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Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- **STEVEN RANDEL OBRIEN**, 54, of 2606 Hunter Dr. was arrested on a warrant for theft of property (\$100 to \$750)/shoplifting.
- **PRINCESS MARIE TREVINO**, 28, of 1308 College Ave. was arrested on an outstanding warrant.
- **HEATHER ANN GUERRA**,

25, of 1425 E. Sixth St. Apt. #108 was arrested on an outstanding warrant.

- **JOHNATHON PAUL BUSTAMANTE**, 27, of 2515 Fairchild Dr. was arrested on an outstanding warrant.
- **JAMES CANTU**, 46, of 1211 Lloyd Ave. was arrested on an outstanding warrant.
- **THEFT** was reported in the 700 block of East Interstate 20,

the 600 block of North Benton Street, the 500 block of South Main Street in Coahoma, and the 500 block of East Third Street.

- **HARASSMENT** was reported in the 3600 block of West Highway 80.
- **BURGLARY OF A HABITATION** was reported in the 1800 block of South Johnson Street.

Sheriff

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following activity:

Note – Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 85 inmates at the time of this report.

- **JONATHAN BUSTAMANTE**, 27, was booked by BSPD on a motion to revoke probation for theft of property (\$50 to \$500).
- **JAMES CANTU**, 46, was booked by BSPD on a motion to revoke probation for driving

while intoxicated.

- **ORLANDO RAY CHAVERA**, 17, was booked by BSPD on a warrant for criminal mischief (\$100 to \$750).
- **HEATHER ANN GUERRA**, 25, was booked by BSPD on a warrant for forgery of a financial instrument.
- **BRANDON MICHAEL LARSON**, 20, was booked by BSPD on warrants for speeding and violation of promise to appear.
- **IVY LYNN LEDESMA**, 34,

was booked by BSPD on a charge of failure to identify/giving false or fictitious information.

- **STEVE RANDAL OBRIEN**, 54, was booked by BSPD on a warrant for theft of property (\$100 to \$750).
- **PRINCESS MARIE TREVINO**, 28, was booked by BSPD on warrants for parent contributing to non-attendance, theft of property (\$500 to \$1,000), and theft of property (\$2,500 to \$30,000).

Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1300 block of Mount Vernon. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1800 block of North Highway 87. One person was

transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported in the 300 block of Runnels. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 200 block of Fifth Street.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was report-

ed in the 300 block of Veteran's Boulevard. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1000 block of Bell. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **OUTSIDE RUBBISH FIRE** was reported in the 800 block of San Antonio.

Take Note

- The Eighth Annual West Texas Talent Search is seeking contestants to compete for up to \$5,000 in cash and prizes. The categories available are: Top musical act age 11 and younger; top musical act age 12 to 16; top musical act—adult; top dance act; and top musical act in the field of comedy, poetry, magic, or other. Today is the last day to sign up, and the final preliminary will be held at Odessa College at 2 p.m., July 23. Artists selected as semi-finalists will be given a chance to perform at both the Midland County Fair and the Permian Basin Fair. The talent search will conclude at Deaderick Hall at Odessa College on Sept. 24. The event is sponsored by the Odessa Council for the Arts and Humanities. For more information contact Executive Director Daniel R. Ryan at 432-978-7405. The application and rules are at www.westtexastalent.com

- The biennial Forsan Reunion is scheduled for the first weekend in August, 5-6. Festivities kick off with a dinner for former students, teachers, parents and spouses at Spanish Inn. Following the dinner, all participants are invited to an open house reception in the banquet room at La Quinta Inn at 7:30 p.m. On Saturday, Aug. 6, reunion day activities begin at 9 a.m. in the Forsan School Cafeteria. A continental breakfast is provided at 9 a.m. followed by introductions and an invocation. At 1 p.m., Al's Bar-B-Que will cater the lunch.

- Bailey Pittman is raising money to go on an 11 month mission trip to 11 countries. It's called the The World Race with the non-denominational ministry, Adventures in Missions. She and her teammates will be living in tents most of that 11 months while serving the needy and spreading the Gospel. Despite the primitive conditions she needs to raise at least \$17,000 to join her mission team. Would you consider helping Bailey? If you want to donate directly to Bailey or follow her journey, see her blog at www.baileypittman.theworldrace.org. Also, Dr. David Ward is collecting for Bailey. Checks should be made to "Adventures in Missions" and also put "Bailey Pitman" on the note section of your check. You can mail or drop it by Dr. Ward's office at 1500 Scurry St.

- A garage sale sponsoring Richard Olivas and his family will be held this Saturday from 8 a.m. to noon at 1602 Virginia. Olivas was recently in a motorcycle accident and suffered from many broken bones and a head injury. All proceeds from the sale will go towards his medical bills and other expenses. Cash donations will also be accepted on site.

• Seniors and mature adults are invited to a

dance on the first, third and fifth Friday of each month at the Dora Roberts Community Center. Dances are from 7:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. with live bands. No alcohol or smoking permitted. There will be a pot luck as well so bring a dish if you want to eat. Cost is \$8 per person.

- The Howard County Fair needs quilters for the annual Quilt Fundraiser. For more information call Suzanne Markwell at 214-256-1674

Meetings

- The Big Spring Symphony Board of Directors meets every first Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. at the symphony office, 808 Scurry Street.

- The Kiwanis Club of Big Spring meets at noon every Thursday in the Cactus Room at Howard College. Visitors are welcome.

- Order of the Eastern Star Big Spring Chapter 67 meets the third Tuesday of each month at 219 Main St. Dinner begins at 6:30 p.m. Lodge meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome. For more information, contact Jimmy Ruth at 271-2176.

- Staked Plains Masonic Lodge No. 598 meets the second Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. (dinner is at 6 p.m.) at 219 ½ Main St. All Masons are welcome.

- Membership to the Big Spring Native American Association is open to the public. People interested in Native American culture are encouraged to find out more about the organization by calling Richard "Indio" Lesser at 432-935-0125,

Volunteer opportunities

- The Scenic Mountain Medical Center volunteer program is in need of volunteers. A variety of opportunities are open for members of the community. For more information, call Anita Cline at 268-4721.

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Obituaries

Ozelle Miller

Ozelle B. Miller, 101, of Big Spring died Wednesday, July 13, 2016, in a local nursing home. Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle and Welch Funeral Home and Crematory.

Local 5-Day Forecast				
Fri 7/15	Sat 7/16	Sun 7/17	Mon 7/18	Tue 7/19
 99/72 Mainly sunny. High 99F. Winds SSE at 10 to 20 mph.	 98/71 Sunshine. Highs in the upper 90s and lows in the low 70s.	 98/72 Sunshine. Highs in the upper 90s and lows in the low 70s.	 96/72 Mainly sunny. Highs in the mid 90s and lows in the low 70s.	 96/72 Abundant sunshine. Highs in the mid 90s and lows in the low 70s.
Sunrise: 6:50 AM Sunset: 8:53 PM	Sunrise: 6:51 AM Sunset: 8:53 PM	Sunrise: 6:51 AM Sunset: 8:52 PM	Sunrise: 6:52 AM Sunset: 8:52 PM	Sunrise: 6:52 AM Sunset: 8:51 PM

Texas at a Glance



Area Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Abilene	102	76	Sunny	Kingsville	98	76	M Sunny
Amarillo	101	65	Sunny/Wind	Livingston	98	75	P Cloudy
Austin	101	77	P Cloudy	Longview	99	75	M Sunny
Beaumont	96	77	M Sunny	Lubbock	102	72	Sunny
Brownsville	96	78	P Cloudy	Lufkin	98	73	P Cloudy
Brownwood	102	73	Sunny	Midland	104	79	Sunny
Corpus Christi	92	78	P Cloudy	Raymondville	100	78	M Sunny
Corsicana	99	75	M Sunny	Rosenberg	97	77	P Cloudy
Dallas	101	76	Sunny	San Antonio	102	77	Cloudy
Del Rio	103	78	Sunny	San Marcos	101	75	P Cloudy
El Paso	108	77	Sunny	Sulphur Springs	98	76	Sunny
Fort Stockton	104	76	Sunny	Sweetwater	102	75	Sunny
Gainesville	99	75	Sunny	Tyler	98	75	P Cloudy
Greenville	98	75	Sunny	Weatherford	101	74	Sunny
Houston	98	78	P Cloudy	Wichita Falls	102	78	P Cloudy

National Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Atlanta	94	73	Sunny	Miami	91	80	P Cloudy
Boston	82	70	P Cloudy	Minneapolis	69	59	M Cloudy
Chicago	89	67	P Cloudy	New York	88	76	M Cloudy
Dallas	101	76	Sunny	Phoenix	113	86	Sunny
Denver	88	60	Sunny	San Francisco	65	52	M Sunny
Houston	98	78	P Cloudy	Seattle	76	55	Sunny
Los Angeles	82	64	M Sunny	Saint Louis	92	71	M Cloudy

Moon Phases

 First Jul 12	 Full Jul 19	 Last Jul 26	 New Aug 2
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UV Index

Fri 7/15	Sat 7/16	Sun 7/17	Mon 7/18	Tue 7/19
11	11	11	11	11
Extreme	Extreme	Extreme	Extreme	Extreme

The UV Index is measured on a 0 - 11 number scale, with a higher UV Index showing the need for greater skin protection.

