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Proof of status now required for state IDs

■ The bill will require applicants for driver's licenses and ID cards to prove their legal residency.

By Julian Aguilar
Texas Tribune

Many Democrats are crowing that the 82nd Legislature will go down as one in which, despite the "emergency" push for sanctuary cities legislation, nothing emerged from the Capitol that will substantially alter the way immigration laws are enforced.

Yet Republicans did manage to eke out one small victory during the special session, successfully attaching language to Senate Bill 1, the must-pass fiscal matters bill, that would require people applying for driver's licenses or other state-issued identification cards to prove they're in the country legally.

Such a policy, as opposed to a law on the books, had been in effect since 2008, when the Texas Department of Public Safety began requiring applicants for driver's licenses and ID cards to produce government-issued documents that affirmed their legal status. Before 2008, according to DPS spokeswoman Tela Mange, such proof was not required to obtain a license or ID.

Immigrants' rights groups were irate over the policy change, which they alleged could have the effect of denying legal residents access to those forms of ID, with DPS clerks acting as de facto immigration agents.

In 2009, the Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund sued DPS, arguing that the agency overstepped its authority by implementing the policy even though the Legislature rejected similar legislation in the 2007 session.

Last month, however, House Appropriations Chairman Jim Pitts, R-Waxahachie, cribbed language requiring applicants for driver's licenses and ID cards to prove their legal residency from Senate Bill 9, an omnibus homeland security bill filed by state Sen. Tommy Williams, R-The Woodlands, and added it as an amendment to SB 1.

The amendment also allows the DPS to determine expiration dates for those IDs based on when an immigration document was issued.

For a non-citizen or non-permanent legal resident, DPS can issue a document that "expires on the earlier of a date specified by DPS or the expiration date of the applicant's authorized stay in the United States."

If the immigration document does not have an expiration date, DPS can issue an ID or license that expires every year.

During the just-concluded regular and special sessions, Williams argued that Texas was only one of three states that didn't have a policy regarding legal status for ID applicants and said one was necessary to ensure that foreign criminals were not receiving IDs.

He noted that, as part of an appropriation of $64 million over the next biennium for temporary visitors stations, DPS staff will be trained to identify and approve the dozens of immigration documents currently used to apply for driver's licenses and IDs.

People attempting to renew their exisiting licenses or IDs but don't have immediate access to passports or birth certificates also could be impacted by the new law, Mange said.

The Pitts amendment requires that they provide DPS with proof of residency or citizenship as well. Mange said the agency "may have" something in its files

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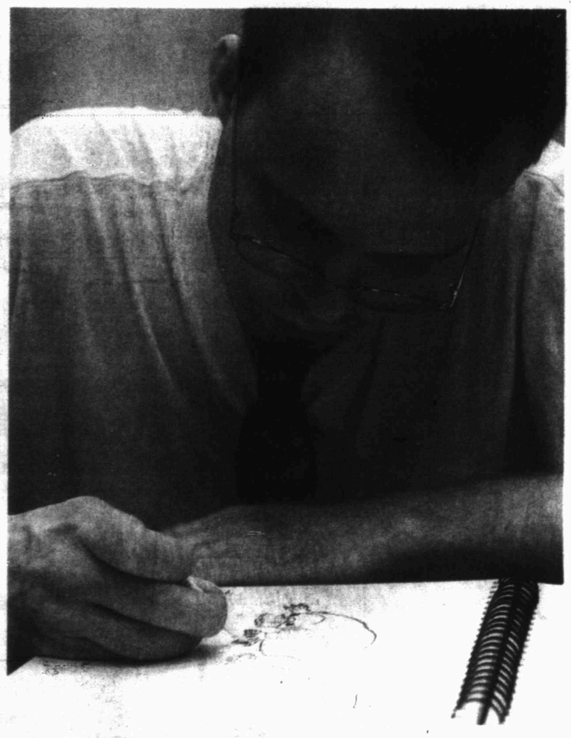
Learning the basics



TOP AND ABOVE: Tevin Simmons works on a sketch Thursday during an illustration class at Midland County Public Library. **LEFT:** Stuart McDonald works on a sketch.

Photos by Tim Fischer Reporter-Telegram

Culver Center report to be released on Monday

By Kathleen Thurber
Staff Writer

With a budget that now tops more than $1.6 million and a population that averages fewer than 10 per day, the Barbara Culver Juvenile Justice Center will be getting another look by Midland County commissioners.

A report by consultants with Carl R Griffith & Associates Inc. will be presented and discussed during Monday's meeting of the Commissioners Court.

Commissioners, Culver staff and members of the Juvenile Detention Board began talking about the issue last year and say they are continuing to assess how best to cut costs while still serving the facility's population.

"Do you shut down Culver? I don't think that's a viable option," said County Court at Law Judge Kyle Peeler, who

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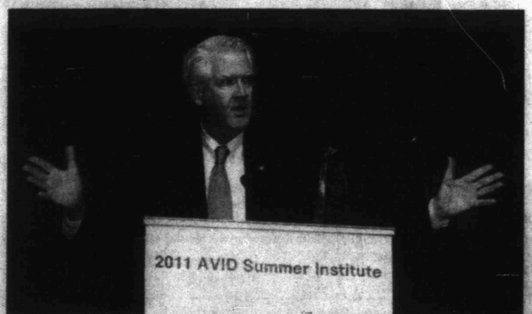
UTPB president recognized for commitment to AVID



Courtesy UTPB

SHOWING COMMITMENT UTPB President W. Davis Watts was recognized June 30 in Dallas for his commitment to the Advancement Via Individual Determination program.

From staff reports

University of Texas of the Permian Basin President W. David Watts was recognized June 30 in Dallas for his commitment to the Advancement Via Individual Determination program.

UTPB introduced the AVID college readiness program in 2009 in freshman seminars and has implemented strategies into upper-division classes.

"AVID is a very important tool we're using to ensure student success," Watts said.

The assurance of student success — especially for those who are first generation college students — is one reason Watts won the Legacy Award for Visionary Leadership, AVID executive director Jim Watts said in a news release.

"The award is an honor and it's a wonderful thing," Watts said. "But what's really important is student success and that's what we're committed to."

Men arrested for crack cocaine, assault

By James Cannon
Staff Writer

Four men were being held Thursday night on narcotics charges after police found about 8 grams of crack cocaine in their possession.

Collins

Haynes

Phillip Michael David Collins, 24; Tobyron Lashawn Haynes, 22; Marcus Deshawn Manahan, 24; and Christopher A. Lane, 21, all are being held on third-degree charges of possession of a controlled substance of more than 4 grams but less than 200 grams. Haynes resides in Midland; the other males are from Lubbock.

A Midland police officer noticed a disturbance in progress shortly after midnight Tuesday on the 1100 block of East Wall Street. The officer said he witnessed a man, later identified as Lane, exit a white Mercury stopped in the

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Summer with Stonegate

Adults and youth attended camps through Stonegate Fellowship the second week of June. Learn more in RELIGION/1B

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Storms threaten final launch

By Marcia Dunn
AP Aerospace Writer

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. — Rain in the forecast threatened to delay the last space shuttle launch, set for today, and a lightning strike near the pad briefly caused a flurry of concern at NASA before engineers concluded the spaceship was OK.

The lightning bolt hit a water tower about 500 feet from the launch pad at midday Thursday, the space agency said. Technicians hurried out to check for electrical problems, but a review board ruled out any damage.

Throughout the years, lightning has struck on or near the launch pad occasionally, delaying a few launches but causing no damage.

The forecast for today, meanwhile, looked dismal, with only a 30 chance of acceptable weather at launch time, 11:26 a.m.

NASA test director Jeff Spaulding pointed out that space shuttles have managed to launch with worse forecasts.

"There's some opportunity there," he said Thursday as the rain set in. "It's a really tough day if you make a decision not to go and it turns out to be good weather."

NASA is closing out its 30-year space shuttle program to take aim at asteroids and Mars, destinations favored by the White House. Private companies will take over the job of hauling cargo and crews to the International Space Station, freeing NASA up to focus on points beyond.

Associated Press

READY FOR LIFTOFF Space Shuttle Atlantis is seen on the pad at the Kennedy Space Center at Cape Canaveral, Fla., on Thursday. Atlantis and a crew of four are scheduled to launch today on the 135th and final space shuttle launch for NASA.

"We believe that on behalf of the American people, it is time for NASA to do the hard things to go beyond low-Earth orbit," NASA's deputy administrator, Lori Garver, told reporters gathering for the launch.

The odds of good flying weather improve with each passing day, said shuttle weather officer Kathy Winters. The launch time moves slightly earlier every day, and that helps, she said.

NASA has until Sunday, possibly Monday, to get Atlantis and its four astronauts in orbit. Otherwise, the spacecraft will remain grounded until the following weekend because of an Air Force rocket launch that takes priority.

Rain or shine, hundreds of thousands of people are expected to jam the area for the launch. Some estimates put the crowd at close to 1 million. Dozens of astronauts already are in town, including the very first shuttle pilot Robert Crippen, who opened the era aboard Columbia in 1981.

Shuttle's end hits Houston in ego more than wallet

By Seth Borenstein
AP Science Writer

HOUSTON — The end of the space shuttle program is hitting its Florida launch home in the pocketbook with some areas practically becoming economic ghost towns. But Houston, home of Mission Control, is getting hit somewhere else: in the ego.

Aerospace ranks only fourth among booming industries, far, far behind king oil, Mayor Annise Parker said. It's a pride thing for a city whose baseball team is the Astros and whose basketball team is the Rockets.

Space is "part of our psyche here," Parker said. "It's how we view ourselves as a city."

This is a metropolis of 4 million people that has tied its identity to space and to the shuttle specifically. But that identity has taken three hard hits and the loss of thousands of jobs is just one of them.

The first blow came in 2004, when then-President George W. Bush announced the end of the space shuttle program. His plan was to replace it with a return-to-the-moon program run out of Houston.

Then in 2010, President Barack Obama canceled that over-budget Houston-centric shuttle replacement program. He proposed going to an asteroid in a plan that at the moment is less detailed, especially when it comes to Houston's role. The concept relies on private companies to take NASA's place when it comes to shuttling people to Earth's orbit and the International Space Station, with NASA buying rides on these private ships. Many of those private companies — including the acknowledged leader, SpaceX, have little connection to Houston.

Then in April came what some in this city consider the cruelest blow: Houston would not be getting one of the retired shuttle's to display.

Many locals, from hotel housekeepers to the mayor, are angry.

"We need space because space was the heart and soul of Houston," says Bob Mitchell, president of the Bay Area Houston Economic Partnership. "We've got the knowledge and skilled people to move forward."

Last year, 16,613 people in Houston had jobs because of the Johnson Space Center in Houston. NASA's economic impact in Texas was $6.5 billion last year with $2 billion of that because of the space shuttle, the space agency calculated in a recent report. Most of that is in the area around Clear Lake, south of downtown. But Harris County, which includes Houston, has more than 2 million people employed.

And while NASA means a lot of money, it represents just a fraction of 1 percent of the state's gross domestic product.

The Houston area has already lost about 2,000 space shuttle jobs — government and private contractors — in the past several months, Mitchell said. Another 1,800 or so layoffs will come after space shuttle Atlantis lands in July, ending the 30-year program.

Harris County's May unemployment rate of 8.2 percent is almost a full percentage point below the national average and looks robust compared to the 10.8 percent jobless rate on the Florida Space Coast.

A look back at the space-shuttle era

By Marcia Dunn
AP Aerospace Writer

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. — A space shuttle commander once contided that countdowns were invented merely to make astronauts nervous, and he was — every time. But when the count reached zero and the booster rockets ignited, he was in total, calm control.

For a journalist like me, the jitters last longer. The final nine minutes before launch are agonizing — but so are the first nine minutes of the flight — the time it takes for a space shuttle to safely reach orbit.

Before blastoff, my hands perspire. I fidget. Stand, then sit. Stand again. I look out my big picture window at the launch pad straight ahead, then glance at the close-up view on TVs tuned to the NASA channel.

I cross myself and say a silent prayer.

As the aerospace writer for the Associated Press for 21 years, I've watched space shuttles launch 98 times from my reporter's hot seat three miles away — 99 times by the time Atlantis takes off on the last shuttle flight before the fleet retires.

When I took over the job in 1990, the space shuttle had been flying for nearly a decade and endured one tragedy, Challenger. And the classic, cosmic shot of a jet-packing spacewalker all alone against the black void of space already had been snapped.

My first shuttle launch coincidentally was Atlantis — and I learned just how fickle these majestic mechanical beasts were when it came to Florida's equally fickle weather. It took six tries to get off the ground that stormy February.

It wasn't just a cold front that gummed up the countdown five times in a single week. It was the common cold. The commander was sick, and for the only time, a shuttle launch was delayed by germs.

Since then, there has been a string of memorable moments:

- Launch of the Hubble Space Telescope and the five missions for repair and upgrades.
- First and only three-man spacewalk to snatch a stranded satellite.
- Blundered test of a satellite on the end of 12 miles of electricity-conducting cord.
- Flights to Russia's broken-down Mir space station.
- Debut of NASA's first woman space commander.
- Orbital encore of John Glenn, the first American to circle the Earth.
- Dozens of flights hoisting the building blocks of the International Space Station.
- Final voyages of Discovery, Endeavour and, now, Atlantis.

And, of course, there was the 2003 Columbia disaster, still burned into my heart and soul.

Eight years later, my Kennedy Space Center ID badge holder still holds my name tag from the prelaunch reception in honor of the Israeli astronaut who was among the seven who perished aboard Columbia. I met his wife, four children and elderly father that night, all of them so incredibly proud.

I'm often asked whether it's boring to cover flight after flight, year after year.

The short answer: never. Something unexpected always seems to pop up.

That three-man spacewalk? It was never meant to be: A fancy NASA tool failed to capture the spinning Intelsat satellite, and the astronauts had to use their gloved hands to get it on board.

That 12-mile satellite tether? The line snapped and the experimental craft was lost.

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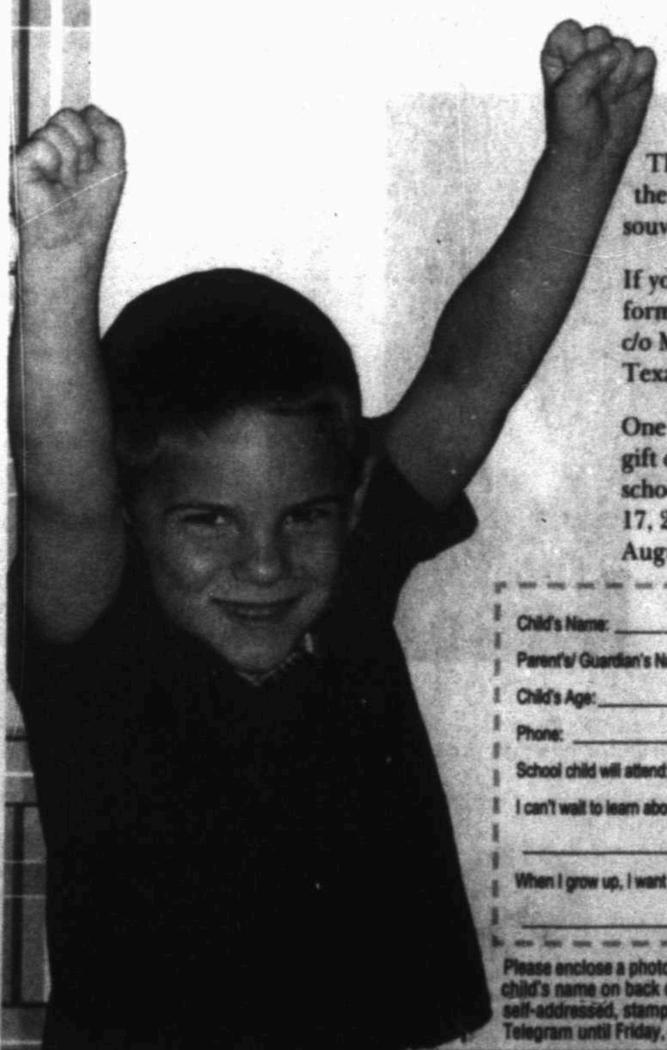

The Midland Reporter-Telegram helps you celebrate the milestone with the Class of 2024 in a back-to-school souvenir supplement, publishing on August 18, 2011.

If your child is starting kindergarten this Fall, fill out the form below and return it to "KINDERGARTNER PICS" c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, 201 E. Illinois, Midland, Texas 79701, no later than Friday, August 12, 2011.

One child will be randomly selected to win a $50 Kohl's gift card for new school clothes and a backpack full of school supplies! The winner will be notified on August 17, 2011 & will be featured in the Sunday edition on August 21, 2011.

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Please enclose a photo of your child (head & shoulders only) suitable for the souvenir edition. Print child's name on back of photo. Do not staple photo to form. Photos will not be returned unless a self-addressed, stamped envelope is enclosed. Photos can be picked up at the Midland Reporter-Telegram until Friday, September 2, 2011. Any unclaimed photos will be destroyed.

Richard Reese, MD
NOTICE OF PRACTICE CLOSURE

Richard Reese, M.D is retiring from his practice of Internal Medicine effective August 1, 2011. Manish Dimri, M.D., Internal Medicine, and Vandana Naithani, M.D., Family Practice, husband and wife team will continue medical services at Dr. Reese's location, 709 W. Louisiana, Midland. You will continue to see the friendly staff that you have come to know and trust. Patients of Dr. Reese may call for an appointment with either physician – (432) 688-0031.

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Gathering of families, friends important to Stanton

■ Saturday kicks off 78th Old Settlers Reunion.

By Audrie Palmer
Staff Writer

Kathleen Lewis has lived in Martin County since 1921. She was 8 months old when her family moved here, and, even though she left to go away to school, she still considers the area home.

"Stanton is what we call home," she said.

That's why, when the 78th annual Old Settlers Reunion takes place Saturday, she most likely will be out there catching up with old friends and loved ones, watching the parade and eating barbecue.

"It's something the whole town and county comes out for," Lewis said.

The theme for this year's event is "Front Porch, Back Porch," stressing the importance of gathering together as a part of the town's heritage.

Saturday's festivities will begin at 9:15 a.m. with a bicycle decorating contest; a parade will follow at 10 a.m. Those interested in entering the bike contest should meet Debbie Gilbert at the downtown park at the corner of St. Peter and Business 20, officials said.

Parade floats will be judged beginning at 9:15 a.m; all entries must be at the Methodist church by 9 a.m. Cash prizes will be awarded to those taking home first-, second- and third-place prizes, event coordinators said.

Downtown games will then follow the parade at the Star Pavilion, and a hamburger meal will be served at the Martin County Community Center. Tickets are $7 each.

The Martin County Museum will be open for touring from 2 to 4 p.m. The Elmer and Donie Hull families will be honored by the museum.

The reunion will conclude at 7 p.m. with a program at the community center, event staff said.

While Martin County is predominantly an agricultural community focusing on farming cotton, the unusually dry conditions and drought has had an effect on the community as a whole but not as much as some other dry periods in the past, staff said.

"There is a negative effect. It's negative just with the dry weather and wind blowing everyday that keeps everyone in a bad mood," said county extension agent Gary Earhart. "It's the driest I've ever seen it. It's been dry before and we've gone longer without rain, but I think this is longer than it ever has been in a long time."

Still, residents have been through the droughts before.

"It doesn't usually rain a whole lot, but I haven't seen a drought last as long as this one has before," Lewis said.

She anticipates a large crowd will be out for the reunion because many people come back for the homecomings and the festivities.

"I always enjoy it. You see people you haven't seen in years," she said.

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■ American Girl, 4 p.m., Barnes and Noble Booksellers.

■ West Texas BMX Hosts State Qualifier Race at Reyes-Mashburn Park, Fairgrounds Road and Cuthbert. For more info find "West Texas BMX" on Facebook or call 556-1807 and ask for Butch.

■ Maverick Players production of "7-10 Split," 8 p.m., Cole Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave. Tickets: $12. Reservations: Call the Maverick reservation line, 522-5225.

■ Summer Mummers, 8 p.m., Yucca Theatre, 208 N. Colorado St., downtown. Tickets: $20 for the pit, $15 for the house, or $10 for the balcony. Tickets may be purchased at www.summermummers.com or by calling the MCT box office, 570-4111.

■ Hot Summer Nights, 8-10 p.m., Noel Heritage Plaza Park, 5th and Lincoln, Odessa. Admission: Free.

■ Comedian Rodney Carrington in Odessa, Dos Amigos.

■ "The Music Man," 8 p.m., Permian Playhouse, 310 W. 42nd St., Odessa Tickets: $14. Students and seniors $12. Reservations: 432-362-2329

New movies in Midland

■ At Tall City 14: "Horrible Bosses" and "Zookeeper"

■ At Big Sky Drive-in: "Zookeeper" and "Mr. Popper's Penguins."

Community calendar

The Celtic Heritage Society of the Permian Basin's annual hamburger social is 6 p.m. Saturday at the Barney Greathouse Activity building at Manor Park.

To RSVP, contact Doug Johnson at 689-9855 or email at djnj3306@sbcglobal.net. For directions, call Pam at 559-5155.

People may bring a side dish. Tea and water, buns and condiments will be provided.

Gas prices in Midland

Lowest: $3.44 (five locations)
Highest: $3.51 (five locations)

Average prices in Midland	
Thursday	$3.48
Last week	$3.420
Last Month	$3.571
Last Year	$2.542
Lowest prices in West Texas	
Lubbock	$3.23
Abilene	$3.33
San Angelo	$3.35
Average prices in West Texas	
Lubbock	$3.33
Abilene	$3.41
San Angelo	$3.41

Average Gas Prices	Texas	US
Thursday	$3.448	$3.593
Last week	$3.420	$3.570
Last Month	$3.571	$3.752
Last year	$2.542	$2.721

Source: TexasGasPrices.com

OneMain Financial to celebrate new name

To celebrate its name change to OneMain Financial from CitiFinancial, the Midland branch in Cornerstone Shopping Center, 4400 N. Midland Drive, will host a launch party at 11 a.m. today.

The company will hold a sweepstakes throughout the month of July with customers and members of the community able to register to win a Blu-ray player. No purchase, credit application or email address is required. To enter the drawing, visit the local OneMain Financial branch office.

Weather facts

Top 10 consecutive days with zero precipitation 1930-2011

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1. 81	Oct 10-Dec. 29, 1946
2. 65	Dec 5, 1966-Feb 7, 1967
3. 63	Feb 10-April 13, 1946
4. 62	June 19-Aug. 19, 1946
5. 60	Oct 24-Dec 22, 2010
6. 59	Aug. 8-Oct 5, 2000
7. 55	March 25-May 18, 2011
8. 51	March 19-May 8, 1947
9. 50	Oct. 31- Dec. 19, 1999
10. 48	May 21, 2011-present
10. 48	March 20-May 6, 1964

Note: Three of the top 10 streaks have occurred since late October

Source: National Weather Service

■ Days since last significant rain (more than 0.1 of an inch): 284 (Sept. 26, 2010-July 9)

Rain by month from October.

October	Trace
November	0.00
December	0.02
January	0.02
February	0.05
March	0.04
April	0.00
May	0.05
June	0.00
July	0.00

Days of measurable rain (0.18 inches): 5

Note: This has been the nine-plus month stretch in Midland's history.

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Texas Two Step: 1-5-17-22
BB: 25

The guys gang up on state comptroller

■ Lieutenant governor candidates are making an issue of Combs' stance on abortion.

PEGGY FIKAC
San Antonio Express-News

AUSTIN — Two state officeholders who'd like to move up to lieutenant governor are training their fire on a heavy hitter who hasn't announced for the job.

Agriculture Commissioner Todd Staples and Land Commissioner Jerry Patterson are quick to slam Comptroller Susan Combs' widely criticized handling of a data breach that exposed the personal information of millions of Texans — a misstep that's marred her image as the one to beat if she runs for lieutenant governor in 2014.

They're also quick to cite another potential problem if she enters the GOP primary for the seat now held by Lt. Gov. David Dewhurst, who may run for U.S. Senate. Why, Staples asked in a statement, "after two decades in politics, has Combs suddenly switched from pro-choice to a pro-life position on abortion? Switching political philosophy solely for political gain is not committed conservatism, it's opportunistic."

Patterson, asked about his abortion position, cited his pro-life credentials and added, "Todd and I have the same position. And Susan, I'm not sure what her position is this week."

Patterson and Staples actually differ a bit. Patterson said he opposes abortion except when the mother's life is in danger. Staples believes Roe v. Wade should be overturned "and is pro-life with three narrowly defined exceptions of rape, incest or life of the mother," according to his camp.

Combs consultant Reggie Bashur said, "Susan wants Roe v. Wade overturned. She thinks abortion has become a form of birth control and sex-selection. She is against abortion except in cases of life of the mother, rape and incest."

Compare that to her view as a state representative, as showcased in this paragraph in a 1995 Austin American-Statesman article (and yes, there's some irony in the first sentence, given the data breach): "'I don't give my Social Security number to anybody,' said the 50-year-old Combs, explaining that the number can be used to obtain personal information. 'We are so casual about government intrusion in our lives. I'm pro-choice for the same reason.'"

A 2003 Associated Press story about Combs, then agriculture commissioner, said she "supports a woman's right to choose, with exceptions. She opposes 'partial-birth' abortions and third-trimester abortions and favors parental notification for minors seeking abortions."

Cal Jillson, SMU political science professor, said soon after the data breach that it had made things trickier for Combs, despite advantages including a showing of far more money on hand in the last campaign reporting period.

The abortion criticism will increase her difficulties, Jillson said. "Now there are two clubs to beat her with, rather than one," he said. He offered this thought: "If Obama can evolve on gay marriage, then Combs can evolve on abortion, I guess."

Well before the lieutenant governor's race, lawmakers will stand for re-election — and Senate Finance Committee Chairman Steve Ogden, R-Bryan, predicted soon after the regular session ended that there would be "a lot of different faces" in the Senate in two years.

"It was a pretty miserable session, and I think there's a lot of people that for one reason or another may not come back," said Ogden, who doesn't think senators will be voted out but that they may consider other opportunities.

Ogden has indicated he won't run for re-election, although he said late last week he hadn't made a final decision. "I don't want to run for anything else: I just want to go home and run my business," he said.

"I would say that political ambition's a curse. And it makes people over here miserable when they're in one job and they really want another. It is a curse. And luckily, I don't have the curse."

Some Democrats have been pretty tough on Perry for calling lawmakers into special session and then traveling around the country amid speculation that he'll run for president. Now that the session's over, he's got no one to guilt him into staying.

He's got trips planned to San Francisco, Aspen and Denver this month; Montgomery, Ala., Charleston and Chicago in August; Philadelphia, Boston, Lynchburg, Va., Santa Fe and Mackinac Island in Michigan in September; and New Hampshire in October.

So far.

STATE ID

From 1A

indicating that an applicant has previously produced such proof, but if it was before 2008, she said, "you may want to bring something just in case."

Mange said that Texans should receive a notice from DPS when it's time to renew that will inform them whether they're eligible to renew online, which can only happen if they didn't renew online the previous time.

"We require everyone to come in once every 12 years so we can see your smiling face," she said.

The Legislature's actions could signal an end to the 2009 court case. Still, MALDEF attorney Luis Figueroa questions the timing of the Pitts amenemnt, which coincides with the passage of a new Voter ID law requiring citizens to show a valid state-issued ID before casting a ballot. Democrats and advocacy groups, including MALDEF, rallied against the Voter ID measure during the session, claiming it would decrease turnout at a time when Texas already ranks near the bottom of all states in ballot-box participation. During the Voter ID debate, Democrats charged the law would make it difficult, in particular, for senior citizens who haven't had a picture ID in years to vote.

"If (voters) are trying at the last minute to get a driver's license and trying to get the documents they need and they are rejected, it's going to make the process slower," Figueroa said.

Aides to both Pitts and state Rep. Charlie Geren, R-Fort Worth, who worked with the Senate to attach the amendment to SB 1, said they were unaware of those concerns. They noted a majority of Senate Democrats voted for SB 9 during the regular session, when it contained the driver's license/ID provision.

But Geren expressed some displeasure this week that the driver's license language made it on to the fiscal matters bill while "sanctuary cities" language — which would prohibit local entities from adopting policies that prevent the enforcement of state and federal immigration laws — did not.

Failure to pass a sanctuary cities bill, which Gov. Rick Perry declared an emergency item during the regular session and added to the special-session call, resulted a round of finger-pointing by the House and Senate.

The House, which approved a bill in the regular session, blamed the Senate for not following suit. The Senate, which passed a bill in the special session, blamed the House for failing even to move it out of committee in the special.

Perry then blamed state Sen. Robert Duncan, R-Lubbock who chaired the SB 1 conference committee, for refusing to add sanctuary cities to the committee's report.

COCAINE

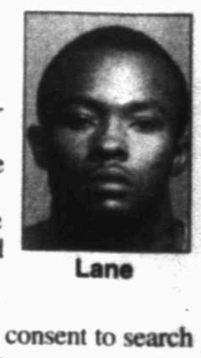
From 1A

middle of the street, chase down a female and punch her in the face, according to the arrest affidavits.

The officer then detained Lane and the three other men in the white Mercury.

Manahan

While conducting an interview with the men, the officer said he saw an open Budweiser beer in the front cup holder. He then asked the driver, Collins, if he had his consent to search the vehicle.



Lane

Another officer who showed up to assist found a small plastic bag of crack cocaine in the trunk. The bag was inside a Styrofoam cooler, next to a digital scale and several other empty plastic bags that are "commonly used for the packaging of narcotics," the officers wrote in the arrest report.

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Look for the arrest report online.

The officer also found several other bags of crack cocaine in the back seat next to Manahan and Haynes. The officer wrote that the bags "were stuffed in a manner as to conceal the narcotics from officers."

The foursome were transported to the Midland County Central Detention Center. The crack weighed about 8 grams.

Police made no mention in their report as to the nature of the conflict between Lane and the unnamed woman.

The four men were charged with a third-degree felony charge of possession of a controlled substance, but Lane received two separate misdemeanor charges of assault by contact and failure to identify.

Lane is being held on a $10,700 bond, the other three are being held on a $10,000 bond.

If convicted of the third-degree felony charge, each could face up to 10 years in prison.

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Man arrested on charges of records tampering

■ Probationer allegedly forges documents citing employment.

By James Cannon
Staff Writer

A Midland man remained in jail Thursday after being arrested for allegedly forging work documents that were required by his probation officer.

Martin

Todd Vincent Martin, 34, is being held on a $10,000 bond for the third-degree felony charge of tampering with government records. Martin was arrested Wednesday after a week-long investigation.

A Midland County probation officer filed a tampering with government records report against her probationer, Martin, on June 28.

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The officer told investigators that Martin turned in a typed letter June 24 stating that he was employed by EPCO.

The letter listed the owner of the business at the bottom of the page, investigators wrote in the arrest report, as if the owner typed the page, according to the affidavit.

The letter detailed the type of work and length of his stay at the company. Martin was required to look for employment and to notify the agency within three days of changing jobs.

But when the probation officer contacted the owner of the company, he told the investigator that he never typed the letter and never employed Martin to perform the tasks listed on the allegedly forged letter, the report read.

The probation officer received a written statement from the owner attesting that he never authored the letter of employment and that he currently did not employ Martin.

The probation officer then took all of the evidence to the investigator who reviewed Martin's probation requirements and found him in violation. An arrest warrant then was issued.

The original charges Martin was being held on were not immediately available, as of press time Thursday evening, but according to the Reporter-Telegram's records, he was arrested in July 2010 for violation of probation.

If he is convicted of the third-degree felony he could receive up to 10 years in prison, on top of whatever the original terms of probation specified if he were to be found not in compliance.

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CENTER

From 1A

serves on the Juvenile Board. "The population of this county continues to grow. I think if we shut down the Culver Detention Center we'll be right back at square one again in the very near future."

County Judge Mike Bradford said the report being presented outlines several options.

Closing the facility is among those options, though other possibilities suggested range from not making any changes to eliminating female services at the center to privatizing operations to shutting down parts of the building. No decisions have been made, but Bradford said some changes likely will occur.

"Simple finance tells you you don't operate a 44-bed facility if you've got four to seven kids a day on average," he said.

The total budget for the center is about $1.64 million, Bradford said. That cost includes nearly $58,000 for capital items such as vehicles or maintenance but mostly consists of payroll expenditures, which account for about $1.4 million annually.

Because of the way the state counts youth, Bradford said they have to staff to care for more people than are typically in the facility at any one hour.

For example, if a child is booked in at 11:30 p.m. on Thursday and then released at 3:30 a.m. on Friday, he would be counted as an inmate for two full days despite only being on site about four hours. Because he's counted in the population total for both days, each shift during the 48-hour period is staffed as if that child is there, Bradford said.

If the county is able to look at populations by hour and cut staffing costs that way, Bradford said that could be part of an overall equation to better utilize tax dollars at the facility.

"It seems like you would operate a facility in proportion to the population at the facility," Bradford said.

Consultants suggested considering closing the female portion of the facility. Females have to be completely separated from males at the center so if one young woman is booked into the detention center, a full staff that could handle up to eight youths is required to handle just her, Bradford said.

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At its height, the female population at Culver is between 20 and 30 percent, he said.

To make up for the loss of service here, Midland County would have to look at contracting with another county for detention, Bradford said.

Other options include looking at how to better utilize technology to save funds through things like video arraignments or GPS monitoring that would allow youth to go home during the evening, he said.

"Technology simply has not been addressed yet," Bradford said.

Commissioners likely also will look at its contracts to take in youth from other counties.

Presently they accept children from other areas at a charge of $110 per day. The actual cost to care for each child is closer to $250 a day.

Peeler said many of the possibilities outlined in the report were similar to those they'd discussed earlier this year but that he was glad for the objective perspective.

In his six months on the bench, Peeler said he has seen youth who were arrested for everything from burglary to sexual assault to drug use.

To properly serve those children and work to ensure they don't end up back in detention, he said, he believes they need to be served close to home meaning a full cut of the facility would only be a disservice.

"It would seem like, if there's going to need to be a change in that child's life it has to be here at home, it has to be systemic," Peeler said.

"Sending a kid out to a placement for six months and then bringing them back to the same environment is not going to bring any results."

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STATE BRIEFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

AMARILLO

Arson blamed for several fires

Five fires this week in the drought-stricken Texas Panhandle have been declared arson as investigators try to determine whether the blazes are linked.

The Amarillo Fire Marshal's Office said two structure fires, a grass fire and a fence fire were reported Fourth of July night.

Deputy Fire Marshal Jacob Diaz said investigators believe all four fires were intentionally set, along with another grass fire Tuesday.

DALLAS

State ranks 12th in nation in obesity

A new report said Texas is the 12th most obese state in the nation.

About 30 percent of the state's adults are obese. That's according to a report released Thursday by the Trust for America's Health and the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation.

Mississippi is listed No. 1 for percentage of obese adults, at more than 34 percent. Colorado was listed last, with just under 20 percent of adults considered obese.

The annual obesity report by two public health groups looked for the first time at state-by-state statistics over the last two decades.

Texas executes Mexican after court stay rejected

By Michael Graczyk
Associated Press

HUNTSVILLE — Texas executed a Mexican citizen Thursday for the rape-slaying of a teenager after he and the White House pleaded in vain for a Supreme Court stay, saying he was denied help from his home country that could have helped him avoid the death penalty.

In his last minutes, Humberto Leal repeatedly said he was sorry and accepted responsibility.

"I have hurt a lot of people. ... I take full blame for everything. I am sorry for what I did," he said in the death chamber.

"One more thing," he said as the drugs began taking effect. Then he shouted twice, "Viva Mexico!"

"Ready warden," he said. "Let's get this show on the road."

He grunted, snored several times and appeared to go to sleep, then stopped all breathing movement. The 38-year-old mechanic was pronounced dead at 6:21 p.m., 10 minutes after the lethal drugs began flowing into his arms.

