running game as they are only allowing 8.6 points per game, while junior RB Mark Caballero leads the team with 1,390 rushing yards and 22 total TDs.

Stanton coach John Peterson said ball control will be key for his team.

"We can't let them have the ball because their offense is capable of driving the distance," Peterson said.

Next: Stanton at Colorado City, 7:30 p.m. Nov. 4; Idalou vs. TBA, Class 3A Division II bi-district

FORSAN AT POST

When/where: 7:30 p.m., Jimmie Redman Memorial Stadium, Post

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

Records: Forsan 6-2, 1-1 in District 4-2A Division I; Post 7-1, 2-0

Last game: Forsan 27, Anson 24; Post 38, Hawley 25

Last meeting/series: Forsan defeated Post 47-14 in 2011 and the teams have split both meetings.

Three things to watch:

■ Forsan got back into the playoff race with a win over Anson as the Buffaloes used their running game to control the game. Senior RB Tearell McVae rushed for 183 yards and a TD on 32 carries and added three receptions for 65 yards and another TD.

■ Post, which received a vote in the latest Associated Press Class 2A poll, also likes to run the ball as the Antelopes had 382 yards rushing in the win over Hawley. Senior RB Mike Pherguson had a season-high 275 yards rushing and three TDs on 22 carries.

■ Forsan coach Jason Phillips said not only do the Antelopes have a good running game but they seem to be sound defensively.

"We're going to keep our game plan similar to the Anson game and try to match their level of physicality as much as we can and hopefully win the battle up front," Phillips said.

Next: Stamford at Forsan, 7:30 p.m. Nov. 4; Post at Anson, 7:30 p.m. Nov. 4

NO. 5 GARDEN CITY VS. NO. 4 STERLING CITY

When/where: 7:30 p.m., Eagle Stadium, Sterling City

Records: Garden City 6-2, 1-0 in District 6-1A Division I; Sterling City 6-2, 1-0

Last game: Garden City 60, Westbrook 14; Sterling City 72, Robert Lee 22

Last meeting/series: Garden City defeated Sterling City 38-37 last year but Sterling City leads the all-time series 45-28-2

Three things to watch:

■ This is one of the most intriguing games in the state in Class 1A as both teams are ranked in the top 5 in Division I by sixmanfootball.com.

■ Garden City got off to an impressive start in district play with a blowout of Westbrook as the Bearkats overcame a slow start and scored 52 points in the second half. Riley Eggemeyer had 162 yards rushing and four TDs to lead the Bearkats.

■ Garden City coach Jeff Jones said Sterling City is a very good team that runs the ball and tackles well.

"They don't do anything fancy, they're just going to line up and run it at you," said Jones about the Eagles. "The keys for us is hanging on to the football and controlling the game. We have to make open field tackles, get off the blocks and pressure well."

Next: Robert Lee at Garden City, 7:30 p.m. Nov. 4; Sterling City at Westbrook, 7:30 p.m. Nov. 4

MARFA AT RANKIN

When/where: 7:30 p.m., Red Devil Stadium, Rankin

Records: Rankin 2-6, 1-0 in District 7-1A Division I; Marfa 4-4, 0-1

Last game: Rankin 58, Fort Davis 20; Buena Vista 78, Marfa 32

Last meeting/series: Rankin defeated Marfa 28-22 last year and leads the all-time series 19-16-2

Three things to watch:

■ Rankin got a key win to open district play as the Red Devils shook off a slow start to pull away with the road victory.

■ A win for either team would put them in good position to make the playoffs.

■ Rankin coach Jeff Shelton said it's going to be important that his team take care of the football, not waste scoring opportunities and continue to play solid defense.

Next: Rankin at Buena Vista, 7:30 p.m. Nov. 4; Fort Davis at Marfa, 7:30 p.m. Nov. 4

Compiled by Oscar LeRoy, Will Korn, Christpher Hadorn

PAYAN

From 1C

with 24 touchdown passes, but he thanked Payan and his offensive line afterward for the achievement.

Payan said the offensive line's confidence grew after the offense amassed 209 rushing yards and 331 passing yards in a 49-43 loss to No. 2 DeSoto in week 3.

DeSoto had a defensive line that consisted of numerous players in the 275-pound range and above.

"Getting the (DeSoto) scouting report Monday and I just thought, 'these guys are really big,'" Payan said. "I never try to use that against my size. I always try to think, 'you know what, I can be as just as good as these players,' I out-smart them, play with physicality and get after them."

Payan is a bright student as he carries a 3.2 grade point average and plans to major in mechanical engineering in college.

Payan's intelligence carries over to the football field too.

"He is undersized, but he has a huge heart and he is very football savvy," MHS offensive line coach Jim Conger said. "That goes a long way. He make up a lot of things with being smart and using technique."

Payan says without proper technique, he wouldn't be able to thrive on the field against heavier defenders.

Payan realizes what is at stake today against the Bobcats as Midland High aims for its first outright district title since 1951.

"This is big," Payan said. "It all started with freshman year as we came together as a team. We were thinking 'Wow we can go really far with this group of guys out here.' We came up to varsity and now we are sitting at this position battling for a district championship this week. It's a lot of pressure on the line. You have to play like it's another game out there, just another week. I think we can do it. I believe in our team and what we have going out here."

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TRAYLOR

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"(I've improved) my speed, really," said Traylor, who runs a 4.5 40-yard dash. "When I break for those long runs, I've got to keep my speed and try to hit breakaway speed. I've been working on my power and speed."

Traylor's numbers have been impressive in their own right, but the Lee coaches believe his value extends beyond that which he creates with the ball in his hands.

He's allowed the coaching staff to move personnel who once played running back, such as senior Connor Friel, to their natural positions where they can be their most productive.

"By him being as good as he is, it's been really good because that has given us the ability to play Connor Friel at linebacker," Hartman said. "When we got here, we felt like (Friel) was a linebacker.

"(Traylor's) growth as a football player has made us a better offense but also has made us better on defense."

Traylor may only be a sophomore, but his leadership acumen is also growing with each passing week and stellar performance. He doesn't talk much about his stats from the previous games, but rather is always focused on the next task at hand.

For his Rebels, that next task is facing Frenship with a spot in the playoffs on the line. Traylor takes the phrases "Practice to win" and "Play to win" as seriously as any of the Lee upperclassmen.

"This week, we can't take jokes, no off days," Traylor said. "We've got to come here with a mindset. We've got to come here ready to practice every day, don't start off slow, start fast. Come in hard and practice hard."

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Midland High at No. 7 San Angelo Central

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

Radio: KFZX (102.1 FM)

For live updates: Follow @chris_MRTsports on Twitter

Records: MHS 7-1, 4-0 in District 2-6A; Central 8-0, 4-0

Last week: MHS 49, Amarillo Tascosa 34; Central 28, Odessa Permian 14

Last meeting/series: In 2015, Central def. MHS, 59-27 to take a 39-30-2 lead.

Five things to watch:

■ The winner claims a share of the District 2-6A title and is in the driver's seat to capture the outright championship with a win in the regular season finale. MHS is seeking its first outright district title since 1951 and its first share of a district championship since 2010.

■ Both teams have dual-threat quarterbacks that lead balanced run and pass attacks. MHS quarterback Jackson Anuszkiewicz holds the single-season school record for total offense (2,532). Anuszkiewicz needs only 357 passing yards to match Ryan Rowland, 2,481 yards in 2002, for most passing yards in a single season in program history. Bobcats quarterback Cal Vincent has an eye-popping 26:1 touchdown-to-interception ratio this season. Vincent threw his first interception last week against Permian. Vincent has added 542 yards on the ground, averaging 9.5 yards per rush attempt.

■ Central running back Daven Manning has rushed 117 times for 971 yards and 14 TDs this season behind a capable offensive line anchored by sophomore Gunner Couch.

"They seem to be running the ball a little bit more," MHS hyad coach Craig Yenzer said. "Their tailback is a good player."

■ The Bobcats' defense has allowed only an average of 16.25 points per game.

Central linebacker Gehrig Scott, a three-year starter, leads the team with 71 tackles; and experienced safety Brock Martin has a team-high three interceptions.

But converted linebacker Henry Howard has been a pleasant surprise at defensive end, leading the Bobcats with nine tackles for loss.

"Our defensive front is certainly one of the strengths of our football team," Central head coach Brent Davis said.

■ A matchup to watch will be Bobcats' 6-foot-8, 220-pound wide receiver Adam West going against the Bulldogs' 6-foot-2, 193-pound cornerback Jacoby Thornton. West leads the Angry Orange with 40 receptions, 710 receiving yards and six receiving TDs. Thornton leads MHS with four interceptions and has returned two of the picks for touchdowns.

Next: Odessa High at MHS, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 4; San Angelo Central at Amarillo Tascosa, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 3

Wolfforth Frenship at Lee

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

On the radio: KCRS 97.5 FM/550 AM

For live updates: Follow Will_MRT on Twitter

Records: Frenship 4-5, 2-3 in District 2-6A; Lee 3-5, 2-2 in District 2-6A

Last game: Frenship 24, Odessa High 21; Lee 62, Odessa High 17 (Oct. 14)

Last meeting/series: This is the first meeting.

Five things to know:

■ It is unclear whether or not Frenship sophomore running back Garrison Johnson will play today against the Rebels. Johnson, who has received an offer from Nebraska, sustained an injury on Oct. 14 in the Tigers' 63-21 loss to San Angelo Central and missed the second half.

Last Friday, Johnson recorded just three carries and a fumble for eight yards in his team's 24-21 home win against Odessa High as he was pulled from the game early.

Johnson is currently the District 2-6A rushing leader with 1,464 yards and 16 touchdowns in eight games.

■ In Johnson's absence, Frenship's running game didn't miss a beat against the Bronchos. Fellow sophomore Scooter Garcia stepped in to produce 226 yards rushing and a score on 26 carries. Garcia's 226 yards accounted for 57.5 percent of the Tigers' offense in the win.

■ Lee head coach Clint Hartman said the Tigers shouldn't be underestimated just because they might be missing Johnson in their backfield. Frenship is playing for its season, as a loss to the Rebels will knock it out of playoff contention.

"There's no telling (if Johnson will play) and I'm no (medical) expert," Hartman said. "I'm going to prepare as if he's going to play. The one (Garcia) they put back there (against OHS) rushed for 226 yards, so he's pretty good too."

■ Hartman said the Rebels' secondary should also be aware of Frenship's passing game. The Tigers are a run-focused team but senior quarterback Chandler Brand has a capable arm and he has a number of playmakers at receiver.

"They don't throw the ball 50 times a game, but their quarterback is very accurate and has a strong arm," Hartman said. "Their offense creates one-on-one matchups so (winning) those are going to be important for us to win.

"When they throw the ball, they're going to throw it deep and you've got to win those matchups."

■ Hartman expects the Tigers to play hard with their season at stake today. This is Frenship's final game as it has its bye next Friday.

"Frenship knows the deal too," Hartman said. "They know they need to win to have an opportunity to be in the playoffs. Those kids haven't missed the playoffs in seven, eight years. They're going to play their tails off and give us everything they've got."