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Support Groups

THURSDAY

- Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, open discussion noon to 1 p.m.; women's meeting; 6:30 until 7:30 p.m. Newcomers' meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

- Weight Watchers meets at 6 p.m. at St. Paul Lutheran Church. Weigh-in is at 5:30 p.m. Weigh-in is confidential and you don't have to talk if you don't want to. Flexible payment options.

- A Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder support group meeting is at 6:30 p.m. at the VA Medical Center Veteran's Healing Center.

FRIDAY

- AA open discussion meeting from noon until 1 p.m. at 605 Settles. Open Big Book study meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

SATURDAY

- Alcoholics Anonymous open discussion meeting, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. Open podium/speakers meeting 8 p.m. until 9 p.m. Open birthday night, no smoking meeting the last Saturday of each month at 8 p.m. Covered dish supper at 7 p.m.

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News in brief

How Castile told officer about gun key part of final moments

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — The final moments before Philando Castile was killed by a police officer during a traffic stop in suburban St. Paul revolved around a gun he was licensed to carry, trained to use safely and instructed to tell authorities about when stopped.

But just how he informed the officer — and whether the officer followed his own training — gets to the heart of the investigation into Castile’s death last week.

Castile, who was black, was fatally shot July 6 after he was pulled over by St. Anthony police officer Jeronimo Yanez, who is Latino. Castile’s girlfriend streamed the aftermath live on Facebook and said Castile was shot while reaching for his ID after telling the officer he had a gun permit and was armed. Yanez’s attorney has said the officer reacted after seeing a gun, and that one of the reasons he pulled Castile over was because he thought he looked like a “possible match” for an armed robbery suspect. Castile’s family says he was profiled because of his race. Now they’re preparing for a noon funeral Thursday at The Cathedral of Saint Paul, the cathedral said on its website.

A letter from the Hennepin County Sheriff’s Office confirms Castile, 32, got his permit last year. The letter, dated June 4, 2015, says Castile’s permit is enclosed. It also says that he must have his permit card and photo identification when carrying a pistol, and must display those items “upon lawful demand by a peace officer.”

Large number of GOP senators skipping Trump’s convention

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Steve Daines of Montana will be fly-fishing with his wife.

Sen. Jeff Flake of Arizona said he has to mow his lawn (yes, he has one even in Arizona).

Sen. Lisa Murkowski of Alaska will be traveling her state by bush plane.

And Sen. John McCain of Arizona will be visiting the Grand Canyon, and joked that his friend Sen. Lindsey Graham of South Carolina would be coming along and might even fall in (just kidding, an aide later clarified).

All are among the GOP senators who will be skipping next week’s convention in Cleveland where Donald Trump will claim the Republican Party presidential nomination.

More establishment than celebrity in Trump convention lineup

CLEVELAND (AP) — There are war heroes, a casino mogul and even an underwear model, yet Donald Trump is relying heavily on his party’s establishment to fill the speaking program for next week’s Republican National Convention.

The presumptive presidential nominee has approved a convention program that features at least 20 current or former elected officials, including Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell, House Speaker Paul Ryan and Texas Sen. Ted Cruz. Noticeably absent from a speaker list obtained by The Associated Press early Thursday are the athletes and A-List celebrities that Trump’s team long sug-

gested would help make his presidential nominating convention unlike any other.

Yet there is no shortage of political outsiders.

Speakers will include four of Trump’s children, Las Vegas casino owner Phil Ruffin, and actor and former underwear model Antonio Sabato Jr. And in a slap at Democratic contender Hillary Clinton, Mark Geist and John Tiegen will also take the stage, both survivors of the deadly 2012 attack on the American diplomatic consulate in Benghazi, Libya.

“This impressive lineup of veterans, political outsiders, faith leaders and those who know Donald Trump the best — his family and longtime friends — represent a cross-section of real people facing the same challenges as every American household,” said Trump spokesman Jason Miller.

Support sought for kids left behind by UN troops in Haiti

PORT SALUT, Haiti (AP) — The first time Rosa Mina Joseph met Julio Cesar Posse he was hanging out in civilian clothes on the beach in her hometown in southern Haiti, where he was stationed as a member of a U.N. peacekeeping force.

Within weeks, she says, the Uruguayan marine was showing up every weekend at her family’s shack, pledging his love in Spanish and broken Haitian Creole.

But about a year later when his rotation ended, Posse quietly returned home. He left behind Joseph, a broken-hearted 17-year-old with an infant and no way to support the child without depending on struggling relatives.

“He promised me he’d marry me and would take care of me,” Joseph, now 22, tearfully said in a recent interview at her mother’s house in Port Salut, a town along the southwestern tip of Haiti.

May filling more government posts; euroskeptics in key roles

LONDON (AP) — British Prime Minister Theresa May is filling more Cabinet posts Thursday as she assembles a government that includes prominent anti-EU figures in key international roles.

The best-known appointee is new Foreign Secretary Boris Johnson, a surprising choice to be Britain’s top diplomat. The former mayor of London was a leader of the “leave” campaign, and is internationally famous — but for rumpled eccentricity and distinctly undiplomatic gaffes, rather than statesmanlike behavior.

In April, Johnson suggested that U.S. President Barack Obama had an “ancestral dislike” of Britain because he is part-Kenyan.

Johnson said he was “very excited” to be part of the government. Asked whom he would apologize to first, he said “the United States of America will be at the front of the queue.”

Vigil held to mark 1-year anniversary of Sandra Bland death

CHICAGO (AP) — A candlelight vigil was held in Chicago’s Federal Plaza late Wednesday to mark the one-year anniversary of the death of Sandra Bland, a black woman who died in a Texas jail cell after a traffic stop.

Bland was pulled over by a Texas state trooper and taken to the Waller County jail in Hempstead, Texas. Three days later, she was found hanging from a jail cell partition. A plastic garbage bag was around her neck, and a medical examiner ruled her death a suicide.

Dashcam video of her arrest and the circumstances of her death provoked national outrage.

The vigil Wednesday evening was hosted by Women’s All Points Bulletin, which supports female victims of police violence, and Black Lives Matter Chicago.

It was attended by Bland’s mother, Geneva Reed Veal, and other family members.

Weeks after Pulse rampage, medical examiner faces his trauma

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — The flashback hit nearly three weeks after Joshua Stephany and his staff carried dozens of bodies in bags out of the Pulse nightclub in Orlando.

The Orange County chief medical examiner thought he was ready to return to normal life, to socialize, to have dinner in public for the first time since the June 12 rampage that left 49 victims and the shooter dead. But when he met his friends, the restaurant’s lights and sounds brought back images of the carnage at Pulse — traumatic scenes even for a man who constantly works around death.

“When you see people drinking at a bar, you get a flashback ... you know the scene where there’s drinks on the bar, a tip jar, there’s receipts, there’s hors d’oeuvres, food,” he said. “And then ... take all those people away.”

Stephany, 41, and his staff are still coming to terms with the work they did that night. Stephany walked into a nightclub where drinks were still on the bar, tabs unpaid. But the walls were pockmarked by bullet holes and the floor littered with bodies.

Leaked proposal: US offering Russia military pact in Syria

PARIS (AP) — The United States is offering Russia a new military pact against the Islamic State and al-Qaida in Syria, according to a leaked U.S. proposal.

If finalized, the arrangement could dramatically alter America’s role in the Arab country’s five-year civil war.

The document published by The Washington Post calls for joint bombing operations, a command-and-control headquarters and other synchronized efforts. U.S. and Russian officials with expertise in intelligence, targeting and air operations will “work together to defeat” the extremist groups, the eight-page paper states.

U.S. Secretary of State John Kerry, who was to discuss the proposal in Russia’s capital later Thursday, declined to comment.

“I’m going to Moscow, meeting with President (Vladimir) Putin tonight,” Kerry told reporters in Paris. “We’ll have plenty of time to talk about it and I’ll give you all a sense of where we are.”

GREASE

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history. The first one is located outside on the window of the CVB building. Also, the Heritage Museum has a small permanent display about the historic highway.

“Follow that Dream,” starring Elvis Presley, is the second featured film

of the summer which will be held Friday, Aug. 12, also on the lawn of the Hotel Settles.

For more information about Summers on the Green, contact Lewis at 432-263-8235.

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MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL

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Jose Mendez Cuelar, Jr., 57, died June 28, 2016. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. A fund has been set up at Myers & Smith Funeral Home to help with expenses.

