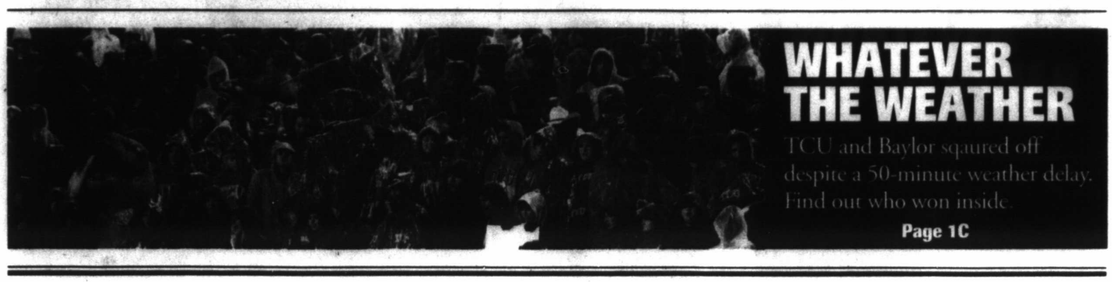
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WHATEVER THE WEATHER

TCU and Baylor squared off despite a 50-minute weather delay. Find out who won inside.

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Black Friday different than in previous years

Long Black Friday weekend has lost its ability to predict shopping season

By Maria Halkias
The Dallas Morning News

Big holiday discounts started the day after Halloween. But one thing never changes: This long weekend is a race to your wallet, both online and in stores.

A lot of shopping will happen over the next five days — from Thanksgiving Day through Cyber Monday — and the pace will kick up again on the last weekend before Christmas, when shoppers deliver another batch of super big days for retailers.

Black Friday is still the biggest shopping day of the season, but it has more competition. And the long weekend has totally lost its ability to predict the season for an industry that lives and dies with the fourth quarter.

Coming Sunday

Midland remains calm during Black Friday.

"During the Great Recession, some Black Fridays were barn burners, when many Americans had no choice but to try and save a buck. But that pace of spending didn't carry over, and the entire seasons fizzled.

Last year, nationwide consumer spending fell 11 percent to $50.9 billion during Thanksgiving weekend, and store traffic over the four days was down 5.2 percent, the National Retail Federation said. But for the entire season, sales were up 4.1 percent. This year, the federation forecasts that holiday sales will be up 3.7 percent to $630.5 billion.

This year, sales are earlier, which may be a good sign for retailers.

Sunday circulars way back on Nov. 1 were dead ringers for the real thing. Nebraska Furniture Mart said "Black Friday Starts Now!" Kohl's had an expanded insert labeled "Doorbusters." Target's 80-page book was devoted to toys and was bigger than the 48-page slick circular from Toys R Us.

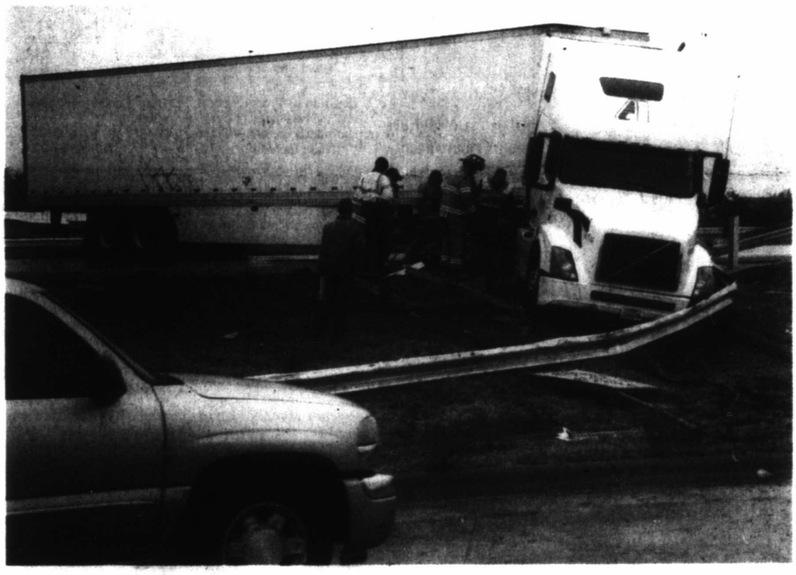
Parents aren't stupid. Why not buy that Star Wars electronic light saber for $14.99 from Target when it's in stock? Dads are nostalgic for it and know their kids will want it, too.

As consumers start shopping earlier, it lessens the impact of Black Friday weekend, said Pam Goodfellow, analyst at Prosper Insights & Analytics, the firm that surveys shoppers for the industry's federation.

As of Nov. 10, about 57 percent of

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Stay safe out there



The eastbound lanes at Loop 250 and "A" Street are blocked off as a tractor-trailer jack-knifed Friday and left a mess for law enforcement and public safety officials to clean up. The accident took place at 10 a.m. Law enforcement officials said the driver of the vehicle was traveling at an unsafe speed for the conditions of the road and hydroplaned. Nearly two hours later, Texas Department of Transportation workers were still trying to get a mangled guard rail from underneath the truck. The driver did not suffer injuries, and there was no other damage. The National Weather Service reports about half an inch fell at Midland International Air & Space Port on Thursday through Friday morning.

Photo by Tim Fischer | Reporter-Telegram

Rainfall tops 20 inches in Midland this year

From staff reports

This weekend's string of showers has lifted the annual rain total at Midland International Air & Space Port by more than 20 inches.

The National Weather Service reported 0.50 inches has fallen at Midland International since Friday morning, which lifts the annual rainfall total (as of noon Friday) to 20.65 inches. This is the 14th recorded time that 20 inches or more have fallen at Midland International.

The year 2015 will go down as one of the wettest in Midland's history. Now, the only question will be how wet. Average yearly precipitation in Midland is 14.6 inches. With showers in the forecast through Sunday — including a 60 percent chance today and 80 percent chance tonight Saturday — climbing into the top 10 wettest years seems likely. The 10th most precipitation recorded at Midland International is 20.54 inches in 1961.

More inside

At least three people have died in fast-moving floodwaters in Texas as freezing rain and flooding pummeled the state and other parts of the central U.S. on Friday, with forecasters warning that the chilling weather would worsen over the holiday weekend.

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Wettest recorded years in Midland history

1.	1986	32.13 inches
2.	1941	30.33 inches
3.	1932	27.42 inches
4.	1991	23.46 inches
5.	1975	23.24 inches

Midland County closes early week with 36 rigs

By Trevor Hawes
thawes@mrt.com

Midland County ended the week with 36 rigs after one rig was idled, according to Baker Hughes' weekly rotary rig count report released Wednesday. The report was released early because of the Thanksgiving holiday.

Coming Sunday

Presidential candidates differ sharply on energy

The number of rigs exploring for oil and natural gas in the Permian Basin fell four, lowering its count to 221.

For rigs operating in areas of the Permian Basin, Districts 7B and 8A were unchanged at one rig and 18 rigs, respectively; District 8 had 138 rigs, down four; District 7B had 26 rigs, down two; and New Mexico had 38 rigs, up two. The Texas count was 183, down six.

There were 566 rigs in the Permian Basin at this time last year.

Texas and New Mexico

Six rigs were idled in Texas, leaving 836 statewide.

There were 73 rigs in the Eagle Ford, down two; 28 in the Haynesville, unchanged; 12 in the Granite Wash, down one; and seven in the Barnett, down one.

New Mexico's statewide count was 40, up two.

At this time last year, there were 901 rigs in Texas and 99 in New Mexico.

United States

The number of rigs nationwide fell 13 this week after nine oil rigs and four natural gas rigs were idled. There were 555 oil rigs and 189 natural gas rigs in the U.S.

By location, there were 713 rigs on land, down 12; one rig in inland waters, down one; and 30 rigs offshore, unchanged. All offshore rigs were in the Gulf of Mexico.

By drilling trajectory, there were 109 vertical rigs, up two; 569 horizontal rigs, down 12; and 66 directional rigs, down three.

The U.S. had 1,917 rigs a year ago this week.

Top 5s

The top five counties by rig count in

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WTB Posted	$35.35	▼ $1.25
Natural Gas	$2.212	▲ $0.005
Gasoline	$1.554	▼ $0.021

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In a shooting at a Planned Parenthood in Colorado. Page 4A

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Obituaries



Alyssa Danielle Hudgins

Alyssa Danielle Hudgins, 23, of Midland, passed away on Saturday, November 21, 2015. Funeral services were held Friday, November 27, 2015 at 1:00 pm at Mid-Cities Community Church. Interment followed at Resthaven Memorial Park Cemetery.

Alyssa was born on March 30, 1992 in San Angelo, TX. She was adopted at an early age by her parents Ardis and Jean Hayslip, and they resided in Midland, TX. Alyssa went to school at Midland Christian from kindergarten all the way through high school and graduated in 2010. It was there that she met her Prince Charming, Tyler Hudgins, and they married July 30, 2011.

Alyssa lived a beautiful life. She loved Jesus with everything within her and she loved using every gift and talent that God gave her to His glory. Some of her gifts and talents include art, photography, Essential Oils, yoga, athletics, and cheerleading. She loved Jesus, singing, laughing, watching Disney movies, and traveling to Black Hills, South Dakota and Austin. She loved Jesus, and she loved Rosa's queso! Alyssa made everything beautiful and had the unique ability to create "arts of worship." Oh, and did we mention, she loved Jesus! She had the ability to put a smile on the face of anyone she knew and met. She loved Tyler with all of her heart, but she loved Jesus more! She had a deep love for all of her friends and anyone who knew her as a friend, knew you had a friend for life! She will be greatly missed.

Alyssa is preceded in death by her father, Ardis Hayslip. She is survived by her husband, Tyler; mother, Jean Hayslip; her grandparents, John C. and Wanda Hayslip; grandmother, Barbara Hudgins; great-grandmother, Velma Smades; brother-in-law, Jared, his wife Kaitlyn, and their daughter Kinsley; mother-in-law, Mary Browning, her husband Wesley, their son, Andrew Browning; the Hayslips, Millers, Glassgows, and Rodericks families; and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends.

Alyssa may be gone from this side, but her smile, laughter, and talents will live on forever through our memories. We will miss her here, but will see her again soon in Heaven!

In lieu of flowers, the family suggest memorials be made to Show Hope. Show Hope is a movement founded by Steven Curtis Chapman and his wife, Mary Beth, to care for orphans, restoring the hope of a family to orphans in distress around the world. Donations to Show Hope can be made in memory of Alyssa through Mid-Cities Community Church and 100% of the proceeds will go to Show Hope.

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

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Bill C. Sommers

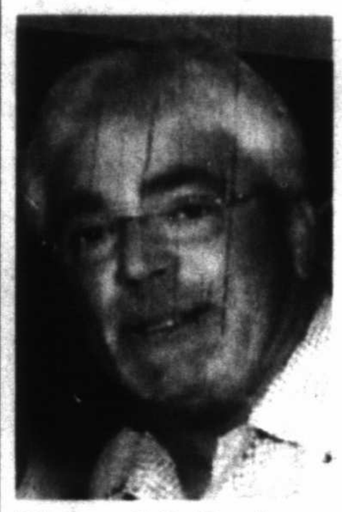
Bill C. Sommers, 80, of Andrews passed away on Wednesday, November 25, 2015 in Andrews.

Family and friends will gather to celebrate his life at 10:00 AM Monday, November 30, 2015 at the First Baptist Church in Andrews with Rev. Phillip Golden, officiating. Interment will follow in the Andrews North Cemetery under the personal care of McNett Funeral Home in Andrews. The family will receive friends on Saturday, November 28th from 5-7 pm at McNett Funeral Home. Please celebrate the life of Bill by visiting *mcnettfuneralhome.com.*

Bill was born on February 28, 1935 in Lubbock to Oskar Felix Sommers and Hazel Etta Youngblood Sommers. He was raised in Midland and graduated from Midland High School in 1952. He married Dorothy Janelle Danely on August 12, 1955 in Midland. They moved to Andrews in 1969 from Odessa. They have owned and operated with their family, Andrews Pump & Supply with locations in Texas at Andrews, Denver City, Forsan, Lamesa, and Kennedy and locations in New Mexico at Artesia, Carlsbad, Hobbs, and Roswell. They are members of the Andrews Country Club, where he had served as past-president and had served as past-president of the Andrews Mustangs Athletic Booster Club. They loved to travel and spend time in Ruidoso and Kerrville. He was a licensed pilot and loved watching his quarter horses race. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Andrews. He was preceded in death by his parents.