Next: Wolfforth Frenship is open; Lee at Odessa Permian, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 4

World Series returns to Wrigley for first time in 71 years

World Series

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All games televised by Fox
Cleveland 1, Chicago 1
Tuesday, Oct. 25: Cleveland 6, Chicago 0
Wednesday, Oct. 26: Chicago 5, Cleveland 1
Today: Cleveland (Tomlin 13-8) at Chicago (Hendricks 16-8), 7:08 p.m.
Saturday: Cleveland (Kluber 18-9) at Chicago (Lackey 11-8), 7:08 p.m.
Sunday: Cleveland at Chicago, 7:15 p.m.
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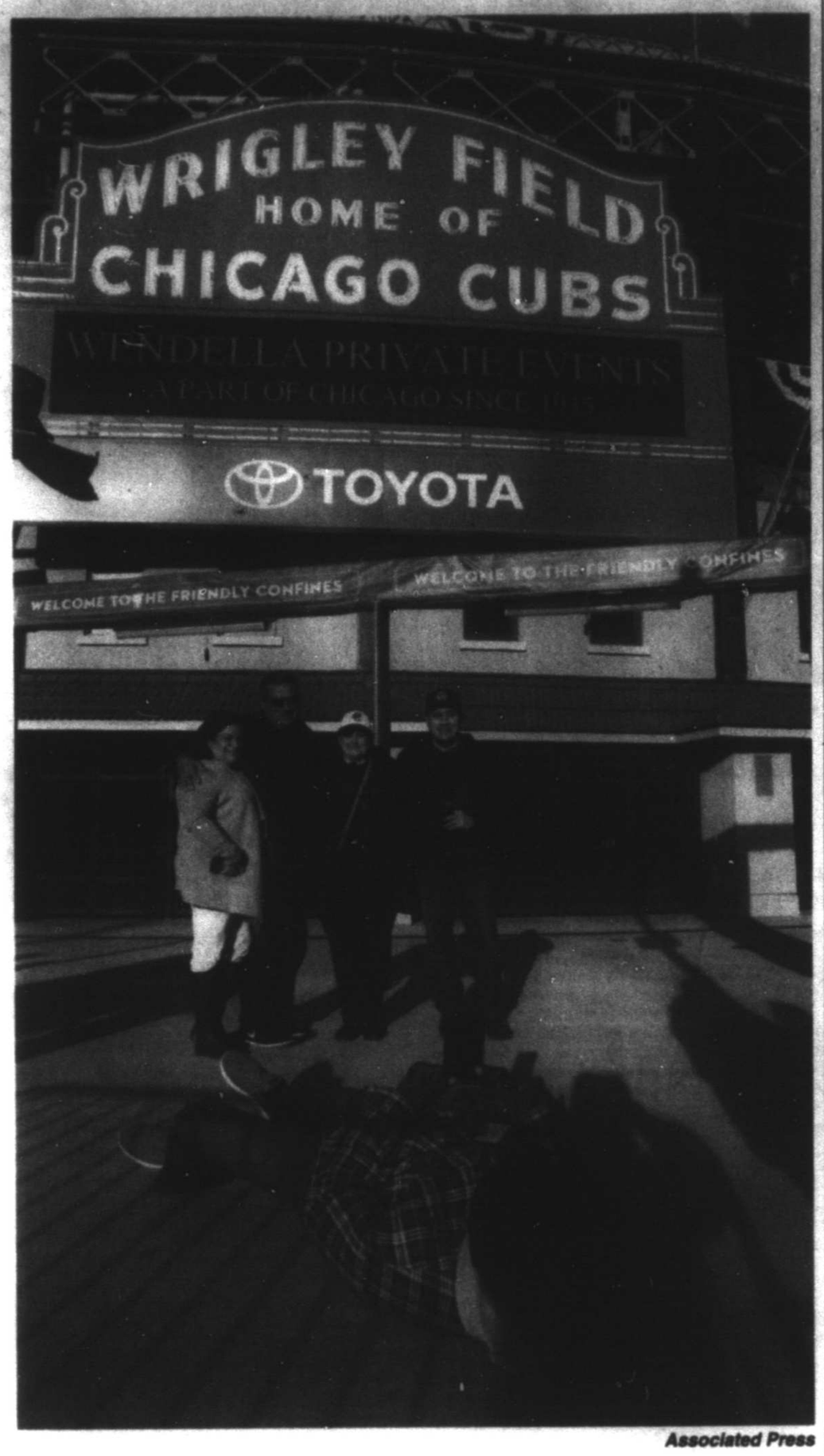

Associated Press

Fans gather in front of the marquee at Wrigley Field for a picture before today's Game 3 of the World Series between the Chicago Cubs and the Cleveland Indians on Thursday in Chicago.

By Jay Cohen
Associated Press

CHICAGO — Chicago Cubs slugger Kyle Schwarber was followed by cameras and cellphones. A couple of pitchers from the Cleveland Indians played hacky sack in the outfield. The giant videoboard in left field flashed "World Series."

So, no, nothing like the last Fall Classic at Wrigley Field.

The World Series returns to one of baseball's iconic ballparks on Friday when the Cubs and Indians face off in Game 3 after splitting the first two nights in chilly Cleveland. It's the first World Series game at Wrigley since Hall of Famer Hank Greenberg helped the Detroit Tigers to a 9-3 victory in Game 7 on October 10, 1945 .

The expectation is, well, even more bedlam than usual. The Cubs, seeking their first championship in 108 years, played in front of packed, frenzied crowds for much of the season, and even the Indians are looking forward to the scene.

"Tomorrow's going to be unbelievable," Cleveland slugger Mike Napoli said. "I watched when they clinched to go to the World Series and how crazy it was and seeing the fans in the streets where they had to have police escorts. You could just see the crowd just part ways.

"So it's going to be fun. It's something that I wanted to be a part of, and thought that it would be an unbelievable World Series," he said.

It's been pretty great so far, and it's only getting started.

Corey Kluber pitched the Indians to a 6-0 win on Tuesday, striking out nine in a dazzling performance. After Josh Tomlin makes his third playoff start in the Wrigley opener, Kluber looms over Game 4 on Saturday night on short rest.

The Cubs returned to Chicago on a high after working over Cleveland's pitching staff in a 5-1 victory Wednesday night. Trevor Bauer lasted just 3 2/3 innings, beginning a parade to the mound that included six relievers and a total of 196 pitches.

"That was the plan, to get at least one over there and bring it back home," second baseman Javier Baez said. "Everybody is excited to be here in Chicago. Everybody has been waiting for this moment."

Schwarber will be relegated to pinch-hitting moments for the next three games after doctors said it was too soon after major left knee surgery to risk putting him in the outfield. The move takes one of Chicago's best bats out of the lineup after a surprising return by the slugger for the Series.

"We're going to respect the doctors," president of baseball operations Theo Epstein said. "They're the professionals here and move forward. Kyle understands that. He wants to play, he's the ultimate gamer, but he understands that the doctor's judgment has to rule the day in this case."

Schwarber was ruled out for the year after he tore two knee ligaments in an outfield collision with Dexter Fowler in Chicago's third game of the season. But he had an encouraging checkup with Dr. Daniel Cooper on Oct. 17 in Dallas, clearing the way for a short stay in the Arizona Fall League before serving as the designated hitter in Cleveland.

Facing major league pitching for the first time in six months, Schwarber doubled and walked in Game 1. He added a pair of RBI singles Wednesday night , leading to lengthy phone conversations with Cooper and Dr. Stephen Gryzlo, one of the Cubs' physicians, that ultimately led to the safe route for the 23-year-old catcher/outfielder.

"Facts are facts," Schwarber said. "I just can't physically do it. So I'm going to be ready at any time during the game to go out there and pinch-hit."

The lack of a designated hitter for the NL park also affects the Indians, likely sending Carlos Santana to left field for only the second time in his career. He also played left for four innings on Aug. 12, 2012, against Boston.

Santana set career highs with 34 homers and 87 RBIs this season. The switch hitter also walked 99 times and had a .259 batting average for his best number since he hit .268 in 2013.

The Indians managed just four hits against Jake Arrieta and two relievers in Game 2, and they are looking at another challenging matchup with Kyle Hendricks going for the Cubs at Wrigley. The major league ERA leader had a 1.32 ERA in 15 home games this year, and is coming off 7 1/3 shutout innings against Los Angeles in the clinching Game 6 of the NL Championship Series.

"It just feels like I'm right at home, honestly," Hendricks said. "I think that's part of why I've had the success here."

Year 2 for Smart at Texas has NCAA tourney on wish list

By Jim Vertuno
Associated Press

AUSTIN — Shaka Smart's first season at Texas pumped new life into the Longhorns program. It also ended with another quick departure from the NCAA Tournament.

For year two, the mission is to keep the Longhorns on the upward trend, and keep them playing much deeper in the postseason, even with no returning starters and seven newcomers to the lineup .

That's asking a lot in a league like the Big 12.

"It was a fun transition, and continues to be a transition because we're certainly far from having our program all the way established to where we wanted it to be," Smart said. "We lost a lot of guys. Had five seniors graduate, had a junior leave."

Also gone are the exhausting early-season trips to China and the Bahamas that made it tough for Smart to build early consistency in his first season. But newly arrived on campus is 6-foot-11 forward Jarrett Allen, an Austin product who spurned an offer from national powerhouse Kansas to stay close to home.

Texas has been a regular in the NCAA Tournament, making it 16 of the last 17 years. Smart was hired in large part because the problem was getting past the first weekend, which the Longhorns haven't done since 2008.

Smart has had his own postseason woes. Since leading Virginia Commonwealth to the Final Four in 2011, his teams haven't made it past the tournament's opening weekend, including three straight first-round losses. Last season, Texas lost to Northern Iowa on a half-court shot at the buzzer.

Some things to look for in Smart's second season at Texas:

BIG THINGS FROM THE BIG MAN: Much will be expected from Allen from the start. As one of the highest-rated recruits in the country, he'll be asked not just to score but help patch up an interior defense that lost Prince Ibeh, last season's Big 12 defensive player of the year. "He's going to make a big impact right away. We're going to play him at multiple positions," Smart said.

FREQUENT FLIER MILES: Texas won't rack up as many of those. Unlike last season's globe-trotting schedule that had the Longhorns jet-lagged for a month, the longest out-of-conference trips this team will make include New York for a Thanksgiving week tournament and a December trip to Michigan. They should be well rested for the start of Big 12 play.

Baylor team still talented after another early NCAA exit

By Stephen Hawkins
Associated Press

Baylor has had some memorable moments in March under coach Scott Drew, who took over a program in shambles and has since made postseason tournaments a regular occurrence.

But there were crushing finishes in the NCAA Tournament the last two seasons, when the Bears lost their opening games against double-digit seeds each time.

"Well, we were hoping after the first loss we'd learn the lesson for the second one," said Drew, who is going into his 14th season.

The finale last season was a loss to 12th-seeded Yale, a year after the Bears blew a 12-point lead in the last 3 minutes of a loss to 13th-seeded Georgia State.

As difficult as those endings were, Drew knows the only way to do better in the NCAA Tournament is to get there again. Baylor has also been to the Elite Eight twice, losing to the eventual national champion both times, and made the Sweet 16 another time.

Even with the departures of big men Taurean Prince and Rico Gathers, and point guard Lester Medford, the Bears are expected to be in the upper half of the Big 12. They have preseason All-Big 12 pick Johnathan Motley (11.1 points, 5.1 rebounds per game last season), returning starters Al Freeman and Ismail Wainright, and several talented guards.

An upper-half finish in the Big 12 should be more than enough to get back in the NCAA Tournament, where the Bears have gone six of the last nine years, along with two NIT appearances (including the 2013 championship) in in that span.

"That's the beauty of the Big 12 Conference, the last three years, RPI-wise, it's been the No. 1-ranked conference in the country," Drew said. "And when you get 70 percent of the league in (the NCAA Tournament), it gives a lot of opportunities to be succe .sful in conference."

Some other things to know about Baylor going into the season:

MOT'S EXTRA YEAR: When the 6-foot-10 Motley arrived at Baylor as a freshman before the 2013-14 season, the roster was already loaded with talented and experienced big men. So Motley, now a junior, redshirted that season. "You saw that playing time might not be there his freshman year," Drew said. "But he wanted to take advantage of the situation and an opportunity to go against him every day in practice but not burn that year. ... Up to this point, J-Mot's been one of those players that's gotten better each and every year."

LONE SENIOR: Ishmail Wainright is the only senior on the Baylor roster. The 6-5 Wainright started all 34 games last season, when he averaged 5.9 points, 4.3 rebounds and 2.6 assists per game. He had only seven starts his first two years. Drew said Wainright waited his turn and is "somebody that really exemplifies what you want in a leader and a teammate."

CALL HIM AL: While Freeman has always been a gifted scorer, Drew said he has done a good job growing an improving as a facilitator on the court and passing the ball. Freeman is the top returning scorer at 11.3 points a game last season, when his assists total increased from 1.9 to 3.4 per game.

ONE FAR TRIP: The Bears leave Texas only once before their Big 12 opener Dec. 30 at Oklahoma. Baylor plays nine of 13 games before that at home, and another at Fort Hood, one of the nation's largest Army posts that is about an hour from the Waco campus. They will be in the Bahamas on Thanksgiving week in the Battle 4 Atlantis tournament.

WEBB

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isn't just calling plays like a robot.

"Daniel has become a student of the game," Alexander said. "He's not just going in the huddle and calling the plays. Now he's starting to see the defense, see why we call the plays and he's able to come in and make suggestions to what plays he feels would help."

Along the way, Webb has embraced his new position after undergoing initial growing pains, which included the Chargers' three-game losing streak at one point in the season.

"I didn't really like at quarterback at first because I felt like I could have been a better wide receiver than I was a quarterback," Webb said. "I am really starting to like it now. I am getting into it."

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Watauga Harvest Christian at No. 5 Trinity

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

Records: Watauga Harvest 3-5, 1-0 in TAPPS Six-Man Division II, District 1; Trinity 4-3, 1-0

Last game: Watauga Harvest 44, Denton Calvary 6; Trinity 66, Abilene Christian 16

Last meeting/series: In 2015, Trinity def. Watauga Harvest, 59-14 in first meeting

Four things to watch:

■ The Chargers, ranked No. 5 in TAPPS Six-Man Division I by sixmanfootball.com, surrendered only 58 total yards to Abilene Christian last week, including -8 yards rushing.