HINKLE

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Hinkle. “I started walking, but it has definitely evolved now. The original goal was to walk about 20-25 miles a day, but when I have people walking with me, it is around 8-10 miles. I am finding that talking and having people walk with me is just as important as walking by myself and serving.”

Hinkle’s decision to travel cross county to Camp Pendleton, California, meeting veterans and servicemen and women along the way,

started with a conversation. According to Hinkle, it was a conversation with a fellow veteran that lit a fire under him.

“I sat down with R.V. Burgin out of Dallas,” said Hinkle. “He is a World War II veteran. We sat at a table and talked for hours. After our conversation, I knew what he did for me was something I had to share.”

Sergeant Hinkle served three tours spanning his Marine career from 2000-2004. Stationed at Camp Pendleton, the destination where Hinkle hopes to complete his journey, Hinkle’s

first deployment was security detail for the U.S.S. Cole, hours after it was bombed in the Gulf of Aiden. Post 9/11, Hinkle was part of Operation Anaconda, the mission that was the result of the terrorist attacks in September 2001. His last deployment was the initial invasion in Iraq.

“I always wanted to see what I fought for,” said Hinkle. “I wanted to share what I was given (by Burgin), and I wanted to help however I could.”

Hinkle reflected on the people he has met along the way who have changed his journey for

the better.

“I may not know these veterans at first, but we consider each other family,” said Hinkle. “It’s an immediate bond.”

Hinkle will be in the area until around Monday when he heads to Midland. He hopes to make it back to Camp Pindleton by November 10, the Marine Corps’ birthday. Until then, he will be walking, talking, and sharing his dedication to veterans across the country.

“I wake up everyday and it’s something different,” said Hinkle.

For more information about Hinkle’s journey, head to www.thehump.org.

ROADS

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drive.

The last road impacted, Klinksiek said, will be Country Road 21.

“What they’re showing here (on the TxDOT plans) is it’s going to be frontage roads and an interchange so you can get off at 87 and exit or enter at County Road 21,” he said. “There will be an overpass with some tie-in roads.”

With the southern portion due to open to traffic in the next few weeks, TxDOT is expecting to release the northern portion out to

bid by September with construction expected to begin late fall.

The northern portion is a 7.5 mile 4-lane project of mostly new constructed roadway with some existing road connecting Interstate 20 to north FM 700, according to TxDOT information. It will include four interchanges at the following roadways: I-20, State Highway 176, Country Road 21 and FM 700.

According to TxDOT estimates, truck traffic represents at least 30 percent of traffic along Gregg Street. The bypass is meant to allow trucks ability to travel at highway speeds around Big Spring’s main thor-

ough fair relieving traffic congestion along Gregg St. The plans still allow access to Greg St. from Highway 87.

Big Spring is located along the Ports to Plains route, a designated trade coordinator for the transportation of goods between Mexico to Canada. Trade along this route is expected to grow in the coming years.

Completion of the northern by-pass route is expected sometime in 2020.

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DIVIDED AMERICA:

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Above, this combination of images made Tuesday, June 14, 2016 shows various media outlets. Top row from left are The Rachel Maddow Show on MSNBC and the Townhall and Drudge Report websites. Middle row from left are the Talking Points Memo website, Keith Olbermann on Twitter and The Heritage Foundation website. Bottom row from left are The Huffington Post and Rush Limbaugh websites and Neil Cavuto on Fox News. (AP Photo) At right, this combination of photos shows Peggy Albrecht, left, in Westlake Village, Calif. and John Dearth in Carmel, Ind.

EDITOR’S NOTE — *This story is part of Divided America, AP’s ongoing exploration of the economic, social and political divisions in American society.*

By DAVID BAUDER

AP Television Writer

NEW YORK — Meet Peggy Albrecht and John Dearth. Albrecht is a free-lance writer and comedian from Los Angeles who loves Bernie Sanders. Dearth, a retiree from Carmel, Indiana, grew up a Democrat but flipped with Ronald Reagan. He’s a Trump guy.

They live in the same country, but as far as their news consumption goes, they might as well live on different planets.

Albrecht watches MSNBC’s Rachel Maddow each night. She scans left-leaning websites Daily Kos, Talking Points Memo and Down With Tyranny, where recent headlines described Donald Trump as “pathetic” and “temperamentally unfit” to be president. The liberal website Think Progress sends her email alerts.

Dearth is a fan of Fox Business Network anchors Neil Cavuto and Stuart Varney. He checks the Drudge Report, Town Hall and Heritage Foundation websites, where recent stories talked about Trump supporters being “terrorized” by demonstrators. Because of his search history, he’s bombarded with solicitations to donate to conservative causes.

In a simpler time, Albrecht and Dearth might have gathered at a common television hearth to watch Walter Cronkite deliver the evening news.

But the growth in partisan media over the past two decades has enabled Americans to retreat into tribes of like-minded people who get news filtered through particular world views. Fox News Channel and Talking Points Memo thrive, with audiences that rarely intersect. What’s big news in one world is ignored in another. Conspiracy theories sprout, anger abounds and the truth becomes ever

more elusive.

In this world of hundreds of channels and uncounted websites, of exquisitely targeted advertising and unbridled social media, it is easy to construct your own intellectual ghetto, however damaging that might be to the ideal of the free exchange of ideas.

“Right now the left plays to the left and the right plays to the right,” said Glenn Beck, the former Fox News host who started TheBlaze, a conservative network, in 2010. “That’s why we keep ratcheting up the heat. We’re throwing red meat. We’re in a room that is an echo chamber, and everybody’s cheering.”

Albrecht and Dearth don’t rely exclusively on partisan media. Albrecht starts her day with the Los Angeles Times, and Dearth occasionally flips to MSNBC to hear opposing viewpoints, particularly on “Morning Joe.” They do share mirrored misgivings about the major broadcast networks, newspapers and their related websites — the mainstream media — though Dearth thinks it’s too liberal and Albrecht considers it too conservative.

That’s the kind of thinking that inspired Roger Ailes to launch Fox News Channel in 1996. The former GOP operative mixed news during the day with a prime-time lineup that appealed to conservatives.

By 2002, Fox had raced past CNN to become the top-rated news network, beginning the golden age of partisan media.

There wasn’t anything to compare on the left, at least until summer 2006 when Keith Olbermann began a series of commentaries after being angered by a speech where Defense Secretary Donald Rumsfeld equated Iraq War opponents to pre-World War II appeasers. His show became home for disaffected liberals in the Bush administration’s final years. MSNBC hired Maddow and eventually made the entire network left-leaning, although low ratings forced it back to

news during the day.

Fueled by Fox’s primacy and opposition to the war in Iraq, liberals began finding their voice online in the early 2000s.

Writer Josh Marshall began blogging and reporting, developing the Talking Points Memo website. His work forced wider attention to issues like the firing of U.S. attorneys in the Bush administration, Republican voter suppression efforts and the fight against Social Security privatization. TPM has grown to 25 employees with offices in Washington and New York.

Others followed Marshall’s path. Conservatives took advantage of new media, too.

“I don’t think it’s as much a danger to democracy as people think it is,” Olbermann said. “When the business changes to being all conservative media or all liberal media — though I don’t know how that would happen — that’s when it becomes dangerous.”

Yet today’s political media get at least some of the blame for a hardening of attitudes. A generation ago, majorities in each political party described themselves as moderate. Now

62 percent of the Democratic primary electorate identify themselves as liberal, and 76 percent of Republicans say they’re conservative, according to ABC News exit polling.

Marty Baron, executive editor of The Washington Post, spoke with some distress this spring at the commencement of Temple University’s School of Media and Communication.

“Today we are not so much communicating as miscommunicating,” he said. “Or failing to communicate. Or choosing to communicate only with those who think as we do. Or communicating in a manner that is wholly detached from reality. Too often we look only for affirmation of our own ideas rather than opening ourselves to the ideas of others.”

That thought was on Beck’s mind when he had lunch a year ago with Arianna Huffington, founder of the left-leaning news site that bears her name. They talked about the need for an outlet where a conservative can talk about ideas to a liberal audience and vice versa.

But for now, nothing’s come of the idea.

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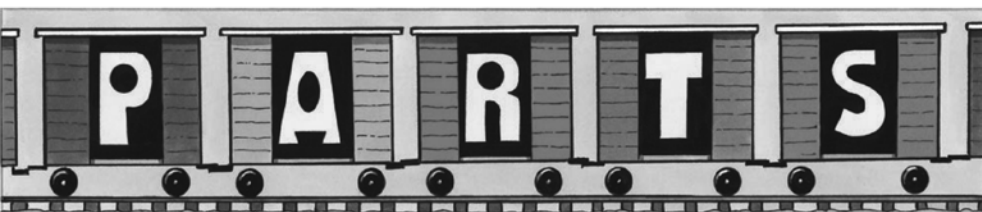
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Name That Part of Speech

There are several parts of speech in the English language. Fill in the blanks to name some of them.