He was sentenced to death for the 1994 murder of 16-year-old Adria Saucedа, whose brutalized nude body was found hours after he left a San Antonio street party with her. She was bludgeoned with a 30- to 40-pound chunk of asphalt.

Leal was just a toddler when he and his family moved to the U.S. from Monterrey, Mexico, but his citizenship became a key element of his attorneys' efforts to win a stay. They said police never told him following his arrest that he could seek legal assistance from the Mexican government under an international treaty.

Mexico, the Obama administration and others had asked the U.S. Supreme Court to delay Leal's execution so Congress could consider a law that would require court reviews in cases where condemned foreign nationals did not receive help from their consulates. They said the case could affect not only foreigners in the U.S. but Americans detained in other countries.

The court rejected the request 5-4. Its five more conservative justices doubted that executing Leal would cause grave international consequences, and doubted "that it is ever appropriate to stay a lower court judgment in light of unenacted legislation."

"Our task is to rule on what the law is, not what it might eventually be," the majority said.

The court's four liberal-leaning justices said they would have granted the stay.

Leal's attorney Sandra L. Babcock said that with consular help her client could have shown that he was not guilty. But she added, "This case was not just about one Mexican national on death row in Texas. The execution of Mr. Leal violates the United States' treaty commitments, threatens the nation's foreign policy interests, and undermines the safety of all Americans abroad."

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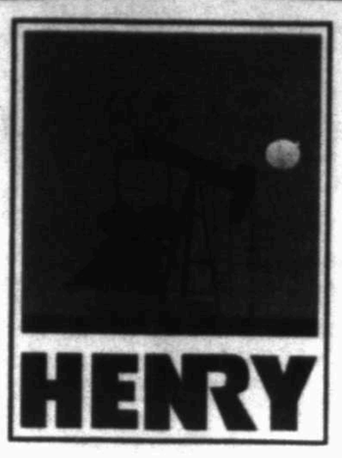

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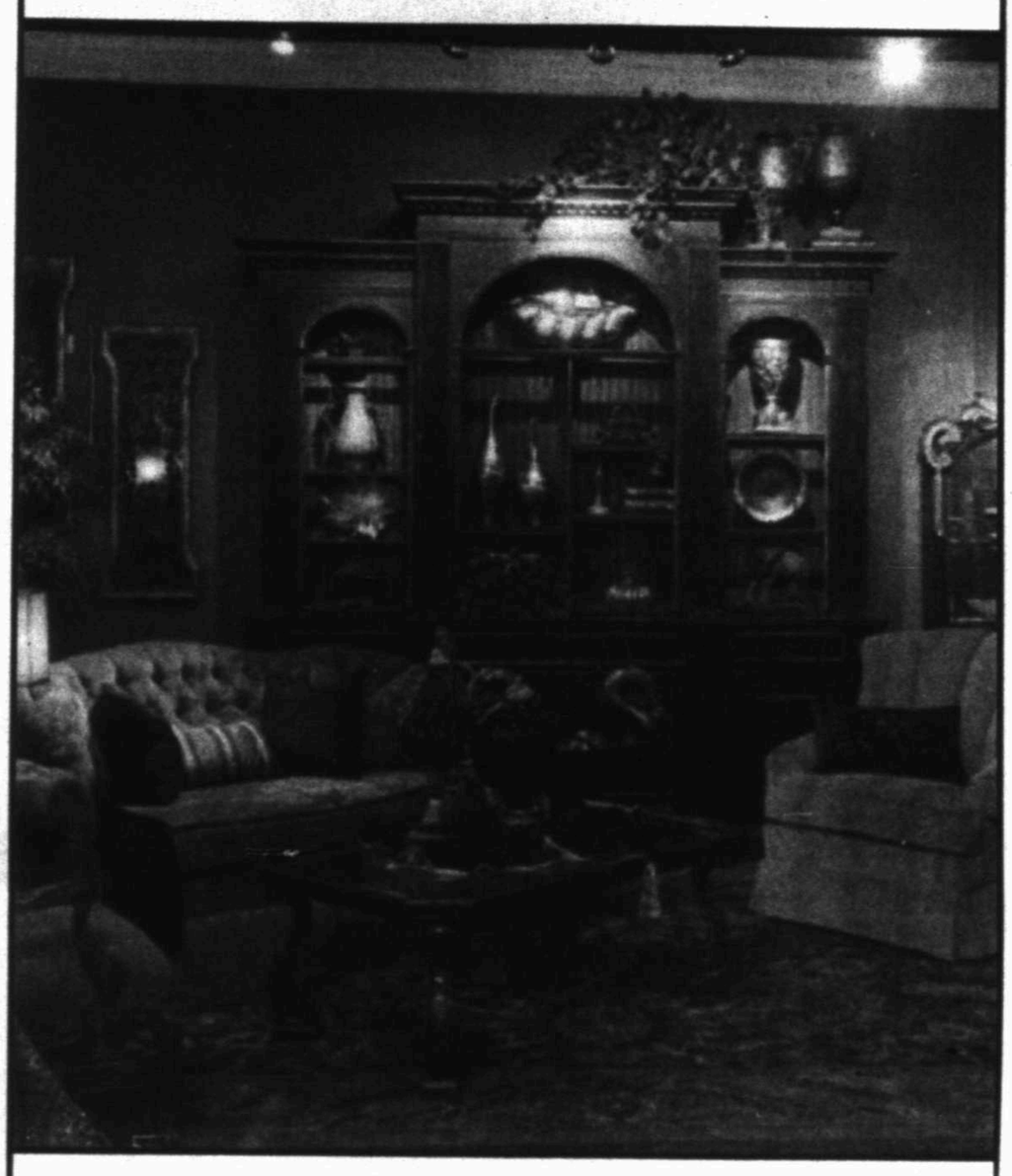

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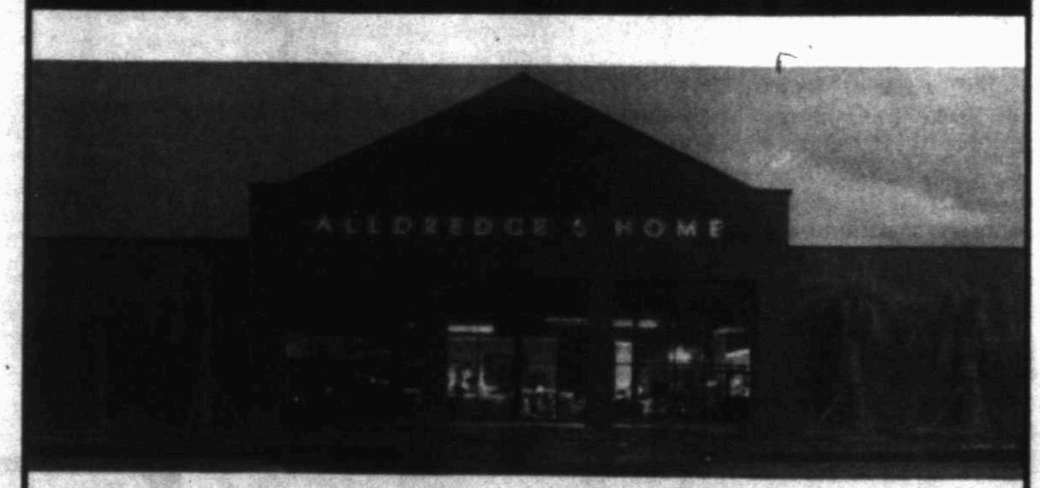

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'Cynic-in-chief' continues kicking can down the street

■ When it comes to action on our country's debt, we are still waiting for the great criticizer to stand.

CHARLES KRAUTHAMMER
Washington Post Writers Group

Here we go again. An approaching crisis. A looming deadline. Nervous markets. And then, from the miasma of gridlock, rises our president, calling upon those unruly congressional children to quit squabbling, stop kicking the can down the road and get serious about debt.

This from the man who:

■ Ignored the debt problem for two years by kicking the can to a commission.

■ Promptly ignored the commission's December 2010 report.

■ Delivered a State of the Union address in January that didn't even mention the word "debt" until 35 minutes in.

■ Delivered in February a budget so embarrassing — it actually increased the deficit — that the Democratic-controlled Senate rejected it 97-0.

■ Took a budget mulligan with his April 13 debt-plan speech. Asked in Congress how this new "budget framework" would affect the actual federal budget, Congressional Budget Office Director Doug Elmendorf replied with a devastating "We don't estimate speeches." You can't assign numbers to air.

President Obama assailed the lesser mortals who inhabit Congress for not having seriously dealt with a problem he had not dealt with at all, then scolded Congress for being even less responsible than his own children. They apparently get their homework done on time.

My compliments. But the Republican House did do its homework. It's called a budget. It passed the House on April 15. The Democratic Senate has produced no budget. Not just this year, but for two years running. As for the schoolmaster-in-chief, he produced two 2012 budget facsimiles: The first (February) was a farce and the second (April) was empty, dismissed by the CBO as nothing but words untethered to real numbers.

Obama has run disastrous annual deficits of about $1.5 trillion while insisting for months on a "clean" debt-ceiling increase, i.e., with no budget cuts at all. Yet suddenly he now rises to champion major long-term debt reduction, scorning any suggestions of a short-term debt-limit deal as can-kicking.

The flip-flop is transparently political. A short-term deal means another debt-ceiling fight before Election Day, a debate that would put Obama on the defensive and distract from the Mediscare campaign to which the Democrats are clinging to save them in 2012.

A clever strategy it is: Do nothing (see above); invite the Republicans to propose real debt reduction first; and when they do — voting for the Ryan budget and its now infamous and courageous Medicare reform — demagogue them to death.

And then up the ante by demanding Republican agreement to tax increases. So: First you get the GOP to seize the left's third rail by daring to lay a finger on entitlements. Then you demand the GOP seize the right's third rail by violating its no-tax pledge. A full-spectrum electrocution. Brilliant.

And what have been Obama's own debt-reduction ideas? In last week's news conference, he railed against the tax break for corporate jet owners — six times.

I did the math. If you collect that tax for the next 5,000 years — that is not a typo — it would equal the new debt Obama racked up last year alone. To put it another way, if we had levied this tax at the time of John the Baptist and collected it every year since — first in shekels, then in dollars — we would have 500 years to go before we could offset *half* of the debt added by Obama last year alone.

Obama's other favorite debt-reduction refrain is canceling an oil-company tax break. Well, if you collect that oil tax *and* the corporate jet tax for the next 50 years — you will not yet have offset Obama's deficit spending for *February 2011*.

After his Thursday meeting with bipartisan congressional leadership, Obama adopted yet another persona: Cynic-in-chief became compromiser-in-chief. Highly placed leaks are portraying him as heroically prepared to offer Social Security and Medicare cuts.

We shall see. It's no mystery what is needed. First, entitlement reform that changes the inflation measure, introduces means testing, then syncs the (lower) Medicare eligibility age with Social Security's and indexes them both to longevity. And second, real tax reform, both corporate and individual, that eliminates myriad loopholes in return for lower tax rates for everyone.

That's real debt reduction. Yet even now, we don't know where the president stands on any of this. Until we do, I'll follow the Elmendorf Rule: We don't estimate leaks. Let's see if Obama can suspend his 2012 electioneering long enough to keep the economy from going over the debt cliff.

OUR VIEW

Police have successful holiday weekend

Laurels

■ For a successful no-refusal weekend: Law enforcement arrested 33 people for DWI during the Fourth of July weekend. We think weekends like this send a strong message that irresponsible behavior will not be tolerated. We would have liked to see local leaders send a stronger message about enforcement ahead of time. It would have been a strong deterrent. Still, the results hopefully will make others think twice about their behavior in the future.

■ A citizenry respectful of others: Local law enforcement and public safety representatives called the Fourth of July weekend one of the quietest they can remember when it came to reports about the illegal shooting of fireworks. The county commissioners and governor made the right decision about banning the sale of fireworks in Midland County, and Midlanders followed putting the community before the need to shoot fireworks. For that Midlanders deserve a big laurel.

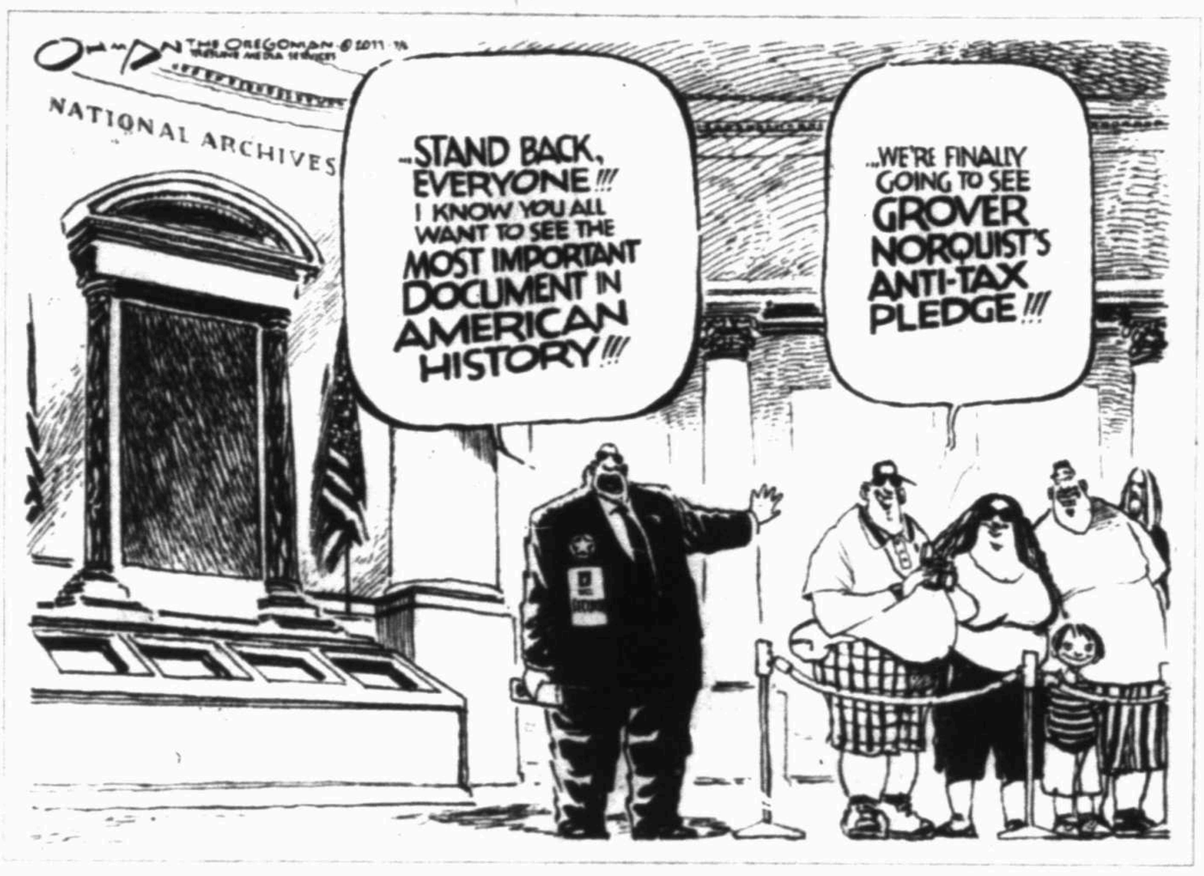
Arrows

■ The death of a dog named Beast: The city of Midland Animal Services department made a mistake that resulted in a dog's death. The city's response? "It's very unfortunate." According to the city, it wasn't the first time an incident like this took place. Hopefully, it is the last.

■ Engagement by mail: As far as silly goes, asking someone to marry you through the mail (and that includes sending a $76,000 ring) is up there. According to the Odessa-American, which broke the story and cites court documents, Roy Williams said he wants 2009 Miss Texas USA Brooke Daniels to return the $76,600 ring he mailed to her in February. Daniels' father said Williams will get the ring back to avoid a legal hassle. How about returning the ring, because she won't marry the Permian graduate? Still, Roy dropped the ball big time.

Neither

This paper reported in Thursday's edition the cost of city water likely will increase. Not a surprise here. Our guess is, barring a change in the long-term weather pattern, increases will become the norm. There might be some who protest, but it is hard to argue that there's not a greater use of our tax dollars than the ability to bring water to customers. It certainly is a "life commodity."



GUEST EDITORIAL

San Antonio Express-News

High court ruling protects free speech

What do violent video games have to do with First Amendment rights? On the surface, not much. But as with so many other aspects of the quickly evolving digital world, the content of games such as Mortal Kombat and Grand Theft Auto are testing the bounds of free expression.

In 2005, the California Legislature outlawed the sale or rental to minors of video games that depict "the killing, maiming, dismembering or sexual assaulting" of an image of a human being. Though the lawmakers undoubtedly had good intentions, they stepped over an important constitutional boundary.

Last month, an unusual coalition of conservative and liberal U.S. Supreme Court justices came together to strike down the California law. In doing so, they reestablished a historic check on the power of government to censor objectionable material, whether in print or on CD-ROM.

In the majority opinion, Justice Antonin Scalia wrote, "Like protected books, plays and movies, video games communicate ideas." The basic principles of freedom of speech, he noted, do not vary according to the medium.

The high court's three liberal justices, Ruth Bader Ginsburg, Sonia Sotomayor and Elena Kagan, joined in the opinion, along with swing vote Anthony Kennedy. Conservative Justice Samuel Alito wrote a concurring opinion that Chief Justice John Roberts joined.

Graphic violence in video games is a legitimate societal concern. But it is no more appropriate for government to determine what is objectionable for children in video games than it is for government to determine what is objectionable for children in Grimm's fairy tales or Road Runner cartoons.

That's the duty of responsible parents — a duty government can't infringe upon without putting freedom of speech at risk. The broad ideological support for the ruling is a good measure of the vitality of this bedrock principle.

How do we get back the 'right stuff'?

■ Without manned space flights, what will the future hold for the next generation?

CAL THOMAS
Tribune Media Services

When Atlantis lifts off on its final mission scheduled for today, it will bring to an end an era of space exploration that began for the U.S. with the Soviet launch of the unmanned satellite "Sputnik 1" in 1957 and the first man to fly in space, Russia's Yuri Gagarin, on April 12, 1961.

Alan Shepard followed Gagarin into space on May 5, 1961, becoming the second person, and the first American, to fly in space. Under John F. Kennedy's vision, the U.S. reached his goal of "landing a man on the Moon and returning him safely to Earth" on July 20, 1969.

In the '60s, the place to be for a young reporter was Houston. I met many of the original seven astronauts, and the ones who followed them. NASA, Mercury, Gemini and Apollo became household names. "A-OK," "The Eagle has landed" and "throttle up" entered the lexicon.

On a commercial flight a few years ago, I sat across the aisle from John Glenn, the first American to orbit the Earth. This was when Glenn was a Democratic senator from Ohio. Several people asked Glenn for his autograph. I said, "John, you know they are not asking for your autograph because you're a senator, don't you?"

He laughed. "How well I know."

There is disagreement between the current NASA leadership and NASA's old guard who say the failure to commit to manned space flight endangers America's dominance in space.

The Obama administration announced plans in February 2010 to cancel the "Constellation" program, the goal of which was to return Americans to the Moon, Mars and beyond. Two months later, he presented a new space policy, which he said would "increase NASA's budget by $6 billion over the next five years ... increase Earth-based observation to improve our understanding of our climate and our world ... and extend the life of the International Space Station..." As to space exploration, "Nobody is more committed to manned space flight, to human exploration of space than I am," he said.

That remains to be seen. Meaningful deep-space exploration requires human participation for meaningful results. According to The New York Times, NASA is facing "a brain drain that threatens to undermine safety as well as the agency's plans." No more shuttles, no need for rocket scientists.

Former NASA Administrator Michael Griffin believes the space agency has "lost its way." In an article for Air & Space magazine in 2007, Griffin set out the philosophical argument for "The Real Reason We Explore Space": "...most of us want to be, both as individuals and as societies, the first or the best in some activity ... a second reason is curiosity. ... Finally we humans have, since the earliest civilizations, built monuments. We want to leave something behind to show the next generation ... what we did with our time here. This is the impulse behind cathedrals and pyramids, art galleries and museums."

Retired shuttle astronaut Jack Lousma summed up to me the dangers inherent in the loss of American leadership in manned space flight: "In days gone by, and in order to capture support for a new space initiative, NASA would offer all kinds of rationale to sideline critics and to make the 'sale', that is, spin-off innovative new products, strengthen national security, inspire education, manage Earth's resources, capture 6-7 times return on investment, etc. ... Nobody was far-sighted enough during the Apollo buildup to 'sell' the public and to blunt criticism, by predicting a computer in every home, the Internet, GPS, cellphones, medical instrumentation and a host of other 'far-out' inventions. This will happen again, despite Obama, who has put a huge obstacle in the way, temporarily, I believe, but not until we have lost the 'best and brightest' of space flight, along with tens of thousands of experienced and dedicated space workers."

DOONESBURY

By Garry Trudeau

Talks: Inflation change could cut Social Security

By Stephen Ohlemacher
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Once considered untouchable, Social Security is now in play in the debt-ceiling negotiations. And that could mean higher income taxes for many U.S. families in addition to shaved benefits for tens of millions of retirees as they age.

Social Security became part of the private discussions between President Barack Obama and Republican House Speaker John Boehner on coming up with "something big" for reducing deficits by $2 trillion to $4 trillion over the next decade. White House officials said Thursday that could include a new inflation measure for Social Security that, through a combination of reduced benefits and higher taxes, could produce federal savings close to $200 billion.

Low- and middle-income families could be hit.

The proposal would represent a reversal for Obama. In contrast to his pledge to target tax increases at the wealthy, high-income families would largely be spared from tax increases that would result from changing the way inflation is measured. And until now, the administration has been adamant that Social Security does not add to the deficit and should not be a part of deficit reduction talks.

Adopting a new inflation measure would allow policymakers to gradually cut benefits and increase taxes in a way that might not be readily apparent to most Americans. The inflation measure under consideration is called the Chained Consumer Price Index. On average, the measure shows a lower level of inflation than the more widely used CPI.

A Chained CPI assumes that as prices increase, consumers buy lower cost alternatives, reducing the amount of inflation they experience. For example, if the price of beef increases while the price of pork does not, people will buy more pork. Or, as opponents mockingly argue, if the price of home heating oil goes up, people will turn down their heat and wear more sweaters.

There's no indication at this point whether Obama and congressional Republicans — and Democrats — will agree on the change. And, if they do, how broadly it might be applied. Another private meeting at the White House is set for Sunday.

The measure, if adopted across the government, would have a wide-ranging effect on taxes and government benefits, and those changes would grow over time. The change would mean smaller annual increases in Social Security payments, government pensions and veterans' benefits. Current payments would not be affected, but recipients would get smaller increases in the future.

Overall, the proposal would cut Social Security benefits by $112 billion over the next decade, according to the nonpartisan Congressional Budget Office. It would cut government pensions and veterans' benefits by $24 billion over the same time period if adopted for them as well.

Reaction from the president's own party was swift Thursday, raising questions about whether Obama can keep Democrats on board if he agrees to cuts in Social Security. House Democratic leader Nancy Pelosi said her caucus won't support any package that includes Social Security cuts.

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Obama calls debt meeting with leaders 'constructive'

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Deadline approaching, President Barack Obama said he and congressional leaders worked through a "very constructive" debt-crisis session Thursday with congressional leaders but the parties were still far apart on deficit reduction proposals. He said he would reconvene the negotiators on Sunday.

Thursday's meeting came amid signals that the White House was willing to reduce costs for major benefit programs including Social Security and Medicare, while Republicans indicated they might consider new steps to generate government revenue.

"People were frank," Obama said, just moments after adjourning the one-and-a-half hour meeting with the eight lawmakers who make up the bipartisan leadership of Congress.

Obama acknowledged that the ultimate agreement will not satisfy partisans on both sides, but he said the deal would require both Republican and Democratic votes to pass Congress.

"Everyone acknowledged that pain will be involved politically on all sides," he said.

Obama met with the leaders of both parties around a table in the White House Cabinet Room as they struggled to reach a deal on raising the government's debt limit with less than four weeks remaining before a possible first default on U.S. financial obligations. The Obama administration says the government needs to raise the current $14.3 trillion debt limit by Aug. 2.

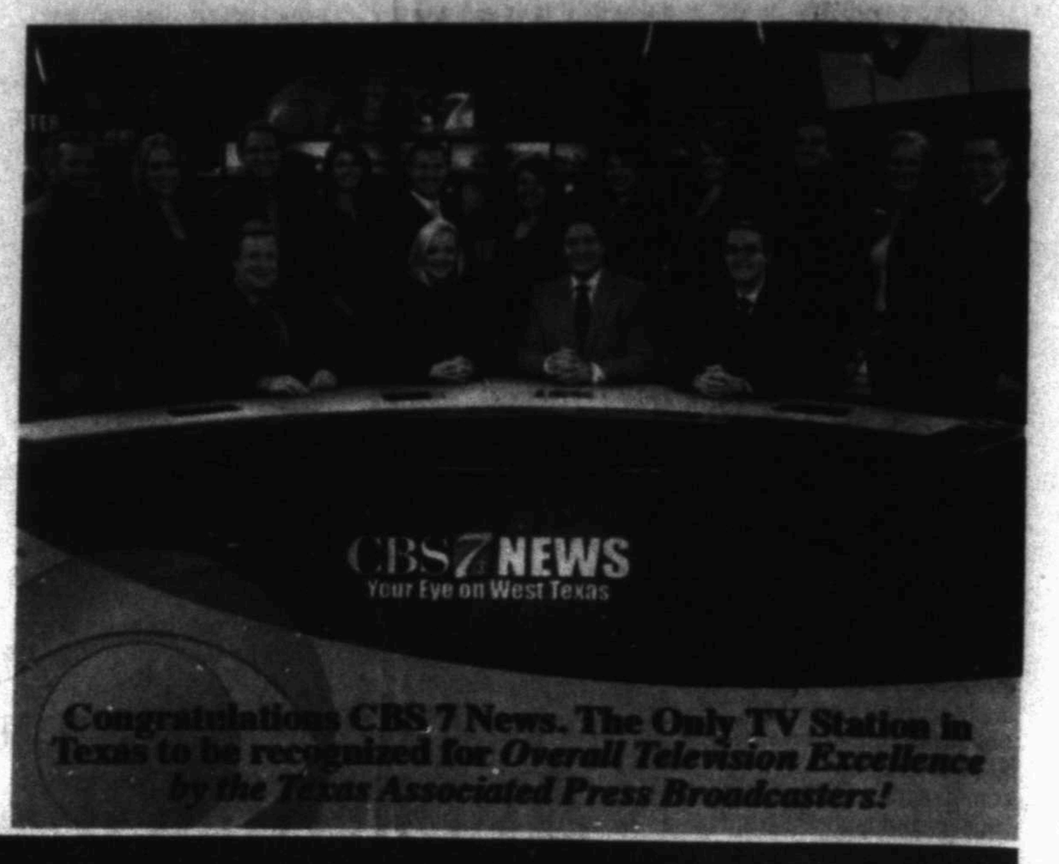
Obama said every congressional leader in the White House meeting Thursday agreed an agreement needed to be reached before Aug. 2.

Returning to the Capitol after the meeting, House Speaker John Boehner said: "We had a conversation. It was productive."

While discussions on trimming the costs of entitlement programs had centered on Medicare, the health care program for older Americans, the White House is revisiting a proposal raised earlier in the negotiations to change the inflation measurement used to calculate Social Security cost-of-living adjustments, thus reducing annual increases, officials said Thursday.

The White House also has said the president is aiming for deficit reduction closer to $4 trillion over 10 years — an ambitious number that would nearly double the roughly $2 trillion that had been at the center of negotiations.

Democratic and Republican officials familiar with the discussions said Thursday that Social Security was in the mix for potential cost savings. Reintroducing the retirement program to the talks is likely to cause anxiety among congressional Democrats who have insisted that Social Security does not contribute to the nation's deficit problems. White House spokesman Jay Carney said the same after Obama spoke.



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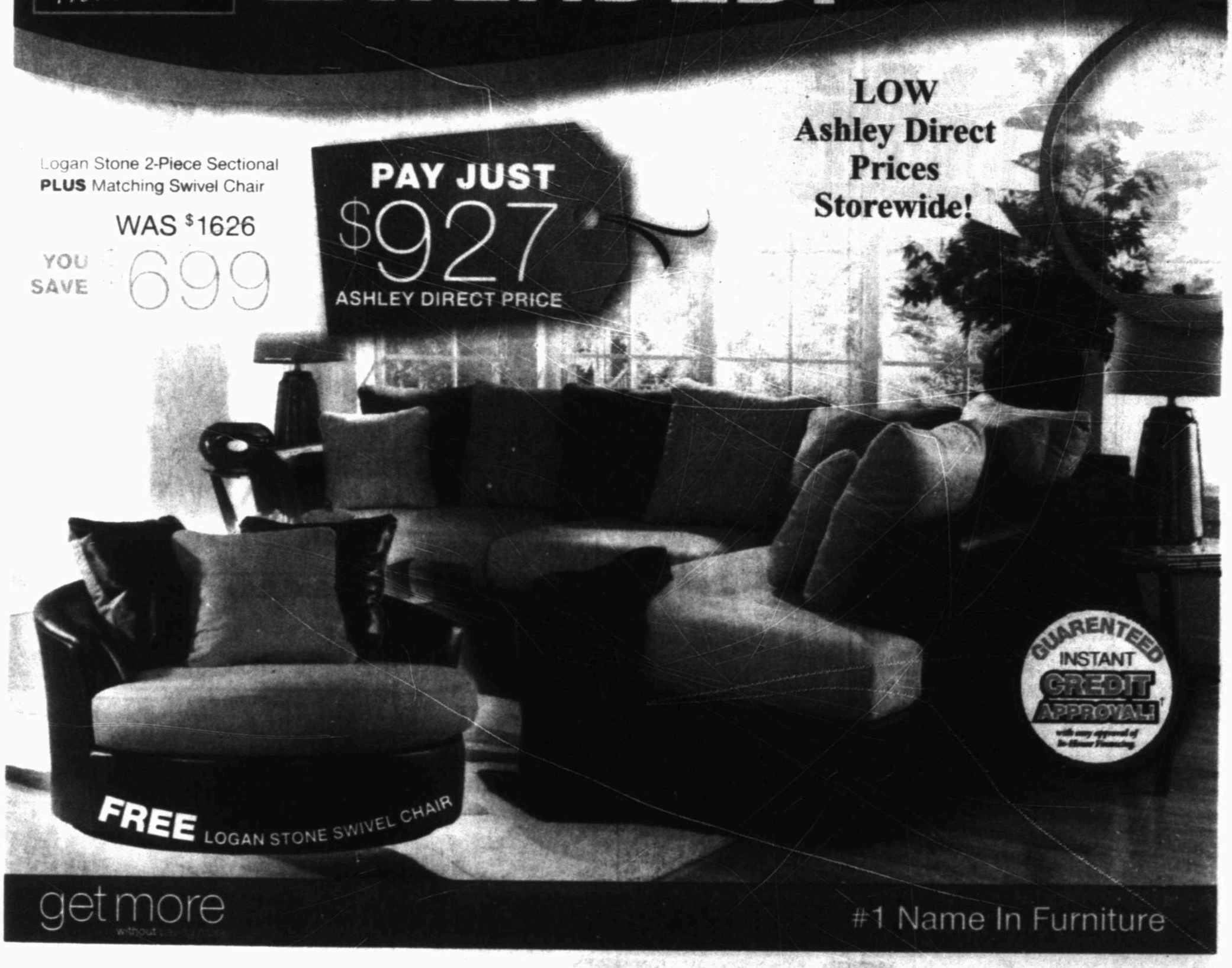

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ASHLEY

Religion

summer with STONEGATE

More than 800 youth and adults attended camps through Stonegate Fellowship during the second week of June. Fifth- and sixth-graders headed to Glenrose for "The Game, the Glory and the End," which invited kids to give the glory in their lives to God. The high school youth's camp in Denton focused on the word "real" with the theme, "Real people walking with a real God in real life." "We didn't want them to just have the camp experience and come back wondering, 'How do I apply this to everyday life with friends and in my home?'" said student ministries pastor the Rev. Neil Rogers. Rogers said the camp was packed with activities such as "Warrior Ball" using a ball 5 feet in diameter, a visit to the Denton Aquatic Center and a trip to a Rangers game for high school seniors.

Courtesy photos

Did society in the Internet age help create Casey Anthony?

TIMOTHY COMAN
Trinity Presbyterian Church director of student ministries

Not guilty.

I, like many of you, was stunned at the verdict in the Casey Anthony trial, but more stunning was her reaction of laughter and smiles upon hearing the verdict.

Does this mother who soon will go free understand her baby was murdered either at her hand or the hand of someone else? Either way, little Caylee didn't have a chance to have a life, to fall in love, to go to college or to have a family of her own one day.

The question in the mind of this writer who has been working with young people for more than 20 years: Did society create Casey Anthony? Did we help to mold her into the young woman she is today? A woman who for 30 days didn't report her baby missing, who instead took to the clubs, partied with what appears to be no concern about her own child?

I know we cannot legislate morality, and as a Christian, God calls on us to forgive, but I do believe the Bible speaks of contrition, of a broken spirit God will receive, and while Casey may be relieved of her potential sentence, her sweet little girl is still gone. For that, I don't understand the smiles and laughter.

It would seem she became devoid of feelings for her child, that she somehow separated herself in order to pleasure her own life. What happened to her maternal instincts?

As the church, what should be our response? How do we offer grace to someone who doesn't appear to have a broken and contrite heart, a person who for weeks would look solemn and crying, and yet after hearing the verdict was smiling and laughing.

In an age of the Internet, nothing is sacred, nothing seems left to innocence, and it would appear as we move further down this road, we become more complacent and tolerant about things in our society and culture.

Casey Anthony was coming of age as the Internet was making its way into our lives, and while I appreciate the fact we have all the tools at our disposal and we are more educated today than ever before, we are drawn by information and we feed off the sensationalism of a trial that captured a nation.

One clear fact remains: Caylee Marie Anthony, 2, was killed by someone — either purposely or accidently — but either way, this is a travesty for all involved and for our nation.

We watched as another dysfunctional family whose lives apparently were built on lies and half-truths came to the surface in our living rooms every day.

May God have mercy on our country and our society, and may we as the church not be a sleeping giant any longer and be willing to take a stand.

Our answer is found in 2 Chronicles 7:14. It's time to sound the alarm from the church house to the White House and demand that we need God in America again.

What will be your response?

Timothy Coman is the Director of Student Ministries at Trinity Presbyterian Church here in Midland, and has worked with Teen Challenge in the past. To reach Tim, please email him at tim@tpcmidland.org

THE WEEK AHEAD

Religion opportunities in the Permian Basin July 8-14

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When: 5:30 - 8 p.m. July 24-28

Info: classes available for all ages; theme is Jesus Truth Seekers: Mission Possible; meal included

To include information about your church's VBS in this list, email mbuck@mrt.com.

SATURDAY

Church anniversary

Macedonia Baptist Church, 201 S. Carver St., is celebrating its 81st anniversary Saturday and Sunday. Activities include a pound cake bake-off and brunch with guest speaker Angela Joiner 10 a.m. Saturday at the Carrasco Room at Midland College, and a service with guest speaker the Rev. Shannon Harrison, pastor of Mount Olive Baptist Church in Snyder, 3 p.m. Sunday at the church. For more information, call Evelyn Dixon at 570-0577.

Family fair

San Miguel de Archangel Catholic Church is hosting a family fair 3 p.m.-midnight Saturdayand noon to 9 p.m. Sunday at the Midland Center and Centennial Plaza, 105 N. Main St. Entertainment will include live music, games, jumpers, face painting, cake walk and bingo. Food booths will include burritos, funnel cake, hamburgers, turkey legs, German sausage, corn on the cob, fruit cups and snow cones. Admission is $5 for adults and $1 for children under 12. For more information, call 570-0952.