■ Trinity rushed 18 times for 230 yards and averaged 12.8 yards per attempt against Abilene Christian. Chargers running back Jackson Pinnow led the way with 10 rushing attempts for 165 yards and three TDs.

■ The Saints figure to be Trinity's toughest competition for the TAPPS Six-Man Division II, District 1 title.

"They're a very balanced team, much like Abilene Christian, with multiple sets," Trinity head coach Antwan Alexander said. "Their defense is a very tough defense. The kids understand their roles and they play fast. They are going to be a very sound team."

■ The winner earns at least a share of the district championship with one game left.

Next: Denton Calvary at Trinity, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 4; Abilene Christian at Watauga Harvest, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 4

MCS

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improvement as they put together a late four-point run that briefly delayed MCS' victory.

Lady Mustangs junior defensive specialist Whitney Newman said her team's win, especially the strong start in the first two sets, could kickstart a run for MCS in the playoffs.

"I thought we did very well at the beginning of the match," Newman said. "I think it's going to set the tone very well and hopefully we do just as well Saturday."

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NO. 5 MCS DEF. CEDAR HILL TRINITY CHRISTIAN 25-1, 25-3, 25-10
MCS statistics
Kills — Shaya Collins 10, Sarah Fulton 7, Meagan Thomasson 5, Megan Ashton 2, Lauren Dorley 2, Savana Walker 1
Assists — Walker 27, Ashton 2
Digs — Sydney Wilson 20, Ashton 11, Ellison 6, Whitney Newman 3, Walker 3, Fulton 1
Blocks — Ellison 3.5, Thomasson 1, Ashton 0.5, Fulton 0.5, Dorley 0.5
Aces — Ellison 5, Ashton 2, Newman 1, Fulton 1
Record: MCS 26-7
Next: MCS vs. Austin Hyde Park in TAPPS 5A area round, 1 p.m. Saturday at Austin High School

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KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	A. Griffith	A. Griffith	Happy Days	Gilligan's Island	Hogan's Heroes	Hogan's Heroes	Carol Burnett	P. Mason "The Case of the Frantic Flyer"	Twilight Zone
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	Big Bang Theory	MLB Pre-game (L)	MLB Baseball World Series (L)						Fox 24 News	Two and a Half	Hot In Cleveland	Met Your Mother
KMLM IND	11	12	12	11	11	Hidden in Sight	Zola Levitt Presents	Update News	HaYesod	Light of the Southwest "Part 1"		Light of the Southwest "Part 2"		Update News	Shepherd's Heart	Dr. Brad Young
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	News-West 9	NewsWest 9 Now	Caught on Camera "The Kids Edition" (N)		Dateline NBC Investigative features are covered. (N)				NewsWest 9 at 10	(:35) The Tonight Show	(:35) Gametime
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	PBS NewsHour		Wash. Week (N)	On Story	To Be Announced		To Be Announced		Charlie Rose (N)		Newsline	Tavis Smiley
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	La rosa de Guadalupe		Despertar contigo		Vino el amor		El Hotel de los Secretos		Noticias Tejas	Noticiero noche.	Contacto Deportivo	
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		Last Man	Last Man	American Ninja War.		American Ninja War.		Mike&M.	Mike&M.	Anger M.	Anger M.	Tosh.0	Access H.
FLIX	340	575		165		(4:50) ★ Sneakers		★ The Best Man (99, Rom) Taye Diggs.						(:40) ★ Paid in Full		(:40) ★ Empire	
HBO	300	550	14	14		Movie	Vice News	★ Yes! 2 (L, Com) Seth MacFarlane.			Bill Maher (N)			T.Ullman	Bill Maher		T. Ullman
HBO2	302	551	15	101	23	(3:25) ★ The Forest		Westworld							★ 300 (06, Epic) Gerard Butler.		★ Sisters (15, Com) Amy Poehler, Tina Fey.
HBO5	304	552	16	102		(3:30) ★★ Independence Day Will Smith.				★ Ride Along 2 Ice Cube.			1stLook	★ Joy (15, Com/Dra) Jennifer Lawrence.			
MAX	380	557	17	120	24	Movie	(:40) ★★ Furious 7 (15, Act) Paul Walker, Vin Diesel.			Quarry "nu?c ch?y di xuôn" (N)				(:25) Quarry		(:50) Quarry	
MAX2	382	558	18	122		(:40) ★★ The Green Inferno				Quarry		★ The Green Inferno			(:45) ★ Insidious: Chapter 3		
PLEX			96			(3:25) ★ A Simple Wi...		★ Sabrina the Teenage Witch		(:35) ★ All She Wishes				(:05) ★★ Cool World Brad Pitt.		Movie	
SHOW	320	565	19	140	25	(5:15) ★★ 45 Years		★★ Carol (15, Dra) Cate Blanchett.			★ Weiner (2016, Documentary)			(:35) ★ X-Rated 2: The Greate...			
TMC	336	573	22	155	26	Movie	★★★ Bubble Boy			★★ Good Luck Chuck			(:40) ★ Spring Breakers			(:15) ★ Tooken	
A&E	27	58	28	35	47	The First 48 "Bloodline"		First48/ First 48	First 48	Live PD (P) (L)				(:05) The First 48 "Blood Lust"		(:05) Live PD	
AMC	40	74	23	42	51	(5:00) ★ Friday the ...		★ Friday the 13th: Part 2 Amy Steel.			★ Friday the 13th: Part 3					The Walking Dead	
BET	58	-		40		Browns	Browns	★★ Obsessed (09, Thriller) Idris Elba, Ali Larter, Beyonce Knowles.						★★ Madea's Family Reunion Tyler Perry.			
BRAVO	65	76		41		H.Wives	To Be Announced	★ Cheaper by the Dozen Steve Martin.			★ Cheaper by the Dozen Steve Martin.					Movie	
CNBC	46	52		39	72	Boss "Churchill Downs"		Boss "Chicago Cubs"		Undercover Boss		Boss "Donatos"		Undercover Boss		Boss "Cinnabon, Inc."	
CNN	43	50	51	30	56	OutFront		A. Cooper 360		A. Cooper 360		CNN Tonight		CNN Tonight		A. Cooper 360	
DISC	50	60	31	24	42	(5:00) Gold Rush		Gold Rush: Dirt (N)		Gold Rush (N)		(:05) Alaska/Frontier		(:05) Gold Rush		(:05) Alaska/Frontier	
DISNEY	56	64	36	25	36	StuckMid	Elena	Bunk'd	Girl M.	Lodge	Lodge	StarEvil	FutureWo	Bunk'd	Lodge	Girl M.	Friends
ESPN	32	35	48	31	30	NBA Basketball Cleveland Cavaliers at Toronto Raptors (L)						NBA Basketball Golden State vs New Orleans (L)				SportsCenter	
ESPN2	34	36	49	32	31	NCAA Football Navy at South Florida Site: Raymond James Stadium (L)						Score6.	NCAA Football Air Force at Fresno State (L)				
FNC	45	48	53	23	55	On the Record		The O'Reilly Factor		The Kelly File		Hannity		The O'Reilly Factor		The Kelly File	
FOOD	64	70	27	68	54	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Burgers	Diners	Halloween Wars		Diners	Diners
FREEFORM	53	63	34	42	33	(5:00) ★ The Nightm...		(:35) ★★ Dark Shadows (12, Fant) Michelle Pfeiffer, Johnny Depp.						The 700 Club		★ Return to Hallo...	
FSSW	37	38	50	45	29	TexansW eekly (N)	Mavericks Insider (N)	Mavs Pre (L)	NBA Basketball Houston Rockets at Dallas Mavericks Site: American Airlines Center -- Dallas, Texas (L)					Maveric- ks Live (L)	Football Friday (L)	SportsDay High School (L)	
FX	31	56	59	64	69	(5:45) ★ Puss in Boots		★ ★★ Hotel Transylvania Adam Sandler.								★ A Good Day to ...	
HALLMARK	54	71	58		34	Middle	Middle	Hero Dog Awards (N)				★ A Christmas Melody (2015, Drama)				★ A Cookie Cutter...	
HGTV	63	69	26	48	44	Love It or List It		Love It or List It		Love It or List It		H.Hunt	House (N)	H.Hunt	House	Love It or List It	
HISTORY	71	59	29	50	43	Ancient Aliens		Ancient Aliens		Doomsday (N)		Doomsday (N)		(:05) Doomsday		(:05) Ancient Aliens	
LIFETIME	28	30	25	28	48	Grey's Anatomy "Elevator Love Letter"		Grey's Anatomy "Sweet Surrender"		Grey's Anatomy		Grey's Anatomy		Grey's Anatomy		Grey's Anatomy "Sweet Surrender"	
MSNBC	47	53		49	73	Hardball		All in With C. Hayes		Rachel Maddow		Hardball		All in With C. Hayes		Rachel Maddow	
NBCSN	38	43				NCAA Football Yale at Columbia Site: Wien Stadium -- Manhattan, N.Y. (L)							NASCAR Auto Racing			Grudge	Grudge
NICK	55	-	39	34	37	Rank the	★ Open Season 3 Dana Sylor.			★ Garfield: The Movie			F.House	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends
SPIKE	30	-	55	53	58	(5:00) ★ Thirteen Gh...		★ ★★ Stephen King's It (1990, Horror) Richard Thomas, Annette O'Toole, John Ritter.								★ Thirteen Ghosts	
SYFY	66	82	41	57	67	(5:00) ★ ★★★ Angels and Demons				Z Nation (N)			Van Hel. "For Me" (N)		Z Nation		Channel Zero
TBS	25	33	44	66	41	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	E.League "League Special" (N)		★★★ The Matrix (1999, Action) Laurence Fishburne, Carrie-Anne Moss, Keanu Reeves.			
TCM	41	75	24	63	66	(5:30) ★ Harrigan's...		★ ★★★ Dracula Bela Lugosi.			★ ★★ The Mummy				★ The Invisible Man (1933) ★ The Wolf M...		
TELE	20	-	10	20		Caso cerrado		Silvana Sin Lana		Sin Senos Si Hay Par		Señora acero		Al rojo	Tinieblas	Sin Senos Si Hay Par	
TLC	51	61	32	38	52	A Haunting "Ashes to Evil"		A Haunting "Ghost Confession"		A Haunting "Immortal Love" (N)		Kindred Spirits "Shoebox Murder" (N)		(:05) A Haunting "Immortal Love"		(:05) Kindred Spirits "Shoebox Murder"	
TNT	24	34	40	26	50	Bones "The Man in the Bear"		★ ★★ Godzilla Godzilla has awoken once again to regain the balance of nature offset by humanity.						★★★ Transformers Two alien robot tribes battling for supremacy come to Earth seeking an energy source.			
TVLAND	49	-	35	54	35	Griffith	A. Griffith	Griffith	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens
USA	26	55	42	27	49	Modern Family	Modern "Australia"	Modern "Sleeper"	Modern Family	Modern Family	Modern Family	Modern Family	Modern Family	Modern Family	Modern Family	Chrisley Knows	Chrisley Knows
WGN	19	85				Person of Interest "Nothing to Hide"		Person of Interest "Lady Killer"		Person of Interest "Reasonable Doubt"		★★ The Matrix Reloaded Keanu Reeves. Neo and rebel leaders have 72 hours to stop an army of machines sent to destroy humankind.					