He is survived by his wife, Dorothy Sommers of Andrews; son, Lynn Sommers and wife Paula of Andrews; daughter, Torreya Bryan and husband Travis of Andrews; brothers, George F. Sommers and wife Marjorie of Dripping Springs and Johnny J. Sommers of Shawnee, OK; sister: Glenna Gifford of Midland; grandchildren, Lance Sommers, Tiffany Bryan, Shayna Lopez and husband Nathan, Clif Ward and wife Shaela, and Nathan Bryan; 3 great grandchildren: Shaelyn Ward, Braxton Ward, and Hayden Kim.

Memorials may be sent to Andrews Volunteer Fire Department at www.cityofandrews.org/departments/fire_department/index.html or Kidz1stFund at www.kidz1stfund.com/



Richard A. Taylor

Richard Taylor was born on October 24, 1956 in Levelland, Texas to Billy Ray and Francis Taylor of Levelland, Texas. He graduated from Levelland High School and began working in oil and gas after graduation. He married his high school sweetheart, Deedee Williams, on April 25, 1975 in Levelland. After having two daughters, he moved his family to Midland. After a stint working in Arkansas, Rick and Deedee moved to Edmond where they have lived ever since.

Rick is preceded in death by his father Billy Ray Taylor of Levelland, Texas.

Rick is survived by his wife, Deedee of Edmond; his daughter, Judi Moore, her husband Chris and his grandson Maxwell of Dallas; his daughter, Alicia, her husband Jeremy, and his to-be-grandson John of Waco; his mother, Francis of Levelland; his brother, Steve and sister-in law Paula of Levelland; his sister, Susan Carlisle and her husband Allan of Sweetwater.

Funeral Services are 2:00 pm Monday, November 30, 2015 at Crossings Community Chapel.

Death Notices

Nora Odell Thornhill

Nora Odell Thornhill, 96, of Midland, passed away on Tuesday, November 24, 2015. A visitation will be held from 6:00 pm -8:00 pm, Sunday, November 29, 2015 at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held 11:00 am, Monday, November 30, 2015 at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Chapel. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park.

Survivors include: a daughter-in-law; 2 sisters; 1 brother; and 8 grandchildren.

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

Economy, oil slowdown might dampen Dakotas holiday sales

By Blake Nicholson
Associated Press

BISMARCK, N.D. — Holiday shoppers in the Dakotas this season are expected to spend more than they did last year, though a slumping oil economy in North Dakota has retailers there nervous.

If the prediction of North Dakota Retail Association President Mike Rud holds true, it could be the first time in many years that the holiday sales increase in North Dakota falls below the national mark.

"People are leaving the state because they don't have jobs," Rud said of the oil slowdown. "You take 30,000, 40,000 shoppers out of the equation that have been here the past few years, that's concerning."

The holiday sales increase in North Dakota over the past four years has been in the range of 6-8 percent above the previous year due to the oil boom and good years in agriculture, which also saw a slump this year. Rud is forecasting an increase in holiday sales this year in the 1½ to 2½ percent range over 2014. That would be less than the 3.7 percent increase that the National Retail Federation expects nationally.

"We have been kind of an island," Rud said of North Dakota surpassing the national mark in recent years. "Hopefully, we can continue to hold our own. Sooner or later, you knew it had to level out, and I think that's what we're seeing now. It might be just a 'normal' Christmas."

South Dakota Retailers Association Executive Director Shawn Lyons didn't project a holiday sales increase for that state but said about three-fourths of businesses that responded to a survey expect spending to be the same as last year or slightly up.

"Based on what we are hearing around the state, there is reason to expect a successful holiday shopping season for our state's retailers," Lyons said.

It was a chilly start to the holiday shopping season in the Dakotas on Black Friday, with temperatures in the teens, single digits and even below zero in some spots.

The temperature was in the single digits when Carolina Andrade left about 5 a.m. from Sisseton, South Dakota, with her family to shop in Fargo, North Dakota.

"I usually don't go shopping on Black Friday but there were a lot of good deals. A lot of 50 percent discounts," she said.

> *"You look at the taxable sales dollars, the direction they've taken, that's a major cause for concern. 'Anxiously optimistic' is the way everybody is going to view it. We'll see how it goes. We're going to hang in there and hope."*
>
> **North Dakota Retail Association President Mike Rud**

Valerie Bartsh traveled to Bismarck from Watford City with her two adult daughters early Friday. Shortly after dawn they were pushing three full shopping carts through a crowded Target parking lot.

"It's mother-daughter time, and it's savings time," she said.

Lisa Kneifl at the Twist of Pine gift shop in Yankton, South Dakota, said she's hoping for an improvement in the economy in coming months, but still expects good holiday sales.

"I believe people are hesitant to invest in large items but like shopping locally and will hopefully find the regional shopping good for them during these questionable times," she said.

Creighton University economist Ernie Goss said this month that low crop prices and manufacturing slowdowns are weighing down the regional economy.

North Dakota's taxable sales and purchases dropped 16 percent during April, May and June when compared to the second quarter a year ago, according to the most recent Tax Department figures. Tax Commissioner Ryan Rauschenberger attributed the drop to the decline in oil activity resulting from lower crude prices.

"You look at the taxable sales dollars, the direction they've taken, that's a major cause for concern," Rud said. "'Anxiously optimistic' is the way everybody is going to view it.

"We'll see how it goes," he said. "We're going to hang in there and hope."

ENERGY BRIEFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

GRAFORD

North Texas families sue drillers over contaminated water

Two families in rural North Texas have sued oil and gas drilling companies, claiming hazardous chemicals from hydraulic fracturing seeped into their water wells.

Richard and Stella Singleton said their water well was fine until the summer of 2013, when Fairway Resources fractured an oil and gas well a few hundred yards from their house.

By December of that year, the Singletons said their water started to smell like rotten eggs, fumes filled their home and the water burned their skin.

Their neighbor's water well house filled with methane and exploded, severely burning him, his father and daughter last year. The neighbor, Cody Murray, is also suing.

The state's oil and gas regulator, the Texas Railroad Commission, said in a report that the Singletons' well water contained chemicals including excessive levels of methane and cancer-causing benzene that may pose "adverse health effects" and an "explosion hazard."

The agency attributed the contamination to a "natural occurrence in the groundwater" and recommended the family vent its water well, WFAA-TV reported.

There were no baseline water tests to prove the chemicals did not already exist.

However, a study published by University of Texas at Arlington scientists earlier this year inferred a link between water well contamination and hydraulic fracturing in the Barnett Shale, the massive natural gas field beneath North Texas.

UTA scientists said water samples throughout the Barnett Shale showed elevated levels of toxic chemicals.

"Based on these results, something has gone horribly wrong here," Dr. Zacariah L. Hildenbrand, one of the UTA-affiliated scientists reviewing the Singletons' water well, told the TV station.

The Railroad Commission said its investigations into the two cases of contamination are ongoing.

"These incredibly unnatural events, from methane spewing out of a shower, to methane exploding in a fireball from a water well, don't match 'naturally occurring,'" said Christopher Hamilton, a lawyer representing both families.

South Dakota regulators to decide on Dakota Access pipeline

PIERRE — South Dakota regulators are expected to decide Monday whether to grant a construction permit for a pipeline that will cross through the state as it carries oil from North Dakota to Illinois.

The 1,130-mile Dakota Access Pipeline proposed by Dallas-based Energy Transfer Partners would move at least 450,000 barrels of crude daily from the Bakken oil patch in western North Dakota through South Dakota and Iowa to an existing pipeline in Patoka, Illinois, where shippers can access Midwest and Gulf Coast markets.

It needs approval in all four states. South Dakota's Public Utilities Commission held a public hearing on the project in late September and early October.

Supporters of the project cite a need for energy security, point to the jobs it would create and maintain that transporting oil by pipeline is safer than moving it by rail or truck.

Opponents worry the pipeline could contaminate water supplies, farmland and archaeological sites, and harm habitat for wildlife, including endangered species.

Opponents have submitted written comments to the commission since the hearing, and Dakota Access has offered a set of stipulations for its permit. In addition to complying with state and local laws, officials say they would offer quarterly reports to the commission, hire a liaison officer approved by the commission to deal with landowner disputes and log landowner concerns.

The commission will decide whether to grant a construction permit, grant a permit with conditions or deny a permit, the Argus Leader newspaper reported.

TOKYO

Japan announces $10.6 billion in climate financing for 2020

Gearing up for global warming talks in Paris next week, Japan said Thursday it plans to provide 1.3 trillion yen ($10.6 billion) in climate financing a year for developing countries from 2020, including public and private funds.

Prime Minister Shinzo Abe made the announcement as he prepared to join more than 100 world leaders who will assemble in Paris to try to negotiate an agreement to limit climate change.

Abe said the financing was meant to help developing countries fully join in the effort to fight climate change.

"Our country attaches importance to the participation of all countries in a new international framework," he said, referring to the effort to replace the 1997 Kyoto Protocol on reducing emissions of greenhouse gases that contribute to global warming. That pact was hobbled by the lack of participation by the biggest carbon emitting countries, such as the U.S. and China.

The financing plan is an increase from its current assistance of about 1 trillion yen ($8.2 billion) a year and is meant to help industrialized countries fulfill a commitment to extend a total of $100 billion a year to help developing countries cope with or stave off climate change.

So far, commitments for 2020 remain below that level, with $30 to $40 billion yet to be offered.

"I think we are on the right track and I hope our contributions will be a big step forward," said Japan's chief negotiator in the talks, Atsuyuki Oike.

Oike said details of the financing would be announced later, and that the ratio of public to private financing was not yet decided.

He said funds will go to projects such as urban railways, geothermal power generation and training, and other areas where Japan has strong expertise.

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STATE& REGION BRIEFS

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FORT HOOD

Army IDs 4 soldiers killed in helicopter crash

The Army has released the identities of four crew members who were killed when their helicopter crashed during a routine training exercise at Fort Hood.

The Black Hawk went down about 6 p.m. Monday in the northeast portion of the sprawling military post about 60 miles north of Austin. Killed were 40-year-old Sgt. 1st Class Toby A. Childers, of Hays, Kansas; 40-year-old Chief Warrant Officer 3 Stephen B. Cooley, of Cantonment, Florida; 35-year-old Sgt. 1st Class Jason M. Smith, of Destrehan, Louisiana; and 40-year-old Chief Warrant Officer 2 Michael F. Tharp, of Katy.

The cause of the crash remains undetermined.

Fort Hood covers 214,000 acres, making it one of the largest Army posts in the country. More than 135,000 acres are reserved for training purposes.

NEW MEXICO

Ski Santa Fe opens to crowds, bus to slopes mostly empty

SANTA FE — Ski Santa Fe opened to crowds of skiers but the new bus route from downtown Santa Fe to the ski basin remained mostly empty.

The Santa Fe New Mexican reported that about 2,000 showed up to the slopes on Thursday, which was the opening day of Ski Santa Fe's 2015-16 winter season. The resort doesn't always open on Thanksgiving, but recent storms have brought 58 inches of snow already this year.

As for the bus, North Central Regional Transit District public information officer Jim Nagle says ridership numbers have been disappointing since the service began in late September.

Nagle said the bus was advertised as a year-round route to give people access to the national forest and trail system for biking, hiking and skiing.

ALBUQUERQUE

New Mexico to share in federal energy revenues

Oil and gas development and mineral production on federal and tribal lands in New Mexico have netted nearly a half-billion dollars in revenues for the state.

The U.S. Interior Department announced this week that more than three dozen states, 34 American Indian tribes, numerous counties and thousands of individual Indian mineral owners are getting disbursements from energy development during the last fiscal year.