SUNDAY

Revival

Cuthbert Avenue Baptist Church, 3308 W. Cuthbert Ave., is hosting a revival 6 p.m. Sunday, 7 p.m. Monday through Wednesday. Guest speaker will be Jim Adams of Houston. Child care will be provided. For more information, call 694-6075.

Activities

Midland Center for Spiritual Living, 2311 Elizabeth Ave., will host the following activities Sunday:

9:45 a.m.: book study, "The Art of Being," by Dennis Merritt Jones D.D.

11a.m.: Children's/youth program

11a.m.: Celebrate Sunday service

Noon: Refreshments and visiting

For more information, contact the Rev. Jerry Fetterly, 432-301-3205 or Kitt Merritt, 432-553-1031 or visit http://Midland.csl.org.

WEDNESDAY

Activities

Midland Center for Spiritual Living, 2311 Elizabeth Ave., will host the following activities Wednesday:

Noon: Food Addicts Anonymous 12-Step Program

6:30 p.m.: Book study, "A Course in Miracles"

For more information, contact the Rev. Jerry Fetterly, 301-3205 or Kitt Merritt, 553-1031 or visit http://Midland.csl.org.

FUTURE

Concert

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King James Version: The Bible translation that changed the world

RICH LOWRY

King Features Syndicate

If every committee did such impressive work, committees wouldn't have a bad name.

Four hundred years ago, King James of England commissioned several dozen scholars to update and improve on prior translations of the Bible into English. Their handiwork — known as the King James Version — put an indelible stamp on the English language and on the Anglo-American mind.

The prodigious task took roughly six years. Just printing it was an undertaking. Initially, a typo appeared on average once every 10 pages of text. One edition was called the "Wicked Bible" when the word "not" accidentally was left out of the admonition "Thou shalt not commit adultery."

Typographical struggles aside, the translation was inspired and came to seem almost unimprovable. It culled from prior English translations, forging a synthesis that rose at times to the level of poetry. As Benson Bobrick notes in his history of the Bible in English, "Wide as the Waters," the King James Version stayed true to Hebraic turns of expression and kept language that already was archaic in the 17th century.

All of this gave it a majestic lift that swept away all competition in both England and America. One historian has written "its victory was so complete that its text acquired a sanctity properly ascribable only to the unmediated voice of God; to multitudes of English-speaking Christians it has seemed little less than blasphemy to tamper with its words."

An archbishop of Dublin scandalized a conference of clergy in the 19th century when he said of the King James Version, "Never forget, gentlemen, that this is not the Bible." They needed reminding it was only a translation of the Bible.

The ascendant King James Version had a profound influence on the language. As Alister McGrath writes in his book "In the Beginning," "It did not follow literary trends; it established them." It made commonplaces of phrases that we have forgotten are biblical in origin: "to fall flat on his face," "to pour out one's heart," "under the sun," "sour grapes," "pride goes before a fall," "the salt of the earth," and on and on. Without it, McGrath reckons, "there would have been no Paradise Lost, no Pilgrim's Progress, no Handel's Messiah, no Negro Spirituals, and no Gettysburg Address."

The mere act of translating the Bible from Latin into the vernacular was a victory for freedom. According to Bobrick, "The first question ever asked by an Inquisitor of a 'heretic' was whether he knew any part of the Bible in his own tongue."

Visionaries like John Wycliffe championed an English version of the Bible in the 14th century when even the clergy didn't read it much. A proto-Reformation figure, Wycliffe was declared a heretic posthumously, his remains dug up and burned. William Tyndale, whose translation would become the basis of much of the King James Version, had to flee England and eventually was arrested by the authorities, tried for heresy and burned at the stake.

The availability of the Bible in English, Bobrick notes, fostered commercial printing and a culture of reading. It created space for people — ordinary people, needing no official sanction or filter — to read and think about their faith and life's profoundest questions. Ultimately, that undermined the authority of, to take another phrase from the King James Version (Romans 13:1), "the powers that be."

"Free discussions about the authority of Church and state," Bobrick argues, "fostered concepts of constitutional government in England, which in turn were the indispensable prerequisites for the American colonial revolt. Without the vernacular Bible — and the English Bible in particular, through its impact on the reformation of English politics — there could not have been democracy as we know it."

The translators of the King James Version stated their "desire that the Scripture may speak like itself, as in the language of Canaan, that it may be understood of the very vulgar." In a cultural triumph difficult to imagine 400 years later, it not only found a wide audience, but elevated it.

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Baptist

Alamo Heights Baptist Church
Sunday School 9:30 am , Services 10:45 am & 6:00 pm, Wednesday 6:30 pm, 1305 N. Midland Dr 697-3101

Antioch Baptist Church
Sun. School 9:45 am , Sunday 11 am, Wed. Bible Study 7 pm. 1400 E. Golf Course Rd 683-3711

Bellview Baptist Church
Sun. School/ Bible Study 9:30 am, Worship 10:50 am & 6:30 pm, Worship & Prayer 6:30 pm RA's, GA's, Youth Bible Study Choir Rehearsal 7:00pm, 1710 N. Big Spring 682-9474

Bethel Missionary Baptist
Sunday Church School 10:00 am, Worship 11:00 am. Wed. Prayer Meeting 7:00 pm. Wed., Bible Study 7:30 pm. 1410 S. Calhoun 683-9465

Cotton Flat Baptist Church
Sunday School 9:45 am Discipleship Training 5:00 pm. Sunday services 11:00 am & 6:00 pm, Wednesday 7:00 pm. 6409 S. Hwy 349 684-7562

Crestview Baptist Church
Sun. 9:00 am (Sanctuary) 10:31 am, Bible Study 9:00 & 10:30 am. Wednesday Activities 6-7:30pm. 301 N. Loop 250 West (off Thomason Dr.) 681-8200

Cuthbert Ave. Baptist Church
Sun. School 9:45 am. Worship Service 11:00 am & 7:00 pm Wed. 7 pm. 3308 W. Cuthbert

Grace Covenant Church
5711 Whitman-Sunday Services 10:30 AM
www.gracecovmidland.org 553-1053

Home Line Baptist Church
Temporary Meeting Place
4406 Mockingbird Lane
432-520-4011
www.homelinebaptist.org
Sunday School 9:45, Worship Service 11:00
Sunday Evening 6:00, Wed. 7:00

Ebenezer Baptist Church
Sun. School 9:30 am. Sun. Services 11 am
Wed. 7 pm, 2400 N. Tyler, Midland

Fannin Terrace Baptist Church
Services: Traditional 8:30am Contemporary 11:00am . Sun. School 9:45. 2800 Mogford

First Baptist Church
Bible Study 8:30, 9:50 am & 11:11 am, Worship 8:30 am - Traditional, 9:50 am, 11:11 am - Contemporary, Wednesday 7:05 pm - 2104 W. Louisiana 683-0600

Goodwill Baptist Church
Sun. School 9:45 & 11:00 am Morn. Worship, Wed. Youth & Adult Bible Study. - 1508 S. Main

Greater Ideal Baptist Church
Sunday School 9:30 am, Services 8:00 am & 11:00 am, Church Nurturing Wed. 7:00 pm 411 S. Tyler 682-8169

Greater Mt. Zion Baptist Church
1700 Cloverdale Rd, Midland, TX 79701, Sunday school 9:45 AM Bible class, Wednesday at 7:00 PM Sunday morning worship 11:00 AM Pastor: Alvin Mills 685-1301

Greater New Hope Baptist
Sun. School - 9:30 am, Worship: 11:00 am & 7:00 pm, Wed. Bible Class - 7:00 pm, 2400 E. New York 684-6893

Greenwood Baptist Church
Sunday School - 9:45 am, Sunday 11:00 am, Wednesday Prayer Service - 7:00 pm, Small Group Bible Studies, 10909 FM 307 Midland 685-1249

Harvest Baptist Church
Sunday School 9:45 am, Sunday 7 pm - Wed. 7:30 pm, 907 S. Terrell 570-7524

Heart of Worship Baptist Fellowship
VFW - 1406 E. Taylor Ave. Midland, TX 79701 - Services start 11 a.m. on Sundays.
Pastor: Michael Therman 682-7608

Hillcrest Baptist Church
Sun. School 9:45 am, Sun. 11 am & 6 pm
Wed. 7 pm. 5200 W. Illinois 520-7733

Macedonia Baptist Church
Sun. School - 9:30 am - Praise & Worship 10:45 am, Morn. Worship 11:00 am, Disciple All - 8:30 am - Sunday, Wed. 7:30 pm, 201 S. Carver 682-7120

Midland Korean Baptist Church
Sunday: English - 9:00 am, Korean -10:30 am, Wed.: Korean Language School- 6:00 pm, 5001 W. Sinclair 413-9593

Mount Calvary Missionary Baptist
Sun. School & BTU 9:00 am, Sun. Worship 11:00 am, Wed. Bible Study 6:00 pm.
303 E. Shandon 682-4931

Mt. Rose Baptist Church
Sun. School 9:30 am, Service 11:00 am Wed. 7 pm, 211 N. Tyler 682-4777

New Jerusalem Missionary Baptist
Sunday School 9:30 am, Sunday 10:45 am, Wednesday 8:15 pm, Youth Activities meet @ 6:30 pm on Monday Eve. - 1801 N. Carver 682-6457

Northwestern Baptist Church
Sun. School 9:45 am, Worship 11:00 am & 6:00 pm, Wed. 6:30 pm, 3901 Mockingbird

Primitive Baptist Church
Services: 2nd and 4th Sunday at 10:30 am 411 W. Shandon 757-620-6627

Ranchland Heights Baptist
Sun. School 9:30 am, Morn. Worship 11 am, Evening Service 6 pm, Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study 6:30 pm. 3203 S.C.R. 1211
Gary Douglas, Pastor 697-4471

Second Baptist Church
Sun. Services 11:00 am, Bible Study for all ages 10:00 am, 3125 Travis

South Memorial Baptist Church
Sun. Worship 10:30 am & 6:00 pm, 1700 W. Carter 682-5733

Southwest Baptist Church
Sunday 10:30 am & 6:30 pm, Wednesday 7:00 pm, 8006 Hwy. 191 561-8885

Stonegate Fellowship
Sunday Worship: 8am, 11am, 5pm and 7pm - www.stonegatefellowship.com
6000 W. Wadley 694-5100

Tall City Baptist Church
Sunday 10am, 11am, 9:30 pm & 7:00 pm, 3500 Andrews Drive 694-7515

Temple Baptist Church
Sun. School 10:00 am, Sun. 11:00 am & 6:30 pm, Wed. Youth B.A.S.E. Club 7:00 pm, Wed. Bible Study 7:00 pm, 4301 Thomason Dr 694-3634

Travis Baptist Church
Bible Classes 9:45 am, Sun. Worship Services 11:00 am & 6:00 pm , Wed. Service, 1000 E. Gist 682-7812

Valley View Baptist Church
Sun. School 10 am Services 11:00 am & 7:00 pm, Discipleship Training 6:30 pm, Wed. Choir Practice 7 pm, Prayer Meeting 7 pm, 5500 FM 1213 - Midland, P.O. Box 10397, Midland, TX 79702

Victory Fellowship
Sunday School 10am, Sunday Services 11am & 6pm, Wednesday 7pm, Pastor Teddy Seals, 3500 Anetta 563-2353

West Kentucky Baptist Church
Sunday School 9:45 am, Services 11:00 am & 7:00 pm, 1507 W. Kentucky Ave.

Westside Baptist Church
Sun. School 10 am, Sun. Services 10, 11 am & 6 pm, 4201 W. Illinois

Wilshire Park Baptist
Worship: 9:50 am & 6:15 pm - Sun., 6:00 pmWed., Sun. School - 11:00 am.
801 S. Bentwood 694-7787

Kelview Heights Baptist Church
Sunday Bible Classes 9:15 am, Worship Service 10:30 am, Worship Service and Kids' Choir 6:00 pm, www.kelview.com
402 W. Scharbauer Drive 682-3842

Bible

Calvary Chapel of Midland/Odessa
Sun. 10:30am. - Wed. 7:00pm - Highway 191 & FM 1788 - www.calvarywestTexas.com 561-9141

Colonial Bible Church
Teaching 10 am: Worship 11 am. Traditional Worship, Biblical Teaching & Preaching, 5711 Whitman 686-2612

Midland Bible Church
Sunday 1st Service 9:00-10:10 Sunday School 10:20-11:10 2nd Service 11:20-12:30 Wednesday AWANA 6:15-8:00 www.midlandbible.org 2800 North "A" Street 684-9722

Catholic

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church
Mon.- Fri. 12:05 Noon Eng. Mon., Tues., Thurs. 6:30 pm Span., Wed. & Fri. 6:30 pm, Saturday 8:00 am (Bilingual) & 5:00 pm Vigil Mass (Bilingual), Sunday 8:00 am (Spanish)-10:00 am & 12:00 pm (Eng.)-1:30 pm (Span.), www.olgmidland.com
1301 E. Garden Lane 682-2581

San Miguel Arcangel Catholic Church Weekends:
Sat. 4:30 pm (English), Sun.
8:30 am (Spanish) 10:30 am (English)
& 12:30 pm (Spanish), Weekdays: Mon.-Wed.-Fri. 6:00 pm (Bi-Lingual), Tuesday & Thursday 8:00 am (Bi-Lingual), Confessions Saturday 3:45-4:15.
1100 Camp Street 570-0952

St. Ann's Catholic Church
Weekend Mass Schedule: Saturday - 5:00 pm, Sunday - 8:30 am - 10:45 am - 5:00 pm, Confession: Saturday - 4:00 - 4:45 pm, Illinois & "M" - www.st-anns.us 682-6303

St. Michael The Archangel Traditional Catholic Church
The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass in the Latin Tridentine Rite, as approved and encouraged by Pope Benedict XVI in his encyclical Summorum Pontificum, is said several times each month on a variable schedule. Please call for Mass times.
3001 W. Golf Course Rd 686-7709

St. Stephen's Catholic Church
Saturday 8:00 am & Mass 5:00 pm Sunday Masses 8:00 am, 10:30 am, 12:30 pm (Spanish) & 5:00 pm, Daily Masses 7:00 am 12:15 & 5:30 pm, Confession heard 20 minutes before each Mass
4601 Neely Avenue 520-7394

Christian

Christian Church of Midland
Sun. School 9:30 am, Service 10:30 am, Sun. Night Small Groups, Wednesday Bible Study 6:30 pm, www.ccofm.com, 2608 Neely 684-7681

Community of Christ
10:00am Sunday School, 11:00am Worship, 3603 Douglas, www.cofchrist.org 694-3929

Christian Disciples of Christ

Church on the Journey (Disciples of Christ) 1001 Andrews Highway (Home of Memorial Christian Church) across from Albertsons on Andrews Highway, Midland TX. Sunday School for all ages 9:40 am.Sunday Worship 10:50 am in the Fellowship Hall. Rev Gary Groves, Minister.
www.churchonthejourney.org ..... (432) 413-8326

First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
Contemporary Service 9 - 10 am in the Family Life Center, Sunday School for all ages 10 - 11am. Traditional Service 11 am, www.fccmidland.org
1301 W. Louisiana 682-2541

Memorial Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
Sun. School - 9:40 am, Sanctuary Worship 10:50 am, www.mccmidland.org,
1001 Andrews Hwy 694-5321

Christian and Missionary Alliance

Fellowship Community Church
9:30 Family Bible Hour, 10:45 am , Morning Celebration, www.midlandfellowshipchurch.org
5206 N. Midland Dr 699-6968

Christian Science

Christian Science Church
Sunday Worship & Sunday School at 10:00 am; Wed. Service at 7:30 pm, 1001 W. Tennessee 682-8197

Christian Science Reading Room
Mon.-Thurs. 11:00 am - 3:00 pm, Mission Sq. Ste. A-10 4400 N. Big Spring St. 79705 ..432-682-8476

Church of Christ

Andrews Hwy. Church of Christ
Sun. Worship 10:30 am & 5:00 pm, 4603 Andrews Hwy 694-2394

Church of Christ in Greenwood
Sun.- 9:30 am - Bible Study, Worship 10:30 am & 6:00 pm Wed. 7:00 pm - Bible Study 684-8050

Eastside Church of Christ
Sunday Bible Study 9:45 am Sunday 11:00 am & 5:00 pm Wednesday 7:00 pm,
611 S. Western 684-4733

Fairmont Park Church of Christ
Sun. Morn. Bible Class 9:00 am Worship Service 10 am & 5 pm, Wed. Eve. Bible Study at 7 pm, 3813 N. Midland Dr 699-7064

Iglesia de Cristo
Sun. 9:00 am & 5:00 pm, Wed. 7:00 pm-Bilingual, 1501 E. Cherry Lane 661-3233, 634-1948

Golf Course Road Church of Christ
Sun.: First Worship: 8:15 am; Bible Class 9:45 am; Second Worship: 11:00 am (translation for the hearing impaired), Tuesday: Men's Prayer Breakfast: 6:30 am; Ladies Class 9:45 am; Wed.: PowerPoint 7:00 pm

Lamesa Rd. Church of Christ
3409 N. Lamesa Rd. Sunday school at 9:30 AM Sunday morning worship at 11AM Tuesday night singing practice at 7PM Wednesday night bible class at 7PM Minister Mike Hernandez 685-0805

Lee Street Church of Christ
Sun. School 9:30 am, Worship 11:00 am & 6:30 pm, Wed. Bible Study 7:30 pm, 101 N. Lee Street

Main Street Church of Christ
Sunday Services 10:30 am & 5:00 pm, Wednesday Service 7:30pm, 101 W. Parker 570-1212

North "A" Church of Christ
Sun. Services 9:00 am, 10:30 am & 6:00 pm, Wed. Service 7:00 pm, 505 San Angelo St. 682-8653

Northside Church of Christ
Bible 9:30 am, Sunday. Services: 10:30 am & 6:00 pm; Wed. 7:30 pm 682-1053

Spanish Church of Christ
Sun. Services 10 am & 6 pm, Wed. Services 7 pm, Bilingual Services, Orchard Lane & Loma Vista

Westway Church of Christ
1701 Hughes St., Sunday Services 10am & 6pm, Wednesday 7:30pm 432-262-6543

Westside Church of Christ
4410 W. Illinois Ave., 694-3614, Bible class at 9am - AM Worship at 10am - Evening worship at 5pm - Wed. Evening w/ship at 7pm 694-3614

Woodcrest Church of Christ
1401 Woodcrest Drive, Sunday Bible Study - 9:30am, Sunday Assembly - 10:30am, Sunday Assembly - 4pm, Wed. Bible Study - 7pm, Preacher: Jay Martin 688-0865

Charismatic

Midland Christian Fellowship (The Joyful Church)
Sun. School 9:30 am, Celebration Service 10:30 am, Wed. Family Night 7:00 pm, nursery and children's church for every service,
2301 W. Indiana 685-1981

Church of God

Church of God -
Sun.School 10:00 am, Sun. Services 11:00 am & 6:00 pm Wed. 7:30 pm, 5300 Thomason Dr. 694-7586

Church of God in Christ

Alexander Temple Church of God in Christ
Wed 7:30pm, Sun School 9:45 am, Sun Morn 11:00 am, 200 N. Tyler 684-5466

Faith Temple Church of God in Christ
Sunday School 9:45 am, Morning Worship 11:30 am, Bible Study 6 pm Evening Worship 7 pm, Wednesday 7 pm, 1605 N. Terrell 684-5253

Holy Trinity Church of God in Christ
Sun. School 10:00 am Morning Worship 11:15 am, Bible Study Wednesday 7:00pm, 1301 E. Cowden 682-9271

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints
Ward 1 at 9:00 am Sun., Ward 2 at 11:30 am Sun., Ward 3 at 9:00 am Sun., Branch for Spanish at 10:20 am, Wards 1 & 2 meet at 4805 Gateway St., Midland. Ward 3 meets at 2101 Tarleton St.

Episcopal

Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity
Sunday Holy Eucharist: 8am, Rite I, 10 am, Rite II, 9:00 am Education Monday Holy Eucharist & Healing 5:15 pm, www.holytrinity.org,
1412 West Illinois 683-4207

St. Nicholas' Episcopal Church
Sunday Services: 9:30am & 5:30 pm, Sun. School & Adult Forum - 10:30am, Healing Service - Wed. 5:30pm. Dinner 6pm. Choirs & Programs.
4000 W. Loop 250 North 694-8856

Foursquare Gospel

Living Way Church Foursquare
MidlandChurch- Sunday 10am, Wednesday 7 pm, Children & Youth Activities, Wednesday 7 pm, 415 Alta 683-1750

Camino de Vida Midland Hispanic y Foursquare Church
Sunday Services 10:00 am & 11:00 am, Tuesday 7:00 pm, Thursday 7:30 pm. 100 West Oak 352-9524

Full Gospel

Jesus Way House of Prayer
Sun. 10:30 am & 7:30 pm, Tues. & Thurs. 7:30 pm, 3600 Andrews Hwy 520-0357

Living Hope Church
Services: Sun 10:30 am. Thurs 7 pm. 2911 CR 1140 693-6398

Voice of Victory - A Word Church
Sun.10:30 am & 6 pm. Wed 7 pm, 1001 S. Main St. 686-7566

Hindu

Hindu Association of West (HAWT)
Service Times: Weekdays 8 am & 7 pm to 8 pm, Saturday 9 am to 10:30 am, Sunday 10 am to 12:30 pm & 4 pm to 6 pm, Religious Study & Sunday School for Children, 4401 Cardinal Ln. 520-4298

Interdenominational

Midland Center for Spiritual Living
2311 Elizabeth Ave, Midland, TX 79701
Minister, Rev. Jerry Fetterly 432/684-4230
Website Url http://Midland.CSL.org
Services 10am-Book Study, 11am-Celebration Service with Music

Christian Life Center
Sunday School 9:30-10:20, Worship 10:30- 12 pm, Home Care Fellowships varied times. Wednesday Bible Studies 6:30 pm. 2901 W. Kansas 683-4506

West Texas Cowboy Church
12144 E. Hwy 158, Gardendale, Texas. Sunday 10 a.m., Wed at 7 p.m. www.wtccchurch.org 499-8588

Jewish

Aveley Torah Hayah
meets third or fourth Saturday of the month at Voice of Victory Church, 1001 S. Main, Midland. Service times: Saturday 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Adult services and Tot Shabbat; Sunday 1-4 p.m. Sunday school for adults and children. Rabbi Yosef Garcia, For more information, call Synagogue President Samuel Saldana www.cryptojew.org 634-9191

Temple Beth El
Friday Service 8pm, Rabbi Holly Cohn, Rabbi Sidney Zimelman, Emeritus
1501 N Grandview, Odessa, TX 550-5111

Lutheran

Good Shepherd Evangelical Lutheran Church
Sunday School & Bible Class 9:30 am, Sunday Worship at 10:30 am, 3800 Bluebird Ln. 694-4971

Grace Lutheran Church Lutheran Church Missouri Synod
Sun. School 9:00 am, Service 10:30 am, Monday Worship Service 7:00 pm, 3000 W. Golf Course Rd. 697-3221

Holy Cross Lutheran Church
Traditional Service 9:30 am, Sunday School 10:45 am, www.hclcMu.org, 5110 North Garfield, ... 570-8149

Hope Lutheran Church Worship
Sun, Sunday School 10:15am. Adult Bible Study 10:15am, Terry Johnson, pastor, 2003 North A St. 683-1936

Lutheran Church of the Risen Lord
9 am Adult Sunday School, Women's Bible Study Families together class, Nursery 0-2, Young Children's Sun. School (3&4 yr), Kids Quest, K-6, 10:15 am, Worship Service, 5-7 pm, 1603 N. Grandview, Odessa 362-2549

Midland Lutheran Church
Sun. School at 9:15 am, Sun. Worship, 10:30 am, Tuesday bible study at 7:00 pm, 2705 W. Michigan 694-1373

Our Savior Lutheran Church
Sun. School 9:00 am, Worship Celebration 10:15 am, Pastor Steve Mohr, 3309 Neely 694-4517

Messianic

Bet Hadarash located at Mission Dorado Baptist
4142 Faubree Road, Odessa, TX 79765, Worship: Sat. 10:30 am. Call 561-8486

Methodist United

Resurrection United Methodist Church
Sun. School 10:00 am, Worship 11:00 am, 9541 W. 57th St., Odessa 385-1212

St. Mark's United Methodist
Sunday School 9:45 am, Sunday Service 11:00 am, Wednesday Choir 6:30 pm, Home Bound Communion - First week of month.
1701 N. Main 683-3339

& Church Listings

First United Methodist Church (Midland) Traditional Sun. Worship 8:30 am & 10:45 am- sanctuary, 10:45 am Contemporary Worship- Fellowship Hall, Main & Ohio St. www.firstmethodistmidland.com .682-3701

First United Methodist Church (Goldsmith) Sun. Service 9:00am, 600 N. Goldsmith St. Goldsmith 385-1212

St. Luke's United Methodist Church Sunday School 9:30 am, Services 8:30 am & 10:50 am, WWW.StLukesUMCMidland.com 3011 W. Kansas 694-2571

St. Paul's Methodist 4501 Thomason Drive, Midland, Tx. 79703 Sunday School 8:45am, Worship Services 10am, Children/ Youth meet at 6pm Rev Randy Thomas 694-2544

Visionary Hollowell Community UMC Sunday School 10:00am, Worship Service 11:00 am, Mid-Week Bible Study, Prayer & Praise, and Fellowship - Wednesday - 6:30 -pm, 400 South Marshall St. ...682-1574

Muslim

Muslim Association of West Jumu'ah Prayer - Friday 1:30 pm, Religious study group Sunday 12 pm, 1200 S. Midland 520-4689

Pak-American Muslim Association Jumu'ah Prayer - Friday 1:30pm, 5010 W. Loop 250 N. Apt 10E 520-3751

Nazarene

The Gathering @ Midland (A Church of the Nazarene) Sunday Worship 10:30 am, 2001 Culver, www.thegatheringmidland.com

Non-Denominational

BelieversWay Church Permian Basin Sun Service 10am, Wed Service 7pm 4400 N. Midland Drive, Suite 400 www.believersway.com.....689-7284

Christian Faith Ministry 2215 N. Midland Dr. #5A, Midland, TX 79707 Linda Jackson, Pastor Services Sunday 11am 4322186412

Church of God 7th Day 609 N. Dallas, Midland, Texas 79701 Pastor: Joe V. Romero 218-8595

Church of New Beginnings 4309 W. Illinois, Suite A Sun. School 10 am, Sun.Service 11:30 am Bible Study for all ages Wednesday 7 pm Pastor Norman Lewis 553-1400

Cornerstone Christian Fellowship Sunday Svcs w/Children's Church 10am, Bible Study 6pm, Wednesday Evening for all age groups starting at 6:30pm 901 N Midland Dr. .....689-8898 www.cornerstonemidland.com

Dominion Outreach Ministry Sunday Service 10:30 am Wednesday 7:00 pm. 7909 Hwy. 307 686-9468

LifeHouse Fellowship 3300 Thomas Avenue Midland, TX 79703, Services on Sun. at 10:30am, Wed at 7pm. Pastor Jeremy Sutton, www.lifehousefellowship.net .....432-262-LIFE info@lifehousefellowship.net

Manna For Life Ministry Sun. School 10 am, Worship 11 am, Wed. Prayer Meeting 7pm, Wed. at 6pm, Sisters For Life Meeting, Fri. at 7pm Prophetic Night 701 S. Calhoun 432-684-8668

Mid- Cities Community Church Sunday Morning 9:15am & 11 am 8700 W. Hwy 191 522-1330

Midland Bible Church Sunday School 10:20am-11:10, First Service 9:00-10:10am, Second service 11:20-12:30pm. AWANA 6:00 pm Wednesday, www.midlandbible.org. 2800 North "A" St 684-9722

The Cowboy Church of the Permian Basin Sunday Services: 10:30 am - 3900 North FM 1788, Midland, TX Pastor Jerry Ralston 432-563-0028

Apostolic Assembly in the Faith Christ Jesus Wednesday 7:30 pm, Sunday Services 9:45 am & 3:30 pm 2309 South Fort Worth.....686-8526

Beacon-Light Outreach Ministries Sunday School 10:30am, Sunday High Noon Svc 12:00pm, France Kerr Annex Building (Behind St. Paul Methodist) 410 South Lee 432-599-0793

Bible-Way Apostolic Church of Jesus Christ Sunday School 10:00 am, Morning Worship 11:30 pm, Tuesday/ Mission 6:30 pm, Wed./Bible Study 6:30 pm, 1201 E. Spruce 570-1665

Christian Outreach Center Sun. Services 10:00 am & 5:00 pm, Wed. Service 7:30 pm, Located in Odessa South of I-20 off of West County Rd. (corner of Cole & Sergeant)

Christian Motorcycle Association Contact Mike Kiselwick 520-8241

Christian Tabernacle Church Sunday Services 10:00 am & 7:00 pm, Wednesday Service 7:00 pm. 10807 W CR 145, Midland 262-5072

Centro Familiar Cristiano Vida Sunday Services: 10 am, 5 pm, Wednesday Services 7 pm, Friday Youth Services 7 pm, 505 W. Parker

Church in the Wind Sunday Service 10:30am and Wednesday Service 7:00 pm 1001 Austin 556-2062

Communidad Alabare, Community of Praise Saturday 9:30 am, Monday 7:30 pm, 1100 Dayton Rd 682-8433

Crossway Church Adult Sunday School 9:30 am, Worship Service 10:30 am Children's Christian Education 10:50 am, www.crosswaychurchofgod.org 1000 Upland.....528-8541

Destiny by Grace Christian Worship Center Sun. 9:30 am, 10:30 am & 6 pm Wed., 7 pm, 3303 S. Hwy 349.....556-6638

Faith Apostolic Church Thurs. Service 7:30 pm, Sun. Services 9:40 am - Traditional Service, 11:00 am Contemporary Service & 7:30 pm, 4001 W. Illinois Avenue.....520-5371

Faith Country Church Sunday Service 9:30 am Wednesday 7 pm Youth Service Wednesday 7 pm, www.faithcountry.org Exit 143 off I-20 E. to FM 1208, ~5 miles.....458-3580

Faith Tabernacle Sunday School 10:00a m, Morning Worship 11:00 am, Wed. night prayer Bible Class 7:00 pm, Friday Evangelistic Night 8:00 pm, 301 S. Fairgrounds Rd.

First Apostolic Church Sunday School 10:00 am, Sunday Services 11:00 am & 6:00 pm, Wed. Prayer 7:30pm, 710 S. Baird St.

Greater Grace Temple Christian Faith Center Sunday Service 12:00 noon, Morning Bible Institute 10:45 am Midland Center Room 3, Toll Free 866-544-7223

Harvest Time Church Sunday Services 9:45 am ,10:30 am & 6:00 pm, Wednesday 7:00 pm, 8300 W. Hwy. 191.....563-5683

Heart of Worship Baptist Fellowship Sunday Service 11:00 am, 1306 East Taylor 337-9372

Iglesia de Dios 70 Dia Wed. 7- 8 pm, Friday 7 - 8 pm, Sat 10am-12 pm, 4 pm- 6 pm, 405 E. Stokes 684-8541

Iglesia de Dios de la Profecia Church of God of Prophecy Thursday 7:00 pm, Sunday 10:00 am, 6:00 pm, 5301 Thomason.....689-8277

Inner City Tabernacle of life Ministries Sun. 11:15, Wed. 7:30, Overseer E.M. & Lady S.R. Jackson, Pastors www.victoberna cle.com.....694-4233

New Day Christian Fellowship Wed. 7 pm & Sun. 10:30 am & 6 pm, 4200 W. Illinois Suite 280.....694-4233

New Springs Family Life Church Sunday Service 10:45 am , Wednesday Night Bible Study 7 pm, 350 N. Midland Drive # F 689-8567

North East Community Church Sun. 9:30am, 10:30 am, & 6:30 pm, Wed 7:00 pm Bible Study, Belva Lucas 410 N. CR 1130.....699-5821, 853-9830

Nuevo Trigo (New Wheat) Church Sunday Services at 10:30 am, Wed. Service at 7:30 pm 2406 W. Wall.

Prophet of the Word Ministries Daily prayer and counseling. Send prayer requests to 1800 N. Big Spring St., Suite 212, Midland 79707; Prayer Line&200802

Redeemer Christian Fellowship FullGospel Ministry Sunday 10 am & 6 pm, 3000 W. Franklin 686-9112

Rock Fellowship Church Sun. Worship 10:00 am, Wed. A.C.T.I.O.N. Night 7:00 pm, Extreme Youth 6:30 pm, 410 S. Pecos 685-3858

Salvation Army Sunday School 9:45 am, Worship 11 am & 6 pm, Wednesday 6:30 pm, 3500 Park Lane 697-7264

Shambhava Center On 2nd & 4th Sundays each month - 10:30 - 11:00 Meditation, 5 p.m. Kirtan, All are welcome, no charge 2505 W. Kansas 432-528-9534

Solid Rock Fellowship Outwest Sun School 10, Sun Services 11 Wed 7 4601 W. Interstate 20 (South Service road Between Midkiff and Loop 250) 664-4279

St Paul C.M.C. Church Wed. Bible study @ 7 pm, Sunday breakfast 7 am to 8:30 am, Sunday School 9:30 am, 409 S. Lee Street

Teen Challenge Services Fridays 7pm, 5901 S. CR 1200, Midland 687-0348

Teen Flow Service 11:00 am Sun., 711 S. Main 686-2525

Templo Betesda - Interdenominational Sun. School 10 am, Sunday Services 11 am & 6 pm, Wednesday Service 7:30 pm, All Bilingual Services, 2901 South Rankin Hwy, Midland 570-4582

Templo Peniel Church Sun. School: 10 am Sun., Worship services 11 am and 6 pm Sun.; 6 pm Wed. 611 S. Terrell 683-6836

Templo Jerusalem Prayer Mon - Fri 6 am, Tue evening 7 pm, Wed Ministerios - Femeniles 7:30 pm, Fri Varones/ Jovenes alternate 7:30 pm, Sun. Escuela Dominical 9:45 am, Sun. Evening Culto Evangelistico 5 pm, 1205 South Belmont.....683-4806

The World Wide Church of God Bible Study Wed. at 7:30 pm, Sun. Service 11am, 1207 W. 10th St., Odessa.....381-8352

True Life Christian Fellowship Church Dev. starts 9:15 am, Sun. School 9:30-10:30 am, Sun. Services 11 am to 1 pm, 3001 North "A" St., Midland ...687-3077

Victorious Ministries International Sunday 11:15 am & Thursday 7:30 pm, http://geocities.com/victoriouschurch 582-2740

Orthodox

Holy Cross Orthodox Church Temporarily meeting at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 4901 Maple Ave., Odessa (corner of JBS Pkwy, one block S. of Hwy. 191) Archpriest Michael Keiser, Mission pastor. Serving all Orthodox Christians, others always welcome. Weekly services Sun. 5pm. For full schedule visit orthodoxmidlandodessa.com Local contacts: Subdeacon Mark Telschow at 432-296-2654 or Reader Mark Trainer at 432-528-0026

Pentecostal Assemblies of the World

Beacon Light Outreach (A Pentecostal Outreach) Services: 11am Sun. Call for Location 432-416-0390, 432-559-0793

Lighthouse Pentecostal Church Sun. School 9:30 am Sun. Worship 11:00 am & 7:30 pm, 2nd & 4th Wed. Bible Study 7:00 pm, Thurs. Mission 7pm, 200 N. Lincoln.....682-7186

The Pentecostals Sunday School 10am, Sun. Services 10 am & 6pm, Wed. Service 7:30 pm, Fri Youth, 5110 W. Illinois Ave....697-4007

Jesus Name United Pentecostal Church Sun. School 10 am, Worship 11am & 6 pm, Wed. 7:30 pm, 3110 W. C.R. 116 694-8702

Presbyterian

First Presbyterian Church Sun. School: 9:30 am, Sun. Services 8:15 am, 11am, "The Bridge" at 11am, 800 W. Texas.....684-7821

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Obituaries

Dolores J. Walden Bishop

Dolores J. Walden Bishop, 82, of Midland, was called home to be with her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, on July 5, 2011, surrounded by angels, gently lifting her spirit into the heavenly hands of Jesus.