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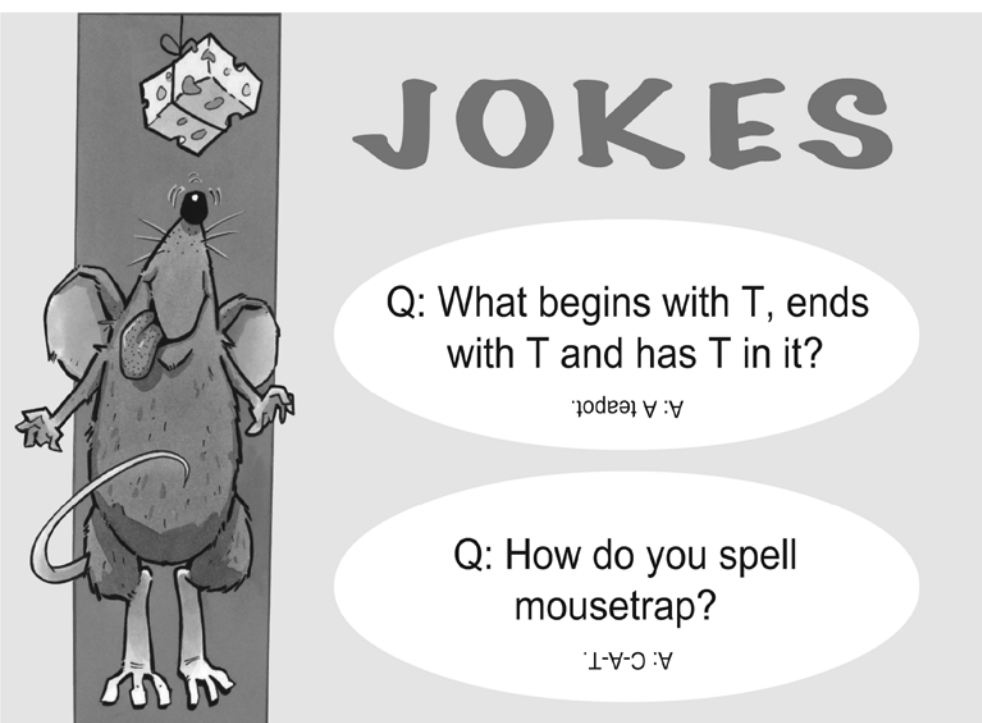
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5 P R _ _ _ N O _ _ _ N

6 P R _ _ _ P O S _ _ _ T I O N

7 C O _ _ _ J U N C _ _ _ I O N

Answers: (1) Noun, (2) Verb, (3) Adverb, (4) Adjective, (5) Pronoun, (6) Preposition, (7) Conjunction



What Rhymes with...

RULE



List 10 words that rhyme with "RULE."

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____

Some answers: cool, drool, fool, ghoul, mule, pool, school, stool, yule

Fact or Fiction?

Grammar Challenge



Grammar is the set of rules that determine how words should be used in a language. Here are some questions about English grammar. How many can you answer correctly?

- 1) All sentences start with a capital letter. **Fact or Fiction?**
- 2) All sentences end with a period. **Fact or Fiction?**
- 3) The pronoun "I" is always capitalized. **Fact or Fiction?**
- 4) A noun is a person, place or thing. **Fact or Fiction?**
- 5) Subjects are nouns. **Fact or Fiction?**
- 6) The article "an" comes before words that start with a consonant. **Fact or Fiction?**
- 7) Some words sound alike but are spelled differently. **Fact or Fiction?**
- 8) Words that sound alike but have different meanings and may be spelled differently are called homophones. **Fact or Fiction?**
- 9) Apostrophes show possession. **Fact or Fiction?**
- 10) Adverbs modify nouns. **Fact or Fiction?**

Answers: 1) Fact, 2) Fiction, some sentences end with a question mark or an exclamation mark, 3) Fact, 4) Fact, 5) Fact, 6) Fiction, "an" comes before words that start with a vowel, 7) Fact, 8) Fact, 9) Fact, 10) Fiction, adverbs modify verbs, adverbs or adjectives

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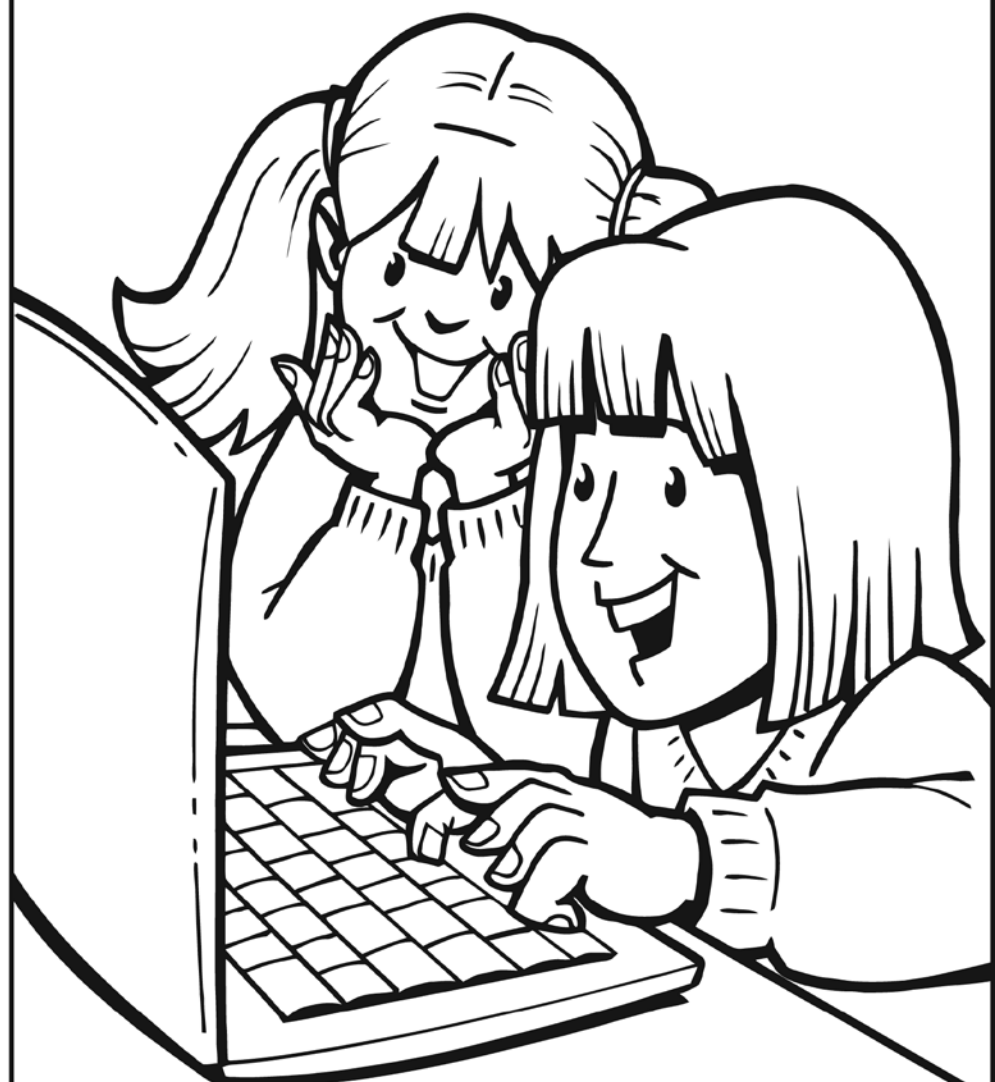
Think you're following the same rules of grammar that your grandparents or parents did? Think again. While you might have been taught some of the same rules, you might also be learning some new ones. That's because the English language is constantly changing.

Listen to your grandparents or parents chat. Now, listen to some teens chat. Hear a difference? Chances are you do. Computers, cell phones and technology in general have led younger people to speak and use the English language differently. While Grandma might have been taught never to start a sentence with the conjunction "but," you might have been taught differently.

The English language is constantly changing to reflect the times. Emailing and texting have resulted in new words and new uses for punctuation marks. The grammar rules you are learning now as a student may no longer apply when you are attempting to help your kids with their homework years down the road.



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Cowboys 1st team worth \$4 billion, according to Forbes

NEW YORK (AP) — The Dallas Cowboys are the first sports franchise worth \$4 billion, according to Forbes.

In its annual rankings, Forbes placed the Cowboys ahead of Real Madrid and Barcelona after the NFL team had a 25 percent increase in value.

Champions League winner Real dropped to the second spot at \$3.65 billion, followed by its archrival Barcelona at \$3.55 billion.