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PRO GOLF SCORES

HSBC Champions

Thursday
At Sheshan International Golf Club
Shanghai
Purse: $8.5 million
Yardage: 7,201; Par: 72 (36-36)
First Round

Rikard Karlberg	31-33—64
Rickie Fowler	34-31—65
Daniel Berger	34-32—66
Russell Knox	34-32—66
Hideki Matsuyama	33-33—66
Bill Haas	33-34—67
Paul Casey	34-33—67
Francesco Molinari	34-33—67
Dean Burmester	37-31—68
Xinjun Zhang	33-35—68
Alex Noren	33-35—68
Richard Bland	33-35—68
Sergio Garcia	35-33—68
Chris Wood	36-33—69
Henrik Stenson	35-34—69
George Coetzee	36-33—69
Ross Fisher	33-36—69
Lee Westwood	34-35—69
Adilson Costti	35-34—69
Tyrrell Hatton	35-35—70
Jason Kokrak	34-36—70
Kevin Chappell	37-33—70
Thongchai Jaidee	36-34—70
Thomas Pieters	36-35—71
J.B. Holmes	38-33—71
Gary Woodland	38-33—71
Ryan Moore	36-35—71
Justin Thomas	34-37—71
Pablo Cabrera Bello	35-36—71
Louis Oosthuizen	36-35—71
Bernd Wiesberger	35-36—71
Rory McIlroy	35-36—71
Bubba Watson	34-37—71
Hul-Lin Zhang	36-36—72
Jordan Zunic	34-38—72
Martin Kaymer	36-36—72
Kevin Kisner	33-39—72
Miguel Tabuena	34-38—72
Emiliano Grillo	34-38—72
Wenchong Liang	36-36—72
Bradley Dredge	37-35—72
Joost Luiten	36-36—72
Matthew Fitzpatrick	35-37—72
Matthew Millar	35-37—72
Alexander Levy	36-36—72
Chief Schwartzel	34-38—72
Scott Hend	34-38—72
Matt Kuchar	37-35—72
Ashun Wu	36-37—73
Haotong Li	35-38—73
Hideto Tanihara	37-36—73
Sean O'Hair	39-34—73
Brooks Koepka	36-37—73
Roberto Castro	36-37—73
Soren Kjeldsen	36-37—73
Brendan Grace	36-37—73
Byeong Hun an	39-35—74
Gregory Bourdy	38-36—74
Danny Willett	33-41—74
Si Woo Kim	35-39—74
Dustin Johnson	37-37—74
Shane Lowry	36-38—74
K.T. Kim	35-39—74
Kevin Na	37-38—75
Nathan Holman	38-37—75
Younghan Song	37-38—75
Andrew Johnston	35-40—75
Soomin Lee	37-38—75
Jacques Blaauw	36-39—75
Richard Sterne	37-40—77
Zecheng Dou	39-38—77
Marcus Fraser	39-38—77
Patrick Reed	41-37—78
Jimmy Walker	38-40—78
Shih-chang Chan	39-41—79
Scott Piercy	39-40—79
Jonathan Vegas	39-40—79
Michelle Wie	31-35—66
Anna Nordqvist	33-34—67
Karine Icher	35-32—67
Daniela Darg	34-33—67
Ariya Jutanugarn	32-36—68
Brittany Lincicome	34-34—68
Ha Na Jang	34-35—69
Kim Kaufman	35-34—69
Nontaya Srisawang	35-34—69
Jodi Ewart Shadoff	32-37—69
Maude-Aimee Leblanc	34-35—69
Beatriz Recari	35-34—69
Lee-Anne Pace	33-36—69
Brooke M. Henderson	35-35—70
Stacy Lewis	33-37—70
Candie Kung	35-35—70
Haru Nomura	34-36—70
Mi Jung Hur	35-35—70
Mirim Lee	33-37—70
Gerina Piller	36-34—70
Paula Reto	35-35—70
Tiffany Joh	34-36—70
Jessica Korda	35-36—71
Lydia Ko	36-35—71
Brittany Lang	32-39—71
Cariota Ciganda	36-35—71
Pornanong Phatlum	34-37—71
Aditi Ashok	33-38—71
Charley Hull	34-37—71
Alena Sharp	36-35—71
Yani Tseng	36-35—71
Kris Tamulis	33-38—71
Jean Chua	34-37—71
Ai Miyazato	36-35—71
Sydnee Michaels	36-35—71
Moriya Jutanugarn	35-37—72
Christina Kim	36-36—72
Caroline Masson	36-36—72
Eun-Hee Ji	37-35—72
Annie Park	34-38—72
Kelly Tan	35-37—72
Paula Creamer	35-37—72
So Yeon Ryu	33-39—72
Gaby Lopez	37-35—72
Pernilla Lindberg	36-37—72
Sakura Yokomine	37-35—72
Jennifer Song	36-36—72
Chella Choi	34-39—73
Sarah Jane Smith	37-36—73
Michelle Koh	36-37—73
Kelly W Shon	37-36—73
Maniago Uribe	35-38—73
a-Ashley Lau	37-36—73
Ryann O'Toole	37-36—73
Ayako Uehara	36-37—73
Sandra Gal	37-37—74
Megan Khang	35-39—74
Hee Young Park	36-38—74
Amit Johani Bakar	37-38—75
Nur Durriyah	38-37—75
Catriona Matthew	34-41—75
Mi Hyang Lee	39-36—75
Na Yeon Choi	36-39—75
Katie Burnett	38-38—76
Jing Yan	39-37—76
Lee Lopez	38-39—77
Aretha Pan	37-40—77
a-Winnie Ng	37-41—78
Cheyenne Woods	38-40—78
a-Natasha Andrea Oon	41-39—80
Laura Davies	40-40—80

Associated Press

The United States' Rickie Fowler chooses his club during the 2016 WGC-HSBC Champions golf tournament at the Sheshan International Golf Club in Shanghai, China, on Thursday.

Jeunghun Wang	38-44—82

Sanderson Farms Championship

Thursday
At Country Club of Jackson
Jackson, Miss.
Purse: $4.2 million
Yardage: 7,421; Par 72 (36-36)
First Round

Kevin Streelman	32-31—63
Trey Mullinax	33-32—65
Seamus Power	33-32—65
Carl Pettersson	34-31—65
Lucas Glover	35-31—66
Camilo Villegas	34-32—66
Hiroshi Iwata	33-33—66
Daisy Pride	31-35—66
Graham DeLaet	32-34—66
Jonathan Byrd	34-32—66
Rob Oppenheim	32-34—66
Chris Kirk	33-34—67
Greg Owen	33-34—67
Matt Atkins	35-32—67
Grayson Murray	33-35—67
Sebastian Munoz	31-36—67
Rod Pampling	31-36—67
Seung-Yul Noh	35-32—67
Andres Romero	33-34—67
J.T. Poston	33-34—67
Brendan Steele	33-34—67
Ryan Armour	33-34—67
Xander Schauffele	33-34—67
Cameron Smith	35-32—67
J.J. Henry	35-33—68
Michael Putnam	33-35—68
Ryan Blaum	35-33—68
Nicholas Lindheim	35-33—68
Tommy Gainey	35-33—68
Mackenzie Hughes	35-33—68
Steve Wheatcroft	35-33—68
Jerry Kelly	34-34—68
Nick Taylor	35-33—68
D.A. Points	33-35—68
Chad Campbell	35-33—68
Jonathan Randolph	34-34—68
Bobby Shelton	34-34—68
Eric Axley	36-33—69
Cameron Percy	36-33—69
Rory Sabbatini	34-35—69
Greg Chalmers	34-35—69
Scott Langley	36-33—69
Mark Wilson	36-33—69
Steven Alker	31-38—69
Bobby Wyatt	33-36—69
Gonzalo Fdez-Castano	33-36—69
Russell Henley	34-35—69
Tim Petrovic	34-35—69
Ryan Brehm	34-35—69
Kevin Tway	33-37—69
Scott Stallings	33-37—70
Tag Ridings	35-35—70
Shawn Stefani	35-35—70
Ben Martin	35-35—70
Ian Poulter	34-36—70
Julian Etulain	36-34—70
Tom Hoge	35-35—70
Miguel Angel Carballo	35-35—70
Brendon Todd	36-34—70
Troy Merritt	36-34—70
George McNeill	33-37—70
Bill Lunde	34-36—70
Robert Allenby	34-36—70
Peron Kizzire	36-34—70
Andres Gonzales	35-35—70
Aaron Wise	35-35—70
Zack Sucher	37-33—70
Stephen Jaeger	34-36—70
Ben Crane	34-37—71
Arjun Atwal	34-37—71
Luke List	37-34—71
Dominic Bozzelli	34-37—71
Angel Cabrera	36-35—71
Marc Turnesa	37-34—71
Craig Barlow	33-38—71
Bob Sowards	35-36—71
Wayne Barber	35-36—71
Peter Malnati	35-36—71

LPGA Tour

Thursday
At TPC Kuala Lumpur - East Course
Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
Purse: $1.3 million
Yardage: 6,346; Par: 71 (35-36)
First Round
(a-amateur)

Amy Yang	31-32—63
Minjee Alis	32-33—65
Shanshan Feng	31-35—66
Suzann Pettersen	31-35—66
Azahara Munoz	33-33—66
Jenny Shin	31-35—66
Mo Martin	34-32—66

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LEVEL

For each of the words below, replace one letter with the letter after the plus sign. Then rearrange the letters to spell a Marvel comic film hero.

INTERWOVE+L

DELIVERED+A

STALKER+E

REPRIMAND+S

Yesterday's Answer: ABIDER, SEWAGE, BEAVER, BEVIES

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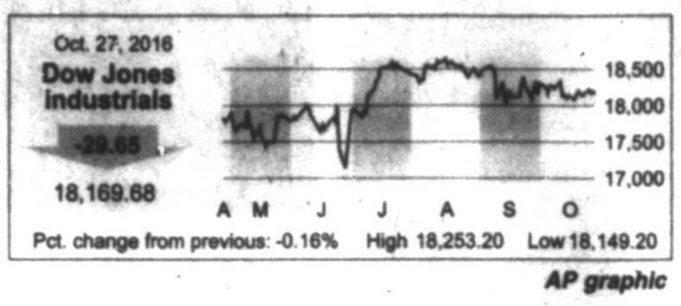
A DAY ON WALL STREET



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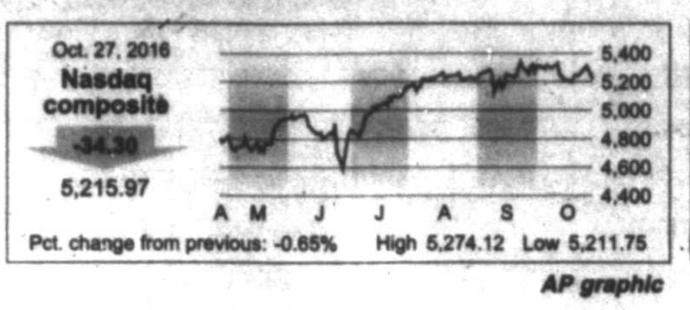

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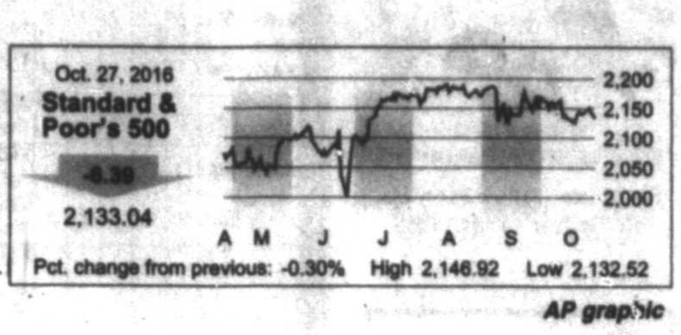

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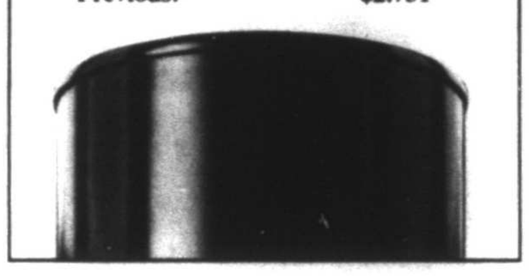

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Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
BioMrn	950780	16.91	+.04
AK Steel	886875	5.14	-.36
S&P500ETF	884632	213.17	-.57
Twitter	583834	17.40	+.11
CrntyHlt	564751	5.05	-4.98

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
OcwenFn	4.12	+.60	+17.0
SJW	51.09	+6.44	+14.4
BootBarn	12.50	+1.50	+13.6
BldBear	11.95	+1.30	+12.2
Regis Cp	13.13	+1.30	+11.0

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
CrntyHlt	5.05	-4.98	-49.7
CarboCer	7.17	-2.61	-26.7
GNC	15.13	-5.01	-24.9
Stoneridg	14.28	-3.95	-21.7
AMEC FW	5.63	-1.47	-20.7

Diary

Advanced	820
Declined	2,163
Unchanged	118
Total issues	3,101
New Highs	70
New Lows	77
Volume	4,056,528,487

AMEX

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
NwGold g	54488	3.78	-.13
SynergyRs	35206	7.24	-.17
BQgold g	30237	2.73	-.07
TherapMD	24349	5.85	-.34
CheniereEn	23259	39.47	-.15

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
YumaEn rs	3.38	+1.18	+53.6
BoviesMed	5.54	+.89	+19.1
Can-Fite	2.50	+.17	+7.3
IncOpR	7.65	+.39	+5.4
CRH Med	4.79	+.24	+5.3

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Innsuites	2.10	-.15	-6.6
NthnO&G	2.15	-.15	-6.5
StrPathCm	25.86	-1.75	-6.3
VoltionRX	4.57	-.30	-6.2
TherapMD	5.85	-.34	-5.5

Diary

Advanced	108
Declined	240
Unchanged	27
Total issues	375
New Highs	1
New Lows	9
Volume	73,892,561

NASDAQ

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
SiriusXM	1047984	4.11	-.13
Groupon	429230	4.10	-.16
NXP Semi	309282	99.08	-.42
Qualcom	304457	70.09	-1.89
Apple Inc	279274	114.48	-1.11

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
PCM Inc	23.96	+5.38	+29.0
TTM Tch	13.64	+2.28	+20.1
PsychmCp	22.94	+3.27	+16.6
Wilhelmina	10.95	+1.53	+16.2
RushEntA	26.01	+3.38	+14.9

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Proteos n	8.51	-4.34	-33.8
ReWalkRob	3.20	-1.25	-28.1
Tronc	12.27	-4.73	-27.8
Groupon	4.10	-1.16	-22.1
TheravBio	26.55	-6.43	-19.5

Diary

Advanced	924
Declined	1,816
Unchanged	230
Total issues	2,970
New Highs	67
New Lows	120
Volume	1,839,971,946

More changes await Twitter users as service tries to grow

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Twitter users are bound to see changes as the beleaguered service favored by journalists, celebrities, politicians and cranks tries to broaden its appeal and attract advertisers.