She was born in Abilene, Texas, on October 13, 1928, to Clarence Virgil Walden and Gladys E. Watts Walden.

As a child, Dolores grew up living in oil camps in Louisiana, New Mexico, and Texas.

After graduation from Texas Tech in 1948, she was employed by Shell Oil Company where she met the love of her life, Walter Blair Bishop. They were married September 7, 1957, in Midland, Texas.

After living in Midland and Houston for many years, they retired in Roswell, New Mexico. Dolores and Walter traveled extensively through most of the United States and many European countries. They also enjoyed several cruises. Dolores loved being with family and friends, reading, working on crossword puzzles, playing bridge, collecting folk art, and loved her cat Sophie.

Dolores was a member of St. Paul United Methodist Church in Midland, Texas.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Walter Blair Bishop on February 27, 1999; a sister, Barbara Walden McClellan on February 13, 2009; her mother, Gladys E. Watts Walden on July 15, 2009; her father, Clarence Virgil Walden on September 3, 1971; and grandparents, numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins.

She leaves behind to cherish her memory, her brother, George T. Walden of Midland; sisters, Mary Walden Hazlewood and husband, J.W. of Midland, and Kathy Walden Scoggins and husband, James of Midland; nieces and nephews, Suzanne Roberts and husband, Rick of Roswell, New Mexico, Mark McClellan and wife, Paula of Roswell, New Mexico, Lisa Ussery and husband, Brad of Roswell, New Mexico, Michele Jungman and husband, David, Sherrie Schuster and husband, Stan, Benny Scoggins and wife, Lisa, Mary Scoggins, and Ellen Scoggins of Midland; also, six great-nephews and six great-nieces, and two great-great-nephews.

A private family graveside service will be held at Resthaven Memorial Park in Midland, Texas, with Pastor Robert Kirk officiating.

The family is thankful for the loving and caring staff at Mabee Center Manor Park, Hospice of Midland, and Dr. Robert Vogel.

Memorials may be directed to Manor Park, Inc., Employees' Christmas Fund (2208 W. Loop 250 W., Midland, Texas 79707), Hospice of Midland (P. O. Box 2621, Midland, Texas 79702), or to ones favorite charity.

Arrangements are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home of Midland, Texas. Condolences may be made online at: www.ellisfunerals.com.

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Edward John Matchus

Edward John Matchus, 87, of Midland, TX passed away peacefully Wednesday, June 29, 2011, in Austin, TX, with family at his side.

Loving husband, son, brother, cousin, beloved father, grandfather, great grandfather, and friend, Ed was born August 10, 1924, in Chicago, IL to John Anthony and Anna Alice Bendick Matchus.

Ed was preceded in death by his parents and brother, Walter C. Matchus.

Ed is survived by his wife, Beatrice Irene Matchus; his brother, John Matchus and his wife, Jean, of Utica, IL; son, Edward John "E.J." Matchus and his wife, Cherry; daughter, Edith Ann Stanton, both of Midland, TX; daughter, Nancy Katherine Matchus of Austin, TX; daughter, Sarah Louise Adamson and her husband, Frazier "Danny"; and son, Thomas Anthony Matchus and his wife, Jan, both of Midland, TX. He is survived by grandchildren Holly (Matchus) Hamm and her husband, Blake of Houston, TX; Chesly (Matchus) Herd and her husband, John Tevis "J.T." of Midland, TX; Lindsey (Matchus) Slater of Alpine, TX; Emily Jo (Matchus) Hood and her husband, Richard of Boulder, CO; and John Tanner Matchus of Silver City, NM; Karl William Stanton; Sean Anthony Matchus; Seth Andrew Matchus; Samuel Aaron Matchus; Simon Alexander Matchus. He is survived by 6 great-grandchildren, Jakob Hamm, Austin Herd, Callie Herd, Carrie Herd, Drew Slater and Naomi Slater.

Friends and family are cordially invited to gather Sunday, July 10, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m., at Ellis Funeral Home, 801 Andrews Hwy, Midland, to celebrate Ed's life. Memorial services will be held Monday, July 11, 11:00 a.m., at St. Ann's Church, 1906 W. Texas, Midland, with reception immediately following in the St. Ann's parlor.

If desired, contributions may be made to the West Texas Geological Society Foundation, P. O. Box 1595, Midland, TX 79702; the Midland Energy Library, or the charity of your choice.

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Death Notices

Alvin L. "Jake" Arnold

Alvin L. "Jake" Arnold, 88, of Midland, passed away Monday, July 4, 2011.

Funeral services will be at 10:00 a.m., Friday, July 8, 2011, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Chapel.

Survivors include daughters, Kathy Huckabay-Wallace, Patsy McKinney, and Sharon Rhea; five grandchildren; one great grandchild; and four sisters and one brother.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Midland.

John Thomas Frentress

John Thomas Frentress passed away Friday, July 1, 2011, in Midland.

Survivors include his wife, Rhonda Frentress; daughters, Erica Dawn Frentress and Staci Nichole Frentress; stepdaughter, Candi Moates; and stepson, Lonnie Brown; mother, Kathryn Frentress; and two sisters.

The memorial service will be held at 2:00 p.m., Sunday, July 10, 2011, at Raintree Christian Church, Lubbock, TX.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Midland.

Lynn Holdridge

Lynn Holdridge, 37, passed away Wednesday, July 6, 2011.

Visitation will be held from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Saturday, July 9, 2011, at the funeral home. Memorial services will be held at 3:00 p.m., Sunday, July 10, 2011, at Christ Church Midland.

Survivors include wife, Shannon; children, Noah Jackson and Ian Benjamin; parents, Judy and Gary Holdridge; and two brothers.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Midland.

Nancy L. Phipps

Nancy L. Phipps, 82, of Midland, passed away on Wednesday, July 6, 2011, in Midland.

Graveside services will be 10:00 a.m., Saturday, July 9, 2011, at Andrews West Cemetery under the direction of McNett Funeral Home.

She is survived by her daughter, Sue Munn; son, Billy Phipps; four grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of McNett Funeral Home.

RELIGIONBRIEFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Former NH Episcopal priest arrested

BEDFORD — A former Manchester, N.H., Episcopal priest is facing felonious sexual assault charges involving two incidents with a child under age 13.

Bedford police charged 78-year-old Franklin Huntress of Marblehead, Mass., after a two-month investigation into incidents in the 1980s. Police say Huntress was arrested on June 30 and extradited to New Hampshire, where he was arraigned Wednesday in Hillsborough County Superior Court. He was released Thursday on $25,000 cash bail.

At the time of the incidents, Huntress lived out of state but was invited back for a community function. Police said Huntress served at Grace Church in Manchester from 1971 to 1975.

Police declined to elaborate on the crimes or victims.

OHIO

Atheist billboard removed a second time

COLUMBUS — An organization that placed a billboard in Ohio supporting atheism said it has been taken down for the second time after eliciting a complaint.

The ad in Columbus from the Freedom From Religion Foundation featured the smiling face of a local nonbeliever and the man's message: "I can be good without God."

The Foundation said the billboard was removed Tuesday by the outdoor advertising company that erected it after a complaint from a business owner the group did not name. The ad had first been moved after it was taken down in June from property owned by a church when the pastor objected.

The Foundation says it has been assured that the billboard will again be relocated.

The ad is one of seven the group is sponsoring in Columbus for a month.

MISSOURI

ACLU challenges public prayer measure

JEFFERSON CITY — Attorneys for the American Civil Liberties Union are challenging the ballot wording for a proposed amendment to the Missouri Constitution on public prayer.

A measure referred by lawmakers to the 2012 ballot would state that people can pray in public places, so long as they do not disturb the peace. It also says students can express their religious beliefs and cannot be compelled to participate in assignments that violate their religious beliefs.

A lawsuit filed Thursday contends the ballot summary is misleading because it fails to mention the potential for students to refuse homework or that prisoners could lose some religious protections currently in the Missouri Constitution.

VATICAN CITY

Vatican seeks to make new watchdog independent

The Vatican moved Thursday to make its new financial watchdog agency more independent by relieving its president of his other job running the Holy See's administration.

There had been questions about possible conflicts of interests when Cardinal Attilio Nicora was named president of the Vatican's Financial Information Authority earlier this year, given his dual roles.

The oversight agency, designed to be fully independent, began work in April to ensure all Vatican financial transactions comply with EU and international anti-money laundering and anti-terror financing laws. It was created amid an investigation by Rome prosecutors into suspicious financial transactions at the Vatican bank.

In Capitol visit, Dalai Lama meets US lawmakers

By Matthew Pennington
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — In a rare show of unity, Republican and Democratic leaders found a cause to rally around Thursday: their support for the Tibetan spiritual leader, the Dalai Lama.

The Nobel Peace laureate, in Washington for an 11-day Buddhist ritual, was invited to the Capitol to meet with House leaders.

His visit already has drawn criticism from China, which regards the Dalai Lama as a separatist troublemaker and bristles at any official recognition of the exiled Tibetan leader. The White House has yet to announce whether he will meet with President Barack Obama as he did, albeit in low-key fashion, on his last visit in February 2010.

At a joint news conference after Thursday's meeting, House Minority Leader Nancy Pelosi noted how the Dalai Lama was able to bring together Democrats and Republicans, who are struggling to narrow their differences over how to bring down the hulking budget deficit.

Pelosi said that as a boy, the Dalai Lama had received a watch from President Franklin D. Roosevelt. "It's a source of great pride to us that this relationship between our two countries and leaders goes back so far," she said.

House Speaker John Boehner, an Ohio Republican, paid tribute to the Dalai Lama and his "tireless dedication to the values we all cherish."

The Dalai Lama, 76, who fled China in 1959 and is based in northern India, said he explained to the lawmakers his recent move to give up his political authority to Tibet's elected government-in-exile, which China still refuses to negotiate with. He said representative government would mean a more democratic system for Tibetans.

The Dalai Lama denies seeking independence for Tibet, saying he wants autonomy for Tibet within China. He remains the spiritual leader of Tibetan Buddhism. Thousands of expatriate Tibetans will seek his blessing during his stay in Washington, his longest visit yet to the U.S. capital.

State Department spokeswoman Victoria Nuland said Thursday that China's communist-led government expressed displeasure that the Dalai Lama was received officially by a senior department official when he arrived Tuesday. She said no decision had been made whether Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton would meet with him.

While any meetings between the Dalai Lama and Clinton or Obama would annoy China, snubbing the Tibetan leader would draw political fire on the president at home.

Lawmakers of both parties have called for the Dalai Lama to be received at the White House.

Obama was criticized for not meeting the Tibetan leader when he visited Washington in October 2009, months before the president made a state visit to Beijing.

Associated Press

RELIGION AND POLITICS The Dalai Lama, followed by House Minority Leader Nancy Pelosi, of California, greets reporters as he arrives on Capitol Hill in Washington on Thursday.

Catholic school chief OK with voucher standards

Associated Press

NEW ORLEANS — The new head of New Orleans area Catholic schools predicts significant improvements next year at Catholic schools accepting students whose tuition is paid with government vouchers, adding that she doesn't oppose the idea of state-imposed performance standards on private schools that receive government-funded tuition.

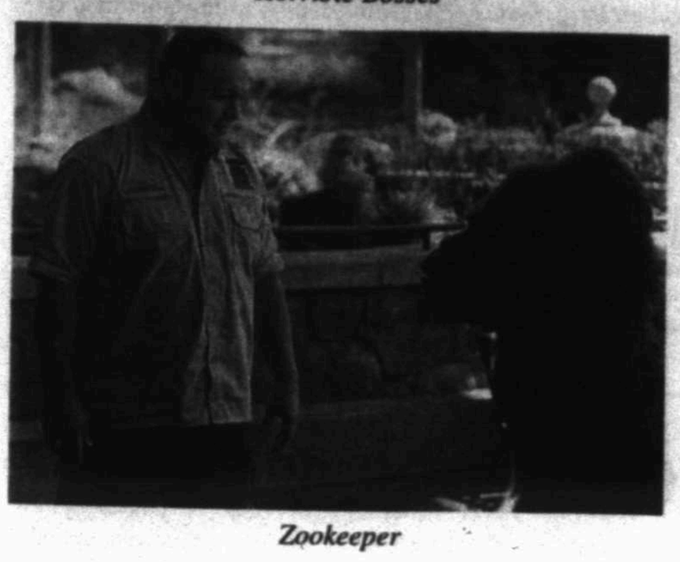
Jan Daniel Lancaster added that her office will impose standards of its own, stricter than the state's, and will move voucher students to better performing schools if necessary.

"We cannot be in this program and failing," Lancaster said Thursday.

Her remarks came two days after the nonprofit group Educate Now! released an analysis of the state voucher program showing several private schools, including five operated by the archdiocese, performing worse than state-run public schools in New Orleans, based on standardized test scores; and a week after Gov. Bobby Jindal vetoed legislative language that would have imposed performance standards on schools that want to continue in the voucher program.

Jindal won approval of the limited-scope voucher program from the Legislature in 2008, overcoming vehement opposition from many in the state's education establishment.

Horrible Bosses



Zookeeper

'Horrible Bosses' is gleefully silly

By Christy Lemire
Associated Press

HORRIBLE BOSSES
Warner Bros. Pictures
Rated R
98 minutes
★★★☆

"Horrible Bosses" wallows in silliness — gleefully, and without an ounce of remorse or self-consciousness — and even though you're a grown-up and you know you should know better, you will be happy to wallow right along, as well.

It's a film that's wildly, brazenly stupid — but also, you know, fun.

Because like "Bad Teacher," another recent raunchfest, "Horrible Bosses" knows exactly what it is and doesn't aspire to be anything more (or dare we say "better"?), and that lack of pretention is refreshing. It isn't trying to say anything profound about society or the economy or the fragile psyche of the post-modern man.

It's about three guys who hate their jobs and want to kill their bosses. And really, who among us hasn't pondered such a plan?

Naturally, no member of this trio is nearly as clever or sophisticated as he thinks he is. Together, they bumble and bungle every step of the way and occasionally, by accident, they get something right. But the dynamic between Jason Bateman, Jason Sudeikis and Charlie Day as they bounce off each other is cheerfully loony, and the energy of their banter (which often feels improvised) has enough of an infectious quality to make you want to forgive the film's general messiness. Although maybe such a sloppy approach was intentional given the subject matter.

Seth Gordon, who previously directed the inspired documentary "The King of Kong: A Fistful of Quarters" (and the Vince Vaughn-Reese Witherspoon romantic comedy "Four Christmases," which we're going to try and overlook), introduces us to each of the horrible bosses with great style and punch off the top.

Bateman's Nick Hendricks, the group's voice of reason, has been toiling away under sadistic taskmaster Dave Harken (Kevin Spacey in classic shark mode) at some generically corporate-techie sweat shop. Nick keeps hoping to be rewarded with a promotion that never comes.

Sudeikis, as horny accountant Kurt Buckman, actually likes his boss at the chemical company where he works (Donald Sutherland in a cameo) — but upon the man's death, his crazy, coke-snorting son, Bobby (Colin Farrell), takes over with idiotic plans that surely will destroy the place.

And Day's Dale Arbus, an engaged dental hygienist, must endure endless and increasingly explicit sexual harassment from Dr. Julia Harris (Jennifer Aniston) — which, as his friends point out, doesn't sound so horrible. (If you're a fan of "It's Always Sunny in Philadelphia," you'll be happy to see Day doing a similar brand of clueless manchild craziness.)

One night, after too many drinks, they hypothetically toss around the idea of knocking off their bosses. In no time this hazy notion snowballs into an actual plan, if you can call it that — they get some guidance from Jamie Foxx as an ex-con who suggests that each guy should kill another guy's boss to avoid any suspicious connections. (Screenwriters Michael Markowitz and John Francis Daley & Jonathan Goldstein at least have the decency to acknowledge that they're stealing their premise from Hitchcock's "Strangers on a Train.")

From there, a series of misadventures and showy performances carries the film through its suitably brief running time to its vaguely satisfying conclusion. Playing against type, Farrell is a cartoon character with his bad comb-over and his obsession with kung fu; his house is such a garish monstrosity, it must have been a blast for the production designers to piece together. Spacey is in his comfort zone as a commanding, condescending jerk; on the opposite end of the spectrum but just as over the top is Aniston, who seems freer than she has in a while as an aggressive vixen.

At the same time, it would have been nice to see the women in "Horrible-Bosses" be in on the joke more often, rather than merely serving as the target of jokes. Aniston is a one-dimensional nymphomaniac; Julie Bowen, as Spacey's impossibly sexy wife, is a serial adulteress. Lindsay Sloane as Dale's fiancie is a wide-eyed innocent. The only other woman in the cast is an employee Farrell's character refers to as Large Marge.

As "Bridesmaids" proved earlier this summer, women are just as capable of carrying this kind of comedy as men — when given the chance.

"ZOOKEEPER" — Movies where humans and animals converse are a bad idea in principle, and this Kevin James comedy is not here to prove that interspecies ensembles have simply been a misunderstood, underappreciated subgenre. It's as dumb as they come, the movie that finally allows Adam Sandler to lend annoying voice to a Capuchin monkey as it talks incessantly about flinging poop around. This is a comedy whose filmmakers know what they want — stupid gags and obnoxious slapstick — and goes for it without restraint. James is dopily likable as the title guy able to commune with his zoo critters, which try to help him win back an old flame (Leslie Bibb). Yet his character and the other humans are so thinly drawn that a melancholy gorilla voiced by Nick Nolte shows more personality and comes off as the movie's highest primate. Rosario Dawson co-stars among the human cast, while the animals speak in a variety of famous Hollywood players' voices — Cher, Nolte, Sylvester Stallone, Jon Favreau, Judd Apatow. As the monkey, Sandler seems to be aiming for a screechy impersonation of Gilbert Gottfried, in case that's something you've been dying to hear. PG for some rude and suggestive humor, and language. 104 minutes. One and a half stars out of four.

— **David Germain, AP Movie Writer**

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HBO2	302	69	15	101	23	★★★ The Color of Money Paul Newman.			★ Knight and Day ('10, Act) Tom Cruise.					Treme		(:20) True Blood	
HBO5	304	70	16	102		★★ Brown Sugar ('02, Rom) Taye Diggs.				★★ Get Him to the Greek Jonah Hill.				6 Ft Und	(:50) ★★ Splice Adrien Brody.		
MAX	380	71	17	120	24	(:15) ★★★ Identity			(:40) ★★★ The Blind Side ('09, Spt) Sandra Bullock.					Femme F.	Life on Top "Too Hot To Handle"		
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PLEX			96			(5:15) ★ The Turning...		(:20) ★★ Mixed Nuts Steve Martin.				★★ Mr. Wonderful			(:40) ★ Don Juan DeMarco		
SHOW	320	66	19	140	25	Movie	★ House Broken (2009, Comedy) Skyler Stone, Caitlin Crosby, Katey Segal.							Mixed Martial Arts M-1 Challenge			
TMC	336	67	22	155	26	(5:20) ★ Far Cry		★ Triage ('09, Drama) Colin Farrell, Paz Vega.				★ The Janky Promoters			★ Love Chronicles: Secrets Re...		
AAE	27	32	28	35	47	Criminal Minds "North Mammon"		Criminal Minds "Normal"		Criminal Minds "Demonology"		Criminal Minds "Omnivore"		The Glades "Old Ghosts"		Criminal Minds "Normal"	
AMC	40	21	23	42	51	(4:00) ★ The Matrix		★★ The Matrix Reloaded ('03, Sci-Fi) Keanu Reeves.						★★ The Matrix Revolutions			
BET	58	26		40		(5:00) 106 & Park		★★ A Man Apart ('03, Act) Vin Diesel.				★ Belly 2: Millionaire Boyz Club			Wendy Williams		
BRAVO	65	63		41		The Real Housewives		★★ Troy (2004, Action) Orlando Bloom, Eric Bana, Brad Pitt.						★★ Troy ('04, Act) Brad Pitt.			
CNBC	46	45		39	72	The Kudlow Report		60 Minutes		Crackberry'd		Crime Inc.		Mad Money		60 Minutes	
CNN	43	24	51	30	56	John King, USA		Parker Spitzer		Piers Morgan		Presents "Beyond Atlantis: The Next Frontier"				Piers Morgan	
DISC	50	20	31	24	42	Dual Survival		Dual Survival		Swamp Loggers		Swamp Loggers		Swamp Loggers		Swamp Loggers	
DISNEY	56	27	36	25	36	A.N.T.	Babysitter	(:05) Wizard	(:35) A.N.T.	(:05) FishN	Phineas	Babysit.	SoRandom	GoodLuck	Wizards	Wizards	Wizards
ESPN	32	29	48	31	30	NASCR	NASCAR Auto Racing Feed the Children 300 (L)						SportsCenter			Tonight	NFL Live
ESPN2	34	28	49	32	31	(4:00) USGA Golf U.S. Open (L)			Boxing Friday Night Fights (L)					MMA Live	SportsN.	To Be Announced	
FAMILY	53	54	34	42	33	★★★ Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets ('02, Fam) Rupert Grint, Daniel Radcliffe.								The 700 Club		Line?	Line?
FNC	45	58	53	23	55	FOX Report		The O'Reilly Factor		Hannity		On the Record		The O'Reilly Factor		Hannity	
FOOD	64	59	27	68	54	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	O.Food	BestAte	Unwrap'd	Unwrap'd	Diners	Diners
FSSW	37	43	50	45	29	MLB Baseball Houston Astros vs. Florida Marlins Site: Sun Life Stadium - Miami Gardens, Fla. (L)						Astros Live (L)	Mavericks Insider	Rangers Insider	Thunder Insider	Boxing Top Rank Jones vs. Munoz	
FX	31	31	59	64	69	2½Men	Two 1/2...	★★ Men of Honor ('00, Dra) Robert De Niro.						★★ Men of Honor ('00, Dra) Robert De Niro.			
HALLMARK	54	49	58		34	Little House Prairie		Little House Prairie		Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	G. Girls	G. Girls
HGTV	63	50	26	48	44	House	HouseH	House	House	House	House	House	House	House	House	House	House
HISTORY	71	62	29	50	43	Marvels "Bombs"		American Pickers		Pwn Star	Pwn Star	Restore	Restore	States got Shapes		American Pickers	
LIFETIME	28	25	25	28	48	Reba	Reba "Core Focus"	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba "Surprise"	Reba	Drop Dead Diva "Hit and Run"		Old Christine	Met Your Mother
MSNBC	47	51		49	73	Hardball		The Last Word		Rachel Maddow		Lockup		Lockup "Inside L.A. County"			
NICK	55	34	39	34	37	iCarly	iCarly	Big Time	Victori.	Wife Kids	Wife Kids	'70s	'70s	G. Lopez	G. Lopez	Nanny	Nanny
SPIKE	30	22	55	53	58	★★★ Punisher: War Zone ('08, Act) Ray Stevenson.						★★ The Punisher ('04, Act) Thomas Jane.				★ Jet Li's Fearless.	
SYFY	66	64	41	57	67	(4:30) ★ Star Trek VI...		WWE Smackdown! (N)					Haunted Collector	Treasure	Treasure	SG-1 "Summit"	
TBS	25	11	44	66	41	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Family Guy	Family Guy	★★ Last Holiday (2006, Comedy) LL Cool J, Timothy Hutton, Queen Latifah.				(:05) ★★ Selena (1997, Biography) Edward James Olmos, Jon Seda, Jennifer Lopez.			
TCM	41	61	24	63	66	Movie	April	★★ The Old Corral		★ Home on the P...		(:15) ★ Back In the Saddle			(:45) ★★ Texans Never Cry		
TELE	20	8	10	20		Caso Cerrado		Mi Corazon Insiste		Herederos del monte		La Casa de al Lado		Noticiero	Titulares	El Cartel	Decision
TLC	51	33	32	38	52	Yes to the Dress	Say Yes to the Dress	Yes to the Dress	Yes to the Dress	Yes to the Dress	Yes to the Dress	Yes to the Dress	Yes to the Dress	Yes to the Dress	Yes to the Dress	Yes to the Dress	Yes to the Dress
TNT	24	23	40	26	50	Law & Order "Amends"		★★★ The Da Vinci Code ('06, Dra) Tom Hanks. A symbologist follows clues at a murder scene in a race to decode an ancient secret.						Memphis Beat "Flesh And Blood"		★★ The Brave One Jodie Foster.	
TVLAND	49	48	35	54	35	(5:00) Sanford	All Family	All Family	All Family	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Hot In	Divorced	Nanny	Nanny
USA	26	30	42	27	49	NCIS "Bury Your Dead"		NCIS "Identity Crisis"		Law & Order: S.V.U. "Limitations"		CSI: Crime Scene Investigation "XX"		Royal Pains "But There's a Catch"		Law & Order: S.V.U. "Nocturne"	
VFMSUS	38	39				To Be Announced				★ To Be Announced				WEC WrekCage		★ To Be Announced	
WGN	19	18				America's Funniest Home Videos		Old Christine	Christine "House"	Met Your Mother	Met Your Mother	WGN News at Nine		Scrubs	Scrubs	South Park	South Park

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WORLD BRIEFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

JAPAN

5.6 quake rattles Japan near Fukushima site

An earthquake registering 5.6 shook the Pacific off Honshu, Japan, the U.S. Geological Survey said Thursday. That is the area of northeast Japan ravaged by a March 11 quake and tsunami that knocked out power at the Fukushima nuclear plant.

No immediate damage or casualties were reported from the quake that struck at 3:35 a.m. Friday (1835 GMT Thursday), the USGS said. No tsunami watch was immediately issued.

The epicenter of the quake was some 51 miles southeast of Fukushima, in Honshu, Japan, the USGS said. The quake was centered some 28 miles deep, the agency said.

The March 11 quake was magnitude 9.0, triggering a disaster that devastated Japan's northeastern coast, destroying towns, homes and businesses. More than 22,600 people are dead or missing.

PAKISTAN

Violence kills nearly 50 people in 3 days

KARACHI — Gunmen opened fire on two buses and waged street battles in Pakistan's largest city Thursday, killing at least 22 people as part of a spate of violence that has claimed 49 lives in three days, officials said.

It was some of the worst strife so far this year in Karachi, a city of 18 million that has long been a hotbed of crime and clashes — much of it linked to ethnic, sectarian and political divisions. Police had no immediate comment on the possible motives for the latest killings.

At least 22 people were killed Thursday, said Shafuddin Memon, a security adviser for Sindh province, where Karachi is located. Ten died when gunmen targeted two buses, he said.

Memon said 27 other people were killed in sporadic shootings Tuesday.

Canada ends combat mission in Afghanistan

By Deb Riechmann
Associated Press

KABUL, Afghanistan — Canada formally ended its combat role in Afghanistan on Thursday, closing a mission that has cost 157 soldiers their lives since 2002 — casualties that shocked Canadians unaccustomed to seeing their troops die in battle.

The move adds to the burden of U.S. and Afghan troops who are trying to prevent a Taliban rebound in the militants' southern stronghold where Canadian troops had been fighting in their bloodiest conflict since the Korean War.

Canada is withdrawing its combat units as the sixth largest troop-contributing nation, behind the U.S., Britain, Germany, France and Italy. Like Americans and Europeans, Canadians have grown weary of the war as it nears the 10-year mark.

While 2,850 Canadian soldiers are going home, 950 others have started streaming into Afghanistan to help train Afghan security forces to take the lead role in securing the country by 2014.

Canada passed the responsibility for two districts of Kandahar province to U.S. forces at Kandahar Air Field during a ceremony held in a hall decorated with Canadian maple leaf flags. After remarks, handshakes and the exchange of military paperwork, troops held a moment of silence for their fallen comrades.

Since 2002, 157 Canadian troops, one diplomat, one journalist and two aid workers have been killed in Afghanistan.

The bodies of all Canadian soldiers who die in Afghanistan are flown to Ontario and driven to a Toronto morgue before their bodies are returned to their hometowns. Canadians often line the overpasses of Highway 401 — now known as the "Highway of Heroes" — to pay tribute to the fallen soldiers.

Canadian officials said the troop deaths and bodily harm and psychological wounds suffered by soldiers must be seen in context with the progress they helped make in Afghanistan.

"We've seen a complete change," Canadian Brig. Gen. Dean Milner, commander of Joint Task Force Afghanistan, said in a video teleconference from Kandahar. "I think the Canadians have held the fort here for five or six years. With the surge of American forces and Afghan forces over the last year, we were able to accomplish a great deal."

"It's gratifying to see children going to school — schools opening up all over the place — roads being built, ministry buildings. There's a lot to speak about."

After staking out a place near the relative quiet of Kabul in 2002, Canada decided its military was ready and able to do more and assumed responsibility for Kandahar in 2006. Kandahar is where the Taliban was born in the early 1990s. A city of 800,000, its population is mainly ethnic Pashtun, the same as the Taliban. Most recently, Canadian troops were deployed in Panjwai and Dand districts, just outside the city.

The withdrawal of the Canadian combat troops, which will reduce the U.S.-led coalition to about 130,000 forces, comes at a time the Taliban continue to show their resilience, peace talks are in their infancy and governance and development are lagging security gains on the battlefield.

Israel braces for airport showdown with activists

By Josef Federman
Associated Press

JERUSALEM — Israel dispatched a beefed-up security force to its main international airport Thursday and asked foreign airlines to prevent blacklisted travelers from boarding Tel Aviv-bound flights, ahead of the anticipated arrival of hundreds of pro-Palestinian activists.

The activists, who say their mission is peaceful, have placed Israel in an awkward position. Authorities seem torn between their determination to keep out people they consider hostile agitators and a sense they may be taking the bait en route to another public relations debacle.

By Thursday evening, eight people had been blocked from boarding one flight in Paris.

No activists had arrived in Israel by 1 a.m. Friday and no disturbances were reported at the airport. Israeli officials said they expected most of the arrivals to begin midday Friday, and scaled back the security presence at the airport overnight.

Israel has experienced a series of deadly run-ins with pro-Palestinian activists over the past year, both on the high seas and along the frontiers with Lebanon and Syria. These clashes have drawn international criticism, and Israel appeared wary of being drawn into a new confrontation.

It remained unclear how many activists would be allowed into Israel on their way to the West Bank. Officials said they are not trying to prevent the activists from visiting the Palestinian area but are concerned about people with records of trouble or those who plan to participate in violent acts.

Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu said Israel would show restraint but stressed it was a "basic right" for a country to block suspected provocateurs from entering. "We have a restrained resolve to deal with provocations, to prevent disruptions of the public order," he said during a trip to Bulgaria.

Israeli officials did not explain how they define provocateurs, and activists accused Israel of a launching a smear campaign against them.

"This is a total circus by the Israeli authorities, who are painting us as criminals," said French activist Olivia Zemor. She said her group, "Welcome to Palestine," planned only nonviolent activities.

Roughly 600 activists are expected to arrive at Israel's Ben Gurion International Airport over the weekend, beginning late Thursday. They say they are on a weeklong mission to express solidarity with the Palestinians and draw attention to life under Israeli occupation, including travel restrictions. Zemor said about half of the activists are French, ranging in age from nine to 85. Others are expected to fly to Tel Aviv from other cities, including Geneva, London, Brussels and Istanbul.

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CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON REALIGNING COUNCIL MEMBER DISTRICTS

According to the 2010 Census data, the City's Council Member Districts are not of sufficiently equal population and must be redrawn in order to comply with the "one-person, one-vote" principle established by the U.S. Constitution.

The Midland City Council is considering new boundaries for its Council Member Districts and wants to hear from you. Tell us what you think about the preliminary Council Member District Plan at the public hearing described below:

PUBLIC HEARING ON REDISTRICTING PROPOSALS

7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, July 26, 2011
Midland City Council Chambers
Midland City Hall (1st Floor)
300 North Loraine, Midland, Texas

The preliminary plan for the Council Member Districts will be available at the hearing and is available for public inspection during normal business hours at the Midland City Attorney's Office, 3rd Floor, Midland City Hall, Monday through Friday from now until the date of the public hearing. Preliminary plans and other information concerning making comments about the City's redistricting process are available on the City's website at www.midlandtexas.gov. You may also call Keith Stretcher, City Attorney, or Linda Ochoa, Executive Legal Assistant at (432) 685-7253 if you have any questions.

CIUDAD DE MIDLAND, TEXAS

AVISO DE AUDIENCIA PÚBLICA REFERENTE A REALINEACIÓN LOS DISTRITOS DE LOS MIEMBROS DEL CONSEJO

Conforme la información emitida por el Censo del 2010, los distritos de los miembros del Consejo de la Ciudad no son suficientemente equitativos en cuanto a su población, por lo cual deberán ser nuevamente configurados de acuerdo al principio "una persona – un voto", establecido por la Constitución de los Estados Unidos.

El Consejo de la Ciudad de Midland está considerando nuevos límites para los distritos de los miembros del Consejo y desea escuchar su opinión. Díganos que piensa sobre el plan preliminar para el distrito de los miembros del Consejo durante la audiencia pública descrita a continuación:

AUDIENCIA PÚBLICA REFERENTE A LAS PROPUESTAS DE REDISTRIBUCIÓN

7:00 p.m.
Martes, 26 Julio 2011
Midland City Council Chambers
Midland City Hall (1st Floor)
300 North Loraine, Midland, Texas

El plan preliminar para los distritos de los miembros del Consejo estará disponible durante la audiencia para ser inspeccionado por el público, y también durante horas hábiles en Midland City Attorney's Office, 3rd Floor, Midland City Hall, de Lunes a Viernes a partir de hoy hasta la fecha de la audiencia pública. Los planes preliminares y toda información referente a la manera de presentar comentarios tocante al proceso de redistribución de la Ciudad están disponibles en el sitio web de la Ciudad en www.midlandtexas.gov. De igual forma, si tiene alguna pregunta, puede llamar al Keith Stretcher, City Attorney, o Linda Ochoa, Executive Legal Assistant en (432) 685-7253.

Sports

AP Photo

IN THE LEAD Amateur Amy Anderson waits on the 13th hole as play is suspended due for weather at the U.S. Women's Open on Thursday in Colorado Springs, Colo. Anderson is tied for the lead.

Anderson, Kerr lead when storms hit U.S. Open

By Eddie Pells
Associated Press

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. — Instead of teeing it up when she comes back to the Broadmoor, Cristie Kerr's next shot at the U.S. Women's Open will be a blast out of the bunker on the front, right side of the seventh green.

A difficult shot. But it could be worse.

A quirky day of thunder and lightning — but only spits of rain — suspended play Thursday with only 25 players finished with their first round. It was a bad break on the opening day of the toughest test in golf — balky weather that figures to turn one of the most difficult weeks on the schedule into an even bigger grind.

"That's part of the gamble," said Christina Kim, who will try to squeeze in 36 holes on Friday.

The rain halted a mini streak for Kerr, who had made two straight birdies to get into a tie for the lead at 2-under par with amateur Amy Anderson. After her second birdie, Kerr, who opened her round on the back, teed off into the right rough on No. 7, then hit her approach into the sand. That's when the siren sounded and the players headed to the clubhouse.

"At least I'll get to practice some long bunker shots before we go out, so maybe it's a good thing for me," she said.