The rest of the top 10 has the New York Yankees (\$3.4 billion) in fourth place, followed by Manchester United (\$3.32 billion), the New England Patriots (\$3.2 billion), New York Knicks (\$3.0 billion), Washington Redskins (\$2.8 billion), New York Giants (\$2.8 billion), and tied for 10th, the Los Angeles Lakers and San Francisco 49ers (\$2.7 billion).



Courtesy photo

Tournament champs

The 12-year-old Titans from Big Spring took home the championship at the 12U Abilene Summer Slam baseball tournament last weekend.

The team played five games total, going 4-1, and winning the championship game 5-1. The tournament featured teams from all areas of Texas.

"The boys started slow,

but they managed to pull through the heat," Titans head coach Chris Martinez said. "They temperature was in the 100s, but they came together and ended up winning some rings."

The team has been together since they were seven years old, and Martinez was especially proud because his team beat the hometown Abilene team in the championship.

"It was good because we kind of went into their house and beat them there. It was nice getting one in the win column," Martinez said.

He added that the next tournament will be near the end of the month in either Austin or Hobbs, New Mexico.

See more related photos on page 12.

— Drew Williams

Rio's shuttered anti-doping lab awaits approval

RIO DE JANEIRO (AP) — The shuttered anti-doping laboratory for the Rio de Janeiro Olympics has been inspected by officials from the World Anti-Doping Agency, which will soon decide if the laboratory gets re-accredited, with the games opening in just over three weeks.

WADA said in an email to The Associated Press that it expects "a recommendation from the disciplinary committee in the coming days, and a decision by the chairman of WADA's executive committee next week."

The Brazilian sports ministry, which

oversees the Rio laboratory, on Wednesday confirmed the inspection. A spokesman said the ministry expected a decision even sooner, but gave no indication of when.

The anti-doping laboratory was suspended last month for "nonconformity with International Standard for Laboratories."

The suspension has been an embarrassment for local organizers and a major headache for the International Olympic Committee, which could be forced to send blood and urine samples abroad for testing if the lab remains closed.

The Rio Games face countless other problems: the Zika epidemic, soaring crime and security worries, slow ticket sales and severe water pollution in venues for sailing, rowing, canoeing, triathlon and distance swimming.

In an interview Wednesday, IOC President Thomas Bach said it would be better if the Rio lab were re-accredited, but added there were alternate plans.

"For us, for the IOC, it is clear we will give the samples to a laboratory only that guarantees the scope and integrity of the anti-doping program," Bach said.

SECOND HALF ON DECK: Playoff push, trade talk, healing stars

By BEN WALKER

AP Baseball Writer

David Ortiz is set to get booed at Yankee Stadium, Chris Sale is ready to resume striking out Kris Bryant and the Kansas City Royals are facing a rugged road back to the playoffs.

Now that the All-Star fun is finished, a look at what's on deck as Major League Baseball makes the turn and heads home toward October:

PENNANT PUSH: All eyes will be on Joe Maddon and his Cubs as they

chase their first World Series crown since 1908. They're in prime position so far — Jake Arrieta, Bryant and Co. hold the biggest lead at the break, up seven games over St. Louis in the NL Central.

The Cubs have never won a title while at Wrigley Field. All those past failures? "That's something we don't really discuss very often," Arrieta said.

Only one division race closer than five games: The AL East, with Bal-

timore up two on Boston and Toronto. Ortiz got a lot of love this week, but what Big Papi really wants is one more swing in the postseason. The Red Sox begin the second half Friday night in the steamy Bronx.

Quite a scramble is shaping up for wild-card spots — 18 teams are within five games of the slots. World Series MVP Salvador Perez, All-Star Game MVP Eric Hosmer and the defending

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Tony Gutierrez/Associated Press

Prince Fielder is one of the players Ben Walker says needs to "step it up."

Bach: Absence of top male golfers to be evaluated after Rio

LONDON (AP) — The absence of many of the top men from the Olympic golf tournament in Rio de Janeiro will be taken into account in evaluating the sport's future in the games, IOC President Thomas Bach said Wednesday.

Golf is making its first appearance in the Olympics for the first time since 1904, but 20 men — including the top four in the world rankings — have pulled out, many citing concerns over the Zika virus.

"We have to respect the individual decisions, even if they are going contrary to the recommendations given by the World Health Organization, if Zika is given as a reason," Bach said in a telephone interview

with The Associated Press and two other international news agencies.

Bach added that "very different reasons" not related to Zika have also been cited in golf circles for skipping the Olympics.

"We're also following with interest the discussions in the golf community, how they themselves are considering these discussions and what judgment they are making," he said.

Rory McIlroy, among those who have withdrawn from the games, said Monday that golf needs to get tougher in its drug-testing procedures if it "wants to be seen as a mainstream sport." He also said he may not even bother to



Jean-Christophe Bott/Keystone via AP

FILE — International Olympic Committee, IOC, President Thomas Bach of Germany, speaks during a press conference after an executive board meeting at the IOC headquarters in Switzerland.

watch the Olympic golf tournament on TV, saying he would probably stick to track and field, swimming and diving — "the stuff that matters."

Golf and rugby were approved by the IOC in 2013 for inclusion in the Rio Games and 2020 To-

kyo Olympics. The spate of withdrawals from Rio has put golf's long-term Olympic future in question.

The IOC will meet after the Rio Games to evaluate golf and all other sports and events on the program.

"One of the main categories of the evaluation is, of course, the question of participation of the best players," Bach said. "Let us wait then for this evaluation. Then, of course, we will

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Darvish set to return to Rangers rotation Saturday at Chicago

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — Yu Darvish is set to make his return to the Texas Rangers' rotation on Saturday.

The AL West leaders said Darvish threw a bullpen session Wednesday and is expected to be activated from the 15-day disabled list to start the second game of the team's weekend series at the Chicago Cubs.

Darvish has been on the disabled list since June 9 with shoulder discomfort.

The right-hander from Japan has made only three starts this season for the Rangers after missing all of the 2015 season because of Tommy John surgery.

After five rehab starts in May, Darvish made his season debut for Texas on May 28. He went 2-0 with a 2.87 ERA in three starts, but left his start against Houston on June 8 after only five innings. Darvish said after the game that tightness in his neck caused tightness in his shoulder.

Darvish cut short a bullpen session because of the same symptoms a few days later, and the Rangers skipped his next scheduled start before he was put on the 15-day DL. An MRI on his shoulder and neck showed no structural issues, and he has since made two more rehab starts for Double-A Frisco.

Reed leads at Troon

TROON, Scotland (AP) — On a gorgeous, sunny day along the Scottish coast, the Americans resumed their domination of Royal Troon.

Patrick Reed took advantage of the benign conditions Thursday to start the British Open with a 5-under 66, leaving him one stroke ahead of Justin Thomas and 49-year-old Steve Stricker.

Reed got his round going by holing out from 139 yards at the par-4 third hole for eagle. That sparked him to a 5-under 31 on the much easier outward nine, which generally plays downwind and

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND PRELIMINARY DECISION FOR TPDES PERMIT FOR INDUSTRIAL WASTEWATER AMENDMENT

TPDES PERMIT NO. WQ0001768000

APPLICATION AND PRELIMINARY DECISION.

Alon USA, LP, P.O. Box 1311, Big Spring, Texas 79721, which operates the Alon USA Big Spring Refinery, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for a major amendment of Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (TPDES) Permit No. WQ0001768000 to adjust the single grab effluent limitations at Outfall 101; add the discharge of domestic wastewater via Outfall 101; and add the discharge of infrequent miscellaneous sources via Outfall 001. The draft permit authorizes the discharge of previously monitored effluent (PME); treated process wastewater, contaminated stormwater, cooling tower and boiler blowdown, sour water stripper and desalter wastewater, softener backwash, off-site wastewater, domestic wastewater, and miscellaneous wastewaters at a daily average flow not to exceed 1.224 MGD via Outfall 101), non-process cooling tower blowdown, water treatment wastewater, stormwater, and infrequent miscellaneous sources on an intermittent and flow-variable basis via Outfall 001; PME (via Outfalls 101/003), non-process stormwater on an intermittent and flow-variable basis via Outfall 002; the utilization of PME (via Outfalls 101/003), non-process stormwater, and Interim Corrective Action (ICA) Recovered Groundwater on an intermittent and flow-variable basis via Outfall 103; and the routing through Outfall 003 of PME (via Outfall 101) to either oilfield waterflood oper-

ations or to Outfall 002. The TCEQ received this application on December 18, 2014.