That's whether it gets a new owner or not.

On Thursday, Twitter announced one immediate change: It's shutting down its once-pioneering video-sharing app Vine, which has been eclipsed by the likes of Snapchat and Instagram.

What else might be in the works? For now, think tons of small tweaks rather than a 180-degree turn. In a conference call discussing the San Francisco-company's quarterly earnings, an analyst asked CEO Jack Dorsey if there were any plans for big, revolutionary product changes.

For now, it's looking like Twitter will stay an independent company, despite months of rumors to the contrary. But a new owner could still swoop in, and depending on who it is, could clean up Twitter and curb some of the nastiness that's become synonymous with it. Or perhaps a new owner would just show more ads. Or let it languish while it mines the best of what Twitter now has into its existing products and services.

All of this is speculation, of course, and there might not even be a new owner. Twitter's stock has plunged after rumored bidders are, well, rumored to be no longer interested. On Thursday, the company announced that it would cut 9 percent of its workforce globally as its revenue growth slowed.

While its adjusted earnings beat Wall Street expectations, it reported a loss of almost $103 million before one-time charges and costs are removed.

A new parent — whether that's Google (huh?), Salesforce (who?) or Disney (hmm...) — could inject fresh life into a 10-year-old company that's never turned a profit and remains confounding to many people. Of course, none of these potential suitors have acknowledged interest in Twitter, let alone their plans for it. Even if Twitter stays independent, drastic changes to its service might just be what Twitter needs to be competitive with Facebook, Instagram and Snapchat.

How might it change?

Twitter becomes more like its new owner, if there is one

Facebook's absorption of Instagram and WhatsApp in recent years could offer clues. Both services have kept separate identities, to an extent, and have experienced user growth. But slowly, they are acquiring Facebook-like features. For example, Instagram no longer presents feeds chronologically; they are now sorted much like Facebook's news feed, using some secret formula known only to Facebook.

Though the change has turned off some early Instagram users, its user base has soared, to 500 million as of June. That's nearly 200 million more than Twitter, even though Instagram is three years younger. As Instagram gets more users and a mainstream appeal, its content has diluted somewhat. But many of the street photographers, graffiti artists and tween mini-celebrities who made Instagram what it is are still there — maybe just harder to find.

Stays the same but with more ads

Twitter has never turned a profit, and whoever buys it will need to fix this. That means boosting the user base, so advertisers would follow. That also could mean better targeting, so that ad rates go up.

Google, anyone? The search giant is the leader in online ads. Imagine what its might and muscle could do to Twitter's ad business. YouTube hardly had any ads when Google bought it; now, ads are so prevalent that YouTube is able to charge $10 a month for an ad-free version called Red.

Instagram has also inserted ads into users' feeds of perfectly composed snapshots featuring everything from cappuccino foam to seafoam. It started out slowly with a carefully curated ad here and there, but today you're not likely to avoid ads when opening the app.

A tool for brands, not revolution

Jonathan Cowperthwait, a Twitter user since 2008, said he'd be worried if Google bought Twitter because the online search giant "is the worst" at social services that aim to foster online interactions, beyond email. Its Google Plus service never took off; Orkut and Dodgeball closed. Cowperthwait said that rather than let Twitter live independently, Google might "try to shoehorn it back into their own social product."

Salesforce, a company that provides internet services to businesses, has also been mentioned as a contender, leading to a lot of head-scratching among users. Would Twitter become a business product, used for customer service and marketing instead of revolutions, neo-Nazi memes and political outbursts?

The little bird falls out of the nest

Remember MySpace? It was *the* social network before Facebook came along. News Corp., the stodgy media conglomerate, bought it for $580 million in 2005. But users started falling off as MySpace failed to keep up with Facebook's speedy innovations. After layoffs and failed relaunches, News Corp. sold the fallen giant for $35 million in 2011, and that was just about the end of it.

It's not unthinkable that Twitter could suffer the same fate under a big media company.

Stocks slip further

U.S. stocks slipped for the third consecutive day Thursday as media and defense companies skidded. Bond yields climbed to their highest levels since May, which helped banks and hurt stocks that pay big dividends.

Stocks started the day higher and were flat at midday, then gradually slid through the afternoon. Cable and TV companies and publishers sank, and industrial companies like Raytheon and L-3 Communications fell after reporting weak results.

Bond prices fell and yields climbed. That helped banks, since they'll earn more from lending as interest rates rise. It also sent high-dividend stocks like utilities and real estate companies lower as bonds become more appealing to investors seeking income.

Scott Kimball, co-portfolio manager of the BMO TCH Core Plus Bond Fund, said investors believe that central banks will cut back on bond buying. In recent days that's sent prices lower and yields higher.

The Dow Jones industrial average fell 29.65 points, or 0.2 percent, to 18,169.68. The Standard & Poor's 500 index sank 6.39 points, or 0.3 percent, to 2,133.04. The Nasdaq composite lost 34.29 points, or 0.7 percent, to 5,215.97.

Metal prices rise

The price of gold rose $2.90 to $1,269.50 an ounce. Silver rose 1 cent to $17.64 an ounce. Copper picked up 2 cents to $2.16 a pound.

MIDLAND STOCKS

Midland-Headquartered Publicly Traded Companies

Clayton Williams Energy (CWEI)
Closing Price $88.94 Down 2.61

Concho Resources (CXO)
Closing Price $133.65 Down 0.39

Dawson Geophysical (DWSN)
Closing Price $6.93 Up 0.02

Diamondback Energy (FANG)
Closing Price $96.78 Up 0.73

Legacy Reserves (LGCY)
Closing Price $1.74 Up 0.01

Mexco Energy (MXC)
Closing Price $4.80 Up 0.08

Natural Gas Services Group (NGS)
Closing Price $22.25 Down 0.30

RSP Permian (RSPP)
Closing Price $37.87 Down 0.35

Ring Energy (REI)
Closing Price $10.02 Down 0.02

Viper Energy Partners (VNOM)
Closing Price $15.71 Up 0.10

HOW STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST FARED

Name	Div	PE	Last	Chg	YTD %Chg
AK Steel		15	5.14	.36	-129.5
AT&T Inc	1.96f	14	36.52	+.09	+6.1
Abraxas	...	...	1.74	**+.03**	**+64.2**
AdaDvsEq	**.92e**	...	**12.89**	**-.05**	**+.5**
AMD			7.11	.18	+147.7
AkonUSA	.60		8.10	.12	-45.4
Amgen	**4.00**	**15**	**160.57**	**+1.58**	**-1.1**
Anadarko	**.20**	...	**61.42**	**+.52**	**+26.4**
Apache	**1.00**	...	**61.70**	**+.02**	**+38.7**
Apple Inc	2.28	14	114.48	-1.11	+8.8
ApldMatl	**.40**	**23**	**20.86**	**+.01**	**+54.6**
Archrock	.38		11.65	.25	+54.9
AstraZen s	1.40e	14	28.54	-1.05	-15.9
ATMOS	**1.68**	**22**	**71.86**	**-.52**	**+14.0**
AutoData	2.12	26	86.66	.53	+2.3
BP PLC	**2.40e**	...	**36.00**	**+.15**	**+15.2**
BakrHu	.68		54.55	.21	+18.2
BkofAm	.30f	13	16.91	+.04	+.5
B iPVxST rs			32.04	+.57	
BaringsCp s	1.20		17.18	+.01	-.4
BasicEnSv			.36	-.04	-86.6
BerkHa A	...	**142**	**166820.00**	**+980.00**	**+9.6**
BillHillsCp	**1.68**	**20**	**60.42**	**-.05**	**+30.1**
BostonSci	...	46	21.49	-.60	+16.5
BrMySq	**1.52**	**36**	**51.96**	**+2.67**	**-24.5**
BrownFA s	...	**30**	**47.79**	**-.19**	...
BrownFB s	...	...	**45.46**	**-.01**	**-9.8**
CVS Health	1.70f	17	87.19	-.38	-10.8
Caterpillar	3.08	23	83.01	-1.12	+22.1
Celestic g		10	11.95	+.13	+8.3
CntryLink	2.16	13	31.00	+2.75	+23.2
ChesEng			6.08	+.08	+35.1
Chevron	**4.28**	...	**99.92**	**-1.27**	**+11.1**
Chicos	.32	69	11.74	.24	+10.0
Cimarex	.32	...	133.10	-.62	+48.9
Cisco	1.04	14	30.38	-.17	+12.7
Citigroup	.64	14	49.93	-.08	-3.5
ClayEng	...	...	**88.94**	**-2.61**	**+200.8**
CliffsNRs	...	12	5.07	-1.13	+220.9
CocaCola	**1.40**	**26**	**42.12**	**-.32**	**-2.0**
ColgPalm	**1.56**	**25**	**70.57**	**-.89**	**+5.9**
ComcastA	1.10	19	61.48	-1.08	+9.4
CmlyHR	...	10	5.05	-4.98	-76.9
ConAgra	**1.00**	**27**	**47.46**	**-.34**	**+12.5**

Name	Div	PE	Last	Chg	YTD %Chg
ConchoRes	...	**79**	**133.65**	**-.39**	**+43.9**
ConocoPhil	1.00	...	**44.00**	**+2.20**	**-5.8**
CrackerB	4.60	18	133.19	+1.15	+5.0
CSVInvNG			5.86	-.05	-53.2
CSVelfVST			39.35	-.66	+52.5
CrosTim	**1.11e**	**12**	**18.50**	**+.13**	**+42.2**
DCP Mid	3.12	20	34.31	-.31	-39.1
DTE	2.92	21	93.69	-.21	+16.8
Dataram rs			1.06	.06	-46.5
DevonE	**.24**	...	**40.46**	**+.26**	**+26.4**
DrGMBll s			11.38	-1.09	
DxGBull s			12.79	-.68	
Disney	**1.42**	**16**	**94.02**	**+.53**	**-10.5**
DowChm	**1.84**	**18**	**54.56**	**+.80**	**+6.0**
EOG Resc	**.67**	...	**91.74**	**-.40**	**+29.6**
EmpDist	**1.04**	**23**	**34.30**	**+.04**	**+22.2**
Energen	.08		53.58	+.70	+30.7
EngyTsfr	4.22		35.22	-1.09	+4.4
EnPro	**.84**	**39**	**54.20**	**-.10**	**+23.6**
EntProdPt	1.62f	20	28.07	.39	+1.9
Ericsson	.46e		4.94	-.10	-48.6
ExxonMbl	**3.00**	**34**	**86.92**	**-.17**	**+11.5**
Facebook		46	129.69	-1.35	+23.9
FiatChrys			7.20	+.25	-21.7
FordM	.60a	5	11.74	-.14	-16.7
FrptMcM			10.69	+.11	+57.9
FrontierCm	.42	60	4.17	+.08	-10.7
GATX	**1.60**	**7**	**44.24**	**-.41**	**+4.0**
GNC	.80	5	15.13	-5.01	-51.2
GabMultT	**.94e**	...	**7.55**	**-.02**	**+.7**
GAInv	**1.15e**	...	**31.72**	**-.03**	**-.7**
GenElec	**.92**	**26**	**28.63**	**-.24**	**-8.1**
GenMotors	1.52	6	31.33	-.25	-7.9
Genworth		...	4.31	**-.13**	**+15.5**
GtPlainEn	**1.05**	**17**	**28.01**	**-.08**	**+2.6**
Groupon		...	4.10	-1.16	+33.6
HP Inc	.50	7	13.99	+.08	+18.2
Hallibrtn	**.72**	...	**47.55**	**-.07**	**+39.7**
HuntBncsh	.32f	15	10.75	+.05	-2.8
iShBrazil	1.03e	...	37.77	-.07	+82.6
iShChinaLC	.76e	...	37.26	-.39	+5.6
iShEMMkts	.84e	...	37.08	-.32	+15.2
iShBndHYB	5.09	...	66.70	-.32	+7.6
iShR2K	1.77e	...	118.36	-1.37	+5.1