Everything was relative on this day. After halting play, the USGA kept

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U.S. Women's Open Leaderboard

Thursday
At The Broadmoor Resort
Colorado Springs, Colo.
Purse: $3,250,000
Yardage: 7,254; Par 71
First Round Leaders
a-denotes amateur

Note: Play was suspended, round to be completed Friday

Player	SCORE	Thru
1. Cristie Kerr	-2	15
1. a-Amy Anderson	-2	12
3. Inbee Park	-1	17
3. Ai Miyazato	-1	15
3. Silvia Cavalleri	-1	1
6. Cindy LaCrosse	E	17
6. Mika Miyazato	E	16
6. Maria Hjorth	E	16
6. Karrie Webb	E	15
6. a-Rachel Rohanna	E	12
6. Mi Jeong Jeon	E	12
6. Sarah Kemp	E	1
6. a-Kyung Kim	E	1
6. Na On Min	E	1
15. Sue Kim	+1	17
15. Anya Sorel Alvarez	+1	13
15. Jennifer Johnson	+1	1

Davis Cup quarterfinal favors US over Spain

By Jim Vertuno
Associated Press

AUSTIN — Everything about the Davis Cup quarterfinal between the United States and Spain is built to favor the Americans.

The sellout crowd of 16,000-plus in Andy Roddick's hometown is sure to be a rowdy, flag-waving bunch. The indoor surface at the Frank Erwin Center at the University of Texas plays hard and fast and isn't ideal for Spanish players raised on clay.

And subtract Spain's Rafael Nadal, the No. 2 player in the world who is skipping the quarterfinal to rest after Wimbledon, and the Americans are feeling very good about their chances of knocking off a Spanish team playing for its third Davis Cup championship in four years.

The best-of-five quarterfinal begins Friday with singles matches. Mardy Fish, the No. 8-ranked player in the world, is the top seed for the Americans and will play Feliciano Lopez play in the first match. Roddick, ranked 10th in the world, meets No. 6 David Ferrer in the second.

Fish is 3-2 lifetime against Lopez. Ferrer is 4-3 against Roddick, who carries a 33-11 Davis Cup record into the match.

"We have a true home-field advantage with Andy in Austin," United States captain Jim Courier

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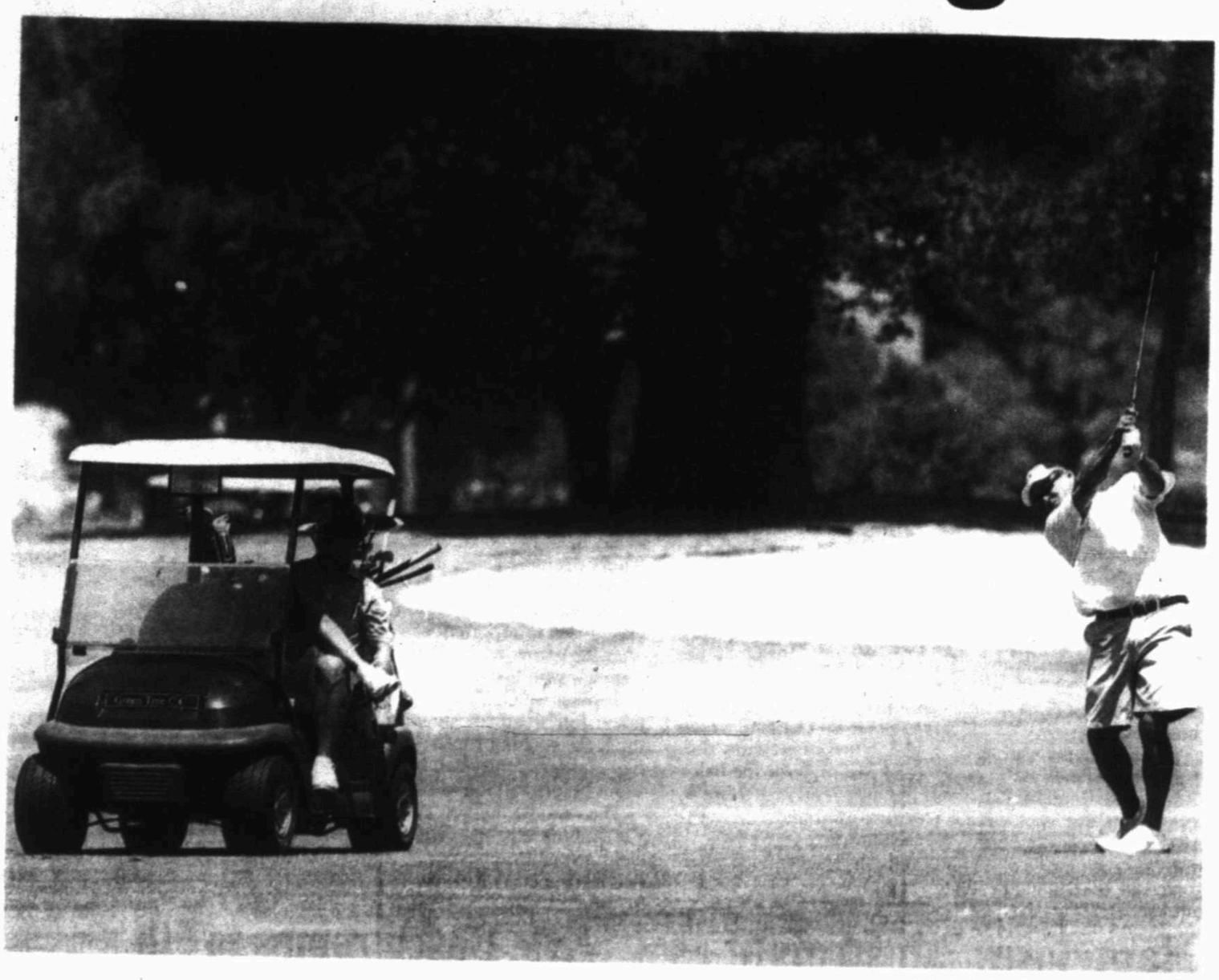
The Game

- **What:** Davis Cup quarterfinal between the United States and Spain
- **When:** Today-Sunday
- **Where:** Frank Erwin Center, Austin

Ferrer

Roddick

Let the fun begin



Cindeka Nealy/Reporter-Telegram

Bobby Gee takes his approach shot from a fairway at Green Tree Country Club on Thursday during a practice round as his partner Shawn Savage sits in the golf cart watching. Savage and Gee won the Jamboree in 2009 and are coming off winning the Quarter Century Partnership at Odessa Country Club last month. The Jamboree starts today and will continue through Sunday at Green Tree

Defending champs Bailey, Bolen lead stellar field at Jamboree

By Len Hayward
Sports Editor

It's a good thing for David Bolen and Bubba Bailey that this weekend's Jamboree at Green Tree Country Club is a two-man low-ball tournament because if it was another format the pair might not defend their title.

"We played in a scramble together about a month and half ago, and we finished dead last," Bolen said with a laugh.

Luckily, though, the defending Jamboree champs are coming to Midland this weekend with their sights set on defending their title against a field of contenders that could possibly be the toughest seen at the already tough tournament.

Bailey and Bolen are both former Texas Tech golfers, and the field they are playing against is littered with former club professionals and touring professionals, and they know that to win again this year they will again have to play almost lights out.

The three-day tournament begins today, and will conclude on Sunday at Green Tree.

The Jamboree

- **What:** Jamboree two-man golf tournament
- **When:** Today-Sunday
- **Where:** Green Tree Country Club
- **Format:** Two-man low ball
- **Online:** Players and fans can keep up with this year's tournament through live scoring available through golfgamebook. The scores can be accessed at www.golfgamebook.com, and there is an application available for an iPhone or iPad. The link for the championship flight scores is www.golfgamebook.com/club/leaderboard0211/2up-to5v. The join code is 576834. More information on the live scoring can be found at facebook.com/GreenTreeCountryClub. Also be sure to check out twitter.com/mrtsports for updates throughout the weekend.
- **Tee times:** Page 4C

"In the championship flight, the player resumes and credentials they are bringing into it is that you have top amateur college golfers, and even some former Nationwide and PGA tour players ... there are guys that can play," Bailey said. "It's about who gets hot and can keep it together for three days."

A year ago, the Lubbock pair kept it together for three days, and a few extra holes. Bailey and Bolen were tied with

Bailey

Bolen

local stalwarts Lane Branum and K.T. Livingston after 54 holes, and three play off holes.

Bolen made a birdie on the fourth playoff hole on Monday to win the tournament in his first time playing at Green Tree.

What helped the pair win last year was consistently putting themselves in position to make birdie, and in the low-ball format, the pair have thrived. Last month at the Quarter Century Partnership at Odessa Country Club, the pair tied for third.

"We are both really steady players and both of us are involved in all the holes," Bolen said. "If we've got two opportuni-

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MAKING A MOVE

Cindeka Nealy/Reporter-Telegram

West Texas United midfielder Wally Valdivia looks to put a move on Laredo Heat midfielder Francisco Lara during their game at Grande Communications Stadium last month. The Sockers will return to action tonight with a 7:30 p.m. game against Rio Grande Valley. Preview capsule is on Page 2C.

Hearing canceled for Williams in ring issue

Associated Press

DALLAS — Roy Williams' quest for the ring is apparently over.

A court hearing scheduled for Friday has been cancelled in connection with a lawsuit filed by the Dallas Cowboys wide receiver over an engagement ring he allegedly mailed to Brooke Daniels, a former Miss Texas, in February as part of a marriage proposal.

Williams

Williams sued Daniels to retrieve the ring, and a hearing was slated for today. But court administrator Tina Gurule says the hearing has been canceled and not rescheduled.

Gurule could not confirm if the ring, valued at $76,600, had been returned to Williams.

Michael Daniels told the Odessa American he was returning the ring. "I want to wash my hands of it," he told the paper. "It's just a hassle. I'll take care of my daughter. I don't need him."

Daniels operates a plumbing company in Tomball, a Houston suburb. A woman who answered the phone there on Thursday said Michael Daniels was not available for comment.

The player's attorney, Craig Gant, did not return a phone message left at his office.

Williams was born in Odessa in Ector County, about 350 miles west of Dallas. According to the lawsuit, filed in Ector County District Court on June 30, Brooke Daniels contacted Williams "shortly before Valentine's Day" and asked for $5,000 for school and dental bills.

Williams sent Daniels the money, a baseball for her brother in an overnight package. He also recorded a marriage proposal and included an engagement ring, the lawsuit said.

Daniels declined the proposal and refused to return the ring, the lawsuit said. Six weeks later, Daniels claimed that the ring was lost, and Williams asked his insurance company to investigate.

The insurance company learned that Daniels' father, Michael, had the ring. The lawsuit said Williams asked for the ring, but that the Daniels "have refused to surrender possession of it."

The lawsuit also included a request for temporary restraining order that would've prevented the Daniels from selling or destroying the ring. The purpose of the cancelled hearing was to discuss the restraining order.

Williams signed a six-year, $45 million contract with the Cowboys in 2008. The former University of Texas star caught 37 passes for 530 yards and five touchdowns in 15 games last season.

Travelers beat RockHounds in 9th inning

From staff reports

NORTH LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — After a furious late-inning rally, the Midland RockHounds saw victory slip from their hands at Dickey-Stephens Park on Thursday.

The RockHounds overcame an early three-run deficit to take a one-run lead in the eighth inning only to see the Arkansas Travelers work some late-inning magic of their own to pull out a 5-4 victory.

Down 4-3 after Midland scored three runs in the top of the eighth, the Travelers managed to load the bases in the bottom part of the inning courtesy of an Angel Castillo single being sandwiched between a pair of walks.

Arkansas catcher Alberto Rosario then hit a one-out sacrifice fly to Tyler Ladendorf in center field, bringing in Roberto Lopez as the tying run.

The Travelers loaded the bases again in the ninth inning after RockHounds reliever Brett Hunter walked Darwin Perez and hit Luis Jimenez with a pitch. Jon Meloan replaced Hunter, but had his first pitch of the game laid down for a sacrifice bunt by Chris Pettit, moving Perez and Jimenez up to third and second base, respectively.

Meloan intentionally walked Gabe Jacobo to load the bases, putting a force on at all bases, but surrendered the game-winning hit to Lopez, who singled to right to bring in Perez as the winning run.

Travelers 5
RockHounds 4

Game 2 of the three-game series between Midland and Arkansas at Dickey-Stephens Park is set for 7:10 p.m. today.

TRAVELERS 5, ROCKHOUNDS 4

Midland	ab	r	h	bi	Arkansas	ab	r	h	bi
Timmons 2b	3	1	1	1	Trout cf	5	0	0	0
Green ss	5	0	1	1	Perez ss	3	1	0	0
Heether dh	4	0	1	0	Jimenez 3b	3	2	1	0
Spina 1b	5	0	0	0	Pettit lf	4	1	2	1
Parker 3b	4	1	1	0	Jacobo dh	4	0	2	2
Barfield rf	2	0	0	0	Lopez 1b	4	1	1	1
Peterson lf	4	1	2	0	Castillo rf	3	0	2	0
Ortiz c	4	1	1	0	Cusick 2b	3	0	1	0
Ladendorf cf	4	0	1	1	Rosario c	3	0	2	1
Totals	35	4	8	3	Totals	32	5	11	5
Midland						000	000	130	—4
Arkansas						201	000	011	—5

E — Lansford (2), Parker (17), Jimenez (11). Perez (4). DP — Midland 2, Arkansas 2. LOB — Midland 11, Arkansas 12. 2B — Jacobo (5). 3B — Jimenez (1). HR — Timmons (1). S — Pettit. SF — Rosario. SB — Rosario (4). CS — Castillo (3).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Midland						
Haviland	5.0	7	3	3	2	3
Lansford	2.1	3	1	1	1	2
Hunter L,0-1	0.2	0	1	1	2	0
Meloan	0.1	1	0	0	1	0
Arkansas						
Taylor	5.0	2	0	0	3	1
McKiernan W,4-7	4.0	6	4	3	2	0

Hunter pitched to 2 batters in the 9th.
HBP — by Lansford (Castillo), by Hunter (Jimenez), by McKiernan (Parker, Timmons).
T — 3:14. Att — 4,139.

TL Standings

Second Half
North Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Arkansas	3	4	.429	—
Tulsa	3	4	.429	2
NW Arkansas	3	4	.429	2
Springfield	3	4	.429	2
Frisco	2	5	.286	4

South Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-San Antonio	7	0	.000	—
Corpus Christi	4	3	.571	3
Frisco	3	4	.429	4
Midland	3	4	.429	4
Corpus Christi	2	5	.286	5

x-clinched first half

Thursday's Scores
Tulsa 8, Corpus Christi 7
NW Arkansas 10, San Antonio 5
Springfield 3, Frisco 2
Arkansas 5, Midland 4

Today's Games
Northwest Arkansas at San Antonio, 7:05 p.m.
Tulsa at Corpus Christi, 7:05 p.m.
Frisco at Springfield, 7:07 p.m.
Midland at Arkansas, 7:10 p.m.

Fan dies after falling from stands at Ranger game

By Stephen Hawkins
Associated Press

ARLINGTON — A man attending a Texas Rangers game with his young son died after falling out of the stands and about 20 feet to the ground while trying to catch a baseball tossed his way Thursday night, the Rangers and Arlington fire officials said.

Arlington Fire Department officials in a statement that another fan nearby tried unsuccessfully to grab the man to keep him from falling. They said the victim's son did not fall.

"We had a very tragic accident tonight and one of our fans lost their life reaching over the rail trying to get a ball," team president Nolan Ryan said. "As an organization, and as our team members and our staff, we're very heavy hearted about this and our thoughts and prayers go out to the family."

A very somber Ryan didn't get into details about the accident or release the man's name.

Ronnie Hargis was sitting in the stands at Rangers Ballpark next to the victim. The men were talking to each other before the accident.

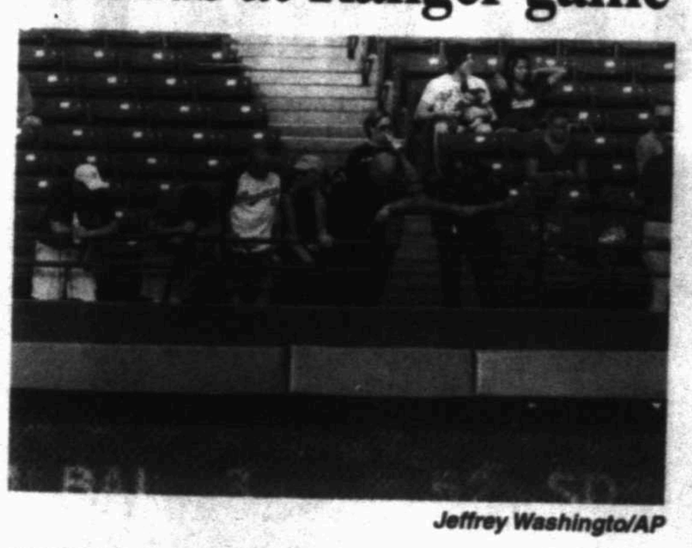
"He went straight down. I tried to grab him but I couldn't," Hargis said. "I tried to slow him down a little bit."

TV replays showed the man falling head-first and landing behind a 14-foot-high wall supporting a video board for replays and scores. The area where the man fell is out of sight from the field.

It is the second fatal fall at a MLB ballpark this season. In May, a 27-year-old man died after he fell about 20 feet and struck his head on concrete during the seventh inning of a Colorado Rockies game. Witnesses told police that the man had been trying to slide down a staircase railing at Coors Field and lost his balance during a game against the Arizona Diamondbacks.

The accident in Texas occurred in the second inning after Oakland's Conor Jackson hit a foul ball that ricocheted into left field. Hamilton, the reigning AL MVP, retrieved the ball and tossed it into the stands. Replays on Oakland's television broadcast show the man reaching for the ball and apparently catching it before tumbling.

"We spoke to the ballclub, they understood what has happened and we spoke to Josh," Ryan said. "I think as any of us would be, Josh is very distraught over this, as the entire team is."



Jeffrey Washington/AP

STUNNED Police and fans look over the railing where a fan fell from the stands during the second inning of Thursday's game between the Texas Rangers and Oakland Athletics. The Rangers announced later that the fan, who was not identified, had died.

The Rangers clubhouse was closed to reporters after the game, which the Rangers won 6-0.

Replays on Oakland's television broadcast show the man reaching for the ball and apparently catching it before falling.

The visitor's bullpen at the stadium is in left-center field. Athletics reliever Brad Ziegler was in tears after the game when he found out the man had died.

"They had him on a stretcher. He said, 'Please check on my son. My son was up there by himself.' The people who carried him out reassured him. 'Sir, we'll get your son, we'll make sure he's OK,'" Ziegler said. "He had his arms swinging. He talked and was conscious. We assumed he was okay. But when you find out he's not, it's just tough."

Happ loses 7th straight as Marlins shut out Astros

Associated Press

Marlins 5
Astros 0

MIAMI — J.A. Happ is mired in the longest drought of his career.

Following a 5-0 loss to the Florida Marlins on Thursday night, the Houston Astros left-hander dropped to 3-11 on the season, losing his career-worst seventh straight decision.

His last win came on May 14, against the New York Mets.

"I'm just frustrated right now," he said.

Happ issued a career-high seven walks in 5 2-3 innings while allowing five runs and five hits. He struck out eight.

"When you look at where they did the damage, definitely I'd like to throw more strikes and keep the walks down," Happ said.

He will have a few extra days to ponder his performance with the All-Star break starting Monday.

"To be honest with you I don't even want a break, but we have it and I'm going to take it and try to get away for a little bit," Happ said.

Brad Hand pitched seven scoreless innings to earn his first major league victory and Mike Stanton hit a two-run homer off Happ to carry the Marlins to their sixth win in nine games.

Hand (1-3), a 21-year-old rookie left-hander, pitched seven innings allowing just two hits, but was optioned to Double-A Jacksonville after the game. He lowered his ERA to 2.77 in five starts.

Kyle Busch romps to 5th Truck series win of season

Associated Press

SPARTA, Ky. — Kyle Busch spent six long hours practicing at Kentucky Speedway in 90-plus degree heat on Thursday.

When he failed to make it to the driver's meeting before the NASCAR Truck Series race, officials penalized him, sending him to the back of the 36-truck field. As a small protest, Busch skipped driver introductions to spent a couple extra minutes in the comfort of his hauler.

"I was just trying to cool off," Busch said.

Busch

Besides, given the way the 26-year-old star is dominating the Truck Series these days, starting from the rear of the field is hardly a big deal.

Busch deftly picked his way to the front then held off a late challenge from upstart Parker Kligerman to win the 225-mile race and move up another spot in the NASCAR record books.

The victory was the 98th of his NASCAR career, moving him into third place on the all-time list. He has 21 Sprint Cup victories, 48 in the Nationwide Series and 29 in the Truck Series.

BRYAN — Andrews outfielder Andrew Davis was a third-team selection on this 2011 Texas Sports Writers Association Class 3A All-State Baseball Team.

Kennedale pitcher Corey Taylor was voted the player of the year.

Texas Sports Writers Association's Class 3A All-State Baseball Team

FIRST TEAM

Pitchers — Corey Taylor, Kennedale, sr. Kyler Schlenger, Graham, sr. Gavin Williamson, Carthage, sr.

Catcher — Tanner Devinny, Lucas Lovejoy, soph.

First baseman — Joe Casey Berryman, Shallowater, sr. Michael Wilasowicz, Robstown, sr. and Alberto Santabina, Lufkin Hudson, sr.

Second baseman — Brooks Marlow, Giddings, sr.

Shortstop — Kolbey Carpenter, West, jr.

Third baseman — Zach Sullivan, Robinson, soph.

Outfielders — Alex Marroquin, Robstown, soph. Ethan Kohnke, Lubbock Cooper, sr. (tie) Lee Guzik, Iowa Park, sr. Austin Aune, Argyle, jr.

DH — Cody Henson, Bridgeport, sr.

Player of the Year — Taylor, Kennedale.

Coach of the Year — Jeff Teague, Kennedale.

SECOND TEAM

Pitchers — Hayden Elrod, Kennedale, sr. Colton Brewer, Canton, sr. Chad Hollingsworth, Robinson, jr.

Catcher — Brandon Garcia, Borger, sr.

First baseman — Michael Wacha, Texarkana Pleasant Grove, jr.

Second baseman — (tie) Justin Jones, Shallowater, sr and Garrett Mattlage, West, sr.

Shortstop — Levi Perez, Brownwood, sr.

Third baseman — Heath Harris, West, sr.

Outfielders — Cole Calder, Salado, sr. Tony Reyes, Levelland, jr. Garrett Irwin, Borger, sr.

DH — (tie) Forrest Zoch, Bridge City, sr and Keenon Ward, Snyder, jr.

THIRD TEAM

Pitchers — Jonathon Huddle, Canton, sr. Randy Flores, Robstown, sr. Michael Ward, Pleasant Grove, sr.

Catcher — Cameron Massengill, Kennedale, sr.

First baseman — James Crow, Brownwood, jr.

Second baseman — (tie) Jimmy Norris, Kennedale, sr and Dillon Ellis, Brownwood, sr.

Shortstop — D.J. Roberts, Decatur, jr.

Third baseman — (tie) Andrew Thibodeaux, Cuero, sr. and Corey Simpson, Sweeny, soph.

Outfielders — Noel Navarez, Princeton, sr., Cody Lovejoy, Lorena, sr. (tie) **Andrew Davis, Andrews, sr. and Ryan Hixson, Lubbock Cooper, sr.**

DH — Dylan Brown, Spring Hill, sr.

Favorites take no risks at rain-lashed Tour

By Jerome Pugmire
Associated Press

LISIEUX, France — Alberto Contador knew it made little sense to take risks on a day when blinding, torrential rain lashed riders in the Tour de France.

The 141-mile course Thursday — the sixth and longest stage in the three-week race — made for a dangerous trip. And the field was fortunate to avoid a major crash, a day after riders went tumbling everywhere.

"It was another nervous stage and because of the rain I virtually couldn't see anything," said Contador, the defending champion and three-time Tour winner who crashed Wednesday. "At the end of the stage I was moving to the very front of the pack, simply to avoid accidents, and not because I wanted to attack."

Contador and his Tour rivals, such as two-time runners-up Cadel Evans and Andy Schleck, played it safe as Edvald Boasson Hagen of Norway led a sprint to capture his first stage on the Tour. He finished in 5 hours, 13 minutes, 37 seconds.

"I really surprised myself," Hagen said. "Lots of people say that I'm a talented guy, so it's nice to show it by winning a stage."

Matt Goss of Australia was second and overall race leader Thor Hushovd was third, giving Norway the distinction of having the stage winner and yellow jersey holder on the same day.

Referring to his compatriot Hushovd, who has twice taken home the Tour's green jersey awarded to the best sprinter, Hagen said: "I want to be as good as him — or better."

Philippe Gilbert of Belgium, who won Saturday's first stage, said "everyone was a bit out of breath" and that Hagen "devoured the last 150 meters — he's impossible to catch when he's like that."

Baltimore Colts Hall of Famer Mackey dies

Associated Press

BALTIMORE — John Mackey revolutionized the tight end position, his incomparable ability to catch passes off the line of scrimmage helping to usher the NFL into the pass-happy modern era.

After his retirement, Mackey remained on the forefront of change in professional football. He pushed for better health care and championed the cause of former players, even as he battled the dementia that forced him into an assisted-living facility.

The Hall of Famer for the Baltimore Colts died at age 69. Mackey's wife notified the team about her husband's death, Ravens spokesman Chad Steele said Thursday. No cause was given.

"John Mackey was one of the great leaders in NFL history, on and off the field," Commissioner Roger Goodell said. "He was a Hall of Fame player who redefined the tight end position. He was a courageous advocate for his fellow NFL players as head of the NFL Players Association."

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YOUTHSPORTS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

NORTHERN LITTLE LEAGUERS WIN DISTRICT TITLE The Northern Little League 11-12 year old all-stars won the District 3 tournament last week. Bottom row from left to right, Colby Standard, Jaxon Hallmark, Ty Coleman, Gunner Blevins, John Wuthrich and McLane Mannix; center row from left to right, Austin Jordan, Seth Olguin, Avian Martinez, Payton Tranum, Eric Hillman and Coach Shawn Standard. Back row from left to right, coach Albert Jordan and coach John Blevins.

NORTHERN ALL-STARS TRIUMPH The Northern Little League 10-11 year old all-stars won the 10-11 year old District 3 tournament last week. Back row from left to right, Back row left to right, coach Andrew Becker, coach Stan Wilkins and coach Chris Jauz; middle row from left to right, Carson Tinsley, Adam Becker, Cameron Garcia, Zac Tilton, Wyatt Hernandez; front row from left to right, Dylan Drace, Peyton Hutson, Matthew Wilkins, Cooper Jauz, Josh Brown, Wynn Wooldridge

Golf

THOMAS NABS PAIR OF TOP-10: Lee junior golfer Libby Thomas had two top-10 finishes in tournaments over the last two weeks. Thomas finished seventh in the girls open division at the Texas Oklahoma Junior Golf Championship, shooting 83-78-71-78—310.

Last week, Thomas finished sixth in the AJGA Junior All-Star event at State College, Pa., as Thomas fired a 78-80-72—230 over the three rounds. The even-par 72 in the third round helped Thomas earn a Scotty Cameron putter cover for the low round that day in the tournament.

Teen bowler headed to Las Vegas for tournament

From staff reports

Michael Hopkins, 16, is fresh off winning his second state title this year after winning the Pepsi State Bowling Championships -- one of the largest scholarship tournaments in the state -- in Austin in March.

But Hopkins isn't done, yet. The Midland High junior-to-be is set to earn his way onto the Junior Team USA, which he takes part in at the USBC National Junior Gold Championships beginning Saturday and concluding a week from today in Las Vegas.

First-place prize at the national tournament is a $10,000 scholarship. Earning that prize won't be easy, though, with more than 1,700 entrants for the event.

Hopkins averaged a score of 249 scratch for six games to win the 12 years and older boys scratch division at the state competition in Austin, winning a $600 scholarship.

SOCKERS TODAY

RIO GRANDE VALLEY AT WEST TEXAS UNITED SOCKERS

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

Records: West Texas United 3-9 (9 points); Rio Grande Valley 3-7-2 (11 points)

Last game: Chivas El Paso 4, West Texas 2 on July 2; Rio Grande Valley 1, New Orleans 1 on July 2

Notes: After a 3-2 start to the season and being in the thick of the Premier Development League Mid-South Division race, the Sockers are eliminated from the playoffs and now face their final four games of the regular season looking to work their way out of the cellar. ... The Sockers had a 2-1 lead on the Patriots in the first half after goals by Mariano Sapien and Abel Olivas. But Chivas El Paso came back to score three straight goals, including one late in the second half to clinch the victory. ... The goal for Sapien was his team-leading third of the season. ... Saturday's loss was the seventh straight for the Sockers as they have not won a game since May 19. ... After today's game, West Texas United will hit the road for two games in Louisiana as the Sockers will face New Orleans on July 15 and Baton Rouge on July 17. ... Rio Grande Valley is 2-1 against the Sockers this season as West Texas United won the first meeting between the two teams on May 14 in Edinburg. ... Tonight's game at Grande will feature Thirsty Friday with half-price drinks.

Next: West Texas United at New Orleans, 8 p.m. Friday, July 15; Rio Grande Valley at Chivas El Paso, 9 p.m. Saturday

Compiled by Len Hayward

PDL
MID-SOUTH DIVISION STANDINGS

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Chivas El Paso	9	3	2	29	22	21
Laredo	9	3	1	25	26	11
New Orleans	4	4	2	23	21	17
Baton Rouge	6	6	1	19	13	13
RG Valley	3	7	2	11	16	18
WTU Sockers	3	9	0	9	15	25

Auto Racing

NASCAR
Camping World Truck
UNOH 225 Results
Thursday
At Kentucky Speedway
Sparta, Ky.
Lap length: 1.5 miles
(Start position in parentheses)

1. (3) Austin Dillon, Chevrolet, 151, 109.9, $40,500.
2. (5) Parker Kligerman, Dodge, 152, 101.9, 42,940.
3. (14) Brendan Gaughan, Toyota, 152, 85.7, 42,326.
4. (20) Todd Bodine, Toyota, 152, 88.3, 40, $23,925.
5. (9) Jason White, Chevrolet, 152, 102.6, 40, $19,300.
6. (4) Elliott Sadler, Chevrolet, 152, 112.3, 0, $11,175.
7. (6) Joey Coulter, Chevrolet, 152, 112.9, 38, $12,925.
8. (18) David Starr, Toyota, 152, 78.6, 36, $12,425.
9. (12) James Buescher, Chevrolet, 152, 92.1, 36, $12,325.
10. (16) Travis Kvapil, Toyota, 152, 77.6, 34, $13,525.
11. (22) Max Papis, Toyota, 152, 67.1, 33, $12,100.
12. (13) Steve Arpin, Chevrolet, 152, 82.6, 32, $11,925.
13. (23) Ricky Carmichael, Chevrolet, 151, 67.9, 31, $11,825.
14. (2) Austin Dillon, Chevrolet, 151, 104.8, 31, $11,725.
15. (17) Justin Lofton, Toyota, 150, 72.2, 29, $12,925.
16. (25) Timothy Peters, Toyota, 150, 52.7, 28, $11,500.
17. (26) Clay Rogers, Chevrolet, 149, 52.2, 27, $11,400.
18. (33) Jack Smith, Ford, 147, 48.4, 26, $9,050.
19. (26) Ryan Sieg, Chevrolet, 147, 58.2, 25, $11,200.
20. (30) Charles West, Ford, 147, 43, 24, $9,575.
21. (11) Miguel Paludo, Toyota, accident, 146, 77.2, 23, $11,000.
22. (3) Nelson Piquet Jr., Chevrolet, accident, 146, 107.4, 23, $10,900.
23. (34) Johnny Chapman, Chevrolet, 146, 38.3, 0, $8,550.
24. (1) Johnny Sauter, Chevrolet, transmission, 125, 110.7, 21, $11,850.
25. (32) Shane Sieg, Chevrolet, ignition, 125, 53.1, 19, $9,500.
26. (10) Cole Whitt, Chevrolet, 98, 77.3, 18, $8,250.
27. (7) Ron Hornaday Jr., Chevrolet, accident, 75, 72.6, 17, $8,150.
28. (19) John King, Toyota, accident, 74, 50.3, 16, $8,400.
29. (24) Josh Richards, Toyota, rear end, 74, 41.9, 15, $7,950.
30. (29) Jennifer Jo Cobb, Ford, accident, 66, 32.3, 0, $6,350.
31. (36) Norm Benning, Chevrolet, fuel pump, 41, 33.3, 13, $7,775.
32. (15) Matt Crafton, Chevrolet, engine, 18, 51.4, 12, $7,750.
33. (35) Chris Fontaine, Chevrolet, electrical, 10, 33.4, 11, $7,735.
34. (31) Mike Garvey, Chevrolet, transmission, 9, 32.6, 10, $7,725.
35. (27) Justin Marks, Chevrolet, accident, 6, 32.4, 9, $7,710.
36. (21) Johanna Long, Toyota, accident, 5, 28.7, 8, $7,682

Race Statistics
Average Speed of Race Winner: 119.860 mph
Time of Race: 1 hour, 54 minutes, 8 seconds
Margin of Victory: 0.302 seconds
Caution Flags: 7 for 31 laps.
Lead Changes: 12 among 9 drivers
Lap Leaders: J.Sauter 1-3; A.Dillon 4; E.Sadler 5-51; N.Piquet Jr. 52-53; J.Coulter 54-55; J.White 56-57; A.Dillon 58-60; K.Busch 61-102; J.Sauter 103-123; J.Coulter 124-129; J.Buescher 130-131; B.Gaughan 132-133; K.Busch 134-152.

Leaders Summary (Driver, Times Led, Laps Led): K.Busch, 2 times for 61 laps; E.Sadler 1 time for 47 laps; J.Sauter, 2 times for 24 laps; J.Coulter, 2 times for 8 laps; A.Dillon, 2 times for 4 laps; B.Gaughan, 1 time for 2 laps; J.White, 1 time for 2 laps; J.Buescher, 1 time for 2 laps; N.Piquet Jr., 1 time for 2 laps.

Top 16 in Points: 1. J.Sauter, 347; 2. C.Whitt, 324; 3. A.Dillon, 322; 4. J.Buescher, 315; 5. P.Kligerman, 312; 6. R.Hornaday Jr., 310; 7. T.Peters, 308; 8. M.Crafton, 297; 9. J.Coulter, 292; 10. B.Gaughan, 287.

NASCAR Driver Rating Formula
A maximum of 150 points can be attained in a race.
The formula combines the following categories: Wins, Finishes, Top-15 Finishes, Average Running Position While on Lead Lap, Average Speed Under Green, Fastest Lap, Led Most Laps, Lead-Lap Finish.