The facility is located at 200 Refinery Road, adjacent to Interstate Highway 20 (IH 20), approximately 1/2 mile east of the intersection of IH 20 with Farm-to-Market Road 700, east of the City of Big Spring, in Howard County, Texas 79720. The effluent is discharged via internal Outfall 101 to either Outfall 001 prior to I-20 Lake (an asphalt-lined impoundment with a leak detection system that is not authorized to discharge and is not a water in the state) in the watershed of Beals Creek or to Outfall 003; via Outfall 003 to either Outfall 103 (for oilfield waterflood operations) or Outfall 002; and via Outfall 002 to either oilfield waterflood operations or via pipe directly to Red Draw Reservoir; thence to Red Draw; thence to Beals Creek; thence to Colorado River Below Lake J.B. Thomas in Segment No. 1412 of the Colorado River Basin. The unclassified receiving waters have minimal aquatic life use for Red Draw Reservoir and Red Draw, and limited aquatic life use for Beals Creek. The designated uses for Segment No. 1412 are high aquatic life use and primary contact recreation.

In accordance with Title 30 Texas Administrative Code Section 307.5 and the TCEQ implementation procedures (June 2010) for the Texas Surface Water Quality Standards, an antidegradation review of the receiving waters was performed. A Tier 1 antidegradation review has preliminarily determined that existing water quality uses will not be impaired by this permit action. Numerical and narrative criteria to protect existing uses will be maintained. This review has preliminarily determined that no water bodies with exceptional, high, or intermediate aquatic life uses are present within the stream reach assessed; therefore, no Tier 2 degradation determination is required. No significant degradation of water quality is expected in water bodies with exceptional, high, or intermediate aquatic life uses downstream, and existing uses will be maintained and protected. The preliminary determination can be reexamined and may be modified if new information is received.

The TCEQ Executive Director has completed the technical review of the application and prepared a draft permit. The draft permit, if approved, would establish the conditions under which the facility must operate. The Executive Director has made a preliminary decision that this permit, if issued, meets all statutory and regulatory requirements. The permit application, Executive Director's preliminary decision, and draft permit are available for viewing and copying at Howard County Library, 500 South Main Street, Big Spring, Texas. This link to an electronic map of the site or facility's general location is provided as a public courtesy and is not part of the application or notice. For the exact location, refer to the application. <http://www.tceq.texas.gov/assets/public/hb610/index.ht>

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PUBLIC COMMENT / PUBLIC MEETING. You may submit public comments or request a public meeting about this application. The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit written or oral comment or to ask questions about the application. Generally, the TCEQ will hold a public meeting if the Executive Director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application or if requested by a local legislator. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing.

OPPORTUNITY FOR A CONTESTED CASE HEARING. After the deadline for public comments, the Executive Director will consider the comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material, or significant public comments. **The response to comments, along with the Executive Director's decision on the application, will be mailed to everyone who submitted public comments or who requested to be on a mailing list for this application. If comments are received, the mailing will also provide instructions for requesting a contested case hearing or reconsideration of the Executive Director's decision.** A contested case hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in a state district court.

TO REQUEST A CONTESTED CASE HEARING, YOU MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS IN YOUR REQUEST: your name; address; phone number; applicant's name and permit number; the location and distance of your property/activities relative to the facility; a specific description of how you would be adversely affected by the facility in a way not common to the general public; and the statement "[I/we] request a contested case hearing." If the request for contested case hearing is filed on behalf of a group or association, the request must designate the group's representative for receiving future correspondence; identify an individual member of the group who would be adversely affected by the propose facility or activity; provide the information discussed above regarding the affected member's location and distance from the facility or activity; explain how and why the member would be affected; and explain how the interests the group seeks to protect are germane to the group's purpose.

Following the close of all applicable comment and request periods, the Executive Director will forward the application and any requests for reconsideration or for a contested case hearing to the TCEQ Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting. The Commission will only grant a contested case hearing on disputed issues of fact that are relevant and material to the Commission's de-



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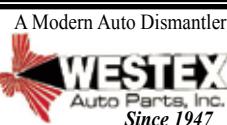
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The water-sign sun and moon angle favorably midday, bringing a soulful harmony after the recent excitement of fire-sign interaction. Why wait for a tragic reason to hold your loved ones close when it will feel so sweet just to love for love's own sake? If you're not so great at expressing affection, the transit of Mercury in Leo will help you out.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). One effective strategy will be to come in to the situation with big energy to make sure everyone knows you're on the scene, then adjust to what's happening, back it down, and go nice and slow to earn their trust.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Where are the other people (especially the ones you admire so much) getting their inspiration? This is what you're curious about, and finding out will open new avenues for

you.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). A one-sided deal isn't a deal at all; it's a proclamation. Deals include the agreement of multiple parties, hopefully equally committed to making something happen. So whom else do you need to include?

CANCER (June 22-July 22). As far as the other person is concerned, your choices define you. But your self-definition is also shaped by the things you wanted to do but thought better of and didn't.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). The exceptional work you did last week will lead to a new assignment this week. Keep this up and you'll have more jobs than you can handle alone. Luckily there are also capable helpers coming your way.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Nature can be stronger than man, although man is a force of nature, too. Don't think of yourself as nature's opponent. Align yourself with the elements and use them instead.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). No one will be giving

out awards for the cleanest house today. You might consider letting some of that domestic work go in favor of devoting yourself to a task that's closer to your heart.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Seeing something being made out of nothing is a thrill. What's even more exciting is making this happen yourself. And when you see the thrill in another person's eyes because of what you've done, it's even better.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). There's a restlessness stirring in you -- a reaction to recent changes in you and in your environment. So what do you need to do to feel the soothing embrace of calm?

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Something with which you're displeased becomes a topic of conversation. Much to your delight, you're not the one who brings it up. Yes, you have a partner in the grievance, and also in creating the solution.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). There's a way to make the external

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cision on the application. Further, the Commission will only grant a hearing on issues that were raised in timely filed comments that were not subsequently withdrawn.

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Tomorrow's Horoscope

conditions work for you, though that method may be temporarily disguised by the external conditions themselves. Take a breath and try and look past this. What are you missing?

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). Being positive doesn't always come easily to you, but it's your natural reflex to support those you love and be compassionate toward those who clearly need help. Your habit of thinking the best of people will serve you well today.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (July 14). You'll find yourself incredibly happy for no good reason this year. August will bring a shift in your professional realm and an exciting opportunity therein. November and January bring remarkably fast personal growth and the expansion of your influence, largely through the completion of a course or set of books. Aries and Leo adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 6, 12, 30, 27 and 9.

ASTROLOGICAL QUESTION: "Lately I've been getting into the magic of the tarot and the cards really seem to

speak to me. Which is the lucky omen card for Libra?"

The ancient Greeks did not recognize the stars of Libra as being a separate constellation. Instead, they viewed them as part of the scorpion's claws in the constellation Scorpio. It wasn't until Julius Caesar came along that the Romans singled out Libra as its own constellation, the Scales of Justice. The Justice card in tarot therefore represents Libra, and you can see the scales depicted in it. Both justice and Libra have to do with balance, fair play and writing. Think of the words "liberty" and "library" and even "limbo," that in-between place that's neither here nor there. There is another connection between Libra and Justice, and that is Libra's ruling planet, Venus. Traditionally, in addition to being associated with love, Venus also represents money and material pleasure. The card of Justice likewise connotes balancing one's checkbook and accounts, paying bills and taxes, and partnerships of all kinds,

including business deals. There is also Venus' reputation for aesthetics to be considered. Aesthetics is the study of beauty and things that are tasteful and pleasing to the eye -- and what is beauty if not a graceful balance of form and randomness?

CELEBRITY PROFILES: As Sue Sylvester, she was arguably the world's nastiest cheerleading coach. This year, Emmy-winning Jane Lynch will appear in several upcoming comedies, including the new Christopher Guest movie, "Mascots," about the competitive world of sports mascots. Her sun, Mercury and Venus in Cancer indicate the highly sensitive nature that many comedians share. Cancer crabs learn to protect themselves with the hard shell and pinchers of humor.

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Cheating Pig

Dear Annie: My friend has been dating the same guy for about a year, and I have always gotten along with him just fine. He has become my friend, too. I've always thought they seem so happy together, and it makes me glad to see my friend treated well by someone she cares about. Friendship is everything to me. That's why I'm struggling now. Another friend of mine, from a completely different circle of friends, was telling me about the guy she recently hooked up with. Well, lo and behold, he's already taken ... by my other friend. I'm really struggling with this information and feeling conflicted. First of all, I can't believe that this guy had me fooled while he's been fooling around with two of my friends. But I just don't know whom to confront first and how to get this pig out of my friends' lives! -- Fierce Friend

Dear Fierce: "Pig" is too kind a word. But I digress.

You need to talk to both of your friends. (Let's count it as some shred of a silver lining that the two of them aren't friends with each other.)

First, talk to the one whom he cheated with. Don't be accusatory. Start with "I'm sure you weren't aware of this, but..." Don't get into too many details with her. Keep the conversation short and sweet.