Name	Div	PE	Last	Chg	YTD %Chg
ImmuneP h			.26	+.07	-65.1
Intel	**1.04**	**16**	**34.81**	**-.11**	**+1.0**
InterDig	1.20f	20	69.55	-11.09	+41.8
ItauUnibH	.32e		11.58	+.14	+78.2
JPMorgCh	1.92	12	69.23	+.10	+5.5
JohnJn	**3.20**	**18**	**115.70**	**+1.14**	**+12.6**
Keycorp	.34	14	14.27	+.09	+8.2
KimbClk	**3.68**	**19**	**113.82**	**+.16**	**-10.6**
KindMorg	.50	48	20.97	-.52	+40.5
LegacyRes	.60m		1.74	+.01	-.6
LevelG		5	51.87	+4.95	-4.6
Lubys	...	...	**4.23**	...	**-5.4**
MarathnO	.20	...	13.95	-.30	+10.8
McDnlds	3.78f	21	112.08	-.03	-5.1
Merck	1.84	18	61.29	+.42	+16.0
MeritMed	...	**29**	**21.95**	**-.80**	**+18.1**
MexcoEn			4.80	+.08	+48.6
MicronT			17.53	-.11	+23.8
Microsoft	1.56f	25	60.10	-.53	+8.3
NXP Semi			99.08	+.42	+17.6
Nabors	.24		12.04	-.23	+41.5
NatGrid	**3.36e**	...	**64.86**	**+.20**	**-6.7**
NOVArco	.20	18	33.70	-2.86	+.6
NokiaCp	.30e	...	4.73	-.43	-32.6
NSTFI3	**.55e**	...	**14.79**	**-.03**	**+1.7**
NTXCI	**.85**	...	**14.71**	**-.04**	**+1.9**
OcciPet	**3.04f**	...	**73.79**	**-.60**	**+9.1**
Oclaro		...	7.52	-.83	+116.1
OcwenFn		...	4.12	+.60	-40.9
PerTech	...	**42**	**5.47**	**-.08**	**-18.7**
ParkDri	...	...	**2.10**	**-.05**	**+15.4**
PetroTl	**.08**	...	**23.33**	**-.04**	**+64.7**
PennaRE	**.84**	...	**19.64**	**-.89**	**-10.2**
Prmian	.34e	20	6.95	+.05	+37.4
Petrobras	...	...	12.08	-.08	+180.9
Pfizer	**1.20**	**15**	**32.48**	**+.08**	**+.6**
PioNtrl	.08	55	182.67	-.36	+45.7
PlainsAAP	**2.20m**	**32**	**31.31**	**-.19**	**+35.5**
PwShs QQQ	1.52e	...	117.84	-.54	+5.3
Praxair	**3.00**	**22**	**116.06**	**-2.01**	**+13.8**
PrmEgy	...	...	**58.00**	...	**+8.4**
PUVixST rs		...	14.64	+.51	
ProctGam	**2.66**	**24**	**86.68**	**-.82**	**+9.6**
Qualcom	2.12	21	70.09	+1.89	+40.2
RangeRs	**.08**	...	**35.65**	**+.70**	**+44.9**

Name	Div	PE	Last	Chg	YTD %Chg
RegionsFn	.28f	14	10.84	+.09	+12.9
Rowan	.40	4	13.98	-.11	-17.5
RoyDShllA	3.76	77	50.52	+.44	+10.2
SpdrDJIA	3.98e	...	181.53	-.24	+4.3
S&P500ETF	4.13e	...	213.17	-.57	+4.6
SpdrLehHY	2.30	...	36.53	-.15	+7.7
SpdrOGEx	.73e	...	36.81	+.04	+21.8
SabrR	1.99e	14	36.93	-.04	+40.6
SanderFm	**.96f**	**14**	**87.51**	**+1.73**	**+12.9**
Schlmbrg	2.00	52	79.60	-.42	+14.1
SiriusXM	.01p	37	4.11	-.13	+1.0
SkylineMd h		...	.12	+.01	-96.0
Smucker	3.00f	18	129.28	-1.20	+4.8
SwstAirl	.40	10	39.24	+.84	-8.9
SwstnEngy	...	...	10.87	+.41	+52.9
Sprint	...	...	6.29	-.07	+73.8
SP CnSt	1.28e	...	52.45	-.24	+3.9
SP Engy	2.04e	...	69.46	-.26	+15.3
SPDR Fncl	.46e	...	19.86	+.05	+2.6
SP Util	1.55e	...	48.31	-.29	+11.6
SunocoLog	2.00f	...	26.59	+.14	+3.5
TelefEsp	**1.03e**	...	**9.81**	**-.05**	**-10.4**
Tesoro	2.20f	6	83.21	-1.12	-21.0
3M Co	**4.44**	**21**	**165.76**	**-.75**	**+10.0**
Torchmark	**.56**	**15**	**63.34**	**+.17**	**+11.1**
TriContl	**.82e**	...	**20.95**	**-.05**	**+4.6**

Name	Div	PE	Last	Chg	YTD %Chg
Twitter	...	...	17.40	+.11	-24.8
TylerTech	...	**57**	**161.05**	**-6.18**	**-7.6**
UndrArm s	...	61	31.40	-.41	...
UBSI	**1.32**	**19**	**37.08**	**+.38**	**+.2**
US OilFd	...	...	11.21	+.12	+1.9
USSteel	.20	...	19.52	-.57	+144.6
Vale SA	.29e	...	6.95	+.04	+111.2
Vale SA pf	.29e	...	6.53	-.05	+15k.1
ValeroE	2.40	9	58.81	-.71	-16.8
VanEGold	.12e	...	23.73	.40	+73.0
VanE JrGld	...	...	39.61	-1.20	+106.2
VangEmg	1.10e	...	37.66	-.29	+15.1
VerizonCm	2.31f	14	48.54	+.91	+5.0
Vulcanld	**.80**	**39**	**111.84**	**-.36**	**+17.8**
WEC Engy	1.98	20	58.29	-.54	+13.6
WalgBoots	1.50	19	82.16	-.14	-3.5
WeatherInt	...	...	5.34	-.40	-36.4
WellsFargo	**1.52**	**11**	**46.41**	**+.26**	**-14.6**
WDigital	**2.00**	**15**	**59.58**	**+3.06**	**-.8**
WstnRefin	1.52	11	29.21	-.70	-18.0
WhitingPet	...	...	8.73	+.46	-7.5
WmsCos	**.80m**	...	**29.36**	**-.20**	**+14.2**
XcelEngy	**1.36**	**19**	**40.44**	**-.18**	**+12.6**
Xerox	**.31**	**12**	**9.67**	**-.08**	**-10.0**
Yamana g	**.02m**	...	**3.60**	**-.08**	**+93.5**

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18,868.44	15,450.56	Dow Jones Industrials	18,169.68	-29.65	-.16	+4.27	+2.33
8,358.20	6,403.31	Dow Jones Transportation	8,014.96	+47.94	+.60	+6.74	-1.51
723.83	547.22	Dow Jones Utilities	690.07	-3.35	-.51	+14.23	+14.23
10,903.86	8,937.99	NYSE Composite	10,503.06	-25.13	-.24	+3.55	+.05
5,342.98	4,209.76	Nasdaq Composite	5,215.97	-34.30	-.65	+4.16	+2.79
2,193.81	1,810.10	S&P 500	2,133.04	-6.39	-.30	+4.36	+2.09
1,581.53	1,215.14	S&P Midcap	1,501.05	-13.81	-.91	+7.33	+3.82
22,765.41	18,482.43	Wilshire 5000	22,122.89	-93.81	-.42	+4.51	+1.76
1,263.46	943.03	Russell 2000	1,189.94	-14.80	-1.23	+4.76	+2.09

TODAY: Sunny	SATURDAY: Sunny	SUNDAY: Sunny	MONDAY: Sunny	TUESDAY: Sunny	WEDNESDAY: Sunny
High: 86 Low: 60	High: 88 Low: 59	High: 87 Low: 61	High: 89 Low: 60	High: 86 Low: 61	High: 80 Low: 60

Local forecast

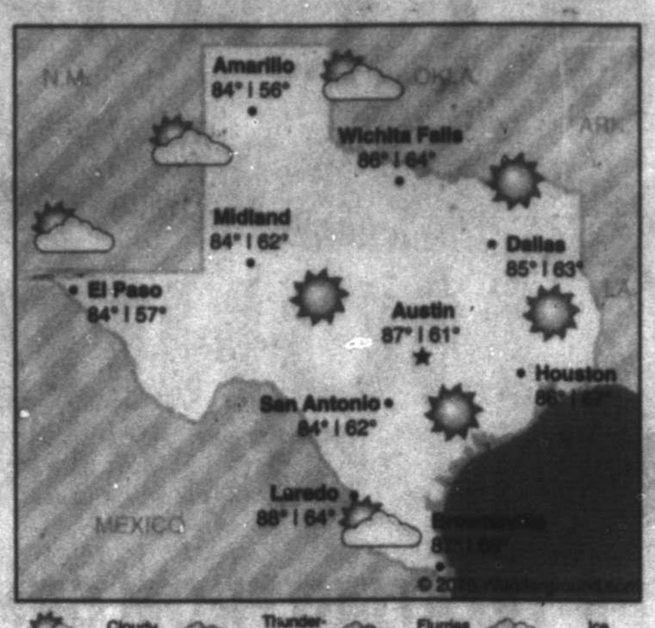
Forecasted highs continue in the upper 80s through Tuesday, according to the National Weather Service. There isn't precipitation expected until Wednesday, when there is a slight chance of showers and thunderstorms.

The record high for Oct. 27 is 90, set in 2014 and 1988. The record low is 31, set in 1997. On Oct. 27 of last year, the high was 82 and the low was 46.

National weather

A low pressure system brought rain and snow to the Northeast on Thursday, while a trough of low pressure generated wet weather along the West Coast.

An area of low pressure moved east northeastward across the Midwest and the lower Great Lakes. This system ushered a mixture of rain, freezing rain and high elevation snow over the eastern edge of the Midwest, the northern Mid-Atlantic and southern New England. Winter weather advisories were issued for eastern New York and northeast Pennsylvania. Freezing rain advisories were also issued in northeast Pennsylvania and northwest New Jersey. Wantage, N.J., reported a midday total of 0.1/2 of an inch of ice.



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Precipitation	
Wednesday	0.00 in.
Thursday	0.00 in.
Month total	0.31 in.
Year total	12.76 in.
Normal total (year to date)	13.16 in.

Thursday's temperatures	
High	85
Low	54
Normal high	74
Normal low	48
Sunrise	8:02 a.m.
Sunset	7:02 p.m.

National forecast

Forecast highs for Friday, Oct. 28

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Man's house isn't big enough for wife's many grandchildren

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 been with my wife for 16 years. She has a grown daughter who's the mother of eight kids, but she only has five with her at this time.

My problem is, the daughter got evicted, and all of a sudden she brought her belongings to the house. She didn't ask or anything, she just showed up with the five kids and they are driving me up the wall. I already have two adolescent kids, so seven ain't heaven.

I have tried to talk with my wife, but she doesn't listen. I'm fed up, Abby, and I'm looking for other accommodations. They have been here for two weeks and — by the way — my sons are now in school while her five are running wild in the house. Am I wrong for leaving? — NEEDS MY OWN SPACE

DEAR NEEDS: Not in my book. Your mistake was in letting your wife's daughter's eviction become your problem. I don't know whose name is on the lease or title to your place, but it's time to discuss this with an attorney. If you don't, you may have more trouble getting the woman and her brood out of there in the future.

DEAR ABBY: My friend whom I have known since we were 8-year-olds (we're now in our 50s) is driving me bonkers. She has started drinking a lot and hanging out with younger people and dating younger guys. I have loaned her quite a bit of money because she can barely get by. I don't drink, and I hate seeing what she's doing to herself. I think she is having trouble with the aging process.