New Mexico's share is $496 million, second behind Wyoming's $886 million.

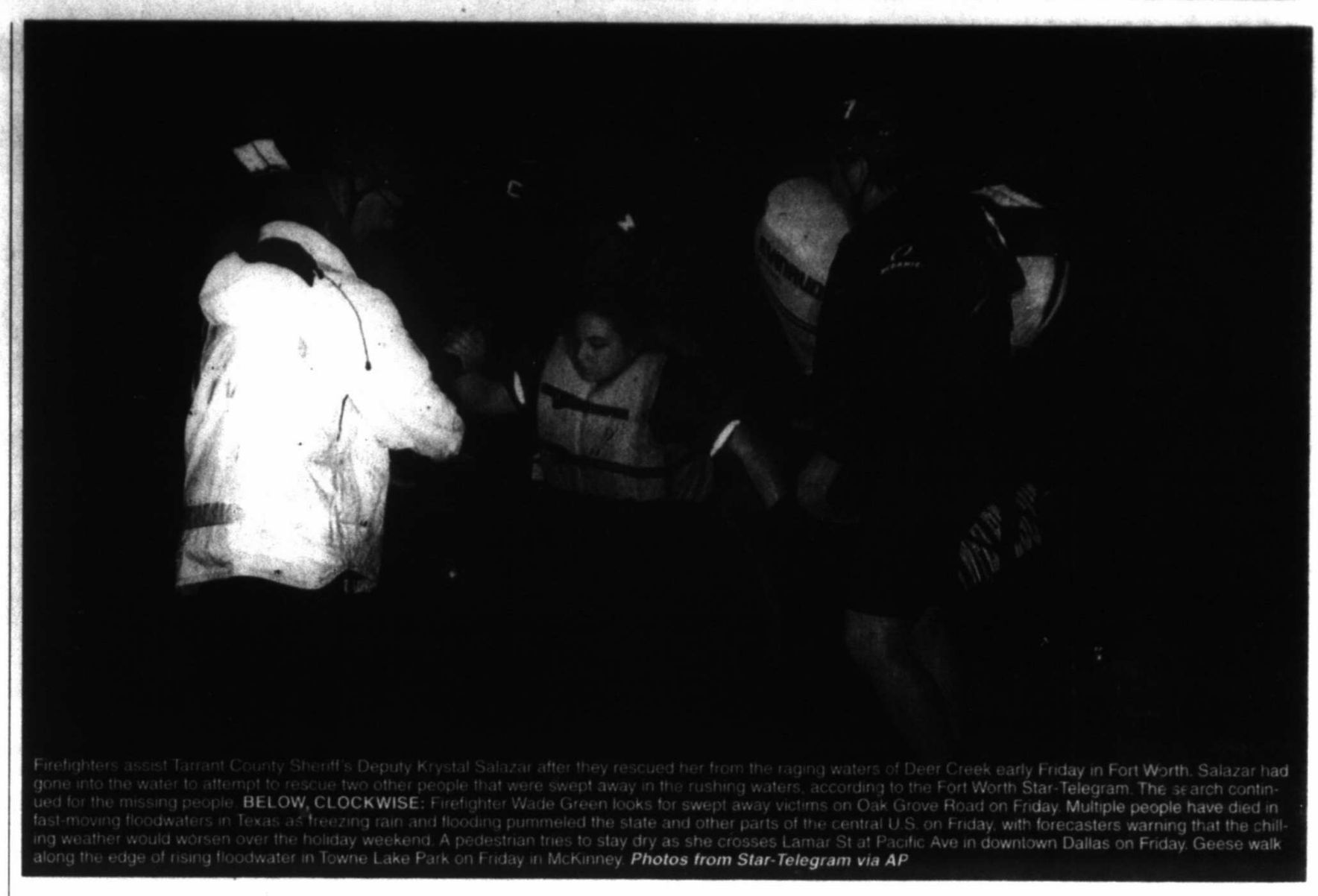
Officials with the Office of Natural Resource Revenues said the money comes from traditional energy development as well as renewable sources. It goes toward public education and meeting local infrastructure needs.

Officials said the federal Reclamation Fund, the Land and Water Conservation Fund and the Historic Preservation Fund also benefit.

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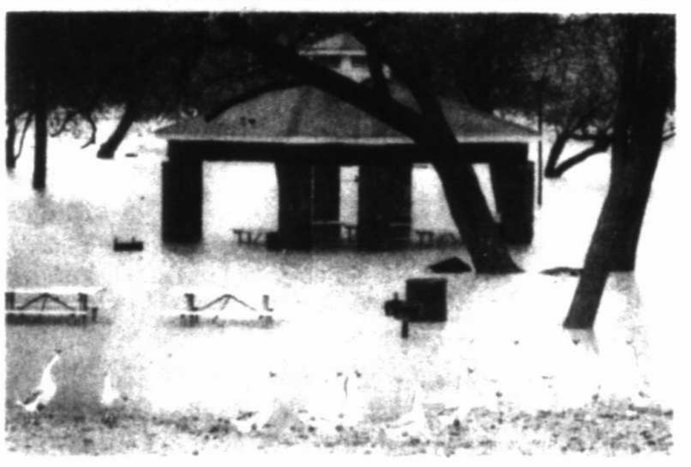


Firefighters assist Tarrant County Sheriff's Deputy Krystal Salazar after they rescued her from the raging waters of Deer Creek early Friday in Fort Worth. Salazar had gone into the water to attempt to rescue two other people that were swept away in the rushing waters, according to the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. The search continued for the missing people. **BELOW, CLOCKWISE:** Firefighter Wade Green looks for swept away victims on Oak Grove Road on Friday. Multiple people have died in fast-moving floodwaters in Texas as freezing rain and flooding pummeled the state and other parts of the central U.S. on Friday, with forecasters warning that the chilling weather would worsen over the holiday weekend. A pedestrian tries to stay dry as she crosses Lamar St at Pacific Ave in downtown Dallas on Friday. Geese walk along the edge of rising floodwater in Towne Lake Park on Friday in McKinney. ***Photos from Star-Telegram via AP***

Fatalities as freezing rain, floods, ice hit central US

By Emily Schmall
Associated Press







FORT WORTH — At least three people have died in fast-moving floodwaters in Texas as freezing rain and flooding pummeled the state and other parts of the central U.S. on Friday, with forecasters warning that the chilling weather would worsen over the holiday weekend.

Forecasters issued flash-flood watches and warnings from northern Texas up to St. Louis, with up to 4 inches of rain reported in some places as the storm slowly moved to the northeast. Freezing rain and strong winds have been blamed for several fatal accidents in Kansas and Texas since Thursday.

"There's a pretty substantial shield of rain extending from parts of Texas across a lot of Oklahoma and into the mid-Mississippi Valley," said John Hart, a meteorologist with the Storm Prediction Center in Norman, Oklahoma.

In North Texas, where more than 4 inches of rain fell overnight in the Dallas-Fort Worth area — pushing the annual rainfall total into the record books — three people died in separate accidents after being washed away in rapid floodwaters. At least one other person remained missing Friday night.

Firefighters in Garland, a Dallas suburb, found the body of a 29-year-old man inside a submerged Hyundai Elantra after the car was swept from a bridge. The body of a 33-year-old woman was found downstream from her vehicle just west of Fort Worth after it was washed off the road in waters flowing 10 to 12 feet above the banks of Rock Creek, Johnson County Sheriff's Office spokesman Tim Jones said.

Sheriff's deputies also responded to a high-water rescue early Friday after three people were swept into the water overnight. Two people were rescued, but the third person's body was later recovered near Mansfield, about 18 miles southeast of Fort Worth, sheriff's spokesman Tim Jones said.

Conditions were still too dangerous Friday night to search for a woman whose car was swept off a bridge hours earlier along Deer Creek, on the southern fringe of the city, Fort Worth Fire Department spokesman Kyle Coay said. A local sheriff's deputy was swept away trying to rescue the 70-year-old woman, but a dive team later found and rescued the deputy, who was clinging to a tree.

A total 55.23 inches of rain has been recorded at Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport this year, topping the annual rainfall record of 53.54 inches set in 1991. More rain is forecast through Sunday.

In the Texas Panhandle, ice and snow covered dozens of major roads, bridges and overpasses. Winds whipping around snow also kept visibility low in some places, and about 100 crashes had been reported by midafternoon, according to the Texas Department of Public Safety office in Amarillo.

No highways in the Texas Panhandle and South Plains have been closed despite the icy conditions, but officials have been discouraging travel. Still, about 100 crashes had been reported as of Friday evening, said Trooper Cindy Barkley of the Texas Department of Public Safety office in Amarillo.

Extra troopers have been mobilized to patrol the glazed highways, including heavily traveled Interstate 40 where three people died Thursday when their van skidded across a median and under the trailer of a tractor-trailer. State troopers are trained to drive slower in icy conditions, "and I probably drive slower than all of them," Barkley said. "But we see people passing us all the time. It's so frustrating."

In Oklahoma, road crews have been applying salt and sand in the Panhandle and northwestern part of the state since Thursday amid an ice storm warning that was in effect until noon Saturday. Rain in the south east closed some highways because of flooding.

"We definitely understand that people travel to see family and friends (for Thanksgiving), and have to travel back home. If people have to travel in these affected areas, definitely plan plenty of extra travel time and check conditions before they head out," Oklahoma Department of Transportation spokesman Cody Boyd said Friday evening.

He said motorists need to take "especially extra, extra caution when driving after dark in conditions like this."

The weather service also issued flood warnings throughout Arkansas, saying much of central and western Arkansas could see 5 to 7 inches of rain through Sunday, while the Ouachita Mountain region could get more than 8 inches.

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■ Free skateboarding lessons, noon-1:30 p.m., RTD Skatepark. rtdskatepark.com.

■ Tabletop players group, 2:30 p.m., Astral Castle, 10 Meta Drive.

■ Cory Dutton, 8 p.m., The Bar, 606 W. Missouri Ave.

■ Zac Stokes Band, 8 p.m., Fire Water Bar and Grill.

■ Austin English Band, 9 p.m., Redneck's Drafthouse.

■ "Peter Pan" at Midland Community Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave. $28 adults, $20 youth and seniors. mctmidland.org.

When it's open today

U.S. Postal Service

■ Graves Station, 3304 W. Wadley Ave.
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Recycling container locations

Large 30-cubic yard open top containers:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For more information call Keep Midland Beautiful at 688-7745 or visit KMB's website at keepmidlandbeautiful.org.

Large item pickup

For residential customers, the city of Midland will pick up furniture and appliances at no additional charge. These items must be placed in the alley in the city right-of-way; the city will not go onto private property. Do not place your item next to the dumpster; it needs to be behind your home, in the alley. These larger item collections must be scheduled with the Solid Waste Division. Please call 432-685-7278 to schedule this service.

Community calendar

■ Domino's owners Jim and Cassie Gerety will be raising money for St. Jude's Children's Research by accepting donations from customers.

The Domino's trailer will be at 3310 W. Illinois Ave. 4-6 p.m. Tuesday selling $3 medium cheese and pepperoni pizzas. $1 from every pizza sold will be donated to St. Jude's, according to a press release.

Also, the pizza restaurant delivered dinner to nearly 200 people at Breaking Bread Kitchen and Genesis Center on Wednesday.

■ Midland Archeological Society will meet 7 p.m. Thursday at Sibley Nature Center.

The speaker is to be Evans Turpin of Iraan, who is a charter member of the Iraan Archeological Society a member of the Texas Archeological Society and Pecos County Historical Commission and is a volunteer archeology steward for the Texas Historical Commission. His presentation will be on pictograph icons in West Texas.

■ The Midland Walkabout Volkssport Club is to meet 6 p.m. Dec. 7 at the DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel. Guest speaker is to be Austin Harris, owner of Run This Way.

The club has monthly 5K or 10K walks at locations within a 50-mile radius of Midland.

To RSVP for the meeting, contact Gary Petersen at 697-4310 or gpetersen3@suddenlink.net.