Then comes the hard

part. You need to tell your friend her boyfriend cheated. Do it soon -- like, now. The longer you put off news such as this the harder it is to share. Put forth your comfiest shoulder to cry on, and tell her, as gently as possible, that he cheated. It's not going to be fun. You'll be in for a long few weeks as a human sounding board. But in the end, your friend will move on.

As for that pig? He'll go to the way home.

Dear Annie: All of a sudden, I found myself being the only single one in my group of close girlfriends. I'm totally fine with being single right now; we are all second-year law school students and have a lot going on. I've just been focusing on school and myself since getting out of a four-year relationship last year. I'm just along for the ride!

My friends are at different stages in their relationships. Two are in semi-long-term relationships (one to three years). Two are in the puppy love phase. And one is just past the puppy love phase, aka the veil-is-lifted phase, aka we'll see how that goes.

We all hang out as a group often -- significant others included -- and I'm usually included on other plans. But other times, I feel totally ditched. One of my friends hangs all over her boyfriend when the three of us are out. And another has become

flaky and noncommittal about making plans for just the two of us. I'm all about their having fun and getting swept up in the whirlwind of romance; it's a great feeling. But flakiness is my biggest pet peeve. My feelings are starting to get hurt. Should I talk to them about this or just give them some space? -- Single Lady Law Student

Dear Single Lady: What's with the attitude? Your friends are in committed and loving relationships, and your overall reaction is "we'll see how that goes"? Perhaps you need to examine your

own pessimism toward relationships. If you're still holding on to the heartache of your breakup, keeping your defenses up, you're only hurting yourself.

As for your friends -- talk to them. These "smitten kittens" may not even realize they've left you by the wayside. If you approach them about it and they continue not to be mindful, take some space and mingle in different social circles. Things will normalize eventually. And if not, you'll always have Beyonce.

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			5				4	
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Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

A torturous experience

South dealer.
East-West vulnerable.
NORTH
♠ Q 6 5 3 2
♥ K 8
♦ K J 7 6
♣ A 8
WEST
♠ A K J 10
♥ 7 5 3
♦ 9 5 4 3
♣ 7 4
SOUTH
♠ 7 4
♥ A Q J 6
♦ 10 8
♣ K Q J 10 5
The bidding:
South West North East
1 ♣ Pass 1 ♠ Pass
1 NT Pass 3 NT
Opening lead — jack of spades.

Psychology plays a significant role at the bridge table, and many points can be won by subjecting an opponent to a guess when the winning course of action is not clear to him. One of the tricks of the trade is to prey upon his fears and try to convince him that he is subject to a danger that in fact does not exist.

Consider this exceptional case from a pairs tournament. South reached three notrump as shown, after which the defenders collabo-

rated perfectly to set the contract two tricks. Had declarer seen their cards, he would have made four notrump!

Dorothy Hayden Truscott, who passed away some years ago after a brilliant 40-year bridge career, decided to attack boldly by leading the jack of spades, even though North had bid the suit. Declarer could scarcely be blamed for ducking in dummy, since East might easily have had the singleton ace or king, or the A-K alone. In each of these cases, playing the queen could easily prove disastrous.

Mrs. Truscott then promptly continued with the ten, and again, with very good reason, declarer ducked. After the ten held, Mrs. Truscott cashed the A-K of spades as South reddened visibly. On the A-K, East (Ted Brashler) discarded the deuce of hearts and deuce of clubs.

With her partner having indicated a distaste for both hearts and clubs, Mrs. Truscott now shifted to a diamond, and Brashler scored his A-Q for down two.

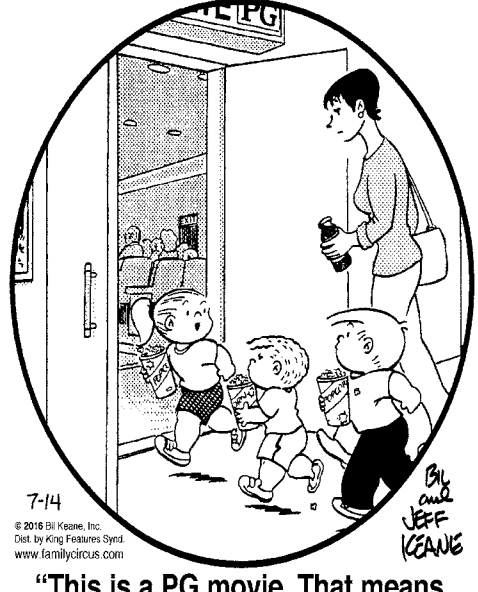
Obviously, declarer could have made the contract had he known how the spades were actually divided. Against more normal defense, he would have collected at least nine tricks. But the opposition put him to a severe test, and it's hard to blame him for going wrong.

Tomorrow: Bidding quiz.
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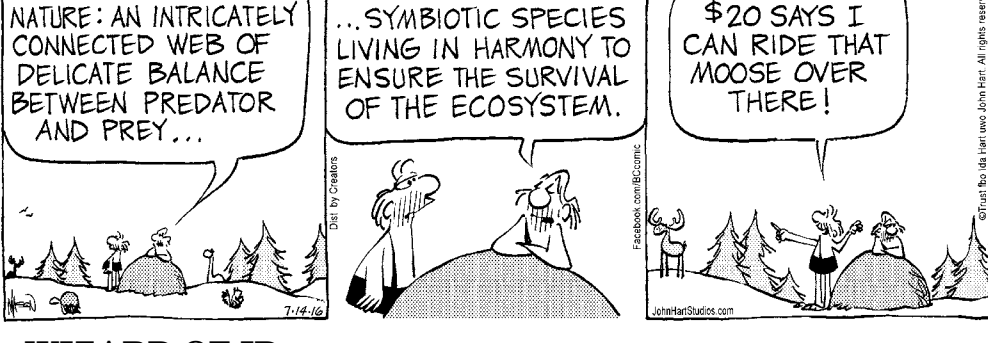
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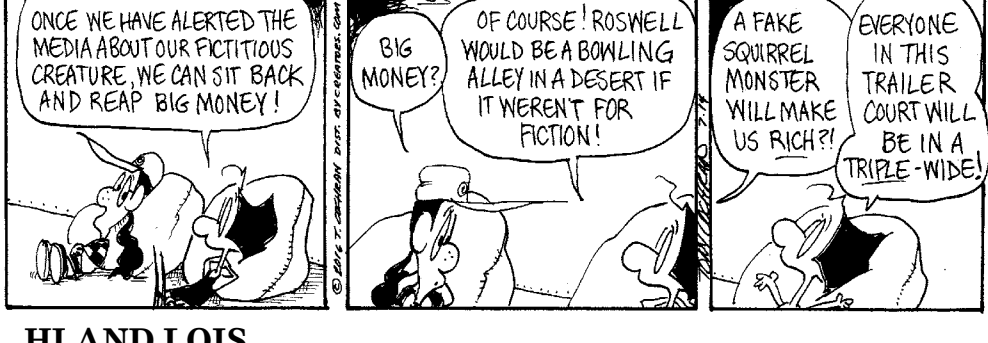
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This Date In History

Today is Thursday, July 14, the 196th day of 2016. There are 170 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On July 14, 1966, the city of Chicago awoke to the shocking news that eight student nurses had been brutally slain during the night in a South Side dormitory. The victims, ranging in age from 20 to 24, were Pamela Wilkening; Suzanne Farris; Mary Ann Jordan; Nina Jo Schmale; Valentina Pasion; Merlita Gargullo; Patricia Mausek; and Gloria Jean Davy. (One woman, Corazon Amurao, survived by hiding under a bed.) Drifter Richard Speck was convicted of the mass killing and condemned to death, but had his sentence reduced to life in prison, where he died in 1991.

On this date:

In 1789, in an event symbolizing the start of the French Revolution, citizens of Paris stormed the Bastille prison and released the seven prisoners inside.

In 1865, the Matterhorn, straddling Italy and Switzerland, was summited as a seven-member rope party led by British climber Edward

Whymper reached the peak. (Four members of the party fell to their deaths during their descent; Whymper and two guides survived.)

In 1881, outlaw William H. Bonney Jr., alias "Billy the Kid," was shot and killed by Sheriff Pat Garrett in Fort Sumner in present-day New Mexico.

In 1913, Gerald Rudolph Ford Jr., the 38th president of the United States, was born Leslie Lynch King Jr. in Omaha, Nebraska.

In 1921, Italian-born anarchists Nicola Sacco and Bartolomeo Vanzetti were convicted in Dedham, Massachusetts, of murdering a shoe company paymaster and his guard. (Sacco and Vanzetti were executed six years later.)

In 1933, all German political parties, except the Nazi Party, were outlawed. Cartoon character Popeye the Sailor made his movie debut in the Fleischer Studios animated short, "Popeye the Sailor."

In 1945, Italy formally declared war on Japan, its former Axis partner during World War II.

In 1958, the army of Iraq overthrew the monarchy.