Golf

PGA
John Deere Classic Scores
Thursday
At TPC Deere Run
Silvis, Ill.
Purse: $4.5 million
Yardage: 7,268; Par: 71 (35-36)
First Round

Kris Blanks 30-33 — 63
Davis Love III 32-32 — 64
Matt McQuillan 32-32 — 64
Steve Marino 33-31 — 64
Mark Wilson 32-33 — 65
Kyle Stanley 31-34 — 65
Charles Howell III 33-33 — 66
Josh Teater 34-32 — 66
Lee Janzen 30-36 — 66
Steve Stricker 33-33 — 66
D.A. Points 32-34 — 66
Paul Goydos 34-32 — 66
Brendon de Jonge 31-35 — 66
Cameron Percy 33-33 — 66
Zach Johnson 34-32 — 66
Cameron Beckman 34-32 — 66
Chez Reavie 33-33 — 66
Jim Herman 33-33 — 66
Chad Campbell 33-34 — 67
Craig Bowden 32-35 — 67
Troy Matteson 31-36 — 67
John Merrick 34-33 — 67
D.J. Trahan 34-33 — 67
Greg Chalmers 34-33 — 67
Charles Warner 35-32 — 67
Steven Bowditch 34-33 — 67
David Hearn 32-35 — 67
Ben Martin 34-33 — 67
Duffy Waldorf 33-34 — 67
Arron Oberholser 33-34 — 67
Jason Day 33-34 — 67
Michael Sim 31-36 — 67
Will MacKenzie 34-33 — 67
Billy Mayfair 34-33 — 67
William McGirt 33-34 — 67
Troy Merritt 34-34 — 68
Marco Dawson 34-34 — 68
J.J. Henry 34-34 — 68
Michael Bradley 33-35 — 68
Brian Gay 33-35 — 68
Chris Kirk 36-32 — 68
J.P. Hayes 35-33 — 68
D.J. Brigman 36-32 — 68
Frank Lickliter II 35-33 — 68
Kirk Triplett 35-33 — 68
Jonathan Vegas 30-38 — 68
Brny Band 32-36 — 68
John Mallinger 34-34 — 68
David Mathis 33-35 — 68
Andres Gonzales 32-36 — 68
Leif Olson 32-36 — 68
Alexandre Rocha 33-35 — 68
Brett Wetterich 35-34 — 69
Nathan Green 36-33 — 69
Vaughn Taylor 34-35 — 69
Dean Wilson 34-35 — 69
Chris DiMarco 32-37 — 69
Michael Connell 35-34 — 69
Chris Stroud 34-35 — 69
Rod Pampling 34-35 — 69
Chris Tidland 34-35 — 69
Nate Smith 34-35 — 69
Joe Ogilvie 33-36 — 69
Tim Petrovic 35-34 — 69
Alex Prugh 34-35 — 69
Woody Austin 36-33 — 69
Paul Stankowski 34-35 — 69
Pat Perez 35-34 — 69
Scott Stallings 36-33 — 69
Kevin Kisner 35-34 — 69
Aron Price 32-37 — 69

The Barclays Scottish Open Leading Scores
Thursday
At Castle Stuart Golf Links
Inverness, Scotland
Purse: $5.82 million
Yardage: 7,050; Par: 72 (36-36)
First Round

Lee Westwood, England 32-33 — 65
Mark Tullo, Chile 34-31 — 65
George Coetzee, South Africa 34-32 — 66
Peter Hanson, Sweden 32-34 — 66
Thorbjorn Olesen, Denmark 33-33 — 66
Chris Wood, England 35-32 — 67
Barry Lane, England 35-32 — 67
Edoardo Molinari, Italy 33-34 — 67
Robert Dinwiddie, England 33-34 — 67
Jamie Donaldson, Wales 34-33 — 67
Luke Donald, England 36-31 — 67
Colin Montgomerie, Scotland 33-34 — 67
Richard Finch, England 36-32 — 68
Carlos Del Moral, Spain 34-33 — 67
Richard McEvoy, England 33-34 — 67
Hans Warren, Scotland 34-33 — 67
Scott Jamieson, Scotland 36-32 — 68
Peter Whiteford, Scotland 32-36 — 68
Also
Emie Els, South Africa 35-33 — 68
Graeme McDowell, Northern Ireland 35-34 — 69
Padraig Harrington, Ireland 36-33 — 69
Ross Fisher, England 35-34 — 69
Phil Mickelson, United States 35-34 — 69

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

AL Boxes

RANGERS 6, ATHLETICS 0

Oakland				Texas			
	ab	r	h	bi	ab	r	h	bi
J.Weeks 2b	4	0	1	0	Kinsler 2b	4	1	2	0
Crisp cf	3	0	0	0	Andrus ss	3	1	1	0
Matsui dh	4	0	0	0	J.Hamilton rf	2	0	1	0
Wright rf	4	0	1	0	A.Beltre 3b	4	0	0	0
Sweeney lf	0	0	0	0	M.Young dh	3	1	1	1
Kouzmanoff 3b	4	0	0	0	N.Cruz lf	4	0	0	0
C.Jackson rf	4	0	0	0	D.Murphy 1b	4	1	2	0
J.Carter 1b	3	0	0	0	Rodriguez c	3	0	1	1
K.Suzuki c	3	0	0	0	E.Chavez cf	4	2	3	1
Pinigis ss	3	0	0	0					
Totals	**31**	**0**	**4**	**0**	**Totals**	**31**	**6**	**10**	**6**

Oakland	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Harden L,1-1	5	8	5	5	2	2
Ziegler	1	1	1	1	0	0
Wuertz	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fuentes	1	1	0	0	0	1
Texas						
D.Holland W,7-4	9	4	0	0	2	7

WP—Harden, De Los Santos, D.Holland.
T—2:31. A—35,041 (49,170).

RAYS 5, YANKEES 1

Tampa Bay				New York			
	ab	r	h	bi	ab	r	h	bi
Zobrist 2b	3	2	3	1	Jeter ss	5	0	1	0
Joyce rf	4	0	0	0	Gardner cf	4	0	0	0
Longoria 3b	5	0	2	1	Teixeira 1b	2	0	0	0
Kotchm 1b	5	2	2	2	A.Rodriguez 3b	4	0	0	0
B.Upton cf	4	1	2	3	Cano 2b	4	1	2	1
Joaquin lf	4	0	0	0	Jeter c	3	0	1	0
S.Rodriguez 3b	4	0	1	0	Posada dh	3	0	1	0
Fuld lf	4	0	0	0	R.Pena pr	0	0	0	0
Brignac ss	4	0	2	0	Martin c	4	0	1	0
					Gardner lf	4	0	1	0
Totals	**35**	**5**	**12**	**5**	**Totals**	**34**	**1**	**6**	**1**

Tampa Bay	102	000	000	—	5
New York	000	001	000	—	1

DP—New York 3. LOB—Tampa Bay 8, New York 9. 2B—Longoria (16), Kotchman (18), Jeter (12), Martin (8). 3B—Zobrist (5). HR—Zobrist (10), B.Upton (14), Cano (15), SB—Brignac (3). CS—Zobrist (2).

Tampa Bay	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Niemann W,4-4	7	1-3	6	1	1	2
Howell	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
Farnsworth	1	0	0	0	1	2
New York						
Colon L,6-4	5	2-3	10	5	5	4
Noesi	3	1-3	2	0	0	1

WP—Farnsworth.
T—3:00. A—47,787 (50,291).

RED SOX 10, ORIOLES 4

Baltimore				Boston			
	ab	r	h	bi	ab	r	h	bi
Hardy ss	3	1	1	1	Ellsbury cf	3	2	1	2
Pie lf	1	0	0	0	Pedroia 2b	5	1	2	3
Weeks rf-1b	4	1	1	0	Sutton pr-2b	0	0	0	0
AdJones cf	4	0	1	1	AdGonz 1b	5	1	3	1
Guerrero dh	4	1	1	0	Youkilis 3b	5	0	1	0
Wieters c	1	0	0	0	Ortiz dh	4	1	2	1
Tejada 3b	2	0	0	0	Reddick rf	4	2	2	1
D.Lee 1b	4	0	0	1	Sittman c	4	1	2	1
BDavis ss	0	0	0	0	J.Drew rf	3	0	0	1
McFarn 3b	4	1	1	0	Scutaro ss	3	2	1	0
Reimld lf-rf	4	0	1	0	YNavarro ss	0	0	0	0
Andino 2b	3	0	2	0					
Totals	**32**	**4**	**8**	**3**	**Totals**	**36**	**10**	**1310**	

Baltimore	200	100	010	—	4
Boston	003	112	30x	—	10

E—Arencibia (2), A.Miller (1). DP—Baltimore 1, Boston 2. LOB—Baltimore 7, Boston 7. 2B—Guerrero (12), Youkilis (24), D.Ortiz (23). HR—Ellsbury (11), Pedroia (9), Ad.Gonzalez (17), D.Ortiz (18). SB—Ellsbury (42), Pedroia (6). SF—Weeters (1).

Baltimore	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Arrieta L,9-6	4 1-3	6	5	4	4	2
Berken	2	2	2	2	0	1
Wolf	0	3	3	3	1	0
Jakubauskas	1 2-3	2	0	0	0	2
Boston						
A.Miller W,3-0	5	6	3	3	4	0
Aceves	2	0	0	0	0	0
Atchison	1	1	1	1	0	0
Jenks	1	0	0	0	0	1

Wolf pitched to 4 batters in the 7th.
T—3:05. A—37,981 (37,493).

INDIANS 5, BLUE JAYS 4

Toronto				Cleveland			
	ab	r	h	bi	ab	r	h	bi
YEscor ss	3	0	0	0	Brantly lf	5	0	2	0
EThme lf	5	0	0	0	ACarer ss	4	1	1	0
Bautist 3b	4	1	1	0	Hafner dh	5	1	3	4
Lind 1b	5	0	1	0	CSantn c	2	0	1	0
J.Hill 2b	4	2	2	2	GSizemr rf	4	0	0	0
Encrnc dh	5	0	3	0	CCarer 2b	4	0	0	0
Snider rf	4	1	1	1	Buck rf	4	1	1	0
Arencib c	4	0	2	1	LaPort 1b	4	1	1	1
RDavis cf	4	1	1	0	Chamnl 3b	0	0	0	0
					Hannhn pr-3b	2	1	1	0
Totals	**38**	**4**	**11**	**4**	**Totals**	**33**	**5**	**10**	**5**

Toronto	010	200	001	—	4
Cleveland	000	000	005	—	5

One out when winning run scored.
E—A.Cabrera (1), McAllister (1). DP—Toronto: 2. LOB—Toronto: 11, Cleveland: 9. 2B—LaPorta (11), 3B—Hannahan (1). HR—Bautista (29), Hafner (8), SB—A.Hill (11), Brantley (12). CS—A.Hill (1).

Toronto	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
C.Villanueva	6	6	0	0	2	2
Kapoznyc 2/	1-3	3	0	0	2	2
Frasor	2-3	0	0	0	0	1
F.Francisco	1	1	0	0	0	1
L.Perez L,1-2	1-3	2	2	2	0	0
Cleveland						
M.Allen	4	5	3	2	3	4
R.Perez	2	0	0	0	0	2
Durbin	2	0	0	0	1	2
Herrmann	2-3	1	0	0	0	1
J.Smith	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Sipp W,4-1	1	2	1	1	0	1

F.Francisco pitched to 3 batters in the 9th.
HBP—by C.Villanueva (Cheerhart). WP—C.Villanueva.
T—3:28. A—18,816 (43,441).

TWINS 6, WHITE SOX 2

Minnesota				Chicago			
	ab	r	h	bi	ab	r	h	bi
Revere cf	5	2	3	2	Pierre lf	4	0	2	0
ACasill 2b	5	0	1	0	Wizdom 3b	4	0	1	0
Mauer 1b	5	0	3	2	Konerko 1b	3	0	0	0
Cuddyer rf	5	0	2	0	Dunn dh	4	0	0	0
Thome dh	3	0	0	0	Rios cf	4	0	0	0
Valencia 3b	3	1	0	0	Phrynis c	4	0	0	0
Butera c	4	0	1	0	A.Rmrez ss	4	0	2	0
Repko pr-lf	1	0	0	0	Teahen rf	3	1	1	0
Nishioka ss	4	2	2	1	Bckhrn 2b	3	0	2	0
Totals	**38**	**6**	**13**	**5**	**Totals**	**32**	**2**	**8**	**2**

Minnesota	120	300	000	—	6
Chicago	000	020	000	—	2

E—Konerko (4). DP—Minnesota 1, Chicago 1. LOB—Minnesota 7, Chicago 5. 2B—Valencia (17). HR—Teahen (3). SB—Revere (11), A.Casilla (13), Nishioka (2). CS—Revere (4).

Minnesota	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Pavano W,6-6	7	6	2	2	2	4
Perkins	1	0	0	0	0	1
Capps	1	0	0	0	0	0
Chicago						
Humber L,8-5	3 2-3	11	6	6	1	2
H.Santiago	4 1-3	1	0	0	1	1
Bruney	1	1	0	0	0	0

WP—H.Santiago.
T—2:35. A—26,795 (40,615).

TIGERS 3, ROYALS 1

Detroit				Kansas City			
	ab	r	h	bi	ab	r	h	bi
Avila c	4	0	1	0	Getz 2b	4	0	1	0
Santiago 2b-3b	3	0	1	0	McCann cf	4	0	1	0
C.Wells 1-cf	4	0	1	0	AGordon lf	4	0	1	0
Ordonez rf	3	1	1	0	Butler dh	4	0	0	0
Kelly rf	1	0	0	0	Hosmer 1b	3	1	1	0
McCann 1b	4	0	1	0	Francoeur rf	4	0	2	0
Quintanilla ss	4	0	1	0	Mostks 3b	4	0	1	0
Jh.Peralta 3b	3	0	0	0	B.Pena c	3	0	2	0
Raburn 2b-1b	4	1	2	2	AEscor ss	2	0	0	0
Avila i	2	0	0	0					
Inge 3b	3	0	0	0					
Totals	**32**	**3**	**6**	**3**	**Totals**	**32**	**1**	**8**	**1**

Detroit	000	000	001	—	1
Kansas City	000	010	000	—	1

E—Crow (1). DP—Detroit 1, Kansas City 1. LOB—Detroit 4, Kansas City 6. 2B—C.Wells (9), Hosmer (10). HR—Kelly (3), Raburn (8). CS—Getz (5). SF—A.Escobar.

Detroit	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Scherzer W,10-4	6 2-3	5	1	1	0	2
Coke	1 1-3	1	0	0	1	1
Benoit	1	0	0	0	0	0
Valverde S,22-22	1	2	2	2	1	0
Kansas City						
Duffy L,1-4	6	4	2	2	6	4
Collaman	1	2	1	1	0	0
Crow	1	0	0	0	0	1

WP—Duffy.
T—2:53. A—16,355 (37,903).

NL Boxes

MARLINS 5, ASTROS 0

Houston				Florida			
	ab	r	h	bi	ab	r	h	bi
Bourn cf	4	0	0	0	Bonifacio 3b	4	1	3	0
AngSnc 3b	3	0	1	0	Infante 2b	4	0	1	0
Pence rf	4	0	1	0	Gaston cf	3	0	0	0
Ca.Lee 1b	4	0	1	0	Ghzlhz 1b	2	1	1	0
Wallace dh	4	0	0	0	Hermida rf	3	1	2	0
Maxwell c	3	0	0	0	Morrison lf	4	2	2	0
					Wise pr-lf	0	0	0	0
					Coghlan ss	3	0	0	0
					Stanton rf	2	0	0	0
					Buck c	3	0	0	0
					Hand p	0	0	0	0
					Choate p	0	0	0	0
					Dobbs ph	0	0	0	0
					Cishek p	0	0	0	0
Totals	**29**	**0**	**3**	**0**	**Totals**	**28**	**5**	**8**	**5**

Houston	000	000	000	—	0
Florida	020	021	00x	—	5

DP—Houston 1, Florida 1. LOB—Houston 5, Florida 9. 2B—Bonifacio (15), Morrison (17). HR—Stanton (18). SB—Bonifacio (12). WP—Cishek.

Houston	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Happ L,3-11	5 2-3	5	5	5	7	8
Del Rosario	1 1-3	3	0	0	1	1
Melancon	1	0	0	0	0	1
Florida						
Hand W,1-3	7	2	0	0	3	4
Choate	1	0	0	0	0	1
Cishek	1	0	0	0	0	1

T—2:44. A—17,806 (38,560).

BRAVES 6, ROCKIES 3

Colorado				Atlanta			
	ab	r	h	bi	ab	r	h	bi
Blackmn lf	2	0	1	0	Schafer cf	5	1	1	0
Higgins pr-lf-3b	1	0	0	0	McGriff 1b	5	1	1	1
J.Herrn ss	4	0	1	0	C.Jones lf	5	1	1	1
Giambrb 1b	5	0	1	2	Freeman 1b	4	1	3	1
S.Smith rf	3	0	0	0	Uggla 2b	4	1	1	0
M.Ellis 2b	3	1	0	0	Heyward rf	4	1	3	2

Colorado	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Bolcerm lf	2 2-3	1	0	0	1	2
Wggnsn pr-lf-3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ja.Ramrez 3b	4	0	1	0	0	1
Giambrb 1b	5	0	1	2	Frgmn 1b	4	1	3	0
S.Smith rf	3	0	0	0	Uggla 2b	4	1	1	0
M.Ellis 2b	3	1	0	0	Heyward rf	4	1	3	2

Atlanta	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Jurrjens	6	5	3	3	2	4
Ramirez H,16	1	1	0	0	0	1
Venters	1	0	0	0	1	1
Kimbrel S,27-32	1	1	0	0	0	2

HBP—by T.Hudson; S.Smith. WP—O.Flaherty.
T—3:16. A—21,142 (49,586).

CUBS 10, NATIONALS 9

Chicago				Washington			
	ab	r	h	bi	ab	r	h	bi
Fukudm rf	4	0	0	0	Berroa lf	5	2	3	1
SCastro ss	5	1	1	1	Espinosa 2b	5	2	2	2
ARmrez 3b	3	2	1	2	Zimmrm 3b	4	2	1	0
C.Pena 1b	5	2	3	2	Morse 1b	5	1	2	2
Soto c	4	1	2	0	Desmond ss	4	0	1	0
Byrd cf	4	1	2	1	Ankiel cf	4	1	1	1
ASorm lf	3	1	1	0	WRamos c	4	0	1	2
Barney 2b	5	0	3	1	Dsmnd ss	4	1	1	0
Campn ph-rf	1	0	0	0	Stairs ph	1	0	0	0
Barney 2b	5	0	3	1	Hrndez p	2	0	1	0
Garza p	2	0	0	0	Coffey p	0	0	0	0
Samardzj p	0	0	0	0	SBurnett p	3	0	0	0
JeBlair pr	0	0	0	0	Boxberg ph	1	0	0	0
J.Russell p	0	0	0	0	HKnrqz p	0	0	0	0
DeWitt ph	1	0	0	0	Nix ph	1	0	0	0
Grabow p	0	0	0	0	Cora pr	0	0	0	0
Ruhner p	0	0	0	0					
Marmol p	0	0	0	0					
Totals	**41**	**10**	**15**	**10**	**Totals**	**40**	**9**	**13**	**9**

Chicago	000	104	211	—	10
Washington	007	100	010	—	9

E—C.Pena (4), Garza (5), F.Laudonte (2). LOB—Chicago 8, Washington 9. 2B—Soto (23), Barney 2 (10), Bermudez (8), Ankiel (9), W.Ramos (12). HR—C.Pena (19), DeWitt (2). SB—Campaneria (10), Desmond (3). CS—Espinosa (11), Cora (2). S—W.Ramos, Hernandez.

Chicago	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Garza	6	6	6	6	4	7
Samardzija	1	1	0	0	0	1
J.Russell	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grabow	0	0	0	0	1	1
Marshall W,5-2	1	0	0	0	0	1
Marmol S,18-23	1	0	0	0	0	2
Washington						
S.Rodriguez	5 2-3	10	6	6	0	3
Coffey	2-3	0	1	1	1	0
S.Burnett	2-3	1	1	1	2	1
H.Rodriguez L,3-2	2	4	2	2	0	2

Garza pitched to 8 batters in the 3rd.
HBP—by Marmol (Ankiel); by L.Herman (Jay); Ja.Ramirez (Marmol). B.Burnett.
T—3:31. A—22,016 (41,506).

BREWERS 5, REDS 4

Cincinnati				Milwaukee			
	ab	r	h	bi	ab	r	h	bi
Stubbs cf	4	0	0	0	Weeks 2b	4	1	1	0
Cairo 3b	5	0	2	1	Morgan cf-lf	4	0	1	0
Votto 1b	4	1	2	0	Hart rf	4	1	2	0
BPhillips 2b	5	0	2	0	Fielder 1b	3	0	1	1
Bruce rf	3	0	1	1	Kotsay lf	4	0	1	1
JGoins rf	1	0	0	0	GGomez cf	0	0	0	0
Mesoraco c	4	1	1	0	Ellmbrc ss	3	0	0	0
Cozart ss	3	1	1	0	McGehee 3b	4	0	1	0
Heisey pr-lf	0	0	0	0	Lucroy c	4	1	1	0
Rhendz c	4	1	2	2	Narvsn p	1	0	1	0

Cincinnati	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Arroyo	6 1-3	4	2	2	1	4
Bray	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Ondrusek	1	1	0	0	0	1
Masset	1	0	0	0	0	1
Cordero	1	0	0	0	1	1
LeCure	1	1	0	0	0	1
Arredondo W,1-1	1	0	0	0	1	1
Chapman S,11	1	0	0	0	0	2
St. Louis						
Westbrook	4 1-3	4	1	1	1	3
*Miller	2-3	1	0	0	0	1
Dickqsn	2-3	1	0	0	0	1
Motte	2-3	1	0	0	0	1
M.Boggs	1	0	0	0	0	2
Salas	1	0	0	0	0	1
Valdes L,0-1	1	2	2	2	0	1

*Pitched to Rhyne (1). Valdes pitched to Ja.Rodriguez (1).
T—4:11. A—37,223 (43,975).

Late Boxes

GIANTS 6, PADRES 5, 14 INNINGS

San Diego				San Francisco			
	ab	r	h	bi	ab	r	h	bi
Denorfi rf-lf	7	1	2	0	Torres cf	6	2	3	0
Bartlett ss	5	1	2	0	Rdrfr ss	6	1	2	0
Headly 3b	4	1	1	1	PSndvl 3b	5	1	2	3
Ludwick lf	4	0	1	2	Huff 1b	6	0	1	0
Grgrsn p	0	0	0	0	MTejad 2b	4	0	1	0
Spanos p	0	0	0	0	BWillan p	0	0	0	0
AGonzlz ph	1	0	0	0	Burnes 2b	2	0	0	0
Frieri p	0	0	0	0	Sch

TODAY'S JAMBOREE TEE TIMES

Jamboree
Green Tree Country Club
Today-Sunday
Today's Tee Times
Note: Course designation in parentheses

Championship Flight (West-East)
1:12 p.m.: Johnny Kidd-Ricky Hudson; John Horacek-Brett Lossin
1:20 p.m.: Jason Lindgren-Thomas Kulcak; Shane Workman-Mike Maes
1:28 p.m.: Daniel Campbell-Tyler Sheppard; Daniel Pender-Chance Finley
1:36 p.m.: Shawn Reeves-J.D. Dickerson; Rick Gasser-Rick Houston
1:44 p.m.: Gary Johnson-Trey Womack; John Pelletier-John McLeod
1:52 p.m.: Steve Whiteside-Bobby Whiteside; Kelly Cox-Will Christensen
2 p.m.: Cody King-Michael Pruitt; Scott Rundell-Ross Tyler
2:08 p.m.: Jim Nash-Scott Chapman; Robert House-Jay McHugh
2:16 p.m.: K.T. Livingston-Ken Livingston; J.B. Luttrell-Bryan Word
2:24 p.m.: Kelly Grunewald-Mark Terry; Dr. Mike Connally-Jason Berry
2:32 p.m.: Bubba Bailey-David Bolen; Bobby Gee-Shawn Savage

President's Flight (West-East)
12:16 p.m.: Andrew Bell-Les Littlejohn; Troy Martin Jr.-Ryan Havens
12:24 p.m.: Kevin Riggs-J.J. King; Michael Cowley-Tim Kohn
12:32 p.m.: Larry Hook-Ken Burnham; Chris Rasnick-Nathan Foreman
12:40 p.m.: John Castillo-Randy Cothran; Skeet Mitchell-Sterling Mitchell
12:48 p.m.: Brian Gray-Clay Whitehead; Chris Jaur-Lance Wood
12:56 p.m.: Sam Smith-Tom Kingsley; Don King-Dillon King
1:04 p.m.: Pete Scherer-Brian Scherer; Bob Beck-Doug Noah

First Flight (East-North)
12:16 p.m.: Greg D. Frazier-Joe Frazier; Andy Price-Jayson Lester
12:24 p.m.: Mike Abbott-Steve Bodemann; Will Reinert-Mike Bodemann
12:32 p.m.: Scott Petersen-Bennett Robb; Jay Isaacs-Mike Lester
12:40 p.m.: Dave Holloway-Jim Harrison; Doyce Haney-Mike Wallace
12:48 p.m.: Toby Shahan-Boyd Schaneman; Danny Gasser-Casey Miller
12:56 p.m.: John Moffett-Tim Green; Steve Corson-Donny Winslow
1:04 p.m.: Steve Plemons-Michael Ledford; Dan Pender-David Pender

Second Flight (East-North)
1:12 p.m.: Wayne A. Youngs-Tim Peden; Tony Farish-Terry Loyd
1:20 p.m.: Pete Hubler-Dennis Carter; Jeff Gotcher-Roger Alexander
1:28 p.m.: Mike Evans-Bill Scott; Ken Kossatz-Terry Fuller
1:36 p.m.: Randy Green-Brian Knighten; Steve Hobson-Paul Trussell
1:44 p.m.: Kevin Widner-Steve Widner; Darrell McDonald-Don Wallaven
1:52 p.m.: T.J. Greenwood-Frank Morrison; Kelly Cooke-Eric Boyd
2 p.m.: Mark Varner-Dan Bodemann; Gene Shumate-Tim Hodgens

Third Flight (North-West)
1:04 p.m.: Carson Watt-Steve Boudreau; Randy Randolph-Russ Welch
1:12 p.m.: Tommy Floretti-Tommy Floretti III; Keith Conner-Jeff Gasch
1:20 p.m.: Ken Burgess-Cary Billingsley; Devan Adams-Mike Elphick
1:28 p.m.: John Reinert-Eric Clutter; Gilbert Abila-Blake Arthur
1:36 p.m.: Richard Hatchett-Chris Hatchett; Alan Williams-Rob Barber
1:44 p.m.: Gary Jones-Greg Gray; Gary Pfannenstiel-Jeff Leary
1:52 p.m.: Ron Ainsworth-Mark Pruitt; Keith Moore-Tommy Richardson
2 p.m.: Sean Salois-Don Robinson; Derek Robinson-Jimmy Bryant

Fourth Flight (West-East)
8:24 a.m.: Ron Harpe-David Essex; Randy Pittman-Brad Turner
8:32 a.m.: Mark Compton-Hayden Tresner; Mickey Ray-Brad Cochran
8:40 a.m.: John Wright-Larry Phillips; Johnny Slaughter-Nelson Patton
8:48 a.m.: Mark Coats-Burl Fuller; Stephen Hilliard-Brian Lucas
8:56 a.m.: Boyd Finch-John Pressly; Nick Maschas-James Hand
9:04 a.m.: Rick Yadon-Earl Michie; Joey Fields-Glen Elliott
9:12 a.m.: Steve Pitts-Zach Pitts; Mike Harrison-Nick Harrison

Fifth Flight (East-North)
7:30 a.m.: David Chappie-Kerry Miller; Gary Peckham-Kelly Leonard
7:38 a.m.: Bob Weidner-Dr. Daniel Nelson; Fritz Phillips-Pat Worrell
7:46 a.m.: Dale Connally-Chris Connally; Dr. Edwards-Greg Pearson
7:54 a.m.: Marselo Barriga-Gus Munoz; Rod Roberts-Randy Prince
8:02 a.m.: Dr. James Gilbert-Jeff Gilbert; Tony Willis-Kevin Kelly
8:10 a.m.: Alan Neal-Joe Neal; Andy Mullen-Tim Allen
8:18 a.m.: Gary Gray-Bobby Laughry; Todd Hardaway-Joe Wanta

Sixth Flight (East-North)
8:24 a.m.: Vince Carlisle-Bobby Adkins; Rolly Hughes-Dana Lucas
8:32 a.m.: Steve Guthrie-Ramon Reyes; Dub House-Kyle Womack
8:40 a.m.: Tony Reeves-Kenny Pulliam; Paul Jay-Mike Sackash
8:48 a.m.: Kevin Leary-Devin Phillips; Pat Leary-John Morrow
8:56 a.m.: Macon McDonald-Tom McIlvain; Pat Welch-Harvin Broughton
9:04 a.m.: Scott Mitchell-Brandon Martin; Bill Haggerty-Robert Booth
9:12 a.m.: Oren Albright III-Michael Deaver; Gary L. Gray-Paul Edwards

Seventh Flight (North-West)
7:30 a.m.: Vince Hancock-Jim McGowan; David Raines-Pete Ortiz
7:38 a.m.: Greg Wilkes-John Nava; Kinney Riley-Terry Newman
7:46 a.m.: John Quaite-Steve Killingsworth; Bill Reinert-James Garrett
7:54 a.m.: Phillip Lawson-Brad Miller; Butch Willis-Kevin Dixon
8:02 a.m.: Gary Mackay-Terry Wooten; Les Opperman-Ken Dixon
8:10 a.m.: Mike Smith-Tyson Cornwell; Byron Courts-John Scharbauer
8:18 a.m.: Jeff Bussell-Joe Niederhofer; Buster Dickey-Matt Dickey

Eighth Flight (North-West)
8:26 a.m.: Dennis Snyder-Ernest Hernandez; Charlie Green-Stan Edgar
8:34 a.m.: Dale Wesley-Mike Tadale; Gary Walker-Mike Walker
8:42 a.m.: Erich Hardaway-Clark White; Terry Ives-Tommy Clark
8:50 a.m.: Gerald Huff-Bobby Smith; Ryan Davis-Jason Edwards
8:58 a.m.: Hal Brockett-Doug Duff; Jon Andrews-Randy Crook
9:06 a.m.: Greg Pitts-David Pitts; Mike Perry-Ronald Johnson
9:14 a.m.: Kerry Blair-Steve Fuller; Ronnie Williams-Greg Benton

Ninth Flight (West-East)
7:30 a.m.: Michael Hall-Aaron Erdeurm; Mike O'Brien-Steve Goree
7:38 a.m.: Jim Hightower-Pat Moore Jr.; Van Harris-Rick Armstrong
7:46 a.m.: Dr. Orland Purcell-Chas Kurstiko; Tommy Hill-Mark Bondy
7:54 a.m.: Morris Varnoy-Damon Cumba; Frank Benton-Jerry Gromer
8:02 a.m.: Glenn Winters-Mark Semmelbeck; Larry Jones-Eddie Hatch
8:10 a.m.: Dwaine Barnes-Les Preece; David Thomas-Kyle Thomas
8:18 a.m.: William L. Smith-Ed Runyan; Danny McNeese-Carl Davis

US ready for test from Brazil

By Nancy Armour
Associated Press

Marcio Jose Sanchez/AP

DANGEROUS PLAY? The United States' Alex Morgan, center, tries to kick the ball out of the hands of Sweden goalkeeper Hedvig Lindahl during their Group C match on Wednesday in Germany.

DRESDEN, Germany — The Americans can read a draw as well as anyone else. To win a third World Cup title, they were going to have to see Brazil at some point.

OK, so it's happening earlier than they expected. But quarterfinals or the final, the Americans insist they're ready for Brazil and dynamic playmaker Marta.

Excited about it, too.

"Obviously nobody wants to lose in a World Cup," Lauren Cheney said Thursday. "We're still smiling, we're still enjoying this journey. Our belief in each other is unbelievable. No matter what happens, we believe we can make it and carry on. That's what we did. From the coaching staff on down, we all still have a lot of confidence."

The expectation all along has been that the top-ranked Americans would win their group, setting up a showdown with two-time defending champion Germany in the semifinals. Win that game, and the U.S. would play Brazil for yet another title — this one at the World Cup. The U.S. beat Brazil to win the gold medal at the last two Olympic Games; Brazil was runner-up at the 2007 World Cup after knocking the Americans out in the semifinals.

But the Americans blew the gameplan with their 2-1 loss to Sweden on Wednesday night. Needing only a draw to avoid Brazil, the U.S. instead lost a group stage game for the first time at the World Cup. Rather than the "easy" road laid out for them, the Americans have to go through Brazil just to get to the semifinals.

The U.S. and Brazil play Sunday, with the winner taking on either England or France in the semifinals Wednesday.

"We go into every game wanting to win. And we didn't," Shannon Boxx said. "The good thing is, now we're into the quarterfinals anyway. We have a tough opponent against Brazil and we're excited about it."

What the Americans see as confidence others might call denial. This, after all, is the same team that has lost four games since November after going unbeaten for more than two years. The same team that lost in regional qualifying to Mexico, which had gone oh-fer against the Americans in the first 25 tries. The same team that left more chances on the field in the first three games than some teams will see in three World Cups.

But it's those chances that have the U.S. convinced they are only inches away from a commanding performance that could make all the different scenarios at the World Cup irrelevant.

"We had so many chances and we had good opportunities. We're happy with the fact we had so many shots on goal," said Cheney, who put a side volley over the crossbar early in the second half.

WOMEN'S WORLD CUP SCORES & SCHEDULE

FIRST ROUND
(Top two nations in each group advance)

GROUP A

	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
x-Germany	3	3	0	0	7	0	9
x-France	3	2	0	1	7	4	6
Nigeria	3	1	0	2	4	7	3
Canada	3	0	0	3	1	7	0

x-advanced to quarterfinals

Sunday, June 26
At Sinsheim, Germany
France 1, Nigeria 0
At Berlin
Germany 2, Canada 1
Thursday, June 30
At Bochum, Germany
France 4, Canada 0
At Frankfurt
Germany 1, Nigeria 0
Tuesday, July 5
At Moenchengladbach, Germany
Germany 4, France 2
At Dresden, Germany
Nigeria 1, Canada 0

GROUP B

	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
x-England	3	2	1	0	5	2	7
x-Japan	3	2	0	1	6	3	6
Mexico	3	0	2	1	3	7	2
New Zealand	3	0	1	2	4	6	1

x-advanced to quarterfinals

Monday, June 27
At Bochum, Germany
Japan 2, New Zealand 1
At Wolfsburg, Germany
Mexico 1, England 1
Friday, July 1
At Leverkusen, Germany
Japan 4, Mexico 0
At Dresden, Germany
England 2, New Zealand 1
Tuesday's Scores
At Augsburg, Germany
England 2, Japan 0
At Sinsheim, Germany
New Zealand 2, Mexico 2

GROUP C

	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
x-Sweden	3	3	0	0	4	1	9
x-United States	3	2	0	1	6	2	6
North Korea	3	0	1	2	2	3	1
Colombia	3	0	1	2	0	4	1

x-advanced to quarterfinals

Tuesday, June 28
At Leverkusen, Germany
Sweden 1, Colombia 0
At Dresden, Germany
United States 2, North Korea 0
Saturday, July 2
At Augsburg, Germany
Sweden 1, North Korea 0
At Sinsheim, Germany
United States 3, Colombia 0
Wednesday's Scores
At Wolfsburg, Germany
Sweden 2, United States 1
At Bochum, Germany
North Korea 0, Colombia 0

GROUP D

	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
x-Brazil	3	3	0	0	7	0	9
x-Australia	3	2	0	1	5	4	6
Norway	3	1	0	2	2	5	3
Eq Guinea	3	0	0	3	2	7	0

x-advanced to quarterfinals

Wednesday, June 29
At Augsburg, Germany
Norway 1, Equatorial Guinea 0
At Moenchengladbach, Germany
Brazil 1, Australia 0
Sunday, July 3
At Bochum, Germany
Australia 3, Equatorial Guinea 2
At Wolfsburg, Germany
Brazil 3, Norway 0
Wednesday's Scores
At Frankfurt
Brazil 3, Equatorial Guinea 0
At Leverkusen, Germany
Australia 2, Norway 1

QUARTERFINALS
Saturday, July 9
At Leverkusen, Germany
England vs. France, 11 a.m.
At Wolfsburg, Germany
Germany vs. Japan, 1:45 p.m.
Sunday, July 10
At Augsburg, Germany
Sweden vs. Australia, 6 a.m.
At Dresden, Germany
Brazil vs. United States, 10:30 a.m.

SEMIFINALS
Wednesday, July 13
At Moenchengladbach, Germany
England-France winner vs. Brazil-United States winner, 11 a.m.
At Frankfurt
Germany-Japan winner vs. Sweden-Australia winner, 1:45 p.m.

THIRD PLACE
Saturday, July 16
At Sinsheim, Germany
Semifinal losers, 10:30 a.m.

CHAMPIONSHIP
Sunday, July 17
At Frankfurt
Semifinal winners, 1:45 p.m.

JAMBOREE

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ties in the fairway and on the green that's a huge advantage to have two guys involved in the hole. We are both pretty consistent players."