Know a member of the military coming home?

Military families can call 352-0785 or email Vickie Gomez (zemogv@cableone.net) when they know their member of the military is flying into Midland International Air & Space Port so the Permian Basin Welcome Home Committee can be there to greet her or him.

Honor those who served

Many organizations operating in the Permian Basin are at the task of serving all kinds of needs for present and former members of our military. Some of them are:

■ Show of Support (687-2167)
■ Honor Our Troops (889-0177), Reel Thanx (528-6633)
■ Centers for Children and Families (570-1084)
■ Midland College Veterans Affairs Office (685-4511)
■ Permian Basin Welcome Home Committee (366-3458)
■ Soldiers of Today and Yesterday (631-3429)

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Pick 3 evening: 3-0-6
Pick 3 night: 3-6-4
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Daily 4 day: 2-6-6-8
Daily 4 evening: 4-5-9-8
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Cash Five: 9-22-29-33-35
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All or Nothing morning: 3-4-7-10-11-12-13-16-20-21-22-24
All or Nothing day: 1-3-6-8-9-11-12-13-14-15-16-23
All or Nothing evening: 1-2-5-9-12-13-15-17-18-20-21-24
All or Nothing night: 1-3-4-7-11-12-13-15-17-20-21-24

3 killed, 9 wounded in attack at Planned Parenthood

By Sadie Gurman
Associated Press



Associated Press

A police officer is transported to an ambulance near a Planned Parenthood clinic Friday in Colorado Springs, Colo. A gunman was arrested Friday hours after opening fire at a Colorado Springs Planned Parenthood clinic, wounding multiple people and engaging in gun battles with police inside the building, officials said.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. — A gunman who opened fire inside a Colorado Springs Planned Parenthood clinic was arrested Friday after engaging in gun battles with authorities during an hours-long standoff that killed three people and wounded nine others, officials said.

Two people and a police officer with the University of Colorado in Colorado Springs were killed in the rampage, law enforcement officials said.

The university police department identified the officer killed as 44-year-old Garrett Swasey, a six-year veteran of the force.

Nine other people, including five police officers, were shot and are in good condition, police said.

The gunman is in custody, and his name was not immediately released.

Authorities said they haven't determined a motive or whether the shooter had any connection to Planned Parenthood.

"We don't have any information on this individual's mentality or his ideas or ideology," Buckley said.

Planned Parenthood released a statement that said it did not know the full circumstances or motives behind the attack or whether the organization was the target.

A number of people were evacuated during the standoff — some wrapped in blankets in the blowing snow — to a nearby Veterans Administration clinic.

For several hours, the firing of a long gun was the only indication police had that the shooter was in the building, Lt. Catherine Buckley said. Officers finally made voice contact by shouting to him and convinced him to surrender, she said.

Video from The Denver Post showed a tall man in a white T-shirt being led away by police as snow fell on the frigid evening.

With the immediate threat over, authorities turned their attention to inspecting unspecified items the gunman left outside the building and carried inside in bags.

Three officers were shot while responding just before noon to the initial report of shots fired. More than two hours later, the gunman shot another officer in an exchange with police inside the clinic, Buckley said.

The suspect surrendered about five hours after entering the building.

The shots sent people inside the clinic racing for cover. Jennifer Motolinia hid behind a table inside the clinic and called her brother, Joan, who said he heard multiple gunshots in the background.

"She was telling me to take care of her babies because she could get killed," Joan Motolinia said of his sister, the mother of three.

He rushed to the clinic but was frustrated because a police barricade kept him from getting close.

"People were shooting for sure. I heard someone shooting. There was a lot of gunfire. She was calm; she was trying to hide from those people," he said.

Police inside the building ushered staff and patients to the second floor without saying why, employee Cynthia Garcia told her mother-in-law, Tina Garcia.

Then, Cynthia Garcia heard gunshots, but she couldn't tell where they were coming from, Tina Garcia told The Associated Press.

Police cordoned off the clinic, nearby medical offices and a shopping center. Authorities ordered everyone in the area to take shelter where they were.

Denise Speller, manager of a nearby hair salon, said she heard as many as 20 gunshots in less than five minutes.

She told The Gazette newspaper that she saw two officers near a bank branch, not far from the Planned Parenthood facility.

One of the officers appeared to fall to the ground and the other officer knelt down to help and then tried to get the officer to safety behind a patrol car, she said. Another officer told Speller to seek shelter inside the building.

"We're still pretty freaked out," Speller said by phone while still trapped inside the salon. "We can't stop shaking."

Shelley Satulla said she saw five or six people put on stretchers and placed in ambulances lined up next to King Soopers shopping center near the clinic.

Mike Pelosi, who works at a deli at a nearby King Soopers grocery store, said he heard over the store's loudspeaker just before noon that nobody could leave the store.

The location of the shooting is less than 6 miles from the street where a man shot and killed two of three people before dying in a gun battle with police on Halloween day.

Police say man in Mississippi Waffle House kills employee

By Rebecca Santana
Associated Press

NEW ORLEANS — A customer pulled out a gun and shot and killed an employee at a Waffle House restaurant in Mississippi on Friday after she asked him not to smoke, police said.

Police received a call about the shooting at 1:11 a.m., said Biloxi police Sgt. Donnie Dobbs. The customer, Johnny Max Mount, had argued with an employee after being told that he could not smoke, Dobbs said.

"He pulled out a handgun and shot her in the head," Dobbs said.

The woman died on the way to the hospital, he said.

The suspect was outside the restaurant when police arrived and surrendered without incident.

He's been charged with first- degree murder and is being held on $2 million bond at the Harrison County Adult Detention Center, police said.

The victim's name has not been released as authorities try to locate her next of kin. The Sun Herald newspaper reported that Mount was 45 and lived in Biloxi, Miss.

The Waffle House restaurant in Biloxi has a nonsmoking policy, said Kelly Thrasher-Bruner, a spokeswoman for Waffle House, Inc.

"This senseless tragedy is a shock for the Waffle House family. Our associate was a friend to many as well as a valued member of the Waffle House team for eight years as a salesperson. She will be greatly missed. Our prayers are with her family, friends, co-workers and customers," Thrasher-Bruner said.

The restaurant has since reopened, she said.

BLACK FRIDAY

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consumers said they had had started their holiday shopping, "the highest level we've recorded and continuing an upward trend that began in 2010," she said.

"Black Friday isn't going away. It's a day that people are off from work, and it's an important day for retailers. But it is becoming a little less important."

Steven Dennis, of Dallas-based Sageberry Consulting

Head start

Thanksgiving Day openings have also changed the scene on Black Friday. Many of the most dedicated bargain hunters have moved to Thursday, lessening Friday's long lines and frenzied crowds.

Four years ago, Target, Wal-Mart, Sears and Toys R Us tiptoed into Thanksgiving Day with evening openings.

Stores open on Thanksgiving have abbreviated hours, and the long lines of shoppers come for the biggest discounts then move on. J.C. Penney is opening at 3 p.m., Old Navy at 4 p.m., Best Buy and Toys R Us at 5 p.m. and Kohl's, Macy's and Target at 6 p.m., when Wal-Mart also releases its doorbusters for sale.

Deloitte expects 14 percent of Americans to shop on Thanksgiving Day and 44 percent on Black Friday. But that Black Friday number is down from last year, when 48 percent said they would shop on the day after Thanksgiving.

Black Friday is still expected to draw the season's most shoppers for a single day and probably the biggest single-day sales, according to several experts and shopper surveys, including ShopperTrak, Deloitte and the industry's federation.

"Black Friday isn't going away. It's a day that people are off from work, and it's an important day for retailers," said Steven Dennis of Dallas-based Sageberry Consulting. "But it is becoming a little less important."

Ordering from the dinner table

Last year, retailers started putting doorbusters online on Thanksgiving Day, so shoppers didn't have to pull away from their turkey dinners to get deals. The same thing is happening this year.

"It's the time when the power of the shopper comes to bear," said Wendy Liebmann, CEO of WSL Strategic Retail. "There continues to be a hangover from the recession, and people expect more value."

Some people may stay away from shopping centers for a different reason this year.

The heightened terrorist concerns, including a U.S. government travel warning after the Nov. 13 attacks in Paris, will help online sales, Liebmann said.

Living in New York, Liebmann said, "you see people concerned and looking all around them."

"It's sad, but, yes, it is a factor," Dallas retail consultant Dennis said. "It's been a factor since 9-11 and more so now. Even if there are no attacks over the next few days, I think it will weigh down on (store) traffic."

The International Council of Shopping Centers issued a statement Sunday saying the industry is taking its responsibility seriously to provide a safe and comfortable environment.

"There is no one-size-fits-all approach taken when it comes to developing and deploying a security program," the statement said.

Shopping centers work with the Department of Homeland Security, the FBI and local law enforcement officials on training and preparedness, the council said.

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RIG COUNT

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District 8 this week were Midland; Reeves with 24, up one; Loving with 20, down three; Martin with 12, unchanged; and Howard with 10, down one.

The top five basins were the Permian; the Eagle Ford; the Williston with 62, down one; the Marcellus with 42, down one; and the Cana Woodford with 34, unchanged.

Canada and North America

Canada closed with week with 184 rigs, an increase of 18. There were 81 oil rigs, up 14, and the number of natural gas rigs increased four to 103. Canada had 438 rigs at this time last week.

The total number of rigs in the North America region increased five this week to 928. A year ago this week, there were 2,355 rigs in North America.

More energy news

Don't miss the Oil Report in this Sunday's Reporter-Telegram. This week's big six stories:

■ Data show that U.S. proved reserves were at a 32-year high in 2014.

■ New consulting office now aims to help struggling service companies.

■ Air Products opens liquid nitrogen facility to serve Permian Basin oil fields.

■ From space travel to video games, Big Oil pulls variety of tech collaborators.

■ U.S. set to cancel lease on land sacred to Blackfoot Indian tribes.

■ Startup seeks to power drillers with hybrid energy.

More energy news is also available online at mrt.com/business/oil. For more information about this week's rig counts, visit the Baker Hughes website at bakerhughes.com.

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By the numbers

The following are Permian Basin rig counts by county, with changes in parentheses.

District 7B

Nolan	1
Total	1

District 7C

Iron	1
Reagan	11
Schleicher	1
Tom Green	1 (-1)
Upton	12 (-1)
Total	26 (-2)

District 8

Andrews	7
Culberson	6
Ector	2 (-1)
Glasscock	8 (-1)
Howard	10 (-1)
Loving	20 (-3)
Martin	12
Midland	36 (-1)
Pecos	8 (+1)
Reeves	24 (+1)
Sterling	1 (+1)
Ward	4
Winkler	2
Total	138 (-4)

District 8A

Borden	3 (-1)
Dawson	1
Dickens	1
Gaines	2
Garza	1
Hockley	1
Lynn	1
Scurry	3
Terry	1 (+1)
Yoakum	4
Total	18

New Mexico

Eddy	18 (+3)
Lea	20 (-1)
Total	38 (+2)

Protest over Chicago teen's shooting ties up retail district

By Sara Burnett
Associated Press

CHICAGO — Hundreds of protesters blocked store entrances and shut down traffic in Chicago's ritziest shopping district on Black Friday to draw attention to the 2014 police killing of a black teenager who was shot 16 times by a white officer.

Demonstrators stood shoulder to shoulder in a cold drizzling rain to turn the traditional start of the holiday shopping season on Michigan Avenue's Magnificent Mile into a high-profile platform from which to deliver their message: The killing of 17-year-old Laquan McDonald — captured on a squad-car video made public earlier this week — was another example of what they say is the systemic disregard police show for the lives and rights of black people.

They chanted "16 shots! 16 shots!" and stopped traffic for blocks to express their anger over the Oct. 20, 2014, shooting and the subsequent investigation, which they say was mishandled.

While shoppers continued to make their way along sidewalks and the empty street, some major retailers were forced to close, at least temporarily. Among them was the typically swamped Apple store, where dozens of employees in red shirts stood in an otherwise empty two-story space and watched through store windows as protesters linked arms to stop anyone from entering.