She has now started to embarrass me when she drinks in public. She doesn't handle it well and relies on me to get her out of sticky situations. I'm really tired of all this. I have told her how I feel, but she knows I'll come to her rescue. — TIRED GUARDIAN ANGEL

DEAR TIRED: Draw the line. Tell her you are her friend, but not her chaperone, and you will socialize with her only if she limits her intake to nonalcoholic beverages. One of the signs of alcoholism is when the drinking interferes with the drinker's relationships — and clearly, this is what's happening. Do not allow her to continue making her drinking your problem because you cannot control it. Only she can do that.

DEAR ABBY: At holiday time, my husband's family takes a photo of all the brothers and sisters and insists that the spouses not be included in the photo. The first time it happened, I thought it was rude, but after 40 years, I have gotten used to it. However, my daughter-in-law, who is new to the family, was hurt by it. Am I wrong in thinking this is rude? — IN OR OUT OF THE PICTURE

DEAR IN OR OUT: I don't think you're wrong. When people are excluded, they don't feel accepted as part of the family — and they're right. Are more photos taken that include all family members including husbands, wives and children? And if not, why would the spouses tolerate it for 40 years without speaking up?

JACQUELINE BIGAR'S STARS

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

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Friday, Oct. 28, 2016:

This year you enjoy breaking past established barriers. You feel much more fortunate than you have in many years. Take a hard look at your life and let go of what no longer works. You are preparing for a new life and luck cycle that will begin in a year. If you are single, you meet a lot of people, but you keep stumbling into situations where someone is not there for you or has other commitments. This, too, will pass. If you are attached, you could destroy the bond if you don't make a point to cherish it. Make special time for your sweetie. LIBRA often whispers secrets in your ear.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★★ Others might appear to be unusually agreeable, until you discover that you are on a collision course with an authority figure. Discuss the issue, and allow the other party to reveal his or her thoughts; otherwise, you'll hit a dead end. Tonight: Make the most of the moment.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★ You might have an abnormal amount of work and responsibilities pending. Dive right in, and you will be able to clear out the majority of it today. Reach out to a friend who might offer to pitch in. This person wants you to join him or her as soon as you can! Tonight: Go for something mellow.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★★ You can't prevent moments of daydreaming from entering your life today. You might be anxious for the weekend to arrive. A relationship also seems to be building in importance. A close loved one appears to be quite serious. Tonight: The only answer is "yes."

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★ If you can work from home, do. You could see a problem with an associate or a loved one as a power play. You might not be sure whether you want to get into this struggle. Know that the only way to win a power play is not to play. Tonight: How about moving TGIF to your place?

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★★ You could be busy sharing news with many different people from all walks of life. You might be too serious for one person, yet not serious enough for someone else. Understand that you won't be able to please everyone. Do not fight city hall. Tonight: Embrace the weekend!

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★ You might not be aware of just how possessive you can be when it comes to a particular part of a project that you consider to be "your baby." Loosen up and get past this attitude, especially if you want to move on and accomplish what you want. Tonight: Make it your treat.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★ You could be in the midst of an emotionally volatile situation and not know it. Your upbeat attitude might prevent you from picking up on what is happening with a difficult person. Understand what is going on behind the scenes. Tonight: Get into the weekend ritual.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★★ You won't want to be bothered by everything that is going on around you. You seem to be in a mood where you think that living in a closed-off world would make you happy, and you actually might decide to give it a shot. Tonight: Far away from the raving crowd.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★★ Loosen up, and don't take others so seriously. You will lighten up and have a better time than you might have thought possible. Reveal more of your caring nature. Use caution with any money offers, as financial decisions are not favored. Tonight: Accept a friend's invitation.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★★ You have a way about you that opens up many situations, but you could be forced to approach a new problem differently. Refuse to get stuck in antiquated thinking. You might be overwhelmed by what you are hearing. Tonight: On a roll if you are out and about.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★★★ Reach out to someone at a distance in order to get a new perspective. Get past self-imposed limitations by speaking to a dynamic thinker who is open, respectful and circumspect in his or her comments. Tonight: Cheer on the weekend by trying a new activity.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★ Touch base with a dear friend who often adds to the moment; you'll feel more upbeat as a result. Fatigue could be a factor in the afternoon. Take a power nap. Return a friend's call. Note how this person is transforming in front of your eyes. Tonight: Throw yourself into the moment.

BORN TODAY

Actress Julia Roberts (1967), business magnate Bill Gates (1955), singer/songwriter Brad Paisley (1972)

GOREN BRIDGE

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Hope for the best

East-West vulnerable, South deals.

NORTH
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♣ A 10 8

WEST
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EAST
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♡ 10 5
◇ K 7 5 3
♣ 7 5 4

SOUTH
♠ K 7
♡ A K J 7 6 3
◇ 6 4
♣ K 9 3

The bidding:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1♡	Dbl	2NT*	Pass
4♡	All pass		

*Invitational raise in hearts, 3 or 4 trumps

Opening lead: Queen of ◇

Even when a contract appears hopeless, there is sometimes a play you can make that gives you some chance, even if that chance is a long shot. It's better than giving up.

South was not happy when he saw the dummy. The best chance for the contract was to find East with the ace of spades. The auction, however, suggested that West held that card. South started by ducking the opening diamond lead. East could have overtaken and fired back a spade, but that would have set up a diamond finesse for the jack and provided a club discard for declarer. West continued diamonds and declarer won with dummy's ace, ruffed a diamond, and then drew trumps in two rounds.

Rather than stake everything on a spade to the king, South cashed the ace and king of clubs, then exited with his last club, hoping for the best. His hope was that West started with five clubs, or both the queen and jack. Should that be the case, West would be end-played and forced to give South the king of spades or yield a ruff-sluff. That's exactly what happened and South came home with his somewhat lucky contract.

Note that this play cost South nothing. Should the lucky lie of the club suit not save him, he still had a chance to lead a spade toward his king.

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1 Arafat's successor
6 City near Yorba Linda
10 Brief responses to common concerns
14 Composer of a seven-movement work that excludes Earth
15 Tach count
16 "... even now / __ myself to thy direction": "Macbeth"
17 "What's My Line?" comedian's craft brewery?
19 Sail support
20 R.E.M.'s "The __ Love"
21 Heifetz's teacher
22 Present
23 Pop diva's fruit stand?
27 City of northern Spain
29 David and Bird
30 American Idol winner's amusement chain?
34 In a blue state
35 Nile reptile
36 Corvallis sch.
39 Rapper's shopping center properties?
45 Equally speedy
48 Forest bovine
49 Guitarist's cash register company?
53 Collate
54 Film on water
55 Toddler's drink
58 Farm opening?
59 "Whose Line Is It Anyway?" comedian's flooring store?
61 Número de Mandamientos
62 Frank of 1950s Broadway
63 Basketwork fiber
64 Bone-dry
65 Hwy. crossings
66 Jai alai basket

DOWN

1 "Understood"
2 Windfall
3 Symbol of happiness
4 Had ambitions
5 Mess
6 Big name in coffee makers
7 Civil War signature
8 __ other: alternating
9 Sancho's "steed"
10 Pole users
11 Materialize
12 State source
13 Burnout cause
18 Squelched
24 Forest's 2006 Oscar-winning role
25 35mm camera option
26 Where the Indus flows: Abbr.
27 IHOP orders
28 U.S. news source since 1942
31 Slump
32 Tire pressure meas.
33 Parody
36 Veterans of the briny
37 __-pitch
38 Steel giant, as it was known from 1986-2001
39 Cleanse spiritually
40 Book ending
41 Co. merged into Verizon
42 Moves in a school
43 .001 of an inch
44 Omniscient
45 Syrian ruling family
46 Cheap smoke
47 "Cyrano de Bergerac" Best Actor (1950)
50 "Bye Bye Bye" band
51 Meager
52 iPod contents
56 Shoemaker's strip
57 Where to find 36-Down
59 British rule in India
60 Hold 'em tell, maybe

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

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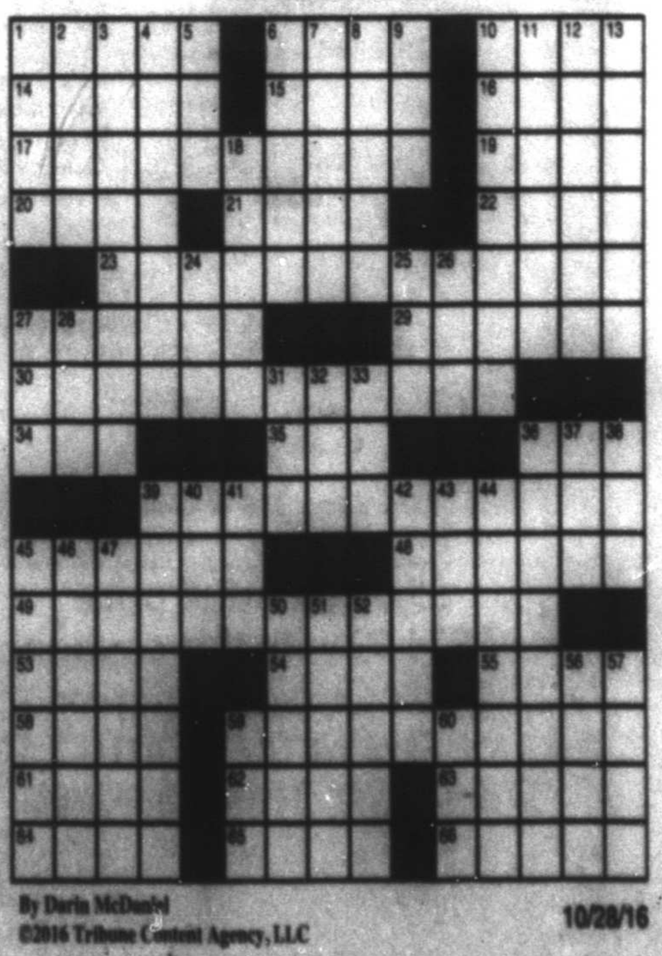

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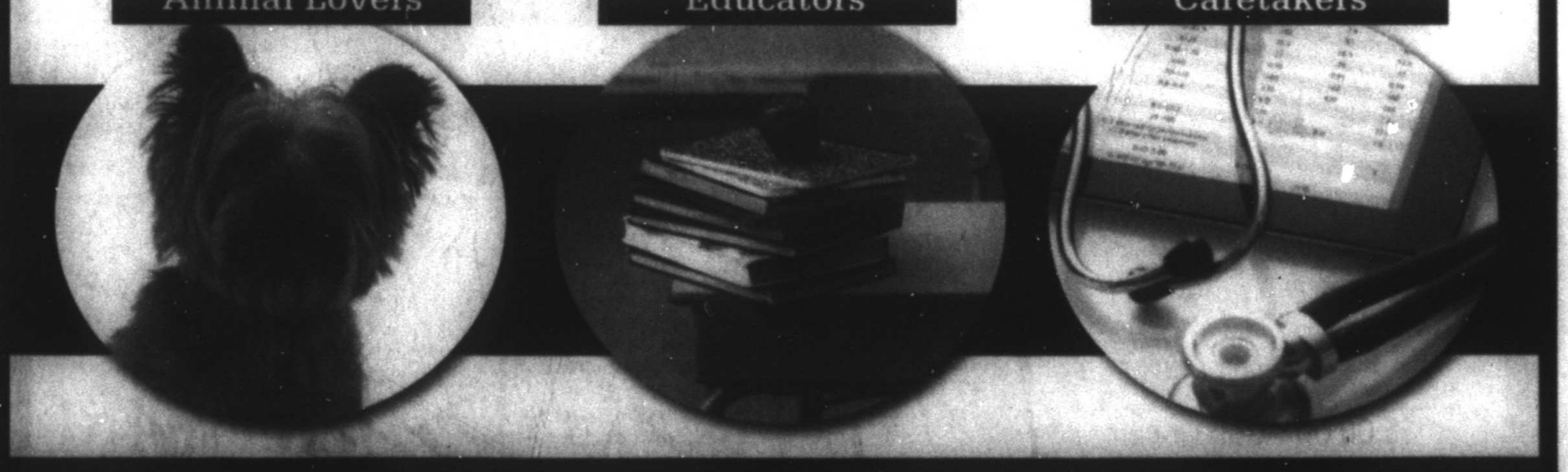