That type of consistency will be key for the pair of Bolen and Bailey, and the rest of the championship flight field at the tournament.

Unlike a year ago when several inches of rain had thickened up the rough at Green Tree and made the greens softer, the players will be greeted with a course that is a little harder after nearly nine months without measureable rainfall.

But even with that drastic change in conditions, scoring low will still depend on staying in the fairway and making putts.

"A lot of it depends on the course setup because sometimes they put the pins in really difficult places," said Shawn Savage, who teamed with Bobby Gee to win the Quarter Century last month. "You might be thinking there is an easy scoring opportunity but if you get on the wrong side of the hole it isn't easy to make putts. I anticipate them giving us a couple of tricky pins."

Tricky pins or not, all the players in this weekend's tournament know they face a stout field and know that one bad round could hurt their chances of winning. The key will be to stay as close as possible to the top.

"Twenty-five under was a pretty low number last year, and once again it's a tough field this year," Bailey said. "Anyone in the championship flight can win it."

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JAMBOREE NOTES

■ This year's championship flight is filled with some well known players freund around the region as defending champs Bubba Bailey and David Bolen will be paired with 2009 champs Bobby Gee and Shawn Savage. Savage and Gee also won the Quarter Century Partnership in Odessa last month.

Other notable players in the championship flight.

■ Former Nationwide and PGA Tour pro Kelly Grunewald will be making his debut in the tournament, pairing with former Ranchland Hills club professional Mark Terry.

■ K.T. Livingston will play with his father, Ken, this year as he lost in a four-hole playoff with Lane Branum in 2010. Also, the father-son tandem of Steve and Bobby Whiteside will team up this year.

■ The pairing of Daniel Campbell and Daniel Pender will be split this year. Campbell will team up with former Lee, Midland College and Abilene Christian golfer Tyler Sheppard, and Pender will play with Abilene's Chance Finley.

■ Shane Workman and Mike Maes, who won the tournament in 2007, return this season to play together again.

■ Another former recent college golfer will make his Jamboree debut this weekend in Trinity grad Will Christensen. Christensen, who played at TCU, will team with former champ Kelly Cox. Cox won the tournament in 1986-87 with Steve Whiteside.

GOLF ROUNDUP

PGA Tour

LATE RUN SENDS BLANKS TO DEERE CLASSIC LEAD: At Silvis, Ill., Kris Blanks birdied his final five holes Thursday to finish with an 8-under-par 63 and grab the first-round lead at the John Deere Classic.

Blanks, who played the back nine first, rolled in a 25-foot putt on No. 5 to start his late run and capped it with an 11-footer to leave him alone at the top after Canadian rookie Matt McQuillan and veteran Davis Love III had held that spot much of the day with 64s.

Another late starter, Steve Marino, also came in with a 64. Mark Wilson, who has won twice on the tour this year, and Kyle Stanley were another stroke back, while Steve Stricker, seeking his third straight title in the tournament, was part of a large group at 66.

European PGA

WESTWOOD, TULLO

SHARE LEAD AT SCOTTISH OPEN: At Inverness, Scotland, Lee Westwood and Mark Tullo of Chile shot 7-under 65s to share the lead after the first round of the Scottish Open.

Westwood made six birdies and an eagle Thursday in the warmup event before next week's British Open. A bogey at the 16th hole was his only setback.

With a win at the new links course at Castle Stuart, the second-ranked Westwood would regain the No. 1 ranking held by fellow Englishman Luke Donald.

Tullo, ranked No. 232 and in his first season on the European Tour, birdied his first four holes and then five of the back nine to join Westwood atop the leaderboard.

George Coetzee of South Africa, Peter Hanson of Sweden and Thorbjorn Olesen of Denmark are three strokes behind the leaders.

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TALKING ABOUT HIS DAY Kris Blanks appears at a news conference following his first-round 63, which gave him the lead at the John Deere Classic at TPC Deere Run in Silvis, Ill., on Thursday.

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the players in the clubhouse for 2 1/2 hours, but with the thunder still rumbling and the radar blinking red, officials called play. There were 75 players on the course and 66 who hadn't hit a shot. That means nearly half the field, including defending champion Paula Creamer and Yani Tseng, trying to complete her career Grand Slam, could face 72 holes packed into three days of action on a typically rough U.S. Open setup.

The Broadmoor is the first course to measure more than 7,000 yards for the U.S. Women's Open — quite a haul, even at 6,700 feet in altitude.

"We were actually sitting here debating, what's the better draw?" Kim said. "Is it the one we have and we try to get 36 in in one day, or the one where you have 19 hours between shots in the same round?"

Sarah-Jane Smith of Australia falls into the latter category, but only barely. After hearing her name announced on the first tee box, Smith striped her first shot down the middle of the fairway and started walking. Suddenly, the sirens blared and she made a U-turn back to the clubhouse.

"I've not teed off at all before," she said. "But I've never hit one, then walked straight back in. I'm looking forward to it."

Then, pointing to her husband and caddie, Duane, she said, "He should have the yardage figured out by tomorrow morning."

For the record, Duane Smith says it will be a 150-yard shot when play resumes at 7:45 a.m. local time Friday.

And while Smith is sleeping on one good shot, Anderson will join Kerr in sleeping on the lead.

The second-team All-American from North Dakota State hit her approach on the par-5 ninth to tap-in range for her second birdie of the day. That put her at 2 under.

"The first-day leader," she said. "That's way more than I could have imagined."

She needs to hold onto the lead for six more holes to make it official.

The only other players under par when play was suspended were Inbee Park (through 17), Ai Miyazato (15) and Silvia Cavalleri, who birdied No. 1 moments before weather halted play.

DAVIS CUP

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said Thursday. "You know, he's roughly the mayor of this town."

Roddick, a 10-year veteran of Davis Cup play, lobbied hard to get the quarterfinal in Austin. In 1992, Roddick went to Fort Worth to watch Courier and the U.S. defeat Switzerland in the Davis Cup final. The raucous, vibrant crowd and the cheering, clanging cowbells and airhorns left a lasting impression on the 10-year-old.

Roddick hopes a pro-U.S. crowd in Austin will create a similar atmosphere.

"Just seeing the people go mental for tennis, 'USA' chants, flags, all sorts of stuff," Roddick said. "It left me with a dream."

With Nadal sitting out the quarterfinal, Ferrer will play as Spain's top seed.

Nadal, who was part of Spain's Davis Cup winning teams in 2004, 2008 and 2009, said he needed time off after losing last weekend in the Wimbledon final. Nadal criticized the timing of playing a Davis Cup quarterfinal just one week later.

The American and Spanish teams are full of players who were at Wimbledon. Fish lost to Nadal in the quarterfinals. Lopez beat Roddick in the third round. Ferrer made it to the quarterfinals and the American team of Bob and Mike Bryan won the Wimbledon doubles championship.

"For sure, Rafael is a very important player in our team, but right now he is not here," Spain captain Albert Costa said. "We have these four players, they know how to win Davis Cup. They are very experienced. For sure they will play with passion, with heart."

Costa said being in Austin could put some unexpected pressure on Roddick.

"(It's) big pressure for him to play with his public, his people, his country," Costa said.

Roddick appeared loose enough while hamming up a prematch news conference with jokes and funny faces. In the crowd was Roddick's second-grade teacher.

"Thank you for teaching me to read," Roddick said. "That was great of you. It's served me well."

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A DAY ON WALL STREET

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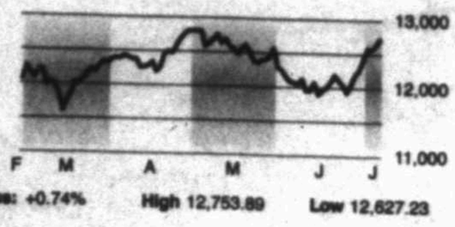

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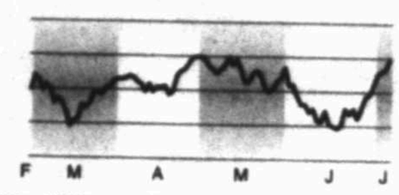

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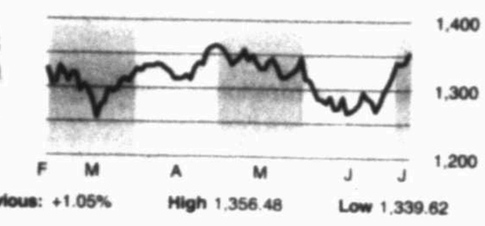

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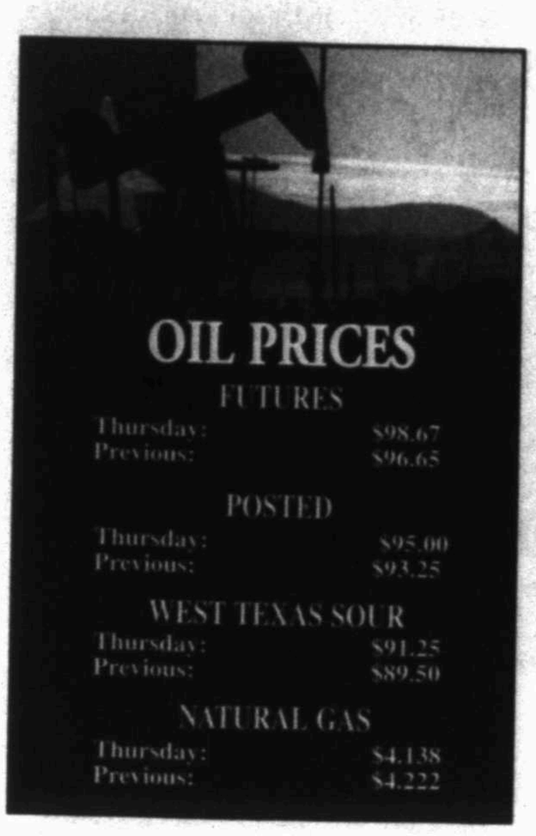

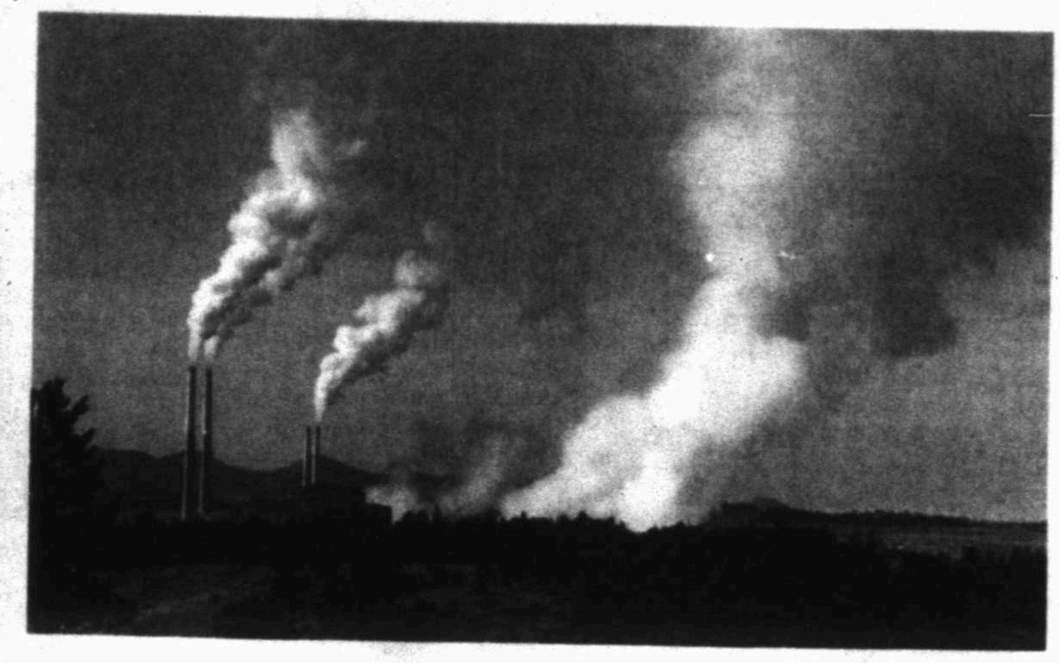

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NEW POLLUTION RULES This November 2008 photo shows a coal-fired power plant. New rules enacted Thursday will require Texas power plants to reduce ozone- and acide-rain pollution significantly, a move that likely will increase tensions between the Environmental Protection Agency and the state.

EPA requires Texas power plants to lower pollution

By Ramit Plushnick-Masti
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HOUSTON — Texas power plants will have to significantly reduce ozone and acid-rain causing pollution under new federal rules, a move that could further increase tensions between the state and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency just as Republican Gov. Rick Perry considers a presidential run.

The long-running battle between Texas and the EPA evolved from one over environmental regulation into a tiff over states' rights. During his recent gubernatorial campaign, Perry often used the federal agency's rule-making as an example of the Obama administration meddling in state affairs.

The rules announced Thursday will require Texas plants to significantly reduce smog and acid-rain causing pollutants beginning next year. Texas had already opposed an initial, weaker proposal, so the more stringent rules angered local regulators, lawmakers and the Perry administration.

Texas argues that the new rules would require massive improvements to old power plants, changes that would end up costing consumers more money. The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, the state's regulatory agency, also questions the science upon which the EPA has built its rules.

"Today's EPA announcement is another example of heavy-handed and misguided action from Washington, D.C., that threatens Texas jobs and families and puts at risk the reliable and affordable electricity our state needs to succeed," Perry said in a statement.

Perry, who has kept up a busy travel schedule and attacks on Washington as he considers a run for the White House, said the Obama administration seems intent on increasing energy costs for consumers and making Americans more dependent on foreign energy.

"Texas will keep standing up to this destructive federal overreach, and working to enhance environmental protection and domestic energy exploration and production," he added.

The idea behind the rule is to reduce airborne pollution that crosses state lines and combines with locally produced pollution, making it difficult — and even impossible sometimes — for states to comply with federal regulations. Texas is one of 27 states that will have to reduce both smog and acid-rain causing pollutants, namely sulfur dioxide and nitrogen oxide.

Texas has 19 coal-fired power plants, more than any other state. Faced with a looming population boom that could double the number of state residents in the next 20 years, Texas plans to build nine more such plants.

Al Armendariz, the EPA administrator who oversees Texas, says Texas pollution is harming Illinois, Michigan and Louisiana. At the same time, pollution transported from Louisiana, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Missouri harms residents in the Lone Star State. Armendariz said the rule is aimed at helping all residents, and the EPA believes it will prevent between 670 and 1,700 premature deaths in Texas alone.

Nationally, the EPA believes the rules will reduce sulfur dioxide emissions by 73 percent by 2014 compared to 2005 levels, and bring down nitrogen oxide pollution by 54 percent.

Oil, gasoline prices rise

A funny thing happened on the way to lower oil and gasoline prices: They went up.

Two weeks after the U.S. and other oil-importing nations took action that knocked down the price of oil to almost $90 a barrel, it's back around $100. And gas pump prices, which had dropped since May, are up about a nickel since July 1.

Benchmark oil for August delivery rose $2.02, or 2.1 percent, to settle at $98.67 a barrel on the New York Mercantile Exchange. Brent crude gained $4.97, or 4.4 percent, to settle at $118.59 per barrel on the ICE Futures exchange.

The national average pump price rose 1.4 cents on Thursday to $3.583 a gallon, according to AAA and the Oil Price Information Service. That's up 4.2 cents from a week ago but still 86 cents more than a year ago.

In other Nymex trading for August contracts, heating oil rose 13.87 cents to settle at $3.1020 per gallon and gasoline futures added 12.94 cents to settle at $3.1270 per gallon. Natural gas lost 8.4 cents to settle at $4.138 per 1,000 cubic feet.

Dollar weakens

The dollar gave up early gains against the euro Thursday after the European Central Bank boosted a key interest rate and its chief hinted that there would be more increases.

In late trading Thursday in New York, the euro rose to $1.4351, up from a low of $1.422 earlier in the day and from $1.4296 on Wednesday.

The dollar rose against the Japanese yen and Swiss franc, which investors consider safe-haven currencies, after the Labor Department said fewer people in the U.S. applied for unemployment benefits last week.

The dollar rose to 81.30 Japanese yen from 80.97 yen and climbed to 0.8452 Swiss franc from 0.8403 Swiss franc.

The dollar was weaker against most other currencies around the world after Thursday's jobs report, however.

NYSE

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
S&P500ETF	1389594	135.38	+1.39
BkofAm	1043561	10.92	+.18
Pfizer	899171	20.23	-.55
FordM	653661	14.12	+.16
iShR2K	598198	85.65	+1.27

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
ChiNBorun	7.91	+.95	+13.6
NeoPhoto n	7.99	+.85	+11.9
Talbots	3.47	+.35	+11.2
NY&Co	5.42	+.52	+10.6
ProUMex	43.22	+3.92	+10.0

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
LumberLiq	18.32	-7.32	-28.5
ForestOil	24.24	-3.83	-13.6
iP SER2K	21.15	-2.72	-11.4
C-TrCVOL	22.47	-2.37	-9.5
CatoCp	27.94	-2.80	-9.1

Diary

Advanced	2,384
Declined	661
Unchanged	92
Total issues	3,137
New Highs	286
New Lows	8
Volume	3,633,771,869

Amex

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
KodiakO g	52457	6.51	+.14
BarcGSOil	49283	25.43	+.41
AmApparel	34352	1.05	+.12
VirnetX	26901	35.99	-.62
GoldStr g	25346	2.50	+.09

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Express-1	3.59	+.50	+16.2
RennGEnt	2.26	+.23	+11.3
ClaudeR g	2.21	+.22	+11.1
Augusta g	5.01	+.44	+9.6
ChiMarFd	3.13	+.25	+8.7

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Solitario	2.74	-.28	-9.3
BowlA	12.30	-1.20	-8.9
Tofutti	2.22	-.18	-7.5
T3 Motn rs	2.13	-.17	-7.4
YM Bio g	2.77	-.14	-4.8

Diary

Advanced	332
Declined	148
Unchanged	30
Total issues	510
New Highs	19
New Lows	5
Volume	118,799,796

Nasdaq

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
Cisco	693875	15.90	+.34
Intel	523841	23.23	+.48
Microsoft	480504	26.77	+.44
PwShs QQQ	444640	59.19	+.80
NewsCpA	381234	17.43	-.04

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
ChinaAuto.	2.07	+.91	+78.4
ChinaNet	2.60	+1.01	+63.5
APACC	8.44	+3.00	+55.1
BonaFilm n	4.75	+.93	+24.3
ChinaSky	2.62	+.49	+23.0

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
NwLead rs	2.60	-.76	-22.6
Affymetrix	6.59	-1.41	-17.6
MagneStc	4.30	-.90	-17.3
ImmuCell	6.52	-1.09	-14.3
IBC Cap pf	17.27	-2.51	-12.7

Diary

Advanced	2,001
Declined	604
Unchanged	100
Total issues	2,705
New Highs	227
New Lows	19
Volume	1,825,848,679

MIDLAND STOCKS

Midland-Headquartered Publicly Traded Companies

Basic Energy Services (BAS)
Closing Price $34.90 Up 1.42

Clayton Williams Energy (CWEI)
Closing Price $66.25 Up 3.34

Concho Resources (CXO)
Closing Price $95.72 Up 3.12

Dawson Geophysical (DWSN)
Closing Price $36.17 Up 1.48

Legacy Reserves (LGCY)
Closing Price $29.96 Up 0.36

Mexco Energy (MXC)
Closing Price $8.98 Up 0.33

Natural Gas Services Group (NGS)
Closing Price $17.00 Up 0.22

HOW STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST FARED

Name	Div	PE	Last	Chg	YTD %Chg
APACC	...	20	8.44	+3.00	+39.0
AT&T Inc	1.72	9	31.23	...	+6.3
Abraxas	...	...	4.55	+.42	-.4
Accenture	.90	22	63.44	+1.34	+30.8
AdamsEx	.51e	...	11.39	+.13	+6.1
AlcatelLuc	...	...	6.04	+.20	+104.1
Alcoa	.12	23	16.49	+.25	+7.1
AlonUSA	.16	...	11.80	+.63	+94.0
Amgen	...	12	57.97	+.21	+5.5
Anadarko	.36	...	80.22	+1.44	+5.5
Annaly	2.59e	8	18.53	+.16	+3.4
Apache	.60	14	126.38	+2.67	+6.0
Apple Inc	...	17	357.20	+5.44	+10.7
ApldMatl	.32	11	13.44	+.40	-4.4
ATMOS	1.36	15	34.00	+.01	+9.0
AutoData	1.44	22	55.02	+1.02	+18.9
BP PLC	.42e	...	44.54	+.63	+.8
BakrHu	.60	31	75.38	+1.36	+31.9
BkofAm	.04	20	10.92	+.18	-18.1
Bar iPVix rs	...	...	20.11	-.57	-46.5
BasicEnSv	...	...	34.90	+1.42	+111.8
Berkhis A	...	...	181150.00	+1940.00	-3.2
BerryPet	.30	35	55.62	+.92	+27.5
BlkHillsCp	1.46	19	30.52	+.12	+1.7
BrMySq	1.32	15	29.37	+.15	+10.9
BrownFA	1.28e	19	73.56	+.01	+6.0
BrownFB	1.28e	20	76.51	+.01	+9.9
CVS Care	.50	16	36.54	+.78	+10.8
Cameron	...	23	51.67	+.88	+2.2
Caterpillar	1.84f	20	111.63	+1.55	+19.2
Celestic g	...	10	8.66	+.11	-8.7
CntryLink	2.90	13	40.71	-.20	-11.8
ChesEng	.35f	10	30.51	+.33	+17.8
Chevron	3.12f	10	106.59	+1.51	+18.6
Chicos	.20	23	16.18	+.54	+34.5
Cimarex	.40	16	68.57	-2.42	...
Cisco	.24	13	15.90	+.34	-21.4
Citigrp rs	.04	14	42.63	+.82	-9.9
ClayEng	...	65	66.25	+3.34	-21.1
CocaCola	1.88	14	68.75	+.22	+4.5
ColgPal	2.32f	19	88.79	+.36	+10.8
Comcast	.45	19	25.58	+.09	+17.0
CompPrds	...	22	35.75	+1.14	+21.0
ConAgra	.92	14	26.25	+.26	+16.2
ConchoRes	...	...	95.72	+3.12	+9.2
ConocPhil	2.64	11	76.75	+.72	+12.7
Corning	.20	8	18.19	-.05	-5.8
CrackerB	.88	12	49.47	+.68	-9.7
CrosTim	2.80e	16	45.54	+.26	+14.2
DCP Mid	2.50f	...	41.74	+.44	+11.6
DTE	2.35	15	50.64	+.14	+11.7
Dataram h	...	...	1.55	+.04	-1.3
Dawson	...	...	36.17	+1.48	+13.4
DevonE	.68	9	81.55	+1.54	+3.9
DrSCBr rs	...	...	30.95	-1.47	-33.9
DrxFnBull	...	...	27.31	+1.11	-1.9
Disney	.40f	18	38.74	+.17	+5.9
DowChm	1.00f	20	37.17	+.71	+8.9
EOG Res	.64	...	103.55	+1.28	+13.3
EmpDist	...	17	19.53	+.17	-12.0
Energen	.54	16	59.00	+.98	+22.3
EngyTsfr	3.58	42	49.18	+.54	-5.1
EnPro	...	14	49.19	+.21	+18.4
EntPrPt	2.39f	38	43.40	+.34	+4.3
EricsnTel	.37e	...	14.80	+.53	+28.4
ExterranH	...	...	19.62	+.23	-18.1
ExxonMbl	1.88f	12	82.36	+.79	+12.6
FordM	...	7	14.12	+.16	-15.9
ForestOil	...	17	24.24	-3.83	-36.2
FMCG s	1.00e	11	55.49	+1.97	-7.6
FrozenPd	...	...	3.98	+.10	-9.8
GATX	1.16	24	38.85	+.38	+10.1
GabGloW	.80	...	8.09	+.04	-1.5
GAInv	.43e	...	28.79	+.43	+7.3
GenElec	.60f	17	19.30	+.25	+6.5
GenOn En	...	...	3.99	+.22	+4.7
Goltsmith	...	...	3.70	+.10	+52.7
Goodrich	1.16	23	96.14	+.41	+9.2
GlPlainEn	.63	14	21.24	+.17	+9.5
Hallibrtn	.36	23	54.30	+1.64	+33.6
Heinz	1.92f	18	53.94	+.02	+6.1
HewlettP	.48f	9	36.45	+.25	-13.4
Hitachi	...	...	60.41	-.06	+13.2
iShJapn	.17e	...	10.67	+.07	-2.2
iShSilver	...	...	35.50	+.40	+17.6
iShEMkts	.84e	...	48.48	+.66	+1.8
iS Eafe	1.68e	...	60.58	+.52	+4.1
iShR2K	.94e	...	85.65	+1.27	+9.5
IntegrysE	2.72	16	52.70	+.26	+8.6
Intel	.84f	11	23.23	+.48	+10.5
InterDig	.40	17	47.17	+1.52	+13.3
JPMorgCh	1.00	9	41.32	+.76	-2.6
JohnJn	2.28f	15	67.92	+.37	+9.8
KimbClk	2.80	15	66.71	+.30	+5.8
KindME	4.56f	45	73.66	+.26	+4.8
KindMM	4.56f	66	66.51	+.35	-.6
LVSands	...	55	45.30	+1.48	-1.4
LegacyRes	2.12f	...	29.96	+.36	+4.3
LewisG	...	...	2.62	+.10	+167.3
Lowes	.56f	17	23.99	+.73	-4.3
Lubys	...	...	5.86	+.17	-6.5
MGM Rsts	...	...	14.73	+.76	-.8
MarathnO s	1.00	7	33.10	+.29	+47.2
MassMCp s	1.20f	...	16.53	+.18	+8.2
McDnlds	2.44	18	86.06	+.20	+12.1
MelcoCrwn	...	...	13.47	-.22	+111.8
Merck	1.52	15	35.73	+.20	-.9
MeritMed s	...	46	18.73	-.42	+47.9
MexcoEn	...	...	8.98	+.33	+17.3
MicronT	...	13	7.82	+.26	-2.5
Microsoft	.64	7	26.77	+.44	-4.1
MorgStan	.20	12	23.00	+.27	-15.5
Nabors	...	53	24.92	+.31	+6.2
NatGrid	2.92e	...	49.85	-.08	+11.9
NOilVarco	.44	21	80.95	+.79	+20.4
NewsCpA	.15	16	17.43	-.04	+19.7
NokiaCp	.55e	...	6.46	+.21	-37.4
NvMAd	.99	...	14.37	+.18	+9.9
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ParkDrl	...	...	6.16	+.13	+34.8
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Pfizer	.80	19	20.23	-.55	+15.5
PioNtrl	.08	15	92.51	+1.23	+6.6
PlainsAA	3.88f	26	64.80	+.30	+3.2
PwShs QQQ	.42e	...	59.19	+.80	+8.7
Praxair	2.00	27	111.30	+1.86	+16.6
PrmEgy	...	...	23.91	...	+23.6
PrUSh&P	...	...	19.58	-.42	-17.6
ProctGam	2.10f	17	64.95	+.25	+1.0
RAM Engy	...	...	1.25	...	-32.1
RangeRs	.16	...	57.08	+.31	+26.9
RegionsFn	.04	...	6.17	+.15	-11.9
RschMotn	...	5	29.03	+1.31	-50.1
RiteAid	...	...	1.33	+.03	+50.6
Rowan	...	19	38.82	-.08	+11.2
RoyDShllA	3.36	19	73.16	+1.02	+9.6
SpdrDJIA	3.06e	...	127.10	+1.01	+9.9
S&P500ETF	2.44e	...	135.36	+1.39	+7.6
SabinR	3.90e	18	66.49	+.68	+11.7
SanderFm	.68	11	47.30	+.13	+20.8
SandRidge	...	...	11.19	+.34	+52.9
Sapient	...	43	15.55	-.45	+28.5
Schlmbrg	1.00	25	90.40	+1.29	+8.3
Schwab	.24	28	16.12	+.33	-5.8
SeagateT	.72	7	16.64	+.32	+10.7
SigmaAld	.72	23	75.81	+.97	+13.9
SiriusXM	...	...	2.22	+.06	+36.2
Smucker	1.76	19	77.08	+.78	+17.4
SprintNex	...	...	5.65	+.14	+33.6
SP Engy	1.06e	...	77.54	+1.15	-13.6
SPDR Fnci	.18e	...	15.66	+.25	-1.8
SP Inds	.67e	...	38.30	+.40	+9.8
SunocoLg	4.78f	9	86.67	+.17	+3.7
TawSemi	.52e	...	12.76	+.23	+1.8
Target	1.20f	13	51.67	+3.23	-14.1
TeleEsp s	1.98e	...	23.87	+.14	+4.6
Tesoro	...	14	24.48	+.38	+32.0
3M Co	2.20	17	97.97	+.73	+13.5
TrchmrkS	.44f	10	43.68	+.69	+9.7
TriContl	.29e	...	15.33	+.16	+11.4
TylerTech	...	37	27.36	+.23	+31.8
UBWV	1.20	15	24.80	+.14	-15.1
US NGs rs	...	...	10.49	-.17	-12.5
Vale SA	.90e	...	33.35	+.47	-3.5
ValeroE	.20	31	26.32	+1.02	+13.8
VerizonCm	1.95	22	37.42	-.12	+4.6
VulcanM	1.00	...	39.69	+.36	-10.5
Walgrn	.70	17	44.14	+.76	+13.3
WellsFargo	.48f	12	28.66	+.54	-7.5
WstnRefin	...	67	19.55	+.79	+64.8
WhitingPt s	...	35	59.54	+1.28	+1.6
WmsCos	.50	23	30.27	+.08	+22.5
XcelEngy	1.04f	15	24.65	+.04	+4.7
Xerox	.17	22	10.68	+.11	-7.3
Yahoo	...	19	15.81	+.09	-4.9

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52-Week High	52-Week Low	Name	Last	Chg	Net %Chg	YTD % Chg	52-wk % Chg
12,876.00	9,659.01	Dow Jones Industrials	12,719.49	+93.47	+.74	+9.86	+25.45
5,577.32	3,872.64	Dow Jones Transportation	5,618.25	+52.18	+.94	+10.02	+36.43
447.86	356.32	Dow Jones Utilities	436.80	+1.79	+.41	+8.35	+16.76
8,718.25	6,428.24	NYSE Composite	8,476.13	+79.65	+.95	+6.43	+25.46
2,490.51	1,789.54	Amex Index	2,411.73	+22.56	+.94	+9.21	+31.15
2,887.75	2,077.77	Nasdaq Composite	2,872.66	+38.64	+1.36	+8.28	+32.05
1,370.58	1,018.35	S&P 500	1,353.22	+14.00	+1.05	+7.80	+26.44
14,562.01	10,657.57	Wilshire 5000	14,399.28	+156.88	+1.10	+7.78	+28.53
868.57	587.66	Russell 2000	858.11	+12.88	+1.52	+9.50	+38.34

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TODAY Sunny high 104 low 75

SATURDAY Sunny high 101 low 73

SUNDAY Mostly sunny high 99 low 73

LOCAL FORECAST

Expect sunny skies today with a high around 104 and south winds between 5 and 10 mph. Tonight's forecast calls for partly cloudy conditions with a low around 75 and south winds between 5 and 10 mph.

Saturday, look for mostly sunny skies with a high around 101, a low around 73 and south winds around between 5 and 15 mph.

Sunday, the forecast calls for mostly sunny skies with a high around 99 and a low around 73.

The high on Thursday reached 101 while the low dropped to 76. The record high for July 7 is 108 set in 1994. The record low is 62 set in 1958.

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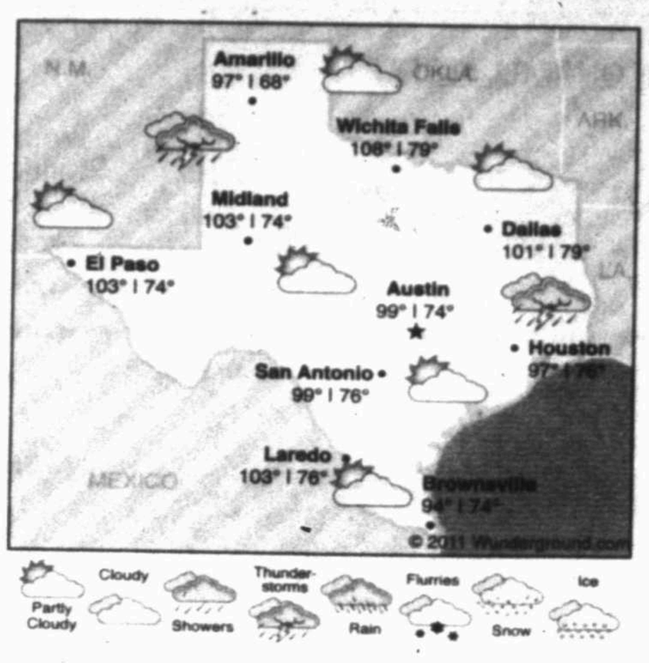
A stationary front will help form drenching showers and gusty thunderstorms from the lower Mississippi Valley to the southern Middle Atlantic states.

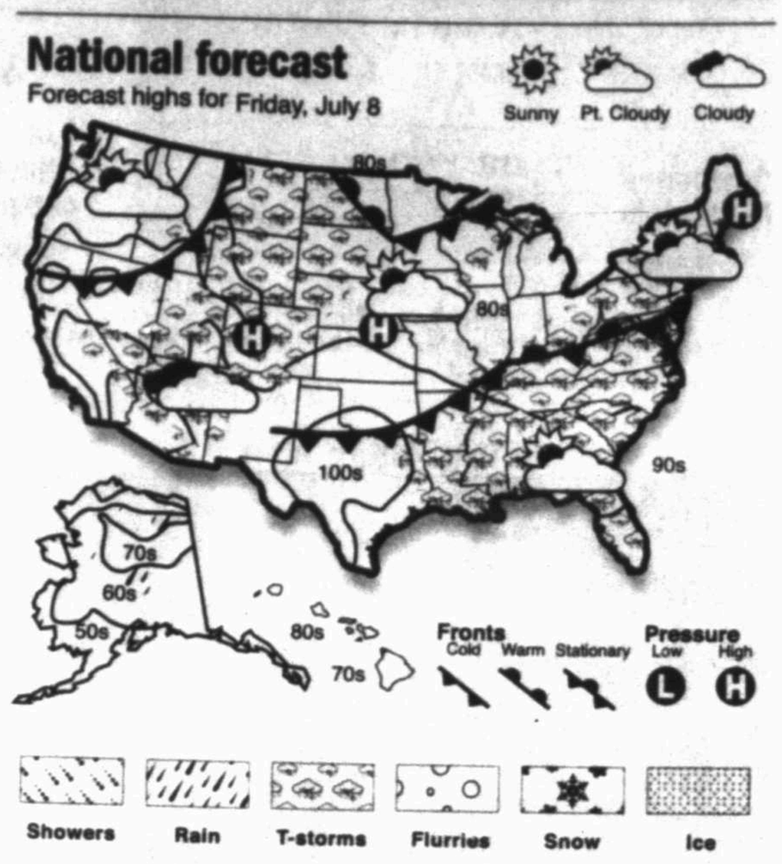
In the Southeast, showers and thunderstorms will be joined by a tropical disturbance from the Gulf of Mexico. This will add to the intensity of the activity, perhaps leading to localized flash flooding and damaging thunderstorms.

Little or no rain will fall in much of the middle of the nation due to a weak zone of high pressure.



Precipitation	
Rainfall Wednesday	0.00 in.
Rainfall Thursday	0.00 in.
Total for month	0.00 in.
Total for year	0.16 in.
Normal total (year to date)	6.18 in.

Thursday's temperatures	
High	101
Low	76
Normal high	94
Normal low	69
Sunrise	6:50 a.m.
Sunset	8:58 p.m.