It was the largest demonstration in Chicago's streets since police on Tuesday released the video under a court order to make it public.

The footage shows McDonald jogging down a street and then veering away from Officer Jason Van Dyke and another officer who emerge from a police SUV drawing their guns. Within seconds, Van Dyke begins firing. McDonald, who authorities allege was carrying a three-inch knife and was suspected of breaking into cars, spins around and falls to the pavement as Van Dyke keeps shooting.

Prosecutors charged Van Dyke with first-degree murder on Tuesday, hours before the video's release.

Frank Chapman, 73, of Chicago, said the video confirms what activists have said for years about Chicago police brutality.

"That needs to end," Chapman said. "Too many have already died."

Chicago police blocked off roads to accommodate the march down Michigan Avenue, and officers in some areas formed a barrier of sorts between protesters and stores and helped shoppers get through the doors. But protesters succeeded in blocking main entrances on both sides of the street for more than three blocks.

When one person tried to get through the front door of Saks Fifth Avenue, protesters screamed at him, shouting, "Shut it down! Shut it down." Entrances were also blocked at the Disney Store, the Apple Store, Nike, Tiffany & Co., and Neiman Marcus, among others.

Several protesters were seen lying face-down on the ground in handcuffs. A police spokesman said there were three arrests during the demonstration, two of them traffic related and the third resulted from a battery, but he didn't elaborate.

Shoppers seemed to take the disturbance in stride, with some even snapping photos of the crowd.

"Honestly it's the cold that's likely to scare us away first," said Christopher Smithe, who was visiting from London with his girlfriend.

With the rain and the protests, there seemed to be less foot traffic than on a normal Black Friday, said John Curran, vice president of the Magnificent Mile Association, which represents 780 businesses on North Michigan Avenue.

"The storefronts that were blocked by the demonstrators certainly had an impact on some of the businesses," he said.

Throughout the week, protesters have expressed anger over the video of the shooting. They've also harshly criticized the department for its months-long effort to prevent the video from being released and the state's attorney's office for taking more than a year to file charges against Van Dyke, despite having footage of the incident.

All previous marches have been largely peaceful. There have been isolated clashes between police and protesters, with about 10 arrests and only a few minor reports of property damage.



Associated Press

Protesters make their way up North Michigan Avenue on Friday in Chicago as community activists and labor leaders hold a demonstration billed as a "march for justice" in the wake of the release of video showing an officer fatally shooting Laquan McDonald.

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3 trends to look for during the holidays

By Anne D'innocenzio
Associated Press

NEW YORK — The holiday season is upon us. Here's what shoppers can expect if they're heading out to stores at any point during the holiday shopping season:

No fighting over must-have gifts

Yet again, trend experts say there's no single item that's emerging as a must-have for the holiday season.

Sure, in the world of toys, anything "Star Wars" is faring well as well as a slew of robotic pets like robotic toy bears from Mattel's Fisher-Price and an interactive unicorn from Hasbro. But there's no runaway hit.

In fashion, jeans are making a comeback this holiday season, which should help perk up teen retailers' business, and athletic-inspired clothing like yoga pants remain popular. But overall, there's nothing that's making shoppers run to stores.

"You have a democratic influence. Nobody dictates trends," said William Taubman, chief operating officer at Taubman Centers Inc., which operates more than 20 malls in the U.S.

It'll be cheap to stay warm

Heavy sweaters and winter coats are piling up at department stores and specialty chains heading into the Black Friday weekend.

Unseasonably warm weather and a shift in changing shopping habits toward experiences like spas have limited shoppers' appetite for such clothing. So plenty of stores like Macy's, Nordstrom and Dick's Sporting Goods say they plan to further mark down excess goods.

Tom Clarke, managing director at AlixPartners and co-head of the retail practice, expects retailers will step up discounting this weekend beyond what's planned to take advantage of the crowds in the stores.

That's good news for shoppers, but bad news for stores whose profit margins will be squeezed. In fact, fourth-quarter profits are expected to be up 1.4 percent on average for the 119 retailers Retail Metrics LLC tracks. That's down from the anticipated 3.7 percent growth just a month ago.

But many are left with no choice but to discount.

As Macy's CEO Terry Lundgren recently told analysts: "We're not selling lumber, so I can't carry the lumber over to 2016 and sell it at the same price next year. We're selling fashion apparel, so we're going to mark that inventory down."

Toys will be pricey

Prices are climbing for toys as manufacturers pack lots of technology into them. Deborah Weinswig of the Fung Business Intelligence Center said in a recent report that prices of what the company considers the top 20 expected toys was nearly 36 percent higher than last year, with the average price of $64.99.

And there are plenty of toys that cost $100 or more, observed Toys R Us CEO Dave Brandon. He cited Fisher-Price's Smart Bear, which has a suggested price of $99.99, as an example.

Jim Silver, editor-in-chief of TTPM, an online toy review site, said there's a limited selling window for the pricier toys. Parents save the most expensive ones as gifts and buy them in December.

Bryant Feliz, the father of a five-year-old girl, said he likes the diverse assortment of toys in the stores, but he doesn't like the prices.

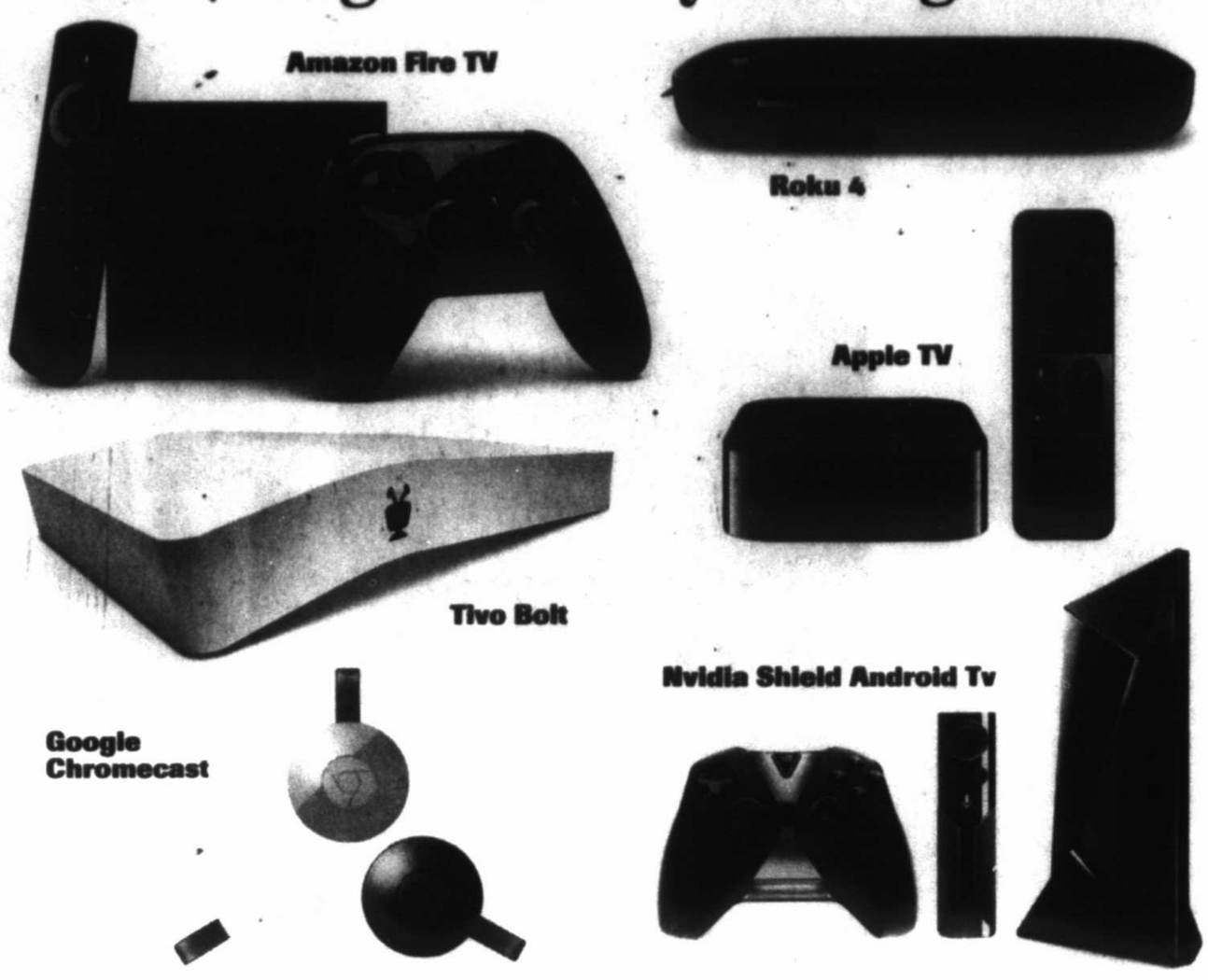
"At what costs should we be paying for our own kids' enjoyment?" he said.

6 ways to get streaming video to your big screen

Associated Press

NEW YORK — There are plenty of ways to get streaming video onto your big living-room screen. Internet-connected "smart" TVs and gaming consoles such as the Xbox or PlayStation can do the trick. But stand-alone devices tend to offer more features and more video services to choose from.

These six leading devices all stream Netflix and YouTube, and most also handle Hulu, PBS and several others. Only Apple TV has iTunes, while only Roku has both Amazon and Google Play. Whichever device you choose, you'll still need subscriptions to watch most of the 12 services we checked.



Tivo Bolt

Starts at $300, plus $15 a month for service after the first year.

The TiVo is first and foremost a digital video recorder, offering many features that cable-company DVRs can't match.

TiVo recordings have many advantages over streaming services such as Hulu. One tap of the remote skips over the entire commercial break for many prime-time shows. Hulu won't let you skip commercials at all unless you pay more. TiVo can also play back shows 30 percent faster using its "Quick-Mode." Use both, and an hour-long show takes less than 35 minutes.

As a streaming device, though, TiVo is more limited. It offers only four of the 12 leading streaming services we checked — Netflix, Amazon, YouTube and Vudu. Hulu is coming soon. Apps for many specific channels, including HBO and Showtime, are unavailable, nor is baseball's MLB.TV. TiVo figures you can simply record those channels or use your cable company's on-demand service, but that doesn't help if you have only an antenna.

The Bolt offers 75 or 150 hours of recording. A 450-hour TiVo is available for $600.

Google Chromecast ($35)

The Chromecast is an odd hybrid — a gateway to relay streaming

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Head to a 99-cent store for goofy, stylin', branded gifts

By Leanne Italie
Associated Press

NEW YORK — Not looking to spend a bundle on holiday gifts? Head to the nearest dollar store instead.

Such emporiums are alive with holiday trimmings at the moment, but they're also stuffed with goofy, stylin' and branded gifts and stocking stuffers to please everyone. We headed to a Jack's World in Manhattan and picked up 11 items with price tags of $2.99 and under, for a grand total of $17.04.

■ **Hipster hats**

A blue-stripe Where's Waldo knit style for the guys and a brimmed cap with a bow in swirls of forest green, black and white for the gals.

■ **Coin banks**

Let the Monsters Inc. and SpongeBob SquarePants gangs help teach toddlers the value of saving their pennies with mini coin banks. These two are stuffed with multicolored candy canes.

■ **Salt and pepper**

Though we're not sure who's who, this condiment set is truly friendly. Its two arm-in-arm ceramic shakers are described thusly: "Meet George. He's Claude's best mate and not afraid to show it."

■ **Calendar**

Dogs, cats, bunnies and goats in get-ups for 2016 in a hanging calendar that declares, "Dear Human, Nasty Notes from Dressed-Up Pets." The cover is Chuckles the dog clown. August features a dachshund in a bun and ketchup and this personal note: "Dear Human. Bite me. Love, Oscar M. Eyer."

■ **High finance**

The iconic Wall Street bull on a coffee mug with a background showing the New York Stock Exchange and other details from the neighborhood.

■ **Candy**

Can you go wrong with Teenage Mutant Nina Turtles Gummy Turtle Power Candy Pizza and Disney Frozen Best Friends Gummies & Stickers? We think not.