In 1965, the American space probe Mariner 4 flew by Mars, sending back photographs of the red planet. United Nations Ambassador Adlai E. Stevenson II died in London at age 65.

In 1976, Jimmy Carter won the Democratic presidential nomination at the party's convention in New York.

In 1980, the Republican national convention opened in Detroit, where nominee-apparent Ronald Reagan told a welcoming rally he and his supporters were determined to "make America great again."

In 1999, race-based school busing in Boston came to an end after 25 years.

Ten years ago: Israel destroyed the home and office of Hezbollah's leader, Sheik Hassan Nasrallah (HAS'ahn NAS'ruh-lah), and tightened its seal on Lebanon, blasting its air and road links to the outside world. Spurred by Mideast fighting, oil prices rose to an intraday record \$78.40 a barrel. Actress Carrie Nye died in New York at age 69.

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Answer to previous puzzle

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Newsday Crossword

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ACROSS

- 1 Fuse, in a way
- 5 Olive __ (army uniforms)
- 10 Apple, for Apple
- 14 "Got it"
- 15 19-country cash
- 16 Cameo stone
- 17 Automatic alternative
- 19 Nights in Rodanthe star
- 20 Praline bit
- 21 Court figure
- 22 Is wearing
- 23 Aquanaut's workplace
- 25 Descriptor for some cells
- 27 Old __ (London theatre)
- 29 Unreal name
- 32 Do some stretching
- 37 Lorry fuel
- 39 Unceasingly
- 40 Preliminary piece
- 42 Retro sound system
- 43 Seed source
- 45 Either Odd Couple
- 68 Across
- 47 More thoughtful
- 48 NY engineering school
- 49 Finds players for
- 52 Take quickly
- 57 Longtime 60 Minutes reporter
- 60 Lea plea
- 62 Author Calvino
- 63 Consequently
- 64 Dolly, in Hello, Dolly!
- 66 Place, in legalese

DOWN

- 1 Thin strands
- 2 Name on TurboLash boxes
- 3 Nikon alternative
- 4 Adhesive ornament
- 5 __ Plaines, IL
- 6 Germany's Rhine-__ region
- 7 Pisces follower
- 8 Super, in showbiz
- 9 Retired jet: Abbr.
- 10 Slide-rule number
- 11 What change may consist of
- 12 Pita sandwich
- 13 Farm beasts
- 18 Varlet
- 22 In great shape
- 24 Some ecotourists
- 26 Tablet ancestors
- 28 Despicable person
- 30 Oratorio piece
- 31 Permissive
- 32 Arles article
- 33 Big name in lithography
- 34 Western rise
- 35 Diversify
- 36 Golfer's concern
- 38 Golfer's concern

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TROON

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was especially ripe for going low on this day.

On the return leg, playing tougher holes into the wind, it was all about survival.

Reed managed to shoot even par coming in and had no complaints. Asked to describe the difference between the two nines, he replied, “David vs. Goliath.”

After a week dominated by who is — and, more notably, isn’t — going to Rio next month for the first Olympic tournament in 112 years, it was finally time to put the focus on the sport’s oldest major championship.

As usual, the Americans were having their way at Royal Troon, where the last six winners going back to Arnold Palmer in 1962 have been from the U.S.

“I’ve heard that stat as well, but honestly with how competition is these days, it doesn’t really matter where you’re from or anything like

that,” Reed said. “You have to be on your game, you have to stick to your game plan. I think the main thing is to stay with my game plan because the odds of me going out and eagling 3 right out of the gates again, to go and hole out, it’s rare.”

Then again, the 25-year-old Reed certainly doesn’t lack for confidence. Two years ago, he raised plenty of eyebrows by declaring himself to be one of the top five players in the world. That same year, he seemed to thrive on the heckling he received during the Ryder Cup in Scotland.

But Reed has yet to live up to his boasting, leaving him clearly on the outside of a Fab Four that includes Jason Day, Dustin Johnson, Jordan Spieth and Rory McIlroy. They’ve won six of the last eight major championships and were nearly everyone’s favorites coming into the week.

“It doesn’t really matter to me. I’m not the one that’s writing the articles or doing anything,” Reed said. “At the end of the day all I can control is what I do and how I play the game. Honestly, for me, I don’t mind flying underneath the radar.”

MLB

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champion Royals are hovering at 45-43.

DEAL OR NO DEAL: Will Aroldis Chapman soon be closing somewhere else? Can Jonathan Lucroy catch on with a contender? How about Carlos Gonzalez? Could Drew Pomeranz or Jake Odorizzi be starting a new chapter?

Plenty to track before the Aug. 1 deadline to make trades without waivers. Last year, a lot of big names moved in the final week — Yoenis Cespedes, Johnny Cueto and Troy Tulowitzki, among them.

This year, several elite teams need bullpen help. The Yankees have two of the top targets in Chapman and Andrew Miller. A few more wins might quiet all the trade noise, Miller said.

“We can shut down those rumors, and I

think that’s the goal. That’s what need to do. That’s what we should do,” the lefty said.

HEAL OR NO HEAL: Clayton Kershaw, Zack Greinke and Craig Kimbrel come out of the break on the disabled list, as do Felix Hernandez, Michael Brantley and several Texas pitchers.

How fast the likes of Jordan Zimmermann, Wade Davis, Matt Carpenter and others can effectively come back might determine how far their teams go.

The defending NL champion Mets had already lost captain David Wright and former ace Matt Harvey for the season and power-hitting Lucas Duda for a long time when slugger

Yoenis Cespedes and hard-throwing Noah Syndergaard recently got hurt in the same game.

“I don’t want it to sound like woe is me,” Mets manager Terry Collins said, “but woe is us.”

STEP IT UP!: Andrew McCutchen, Prince Fielder and Giancarlo Stanton are among several stars who slumped through the first half. Jose Bautista, Jason Heyward and Dallas Keuchel also have been shaky.

All over the majors, All-Stars who haven’t performed that way get 2½ months to return to form.

A big second half by Justin Upton could propel Detroit in the play-

off chase, same for Yordano Ventura in KC and Adam Wainwright in St. Louis.

FLY, BALL, FLY: Giancarlo Stanton is done putting dents in the Western Metal Supply Co. building at Petco Park. Time now for mere mortals to swing away.

Home runs are at a point that rivals the peak of the Steroids Era, but Commissioner Rob Manfred isn’t worried that PEDs are juicing performances.

The increase “takes place against the backdrop where Major League Baseball does 22,000 drug tests a year,” he said.

The ball tends to travel when temperatures heat up — former Phil-

lies manager Charlie Manuel used to call this “hittin’ season.”

“It always goes back and forth, and you never know when it’s going to kind of take the swing the other way,” Orioles catcher Matt Wieters said.

DATES TO WATCH: Coming up, Ken Griffey Jr. (in a Mariners cap, not a backward lid) and Mike Piazza (Mets hat) step to the Cooperstown

podium for their Hall of Fame induction speeches on July 24.

Later, the Atlanta Braves play for the last time at 20-year-old Turner Field (Oct. 2 vs. Detroit) before moving to a suburban ballpark.

Also in range: Ichiro Suzuki needs 10 hits to reach 3,000 in the majors and Alex Rodriguez is five home runs shy of No. 700.

GOLF

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also speak with the International Golf Federation once this is available.”

By evaluating events within each sport, the IOC could look separately at the men’s and women’s tournaments. As it has been almost exclusively male players who have been withdrawing from Rio, the IOC could potentially consider whether to drop the men’s event and keep the women’s tournament for Tokyo.

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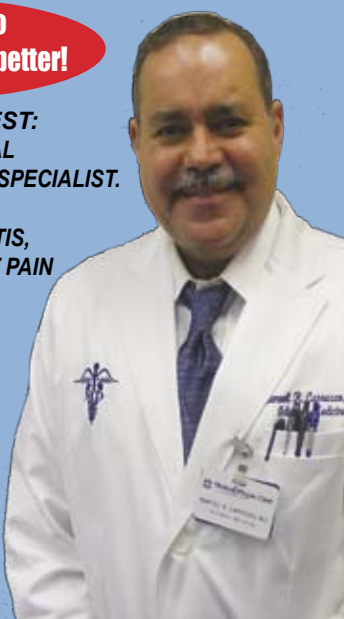
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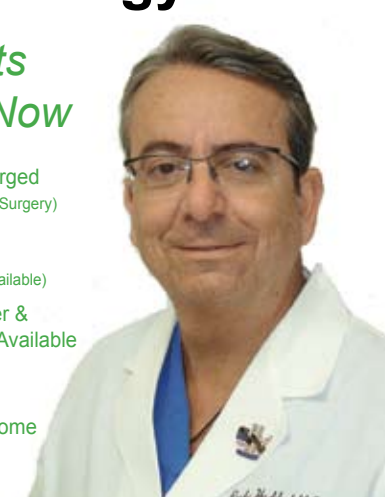
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