Secretly remarried mom still collects alimony from dad

DEAR ABBY

Write Dear Abby at www.DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069. Her column is distributed by Universal Press Syndicate.

DEAR ABBY: My parents divorced 20 years ago. The court approved a mutual agreement that Dad would pay monthly alimony until Mom remarried or one of them died. He has never missed a payment.

I have recently discovered that Mom secretly married her live-in boyfriend 11 years ago, but has continued receiving the alimony without telling my father. Is she committing a crime for which she could be arrested? And is her husband guilty of any wrongdoing?

I am extremely upset over this and want to do something to correct this injustice. It isn't fair. What can I do? — FURIOUS IN THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST

DEAR FURIOUS: Marriage certificates are public records, so get a copy of your mother's and mail it to your father. He needs to stop paying the alimony, and he can sue her in family court for any money she wasn't entitled to. His next move should be to consult an attorney and decide how he wants to handle this.

DEAR ABBY: I apparently have a problem communicating with people. I have had conversations with colleagues, managers, friends — even my girlfriend — and have been told my words were too harsh and made them feel defeated. It's at the point where people are afraid before I even open my mouth.

I don't mean to be cruel. I just speak the truth as it comes to me and I don't sugarcoat things. Some folks appreciate my candor, but it's getting in the way of having decent relationships. How do I learn to communicate differently when I'm just being myself? The words flow naturally out of my mouth. Am I a jerk? — UNVARNISHED IN INGLEWOOD, CALIF.

DEAR UNVARNISHED: You may be grossly insensitive — or you may have a disorder of some kind. (Forgive my candor.)

Because you are having difficulty relating to others and it has become a handicap, you should discuss the problem with a psychologist who can help you to gain the tools for better communication.

DEAR ABBY: My wife has a friend who rides to work with her several times a week. My wife is helping "Libby" through a difficult financial time by taking her. The problem is, Libby wears very strong perfume and appears to bathe in it rather than use it sparingly.

The passenger seatbelt and shoulder harness in my wife's car have become saturated with this smell. I have reached the point that I don't want to ride in her car. My wife complains about it as well.

Would it be rude for my wife to ask Libby to cut back or eliminate the use of the perfume? I say we have that right, but my wife is afraid it wouldn't be polite. Please help. — HOLDING MY NOSE IN FLORIDA

DEAR HOLDING YOUR NOSE: Many people are allergic to perfumes, and others develop a sensitivity after frequent exposure. It would not be rude for her to tell Libby that the lingering scent of her perfume has made you uncomfortable — and that she should refrain from wearing it during the commute.

(She can apply it at work and ride home with someone else.)

P.S. The car may have to be professionally cleaned and detailed to get rid of (most) of the smell. You have my sympathy.

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With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

Find the Category

Neither vulnerable. North deals.

NORTH
♠ A J 6 3
♥ K 10 7 2
♦ A K
♣ K J 6

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

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

SOUTH
♠ K Q 8 4
♥ A J 9 4
♦ 8 5
♣ A 10 9

The bidding:

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
1♣	Pass	1♠	Pass
4♠	Pass	6♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Opening lead: Ten of ♦

As we enter the second half of the year, let's test to see whether we have helped you improve your game over the last six months. Cover up the East-West hands and decide how you, South, would play six hearts after the lead of the 10 of diamonds.

You have reached a heart slam on a simple power auction. After West leads the 10 of diamonds, did you make 11, 12 or all 13 tricks?

If you took 13 tricks, you are a good guesser! If you won only 11, let's hope you are luckier in the second half of the year. If you scored exactly 12 tricks, you either got only one finesse right or you are an excellent technician!

If hearts are 3-2, you can claim 12 tricks by refusing to take any finesse at all. Win the opening diamond lead and cash the ace and king of hearts. When both opponents follow, the slam is on ice even though the queen does not drop. Cash the remaining high diamond honor and the eliminate spades. It does not help the defender with the remaining trump to ruff, but that is of no importance. You are down to nothing but clubs and trumps in both your hand and dummy. Simply toss a defender in with the queen of hearts. That defender either must return a club, removing any guess in the suit, or give you a ruff-sluff, allowing you to ruff in one hand while discarding your club loser from the other. Simple, is it not?

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JACQUELINE BIGAR'S STARS

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

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Friday, July 8, 2011:

This year, you discover how much you value your home life and those who make your life comfortable. When push comes to shove, you often back off. You also can decide not to become involved or get into control games. Your creativity will become more and more dominant, helping you lasso in what you want. If you are single, you draw many potential suitors. Knowing what you want, you will need someone very special to create that type of bond with. Proceed accordingly. If you are attached, the two of you could become conflicted over an issue. How important is this issue in a total life? SCORPIO understands you.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★ You feel an innate pull between your boundaries and needs and what others are asking. As a result, you could feel a bit irritable. Look at an offer or an expense that would increase the quality of your life. Tonight: Be with someone you enjoy.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★ You can only do so much for someone, especially if this person refuses to be appreciative. By setting limits, you could antagonize this person, forcing a clearing of the air. A positive attitude goes far in remedying the situation. Tonight: Nap, then decide.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★★ Your creativity and high energy merge. You could be hard to stop, though a partner might throw a boomerang in your path. Just walk right over it. Your instincts speak to you regarding a gift or decision and money. Tonight: Start the weekend right.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★ You want to be home. If you can, make it so. You might be thinking about a difficult situation that surrounds your personal life. Someone you care about could be contrary. Look to the long term. Tonight: Nap, then decide.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★★ Your words don't fall on deaf ears. You might take a comment too personally. Understand what is happening around you. Consider tossing out a project that demands too much attention, for now. Tonight: Meet friends for munchies.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★ Be aware of the costs of proceeding in the present fashion. If you look, you might find that a whole other approach works better. Staying focused could be difficult right now. A late meeting launches your weekend. Tonight: Just don't go overboard immediately.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★ You know you are looking good. Even if various sectors of your life produce flak, you aren't perturbed. Still, do remember what is going on later. Make calls toward the end of the day. Tonight: A boss or respected pal might join you for munchies and dinner.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★ Know when it is best to do little with others. Dig into research or other solo work. You will enjoy the downtime. Refuse to get into an argument with an associate. It isn't worth it. Tonight: Nap, then decide.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★★ A meeting could be important for you socially. You will see a situation change, and quickly at that. Be willing to take a risk emotionally. If you are attached, don't forget those extra details that make someone feel cared about. Tonight: Where the fun is.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★ You can be more touchy than you realize. How you approach a situation could change substantially as result. Relax and touch base with someone you care about. Allow a boss to vent without taking it personally. Tonight: The fun starts late.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★★ Make a call to someone you trust. Listen to what is being said by someone you care about. You could be revising your opinions about key people in your life. Be willing to open up and share your thoughts. Tonight: Follow the music.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★ A partner shows a lot of interest in what you are doing. Caring abounds around a child or loved one. Your creativity soars beyond the norm. Say what you need to say in order to open up a door and move past an issue. Tonight: How about a cozy meal?

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BORN TODAY

Singer Steve Lawrence (1935), actress Anjelica Huston (1951), American industrialist John D. Rockefeller (1839)

DAILY CROSSWORD

Edited By Rich Norris and Joyce Nichols Lewis

ACROSS
1 Aptly, Chinese, e.g.
6 Aptly, Park Avenue area
10 Aptly, New Jersey beach phenomenon
14 Treinta + seis
15 Some Neruda works
16 Conscription category
17 "What else __?"
18 Tour de force
19 Terrible
20 Bona fide
21 Wall makeup, maybe
23 Intl. commerce group
24 Anger
26 Main vessel
28 '60s chic
29 Virgil contemporary
32 Earth, to 29-Across
33 29-Across's "__ amatoria"
34 Contradict
36 Pop-ups, perhaps
37 "Apt" geographical element needed to complete the answers to 10 of this puzzle's clues
40 Diamond stat
42 Assault
43 Spot in a poker game
46 Isn't far from reaching
48 Like some blog comments: Abbr.
49 Peruvian pronoun
50 "So soon?"
53 Kind of acid
55 Width measure
56 Relax
59 European wine area
60 "Shoot!"
62 Relative position
63 "... __ of Bread ..."
64 "... take arms against a sea ...": Hamlet
65 Prado display
66 Morels, e.g.
67 Aptly, Israeli-occupied territory
68 Aptly, Oval Office site
69 Aptly, Hollywood locale

DOWN
1 Aptly, about 5 percent of the Earth's surface
2 Latin agreement
3 Machine makeup, informally
4 Amtrak's bullet train
5 Word of impatience
6 Lax
7 Prefix with logical
8 Heads with lists
9 Big name in compacts
10 Eye-popper response
11 Succinctly
12 Bee drawers
13 Aptly, Pierre's state
21 Break off
22 Warmed the bench
25 "Crouching Tiger, Hidden Dragon" setting
27 Certain counter's unit?
30 Québec's Sept-__
31 Orders
35 Thames landmark
37 Urgent
38 It may be dramatic
39 Luxury hotel
40 Freshen one's familiarity with
41 '70s Robert Blake cop show
43 Public projection
44 "Are we in?"
45 Aptly, "Happy Talk" musical
46 Aptly, Pyongyang resident
47 Slump
51 Trendy headgear
52 Long
54 Foot bone
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58 Slant, as to a specific audience
61 Graveside sound
63 Popeye's behind?

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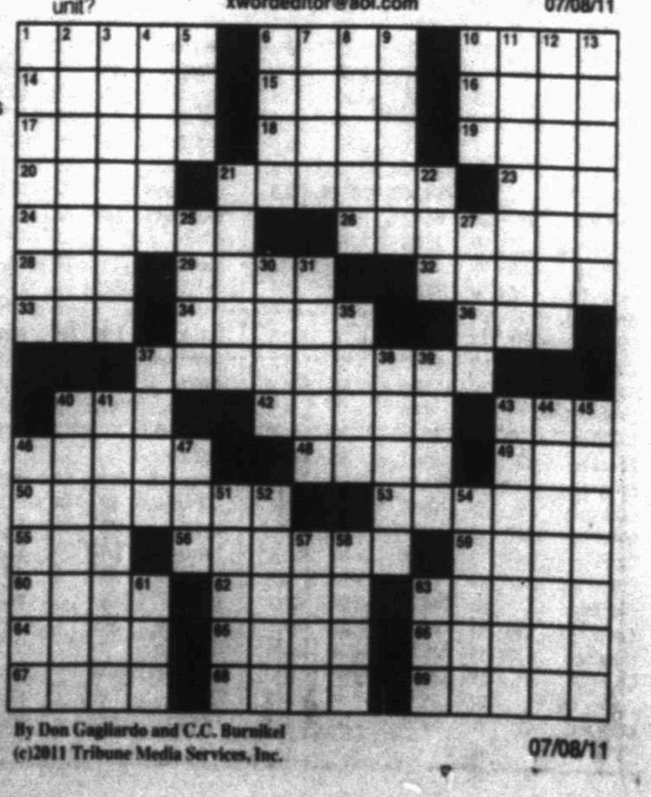

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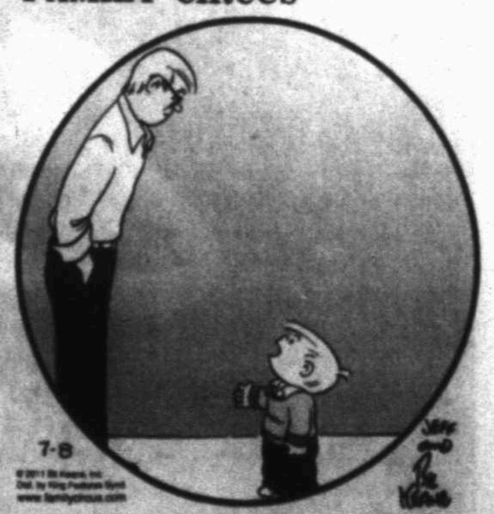

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FOUND FEMLE Pit Bull, red/white face on W. Dangar, Has collar. Call 654-4414.

FOUND MALE adult Chihuahua. Call to identify 432-557-1210.

FOUND SCHNAUZER in Golf Course Church of Christ area. Call to identify 817-964-2824.

LOST BLACK Border Collie mix, 1 year old male. Lost 7/3 on Big Spring. 432-557-3389.

LOST FEMALE Chihuahua, light tan & white, 10-12 lbs, 12 years old, answers to "Sugar". Lost McDonald & W. Kansas area. Call 432-631-1890

LOST SASSY, 5lbs black and brown female Chihuahua mix. Daughter heartbroken. Reward. 934-5789 or 697-4212.

LOST TAN Chihuahua, in Midland Park Mall area. No collar. Call 432-967-1533.

LOST WHITE male Maltese, shaved hair, had a sweater on, near Harvard St. Call 432-570-5005.

Legals/Public Notices

The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas will hold a public hearing at 10:36 a.m. on Tuesday, July 26, 2011 in the Council Chamber, City Hall, 300 North Loraine, on a request by Rodney Roberts for a zone change from NS, Neighborhood Service District to LR-1, Local Retail District on the following described property: On Lots 4 through 7, Block 16, and Lots 20 through 23, Block 17, Greathouse Addition, City and County of Midland, Texas.

Generally located on the north side of Briarwood Avenue and on both sides of Portico Way.

The meeting facility is accessible to disabled persons. A wheelchair entry ramp is located at the southeast entrance to City Hall. A parking space designated for use by disabled persons is available near the southeast entrance doors. Any disabled person needing special accommodations or hearing impaired persons wishing to have an interpreter should request services through the Administrative Services Department at least 48 hours prior to the scheduled meeting by contacting Beth Mosley, Compliance Coordinator for the City of Midland, at (432) 685-7250. If communication via TDD is required, please call 1-800-735-2989.

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The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas will hold a public hearing at 10:33 a.m. on Tuesday, July 26, 2011 in the Council Chamber, City Hall, 300 North Loraine, on a request by Mid-Cities Community Church for a zone change from AE, Agriculture Estates District to O-1, Office District on the following described property: On Lot 1, Block 1, Roper Addition, City and County of Midland, Texas.

Generally located at the southeast corner of the intersection of Briarwood Avenue and N. County Road 1250.

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The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas will hold a public hearing at 10:39 a.m. on Tuesday, July 26, 2011 in the Council Chamber, City Hall, 300 North Loraine, on a request by Don Hoffman for a zone change from FD, Future Development District to LI, Light Industrial District on the following described property: On a 7.81-acre tract of land out of Section 48, Block 41, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. Survey, Midland County, Texas.

Generally located on the west side of S. FM 1788, approximately 1 and 1/miles south of State Highway 191.

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The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas will hold a public hearing at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, July 26, 2011 in the Council Chamber, City Hall, 300 North Loraine, on a request by Texas Roadhouse for a zone change from PD, Planned District for a Shopping Center to an Amended Planned District on the following described property: On Lot 2E, Block 33, Correction Plat Northgate Addition, Section 21, City and County of Midland, Texas.

Generally located on the northeast corner of the intersection of W. Loop 250 North and Northcrest Drive.

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The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas will hold a public hearing at 10:42 a.m. on Tuesday, July 26, 2011 in the Council Chamber, City Hall, 300 North Loraine, on a request by Affordable Self Storage for a zone change from PD, Planned District for a Shopping Center to Amended Planned District on the following described property: On Lot 1B, Block 92, Permian Estates, Section 13, City and County of Midland, Texas.

Generally located on the east side of Thomason Drive, approximately 280 feet north of W. Wall Street.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT

Legado Permian, LLC, Opr. No. 495443, 10003 Woodloch Forest Dr. Ste 900, The Woodlands, TX 77380 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for permit to inject fluids into a porous formation productive of oil or gas. The applicant proposes to dispose of these fluids into the San Andres Formation in the Goldsmith-Landreth/San Andres/Ut Lease, Goldsmith Field, well numbers 85W & 86W. The proposed injection wells are located approximately 3 miles west from Goldsmith, Ector County, TX. The fluids will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 4079'-4500' & 4072'-4500', respectively.

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

Request for a public hearing from persons who can show that they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512-463-6792).

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MOTOR POLICY BOARD

Announcement of Informal Meeting:

Date: July 13,2011
Time: 1:30 p.m.
Located at: TxDOT- Odessa District Office
3901 E. Hwy 80
Odessa, Texas 79761

To receive a presentation from the Texas Department of Transportation regarding a possible change of designation from a MPO to a TMA. No formal action will be taken by the Policy Board during this meeting.

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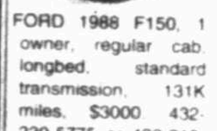

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A Midland company is looking for a waterflood lease operator to make positive contributions to our team. The successful candidate must have minimum of 3 years experience and be able to provide sufficient leadership and technical skills to operate waterflood assets near Goldsmith, TX. Duties include the independent operation and maintenance of rod and ESP pumped oil wells, production facilities, water injection wells, waterflood injection pumps, water supply systems and other related oilfield equipment. Daily production/injection volumes are reported electronically. A company vehicle, laptop computer, and cell phone will be furnished.

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HEALTHCARE

Clinic Nurse LVN-Addiction Treatment Center
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Monday-Friday, 5:15am-12pm weekdays & 6am-9:30am on Saturdays. Travel required between Midland & Odessa clinics. Assessments, TBs, dispense meds. Paid holidays, CEU days & personal days. Fax resume to : 800-671-8364

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Martin County Hospital District in Stanton, Texas with a Home Health Agency is seeking a dedicaed energetic, compassionate RN / Case Manager to work full time in a team-nursing enviroment. 8a-5p shift. Benefits included. Contact Terri Frame @ 607-3227 or tframe@martinch.org or apply in person at 610 N. St. Peter Street, Stanton, TX.

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Due to the need or additional Baccalaureate prepared nurses, the TTUHSC - School of Nursing at Odessa invites applications to expand the Traditional and Non-Traditional programs. Two full-time tenure and on-tenure track faculty positions and 2 full-time faculty associate positions are available. Master's degree in nursing is required for faculty positions and a Bachelor's degree in nursing is required for faculty associate positions. The salary for faculty ranges from $65,000 to $70,000 and is based on experience. The salary for faculty associates begins at $42,000. For additional information and to apply, log on to http://jobs.texastech.edu and refer to the following position requisition numbers

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Traditional & Non-Traditional Undergraduate Programs Faculty Associate/Retention Counselor	Requisition No. 83709
Traditional Undergraduate Faculty Associate	Requisition No. 83694

Contact Dr. Cynthia O'Neal at Cynthia.oneal@ttuhsc.edu for inquiries regarding the Traditional Undergraduate positions and Dr. Melinda Mitchell at Melinda.mitchell@ttuhsc.edu for inquiries regarding the Non-Traditional Undergraduate positions

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Home health agency seeking qualified candidate to case manage Monahans/Pecos area. Must be bilingual, have valid TX driver's license, and current nursing license. Company car provided, sign-on bonus, excellent pay and benefits (PTO, Medical, Dental, and Retirement) Interested parties contact Larry @ **432-218-7996** or email resume to **lharmon@hochomecare.com** or fax **432-699-4102**.

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HOSPITALITY & TRAVEL

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Immediate openings for Front Desk Clerk, Night Auditors, Housekeeping and Maintenance. Full-time and part-time positions available. Please apply in person at: 2500 Commerce Dr. 79703.

Assistant General Manager
Confidential — FT
Looking for enthusiastic, energetic, AGM for a very busy hotel. Please fax or email resume 432-699-0979 email loretta@insigniamgmt.com

Executive Housekeeper & Housekeeping Supervisor
Residence Inn — FT
The Residence Inn is seeking an experienced Executive Housekeeper and Housekeeping Supervisor. This person must lead the team and strive towards 100% guest satisfaction. Needs to be able to perform all Housekeeping functions including clean rooms along with inventories, hiring, training and developing Housekeeping Associates. Please send resume to beth.link@marriott.com or apply in person at 5509 Deauville Midland, TX

Front Desk
Midtown Hotel and Conference Center — FT
The Midtown Hotel is seeking a full time Front Desk Clerk, will train. No phone calls please. Apply in person at 3100 West Wall, Midland, TX 79701.

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La Quinta Inn — FT
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OTHER JOBS

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Provide for all needs of the children including constant supervision throughout the duration of the work schedule and provide quality care to children who have been abused, neglected or temporarily separated from their family due to a crisis situation. Minimum requirements are: High school diploma or GED, 25 or older, clear TB test, drug and driving check, good writing and communication skills, and the ability to work evenings and every other weekend or work as an awake night staff. Contact Shawna Bowerman at shawnab@highsky.org for information on this great opportunity.

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The Wine Rack is looking for a full time sales floor manager. Energetic, friendly, customer oriented salesperson with retail experience. Responsibilities include store operations, inventory management, merchandising and customer service. Please email resume to thewinerackmidland@gmail.com.

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Professional Carpet Systems FT
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Must have CDL. Must pass DOT Physical and drug exam
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We are currently hiring on demand Class A CDL drivers who have at least 2 years of experience (off-road and/or oil and gas industry experience a plus!) We offer health, dental, and vision insurance, paid vacation, paid time off and much more!

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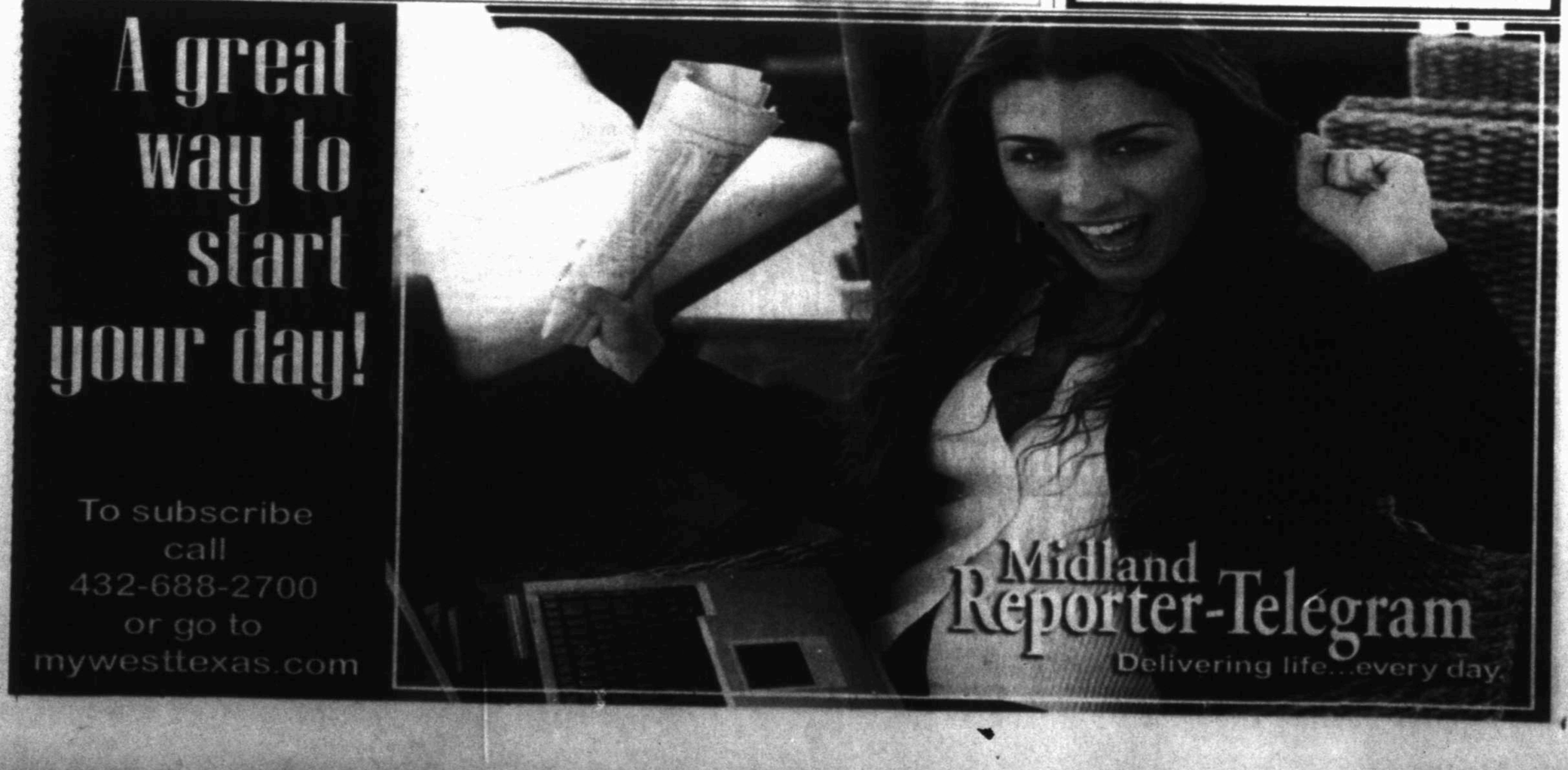

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Yard & Garage Sales

79701

1401 SOUTH COUNTY Rd 1128 Thurs & Fri 8:00am-3:00pm. Couch, side tables, filing cabinet, microwave & microwave table, desk, dresser, walker, cane, wheelchair, shower chair, lots of dishes, houseware, sheets, etc. Too much to list.

PPS CONSIGNMENT 925 W. Wadley. Upscale clothes, household items & some furniture. Clothes 1/2 off, other items 20% off. Upscale, not upscale prices. Thursday-Friday 10-6p.

1201 PRINCETON Ave, Friday & Saturday; 10am-3pm, High end women's and men's clothing, household items, appliances and miscellaneous furniture.

2311 HOLLOWAY, Saturday 8am-3pm. Gas stove and hot water heater, welding and cutting tools, TV, dishes, clothes, misc.

2423 WEST Indiana Ave., Friday and Saturday from 9am to 4pm. (across from the small engines) Scales, office machines, supplies, trolling motor, tools, chairs, tables, desk, lots of miscellanous.

2517 WEST Cuthbert. Friday from 7 to 2pm, Saturday from 7 to ? Huge Fundraiser Garage Sale, lots of furniture, clothing all sizes, kitchen, books, jewelry, framed art, lots of miscellaneous.

2802 PRINCETON, Saturday, 8am-12pm. Multi-Family Sale! LIKE NEW comforter sets, toys, full size bed (headboard, frame, mattress and springs), & home decor.

2803 W. Michigan Ave., Saturday, 7am-12pm. Furniture, Washer & Dryer, Men and Women's Clothing, Shoes, Guitar, Table & Chairs, Golf Clubs, Lamp, Door, Dish Sets, & much, much more! Priced to sell!

3100 . ROOSEVELT Ave. Starting early Friday morning. Clothes .25 cents and 90' olds.

3210 W. Louisiana, Saturday 7am-11am. Moving sale. Furniture, baby items and baby clothing, changing table, bedding.

3213 BAUMANN, Friday & Saturday, 8-2, no early sales. Furniture, kitchen accessories, baby clothes, toys, movies and lots more miscellaneous.

3224 SYCAMORE Ave, Saturday only, starts 8am-? Lawnmower, decorations, kitchen appliances, children & women's clothes, custom jewelry, miscellaneous items- very cheap. Everything goes!

603 W. Kansas, Thursday, 7-9pm, Friday 7-10am, Friday 7-9pm. Lots of clothes, lots of men 1XL, [illegible] clothes, womens XL clothes, some furniture and other odds and ends.

911 W. Kansas, side garage, Friday & Saturday, 8am-2pm. Furniture, games, books, lots of miscellaneous.

79703

304 MCDONALD Street, Saturday & Sunday, 8am-12pm. Thomas Kinkade canvas print painting, embroidery machine-still in the box, green suede hide-a-bed couch, over 500 DVD movies, baby formula, 2 infant car seats, both green, baby swing, baby bouncer, baby & toddler boys & girls clothing, & lots of other great stuff!

3408 SENTINEL Ave. Saturday Only 8am-5pm. 18-24 mo. boys clothing, playpen/carseat, and lots more

4504 ANNETTA, Saturday, 8-2, Lots of baby items, clothes, and toys.

4513 VERSAILLES, Friday, 8am-2pm. Lots of children's clothing/shoes, plus size women's clothing. Men's clothes as well.

4820 SHADY Ln, Saturday 8am to 3pm Getting ready to Move Sale. Ping pong table, rattan furniture, luggage, lamps, table, pressure washer, tools, and all kinds of great stuff.

5006 ANETTA Drive Saturday 8am-12pm Microwave, coffee maker, lots of baby items, etc.

Backyard sale! 4 families. Too much to list. Sat 7/9, 8am-2pm. 113 N. Glenwood.

79705

108 BLACKBERRY Ct. Friday & Saturday. Hunting items, exercise equipment, antiques, baby stuff, toys, decorator items, everything, including kitchen sink.

14 AUBURN Ct. Saturday, 7am-12pm Moving Sale!

1611 WINFIELD Fri. & Sat. 7am-? Mens and womens clothes, hunting truck, cherrywood office hutch, Mary Kay and lots of misc

1615 West Pine Ave. Friday and Saturday from 8am to 5pm. Patio furniture, teaching supplies, woman's, men's and boy's clothing and shoes, kids toys.

1801 DUKES Dr., Saturday. Household items, decor, rugs, pig collectibles, BBQ pit, breadmaker, stereos, Casio keyboard, Super Nintendo, games, tools, camping equipment, sailing wet suit, life vests, mx pants, child toys, clothing, shoes, jewelry, Avon, books, CDs & MUCH MORE!

2300 N. A St. Apt#801 in the backyard Friday, Saturday and Sunday 8am-4pm. Fridge, full size mattress & boxspring, clothes, and lots of misc.

2301 APPERSON, Saturday 8-3. Men, women, children's clothing, furniture, linens, alot of toys, electronics, BBQ grills, kitchen items, exercise equipment and many more.

2412 METZ Pl. Saturday 7am-11am. Desk, bar-b-que grill, clarinet, new hand made baby quilt, women clothing, kitchen items, lots of misc.

2602 N. N 6-7 Saturday only Multi-family sale Queen bed and mattress set, TV Armoire, dresser, cute clothes, [illegible] and chairs, vintage sofa and chairs, home stereo and speaker set, guitars, TV, bike, and tons of teaching materials, and much more!!!

2612 BOEING Dr. Garage sale Saturday 8am-2pm 2- 36" TV's, Boy's bikes, Boy's clothing sizes 5 to 12, men's clothing sizes L to X, Kids race car bed frame, kids toys, many other miscellaneous items.

3005 Meadowbrook Dr. Sat. 7am-1pm. Moving Sale Pool table, hockey table, slot machines, popcorn popper, refrigerator and much more. Call 230-9822

Yard & Garage Sales

79706

2812 FRONTIER (between Whitney & Ward), Friday & Saturday. Husband made me clean garage! Electronics (5 TVs, stereos, tuner, DVD, VCR), furniture (armoire, desk, executive desk, dresser w/hutch), Sports equipment (golfing, baseball, basketball goal, bike, football), books, stuffed animals galore, clothes, lamps, steamer, kitchen equipment, fabric, etc.

2825 CIMMARON Ave. Saturday 8am to1pm. Clothing, jewelry, TV's, video games, decor & much more.

3200 MARMON Dr., Saturday, 8am-1pm. Moving Sale Cheetah Recliner, Chair and Ottoman, Kitchen Aide Custom Stainless Steel Refrigerator, Freezer, Patio Furniture, Picnic Table, King Size Mattress Set, Desk and File Cabinet, Piano, Chest of Drawers, Area Rugs, TV Stands, clothes, shoes, toddler boy clothes and toys, tools, lawn mower, blower, trimmer, air compressor, too much to list.

3204 Cimmaron Thurs-Sat 8am-5pm Belt sander meg/mg welder table saw scroll saw lumber glass shelves too much to list.

3214 BOYD Ave. Saturday July 9. 7am-12 2 Family moving sale, furniture, appliances, clothes, much more.

4440 PALMER Dr. Friday and Saturday, 8:30-3:30. Clothing, furniture, kitchen items, miscellaneous.

4908 WHITMAN, Saturday, in the ally. 8am-1pm. Lots of kids clothes (boys & girls), women clothing, purses, shoes, etc. Kids toys, recliner, home decor, ceiling fans, fixtures and more.

6209 OJIBWA, Friday-Sunday. Pecans $10/lb-2010 Fall crop (being kept in deep freeze), dress up clothes, baseballs, small television, DVD player/recorder, Antonio Melani women's boot's size 9, Swarovski crystal rabbits, Fontanini nativity snow globe, western duster coat, dress suit, sports coats, black & white strapless formal size 10, 2 children's bicycles, ceiling fans, Tupperware, inspiration and idea books from The Angel Company, Veggie Tale VHS tapes, Christmas collector bears, assorted men's & women's clothing, baby carrying packs, center piece mirror, cigar boxes & other assorted treasures.

79707

★2902 WHITTLE Way, Huge backyard sale! Friday from 8-1pm and Saturday from 8-1pm. Don't want to miss, 3-family moving sale. Bedroom furniture, decor, entertainment center, dining table, lots of teaching material (Pre-K-4th), cottage house, lots of baby items, to much to list.

Misc. Sales

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Yard & Garage Sales

79707

3802 SHELL, Thursday, Friday, & Saturday, 8am-12pm. Lots of glassware, brass, candle holders, baskets, gift items, bows, exercise equipment, large candelabras, fish tank, conch shells, & other unique items. We are emptying our storage units. Pulling out more every day. You get the deals!

4201 DAWN Circle (behind Mall), Friday & Saturday, 8am-11am. Oak Dining Table, Coffee Table, Zebra Rug, Weight Bench, Eliptical Machine, Baker's Rack, Microwave, Toys, TVs, Punching Bag, Office Desk & Shelf/Filing Cabinet, Misc.

4306 Nelson Rd, SATURDAY from 7:30 to noon. Garage sale to include bridesmaids dresses, woman's and children's clothing, miscellanous baby items and TV's.

4503 TEAKWOOD Trace (Greentree), Friday & Saturday, 8-5 Gigantic Sale. Soloflex, punching bag, stationary bike, telescope, metal detactor, furniture, antiques, decoratives, kitchen, bedding, toys, clothes, jewelry, shoes, books, & more.

4906 WYLEA COVE Fri & Sat 7am-1pm. Garage sale, odds & ends. Lots of good things.

4907 SAN Antonio Ave, Saturday, 8am-1pm. Moving Sale!!! Stove top, range hood, day bed with mattress, recliner, bookcase, TV, clothing, & much more!

4969 Rustic Trail (Green Tree North), Saturday. Queen size bedroom suite, couch, chair, ottoman, books, and other items.

5008 KING RICHARDS Row, in the front. Sat. 8:00am-2:00pm. Men's, women's & children's clothing & shoes, children's books, home decor, jewelry, used drums, tools & artificial greenery.

5211 GREENTREE Blvd. Saturday 8am-5pm. No Early Sales! Huge Moving Sale! Furniture, home decor, household items, ladies and mens clothing, and lots of misc.

5403 RIO Grand. Friday & Saturday 8am-12pm. Electronics, some furniture, tools, some clothes, ect.

5600CROWLEY BLVD. Firday & Saturday 8-11 Black side-by-side frig, futon, boys painted bdrm furniture, girls painted desk, name brand purses, shoes, lots of name brand clothes, books, home decor, Pottery Barn, boys & UT bedding, toys, games, fisher price little people to sell as a set and so much more!!!

5701 LLANO Ct. Saturday. Baby items, clothes, bar stools, window dressings, 5.1 surround sound stereo receiver, speakers, VHS movies, car seat covers.

GIANT GARAGE Sale Saturday only @ 8 am. Lots of items to choose from all proceeds to benefit Shockers Baseball. Futon, dining room set with buffet, bedding, sports equipment, xbox games, nice girls and ladies clothes, lots of glassware and home decor. Too much to list! 5402 Drexel Ct in Grasslands; first culdesac north of HealthSouth.

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Motorcycles

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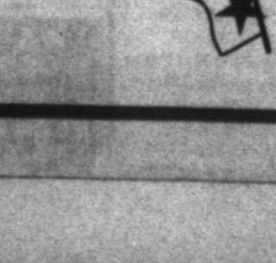

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