■ **Candy for the grownies**

Send someone back into childhood with a bag of Dad's Old Fashioned Root Beer Barrels.

■ **Got a baseball fan?**

This five-inch plastic Christmas ornament in holiday green is filled with a Big League Chew Bubble Gum Pouch, four trading cards, two tattoos and three gumballs. Ballpark perfection.



Associated Press

This Nov. 19 photo shows various items purchased at a discount store in New York for $17.04

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STREAMING

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video from your laptop, phone or tablet to the TV. Choose a video source — say, the Netflix app or website — and make a few taps to "cast" it to the TV. The Chromecast then picks up the video stream directly.

Chromecast doesn't work with every video app, but has 10 of the 12 services we looked for; iTunes and Amazon are no-shows, at least from mobile devices. It has no remote; you control playback through your phone or tablet. The Chromecast is cheap, but it's not as versatile as a stand-alone device.

For music and podcasts, the $35 Chromecast Audio can "cast" to speakers.

Nvidia Shield Android Tv ($200)

The Shield's strength is as a video-game console. It's fast and powerful, and it has a good selection of converted PC games. The device also supports Nvidia's GeForce Now streaming-game subscription. Games run on distant servers, yet feel as though they are directly on the Shield.

The Shield uses Google's Android TV streaming service, which offers eight of our 12 streaming services. There's no Amazon, iTunes or Watch ESPN app. With Chromecast-like casting, you can get Vudu. You can get ESPN with a Sling TV subscription and app.

The Shield is expensive for a streaming TV device, but it's cheaper than a game console. It comes with a game controller.

Amazon Fire TV ($100)

The Fire TV is a great device for streaming video — especially video from Amazon. Video available as part of Amazon's Prime loyalty program integrates nicely. For other services, you must launch an app first. The Fire TV has nine of the 12 services checked; it's missing iTunes, Google Play and Vudu.

The Fire TV is cheap for a full-fledged streaming device. For an even cheaper option, Amazon's $40 Fire TV Stick has fewer features but runs the same services.

Roku 4 ($130)

Talk about choice. Roku has nearly 3,000 apps to choose from. If there's something you're looking for, however obscure, it's more likely to be on Roku than any other device. Of the dozen services we looked for, iTunes was the only one missing.

Roku joins TiVo, the Shield and Fire TV in supporting super-sharp video in an emerging format known as ultra-high definition, or 4K. Roku goes further in creating a special app to point you to what little 4K content is out there.

Another nice touch: A button on the Roku will make your remote beep if you lose it.

Roku also offers cheaper options with fewer features, all the way down to its $50 Streaming Stick.

Apple TV (starts at $149)

The app store on the new Apple TV has a good selection of video services and games. As with Fire TV and Roku, many of these are casual games, not the hardcore games common on the Shield. Apple is the only device with iTunes, although it currently lacks Google Play, Amazon and Vudu from the 12 services on our list.

Although Apple TV isn't the only gadget here to offer voice search, it does so without interrupting video playback. A slide-up box appears in response to commands for specific titles or actors, as well as general queries for weather, sports or stocks. (Fire TV and the Shield also offer informational voice searches, while Roku is limited to searches for shows and movies.)

Apple TV also offers a range of apps beyond video and games, including Airbnb and Zillow for housing listings and QVC and Gilt for shopping.

Apple still sells its older Apple TV model for $69. That model won't give you voice search or any apps beyond streaming media.



Associated Press

Shoppers line up in front of stores at Tanger Outlets in Pooler, Ga., on Thursday evening as they wait for the opening of the big sale day of Black Friday. **BELOW:** People look at merchandise while holiday shopping at Best Buy on Thursday in Panama City, Fla. Early numbers aren't out yet on how many shoppers headed to stores on Thanksgiving, but it's expected that more than three times the number of people will venture out to shop on the day after the holiday known as Black Friday.

Super Bowl of shopping is more like a scrimmage

By Anne D'innocenzio
Associated Press



NEW YORK — The annual ritual of Black Friday, as we know it, is over.

Gone are the throngs of frenzied shoppers camping out for days ahead of the big sales bonanza on the day after Thanksgiving. And forget the fisticuffs over flat-screen TVs.

Instead, stores around the country had sparse parking lots, calm, orderly lines, and modest traffic. Black Friday, which traditionally is the biggest shopping day of the year, almost looked like a normal shopping day. And not every shopper was happy about that.

In Denver, for instance, Susan Montoya had nearly an entire Kmart to herself Friday morning. Montoya half-heartedly flipped through a rack of girls' holiday party dresses and looked down the store's empty aisles.

"There's no one out here!" she said. "This is sad."

Black Friday for decades was a rite of passage for U.S. shoppers. Many would spend Thanksgiving evening combing through circulars to plot their shopping route for the next day based on the deals they hoped to snag. But in recent years, retailers have tried to capture holiday sales earlier and earlier.

They've started offering mega-discounts in stores and online earlier instead of waiting until Black Friday. And in the last few years, they've opened locations on Thanksgiving Day, a once-sacred holiday from retail.

That has led to the "graying" of Black Friday. In fact, according to the National Retail Federation, the nation's largest retail trade group, nearly 60 percent of shoppers had already started holiday buying by Nov. 10.

Early numbers aren't out yet, but the retail group expected about 30 million people shopped on Thanksgiving and 99.7 million on Black Friday. It also expects about 135.8 million people will be shopping during the four-day weekend, compared with 133.7 million last year.

The group estimates overall sales for November and December will rise 3.7 percent to $630.5 billion compared with last year.

Judging from the crowds so far, though, the shopper numbers could be hard to come by. "The frenzy and traffic levels were subdued," said Craig Johnson, president of Customer Growth Partners, a retail consultancy.

Here are the three biggest reasons for the graying of Black Friday:

You don't have to wait for discounts

Many stores pushed discounts on holiday merchandise early. Because of that, some shoppers weren't excited about discounts on Thanksgiving and Black Friday.

Jeff Simpson, a principal at Deloitte, also said doorbusters — fat discounts on hot items that once drew shoppers in for store openings — are losing their "umph." Ten years ago, major retailers would focus on the 10 best items and discount them below costs, he said. Now, many stores offer several hundred doorbusters, and many of the items don't carry a name brand.

"They got watered down," he said. "When you run that many doorbusters, can they really be that special?"

Some shoppers are already jaded about Black Friday deals. Take Bintou Cham, who got discounts of 40 to 50 percent at J.C. Penney and other stores in New York City, but was hoping for more.

"I was looking for 70 percent off," she said.

More people shop online

Many stores made their deals available online and in stores for the official start of the season.

It's not clear whether that move made more people shop online instead of heading to stores. But Deloitte's Simpson said retailers need shoppers in the stores. "You tend to buy fewer items online," he said.

But executives from top retailers including Wal-Mart, Target and J. C. Penney dismiss the chatter about the irrelevance of Black Friday, saying they have worked hard to blend their online operations with the physical stores. Target, Wal-Mart, Toys R Us and J.C. Penney all said they were pleased with traffic both at the stores and online for the official start of the holiday season.

J.C. Penney's CEO Marvin Ellison said: "We saw customers going back and forth, researching online and then go to the stores." And Wal-Mart's Steve Bratspies, chief merchandising officer, said the chain saw more shoppers going back forth between its website and its stores compared with a year.

But sometimes retailers lose when customers go online. Ashley Walton got out early to go to stores on Black Friday, but she left disappointed. She said Wal-Mart didn't have the tablet she wanted for her son.

She solved that quickly by ordering it on Amazon.com.

No one will start a fight over anything, really

Trend experts say there's no single item that's making shoppers rush to stores.

William Taubman, chief operating officer at Taubman Centers, which operates more than 20 U.S. malls, said that without a clear trend in fashion there's less of an urgency to buy.

"The trend is no trend," he said.

For Pam Williams, the Black Friday shopping has lost a bit of its luster because there's no rush of getting a sought-after item. "They kind of took the fun out of Black Friday when they started opening up on Thursday," said Williams, who was shopping in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania on Friday.

Not that there aren't any hot items. Jim Silver, editor-in-chief of TTPM, an online review site, said about 10 toys are already hard to find, including certain "Star Wars" toys. Still, there doesn't seem to be panic right now.

That's something Keith Nelson noticed as he stood in line on Thanksgiving, waiting for Toys R Us's 8 p.m. open. "Lines used to be longer, people would be sleeping and bringing lounge chairs out here," he said.

Toys R Us CEO Dave Brandon said the lines weren't as long as last year, but the traffic built throughout the night. He declined to give specific numbers.







Reporter mocked by Trump says they knew each other

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Donald Trump said he couldn't have been making fun of a reporter's disability because he doesn't know the man. Not so, says the reporter.

Serge Kovaleski of The New York Times said he has met Trump repeatedly, interviewing him in his office and talking to him at news conferences, when he worked for the New York Daily News in the late 1980s. "Donald and I were on a first-name basis for years," he said in a Times story about the Republican presidential candidate's behavior at a rally in South Carolina last week.

Onstage Tuesday, Trump flailed his arms in an apparent attempt to imitate mannerisms of the "poor guy." He accused Kovaleski of backing off a story from a week after the 9/11 attacks that said authorities in New Jersey detained and questioned "a number of people who were allegedly seen celebrating the attacks." Kovaleski then worked for The Washington Post.

Trump cites the story as proof of his claim that "thousands" of Muslims in New Jersey celebrated the devastation across the river. But the story did not suggest "thousands" were observed celebrating or that the reports of such a scene were true. Other accounts from that time concluded the allegations were unfounded.

Kovaleski has arthrogryposis, a congenital condition that restricts joint movement. In his speech, Trump cited the 2001 story, "written by a nice reporter," and went on: "Now the poor guy, you oughta see this guy — uh, I don't know what I said, uh, I don't remember. He's going like, I don't remember." He made jerking gestures and his voice took on a mocking tone.

On Thursday, Trump posted a statement on his Twitter account saying "I have no idea" who Kovaleski is.

He wrote: "If Mr. Kovaleski is handicapped, I would not know, because I do not know what he looks like. If I did know, I would definitely not say anything about his appearance."

Kovaleski challenged that statement in a Times story posted online Thursday night.

"I've interviewed him in his office," he said. "I've talked to him at press conferences. All in all, I would say around a dozen times. I've interacted with him as a reporter" when he worked for the Daily News.

White House Christmas tree arrives from Pennsylvania

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — First lady Michelle Obama has kicked off the holiday season at the White House by welcoming this year's Christmas tree.

It's a Fraser fir grown in Pennsylvania that stands more than 18 feet tall.

The tree is traditionally displayed in the Blue Room of the White House. The first lady says this year's tree will honor the military.

Two days after President Barack Obama pardoned "Abe" and an alternate turkey named "Honest," the transition to Christmas was in full throttle Friday at the White House. Workers were busy putting up an array of Christmas trees inside the grounds, while the Blue Room centerpiece arrived via horse-drawn carriage.

The White House Historical Association credits Lou Henry Hoover with establishing the custom of decorating an official tree in the White House.

Carson visiting Syrian refugees in Jordan

By Steve Peoples
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Republican presidential candidate Ben Carson is in the Middle East this weekend to meet with Syrian refugees.

The retired neurosurgeon has been facing questions about his command of foreign policy. Carson planned to tour one of Jordan's major refugee camps Friday and Saturday, campaign manager Barry Bennett said. Bennett declined to release more details about the two-day mission because of security concerns.

Like other Republicans, Carson has sometimes taken a harsh tone when discussing the issue. Last week, he likened blocking potential terrorists posing as Syrian refugees to handling a rabid dog.

"We have to have in place screening mechanisms that allow us to determine who the mad dogs are, quite frankly," he said. "Who are the people who want to come in here and hurt us and want to destroy us?"