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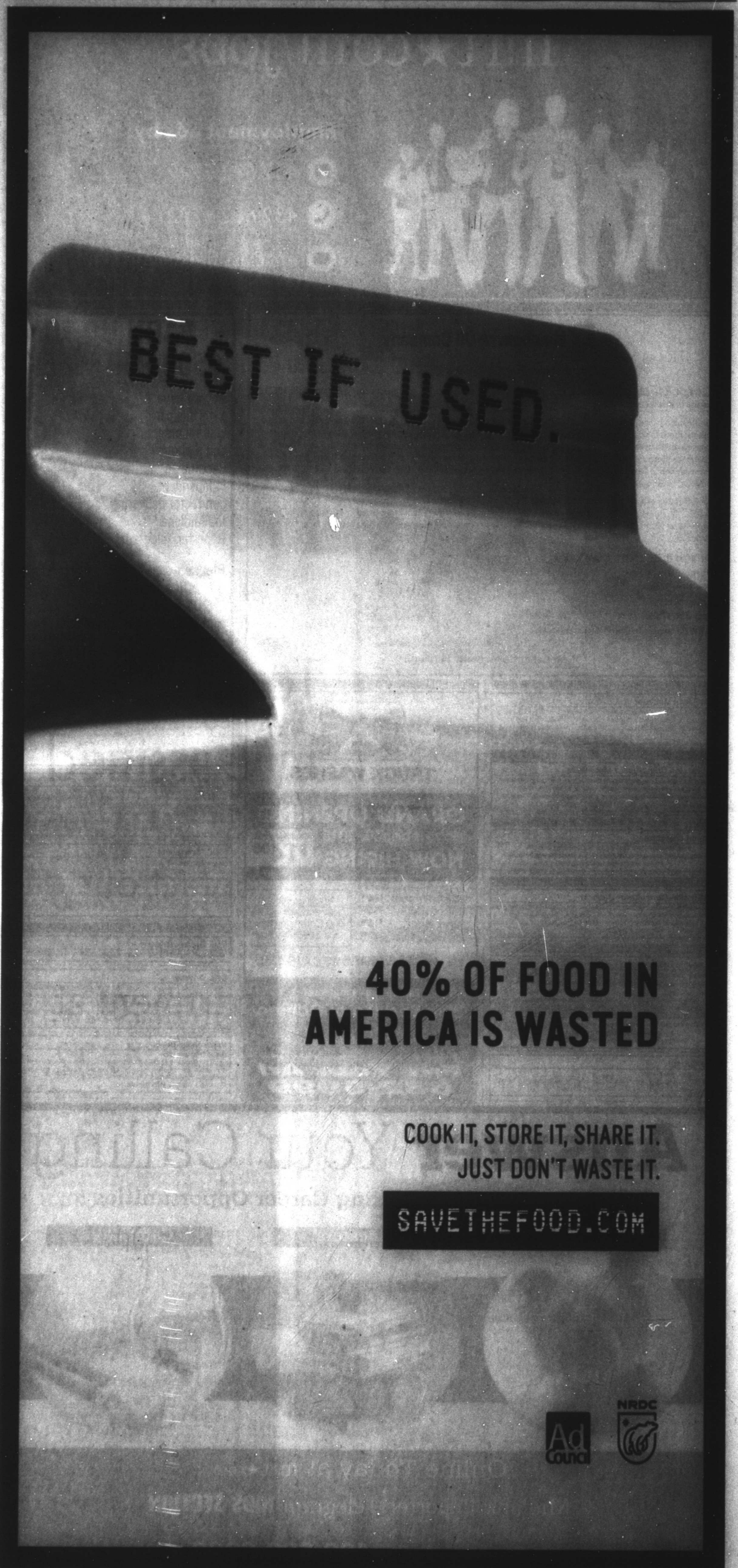
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Requests for public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P O Box 12967 Austin, Texas 78711. (512-463-6792).

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FRIDAY & SATURDAY 10AM-6PM

The Cats Meow is hosting a sidewalk sale to benefit the Fashion Institute of Design and Marketing. We are helping them raise the money to purchase a Civil War ballgown. Items have been donated from three different estates and several shops. Everything sold will be fashion related. Over 100 vintage hats priced from $3.00 -$a5.00 each.Vintage clothing by Bill Blass, Armani, Victor Costa, Oscar de la Renta, St. John, Drop Dead, Thierry Mugler, Christian Lacroix & Norma Kamali. Vintage Beaded dresses from the 1950's - 1980's. All clothing will be priced $5.00 - $15.00. Vintage purses $3.00 - $15.00, vintage shoes $2.00 each, vintage baby clothing $1.00 - $7.50 each. Sewing miscellaneous, patterns and too much more to mention. Just in time to dress you up for Halloween.

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79703

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79701

2000 S. Rankin Hwy. (In parking lot) Saturday & Sunday 8am-? Odds & Ends & tons of miscellaneous.

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2901 W. GOLF Course Rd. Four family sale on Saturday 10/29 8am-Noon. Furniture, Painted Ponies, baby items, collectables & misc.

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Yard - Garage Sales

79701

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79705

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2111 BUTTERNUT Lane. Sat. 10/29 8am-? Children & adults clothing, furniture, household items, decorative wreaths (fall & NFL) and more!!

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79707

2502 RAINBOW Circle Saturday 8am-? 2 family sale! Furniture, kitchen appliances, mens, womens, & kids clothes, video games for Wii & Play Station III, home decor, & miscellaneous. A little bit of everything.

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Yard - Garage Sales

79707

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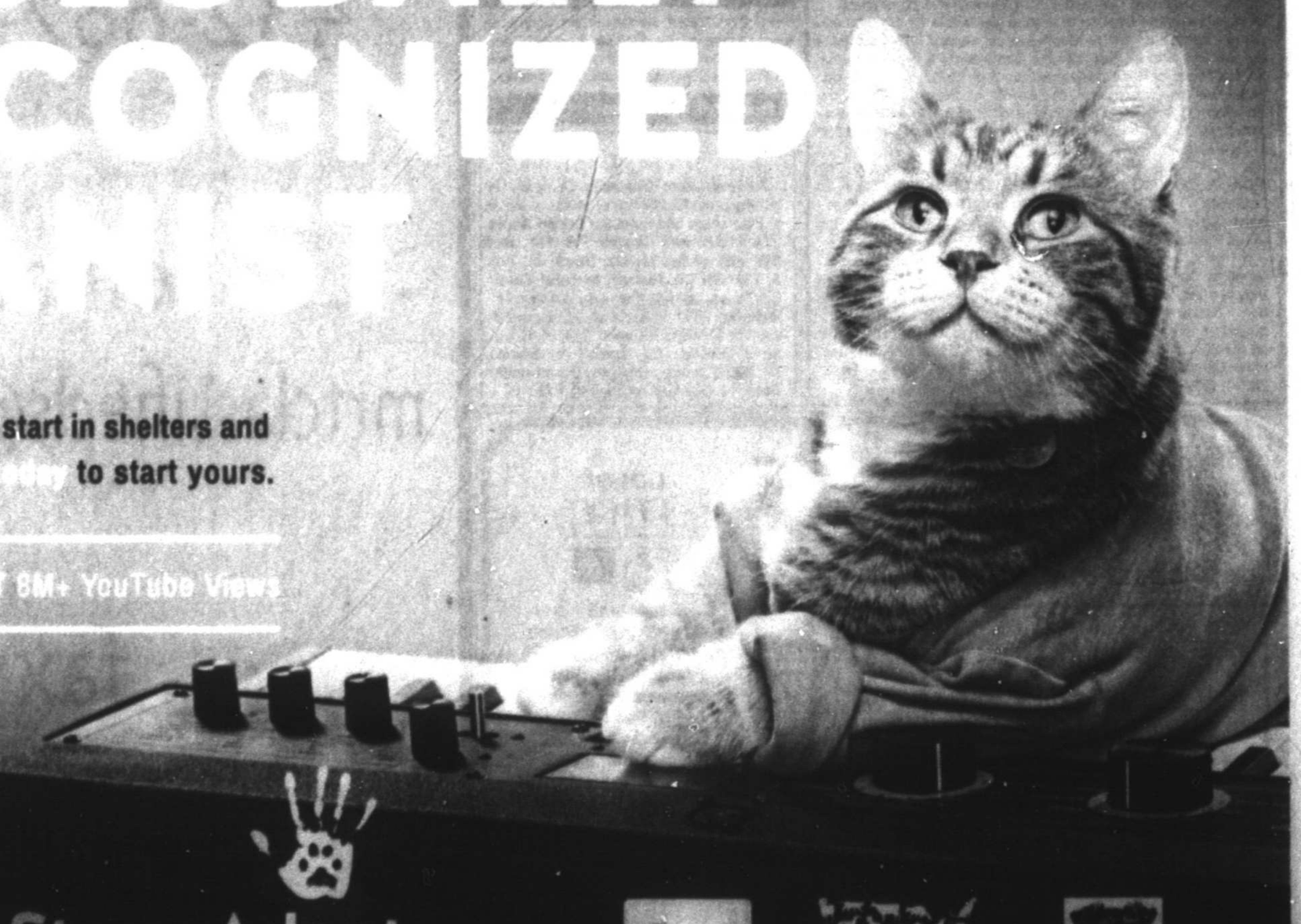

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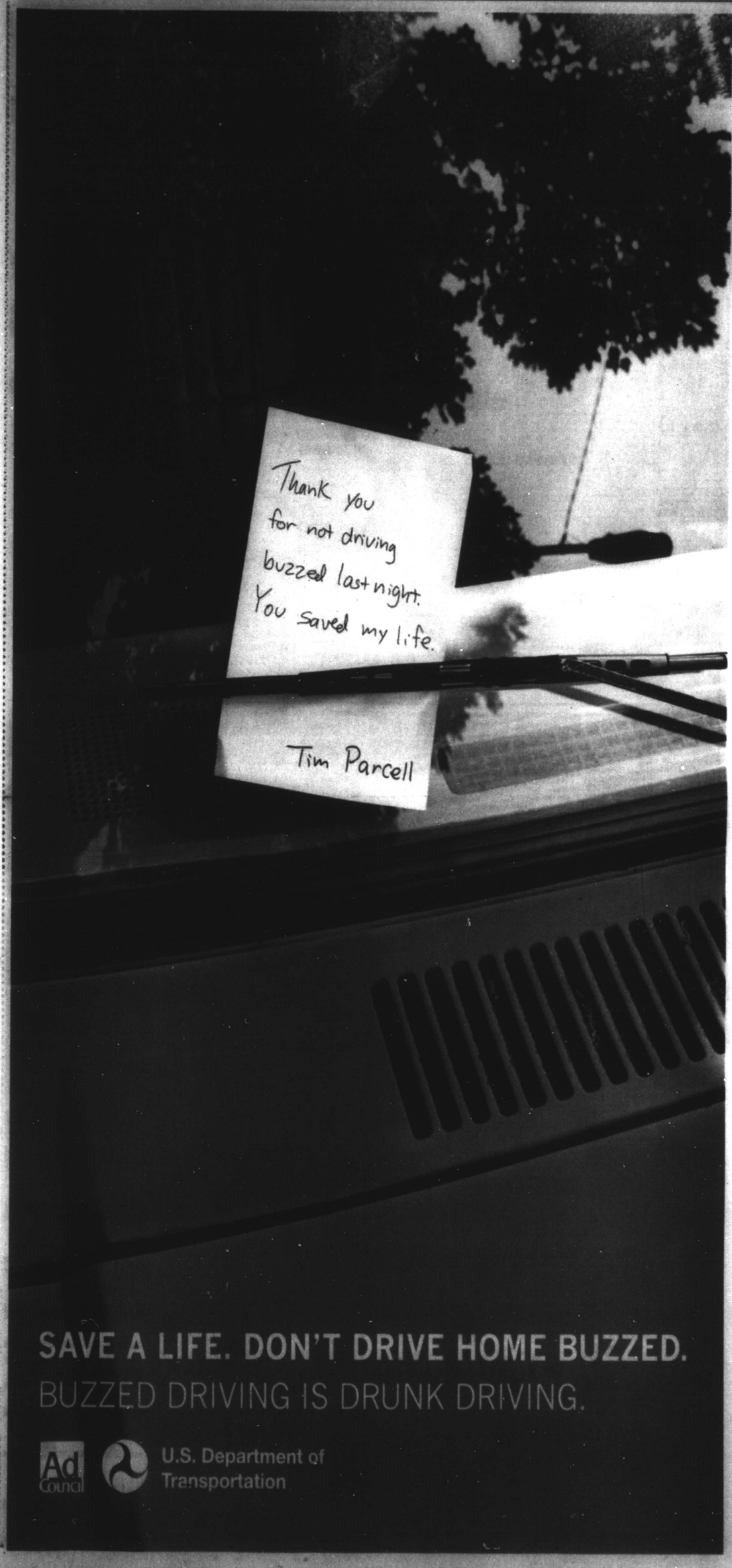

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