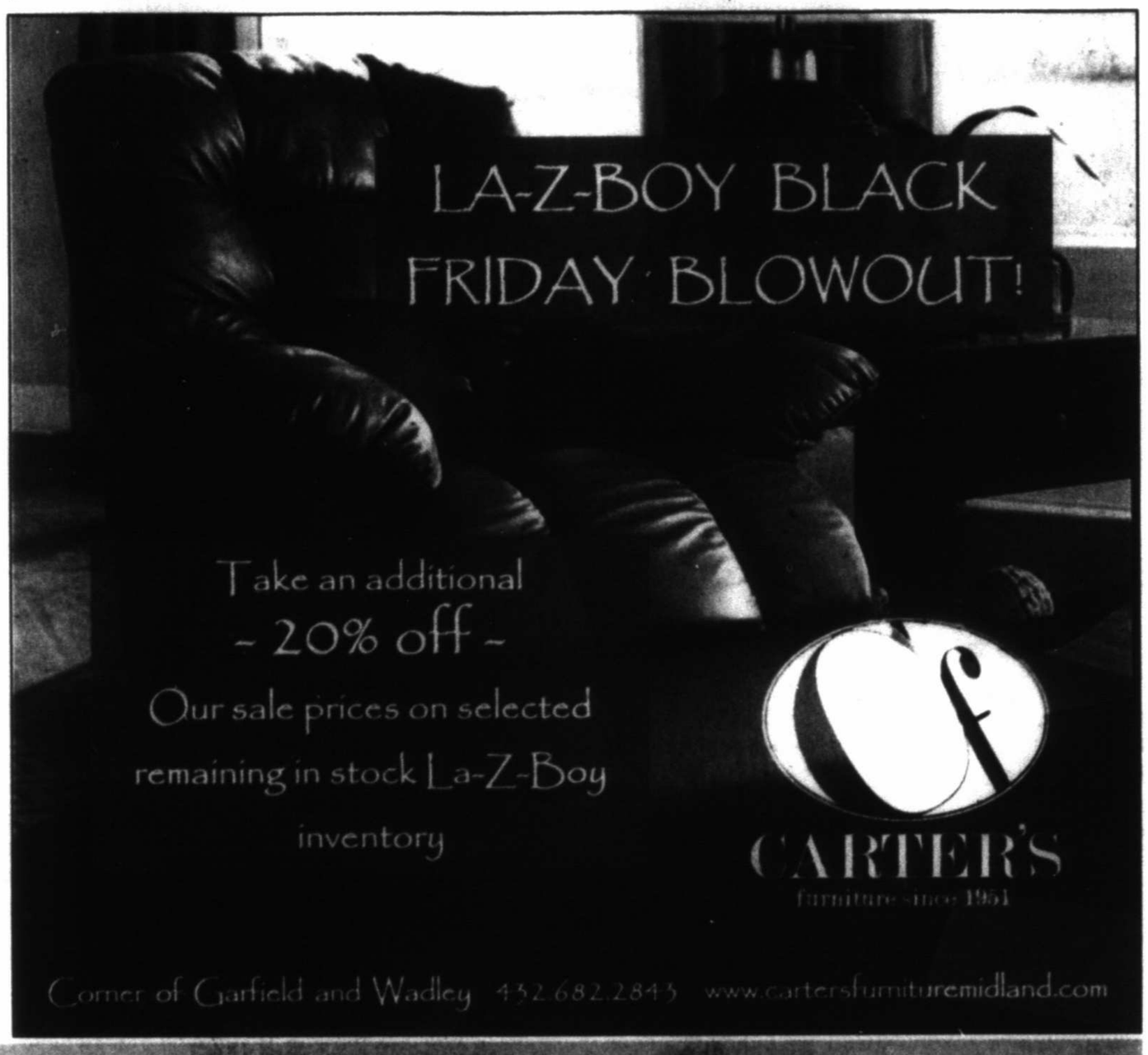
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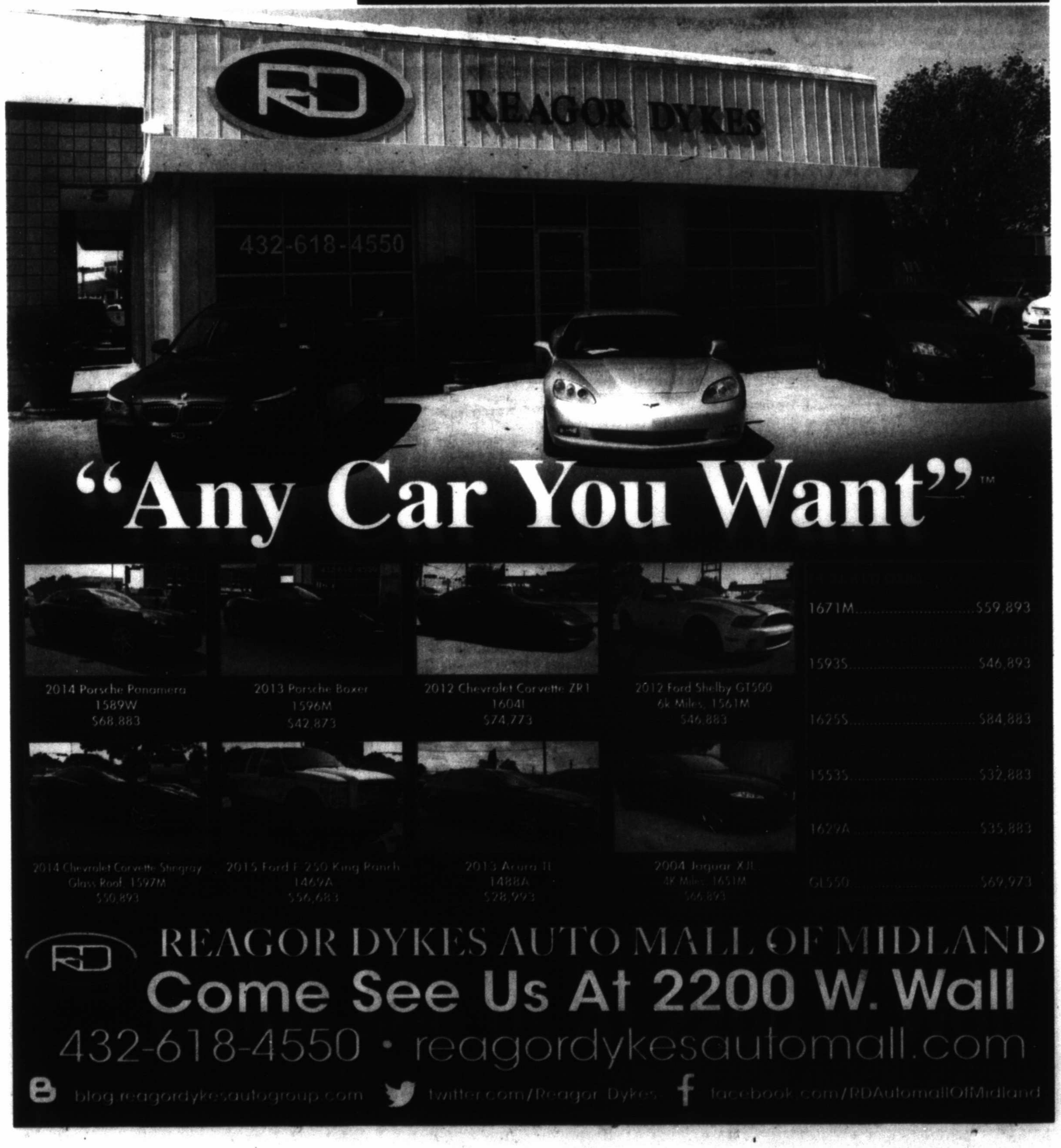
Debate over Syrians fleeing their war-torn country has erupted following a series of terrorist attacks in Paris that raised security concerns across the West. Carson and his GOP rivals have criticized President Barack Obama's plan to welcome 10,000 Syrian refugees this budget year, expressing concern that terrorists may sneak into the country among them. Many Republicans have linked the Paris attackers to Syrian refugees, although European authorities have yet to confirm such connections.

Carson has repeatedly struggled to discuss international affairs as they become a greater focus in the 2016 presidential contest. Those close to him concede his foreign policy fluency isn't yet where it needs to be. They hope missions like this will help change that.

"I'd say he's 75 percent of the way there," Armstrong Williams, Carson's longtime business manager and closest confidant, said last week of the candidate's grasp of foreign policy. "The world is a complex place, and he wants to get it right."

Carson is scheduled to return to the United States late Saturday, Bennett said.





Things we're NOT thankful for in the world of sports

By Paul Newberry
Associated Press

Another Thanksgiving in the books. So passes that day when sports columnists observe a 24-hour moratorium on griping in order to roll out all the things they're thankful for, a tradition that was perfected by the late, great Furman Bisher in Atlanta.

Well, we've never been one to follow the crowds on Black Friday, especially when it goes against everything we're about.

So, with our bellies properly stuffed and our grouch meter at full blast, here are some things we're NOT thankful for:

CONFUSION COMES IN STRIPES: It's beyond time for the NFL to actually hire full-time officials, but a rash of blown calls this season has only raised the urgency. To be fair, it's not entirely the fault of the guys in the stripes. The rulebook is a convoluted mess, filled with contradictions and unnecessary attempts to account for every possible scenario. For example, does anyone know what a catch is anymore?

BOWLING GONE WILD: GoDaddy Bowl. Camelia Bowl. Boca Raton Bowl. Foster Farms Bowl. The NCAA has created a ridiculous glut of postseason games — 40 in all, not even counting the national championship — setting up the very real possibility of some slots being filled by teams with losing records. Essentially, the bowl system is nothing more than ESPN's December programming schedule. The folks in Bristol should at least cut everyone's costs by staging the games in a studio with a green-screen backdrop, projecting images of whatever city they're supposed to be in.

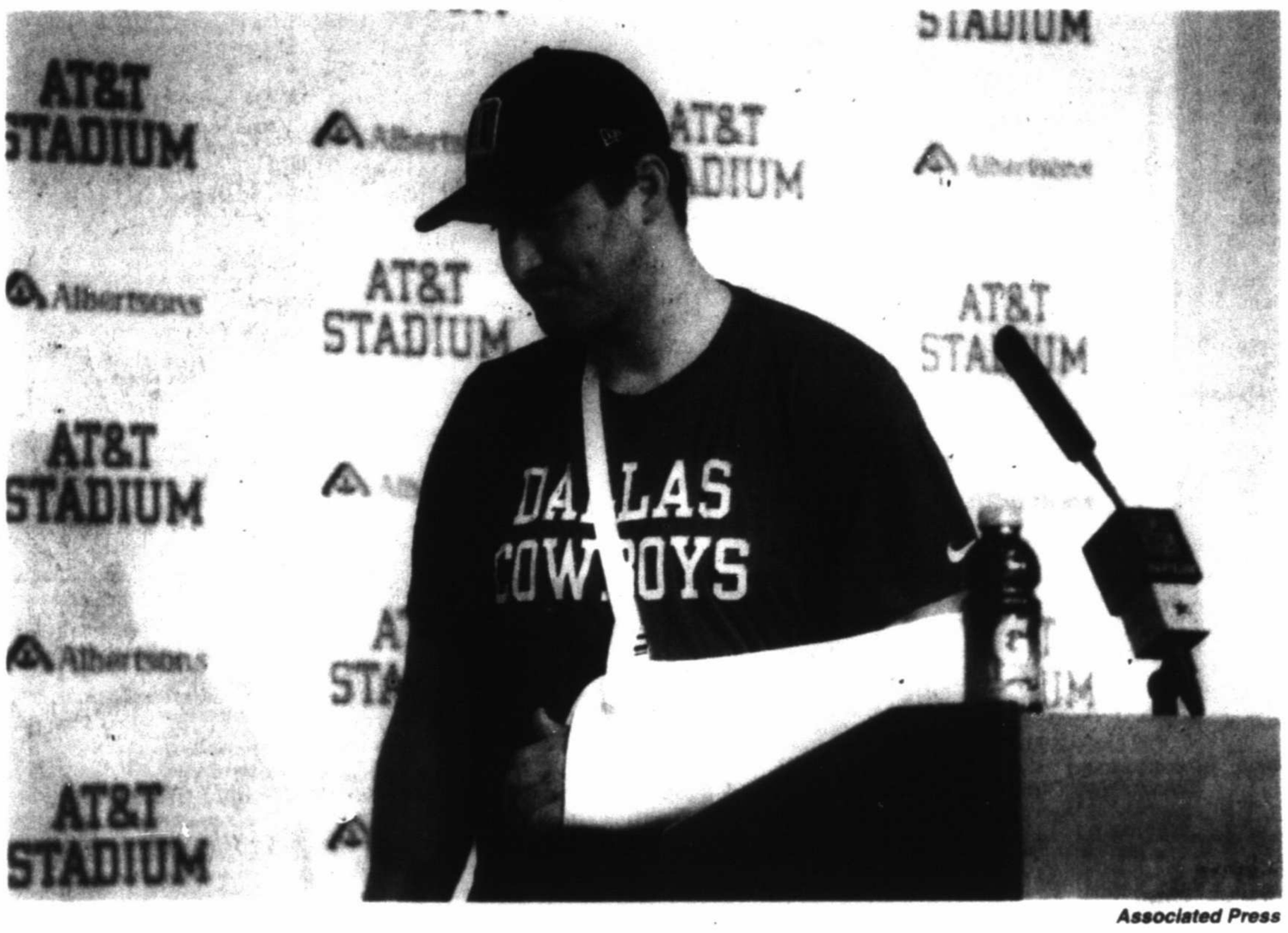
SCOUNDRELS OF SOCCER: Compared to FIFA, the Corleones were an upstanding bunch. Led by Sepp Blatter, the governing body of soccer has been thoroughly exposed for what we suspected all along — it's nothing more than a pack of thieves lining their pockets with millions of ill-gotten gains from all corners of the globe. Blatter is planning to retire and just about everyone else is indicted, but soccer fans will be feeling the pain at least until the 2022 World Cup in Qatar, which must be staged in winter instead of its usual summer slot because of the country's sweltering heat.

SCARY STADIUMS: After the terrorist attacks in Paris, which included the attempted bombing of the country's national stadium during a high-profile soccer match, we'll all have to get used to standing in long lines and enduring even more TSA-like security measures to see the games we love.

BRING ON THE ROCKERS: From Joe Louis to Willie Mays, our biggest stars have long had a knack for hanging on far too long. Now we've got Tiger Woods.

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SIDELINED AGAIN



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The Dallas Cowboys' Tony Romo turns away from the podium at a news conference after the Cowboys' 33-14 loss to the Carolina Panthers on Thursday in Arlington. Romo broke his collarbone in the game and will be out the rest of the season.

Romo out for year after 2nd collarbone injury

By Schuyler Dixon
Associated Press

ARLINGTON — Tony Romo knew he was risking another left collarbone injury by coming back eight weeks after breaking it.

The Dallas quarterback won't have to worry about another return. He's out for the season this time.

Cowboys owner and general manager Jerry Jones said on his radio show Friday that Romo would sit out the remaining five games with a small fracture in the same collarbone that had already sidelined him for seven games.

Romo will not need surgery after getting hurt in the third quarter of Thursday's 33-14 loss to Carolina. He didn't need surgery after breaking the collarbone in Week 2 at Philadelphia, either.

It's the third fracture in Romo's non-throwing shoulder in his nine-year career as the Dallas starter. He missed most of 2010 after getting hurt against the New York Giants.

"The hard part is playing when you're trying not to get hurt, which is silly," Romo said after he threw three interceptions and Carolina returned two of them for touchdowns before the injury. "I'm disappointed in costing our team a good chance to stay in the game early. Then on top of it, who knows how long after that. It's just a disappointing day."

Romo was in his second game back after the Cowboys (3-8) lost seven straight without him. The skid ended in his return at Miami, and the Carolina loss was his first of the season.

"We felt that the risk was worth the potential of having him be the impact he can be and he is on our team," Jones said on his radio show. "You shouldn't ever quit trying to do something that is extraordinary. The dream was if Tony could have come in, been the catalyst, played similarly and had results we had the week before against Miami ... that it would've been the beginning of maybe something special."

Matt Cassel, who started four games during Romo's first absence, will be the starter as long as he's healthy. He lost all four of his starts after Brandon Weeden was 0-3 filling in for Romo. The Cowboys released Weeden the week Romo was activated, and he signed with Houston.

"You have to step in and try to fulfill that role," Cassel said after leading Dallas' only touchdown drive against the Panthers. "Hopefully the guys rally around you. You have to move forward. I have confidence in myself and confidence in this team."

The 35-year-old Romo is becoming injury-prone late in his career. He's had two back surgeries since 2013, and a third back injury that sidelined him for a game last year. He also played through broken ribs and a punctured lung earlier in his career. He missed two games in 2008 with a broken finger.

"We wouldn't let Tony play if he wasn't ready to play physically," coach Jason Garrett said after the game. "There is no evidence we brought him back too soon."

Players talk openly to help destigmatize mental illness

By Kristie Rieken
Associated Press

HOUSTON — Arian Foster was in a bad place, drinking heavily to self-medicate and deal with the problems in his life.

The Houston Texans running back knew he needed help but was reluctant to seek it because of the stigma surrounding mental health issues. He overcame that fear, sought therapy and it changed his life.

"It just got to a point where I just threw my hands in the air and I was like: 'This is going to kill me,'" Foster said. "So I went and got help and it was the best decision I ever made."

Now that he's embraced the benefits of counseling, Foster has joined the Jets' Brandon Marshall's PROJECT 375, a nonprofit organization dedicated to eradicating the stigma surrounding mental illnesses and disorders. Foster is the first of what Marshall hopes will become a group of athletes, entertainers and business leaders who will talk openly about the issue as members of what he calls the organization's founders circle.



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On Nov. 21, Houston Texans running back Arian Foster, left, and New York Jets receiver Brandon Marshall talk about overcoming mental health issues in Houston. Foster has joined Marshall's PROJECT 375, a nonprofit organization dedicated to eradicating the stigma surrounding mental illnesses and disorders.

Marshall, a receiver for the New York Jets, was diagnosed with borderline personality disorder in 2011 when he sought treatment after off-the-field issues threatened to derail his NFL career. He and his wife, Michi, formed the organization and dedicated themselves to helping others with mental illnesses.

Doing this gave Marshall purpose and looking back he's so thankful he received his diagnosis and treatment when he did.

"I had a chance to lose my wife, possibly my career, and that would have been a lot, especially at the age of 27. I probably wouldn't have been able to cope and deal with that," Marshall said. "So I'm glad that we took the proper steps, did the work, and now we've went from patient to provider."

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MISD calls off athletic events because of poor weather

From staff reports

Midland ISD announced Friday that all athletic events for the remainder of the week have been canceled because of the threat of dangerous travel weather.

The Midland High girls basketball game against Lubbock Coronado, originally scheduled for 3 p.m. today, has been rescheduled for 6 p.m. Monday, Dec. 14.

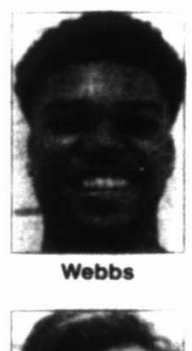
Also, the Class 1A Division I state quarterfinal game between Garden City and Crowell has been postponed until 6 p.m. Monday at McMurry University's Wilford Moore Stadium in Abilene.

Trinity moves on to title game after soggy, OT win

From staff reports

CHEROKEE — Trinity had to dig deep on Friday night if it wanted to advance to the TAPPS Six-Man Division I state championship, and it came through in cold and rainy conditions.

The Chargers rallied to defeat Baytown Christian, 23-15, in overtime during Friday's TAPPS Six-Man Division I semifinal at Indian Stadium in the Hill Country.



Webbs



Harrington

Trinity (11-2) advanced to Thursday's TAPPS Six-Man Division I state title and will face today's Houston Emery-Weiner/Pasadena First Baptist winner at 7 p.m. Thursday in Cedar Creek.

The Chargers trailed Baytown Christian, 15-0, heading into the fourth quarter of Friday's game.

However, Trinity rallied with 15 unanswered points to send the game into overtime.

In a span of two minutes and 10 seconds, the Chargers scored on a safety, a 45-yard rushing touchdown by Jacyree Webbs and on a blocked punt touchown return by Cade Lawson. After Lawson's score, the game was tied at 15 all with 7:48 left in regulation.

"In those conditions, you have to be able to compete all sides of the ball," Trinity head coach Antwan Alexander said of the offense, defense and special teams scores. "We saw the opportunity and we capitalized."

In overtime, Peyton Harrington propelled Trinity to its first lead when he scored on an 8-yard rushing touchdown. The Chargers added two points when Chesley McDonald successfully kicked the conversion attempt, pushing Trinity to a 23-15 advantage.

The Bulldogs (8-3) had one last opportunity to tie it and Trinity's defense stopped them on a fourth-and-goal at the 1-yard line to seal the victory.

The Chargers defense held Baytown to zero yards passing and recovered four fumbles.

"It was the defense that was the difference," Alexander said. "It was Coach (Shane) Roberts' defense. The calls he was (making), you couldn't call a better game than what he did. The kids on the defensive side were understanding."

Webbs had nine rushing attempts for 86 yards for Trinity, while quarterback

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Bobsledding
BMW ISBF World Cup: Men's Skeleton, 4 p.m., UHD
BMW ISBF World Cup: 2-Man Bobsled, 5 p.m., UHD

Boxing
Charlo vs Campfort, 2 p.m., NBC
Fury vs Klitschko, 10:15 p.m., HBO
DeGale vs Bute, 11 p.m., SHO

College Football
Ohio State at Michigan, 11 a.m., ABC/ESPNDEP
Clemson at South Carolina, 11 a.m., ESPN
Georgia at Georgia Tech, 11 a.m., ESPN2
Virginia Tech at Virginia, 11 a.m., ESPNU
SMU at Memphis, 11 a.m., ESPNews
Iowa State at West Virginia, 11 a.m., FS1
Southern Miss at Louisiana Tech, 11 a.m., FSN
Louisville at Kentucky, 11 a.m., SEC
Cincinnati at East Carolin, 11 a.m., CBSSN
Indiana at Purdue, 11 a.m, BTN
Boston College at Syracuse, 11:30 a.m., FSSW+
UNLV at Wyoming, 1 p.m., ROOT
Middle Tennessee at UTSA, 1:30 p.m., FCSC
Colorado at Utah, 1:30 p.m., P12
UCLA at USC, 2:30 p.m., ABC/ESPNDEP
Alabama at Auburn, 2:30 p.m., CBS
Penn State at Michigan State, 2:30 p.m., ESPN
North Carolina at NC State, 2:30 p.m., ESPN2
Northwestern vs Illinois, 2:30 p.m., ESPNU
UTEP at North Texas, 2:30 p.m., FSN
BYU at Utah State, 2:30 p.m., CBSSN
Wisconsin at Minnesota, 2:30 p.m., BTN
Kansas State at Kansas, 3 p.m., FS1
Vanderbilt at Tennessee, 3 p.m., SEC
Texas State at Idaho, 4 p.m., ESPN3
Southern vs Grambling, 4 p.m., NBCSN
Connecticut at Temple, 6 p.m., ESPNU
Ole Miss at Mississippi State, 6:15 p.m., ESPN2
Notre Dame at Stanford, 6:30 p.m., FOX/FXDEP
Florida State at Florida, 6:30 p.m., ESPN
Texas A&M at LSU, 6:30 p.m., SEC
Oklahoma at Oklahoma State, 7 p.m., ABC
Colorado State at Fresno State, 8 p.m., CBSSN
Arizona State at Cal, 9 p.m., FS1
Air Force at New Mexico, 9:15 p.m., ESPNU
Nevada at San Diego State, 9:45 p.m., ESPN2

Golf
PGA: Australian Emirates Open: Final Round, 7 p.m., GOLF
European PGA: Alfred Dunhill Links Championship, Final Round, 4 a.m., GOLF

High School Football
MHSAA Division 7 Final: Pewamo-Westphalia vs Ishpeming, 9 a.m., FCSP
Indiana 2A Final: Whiting vs Monrovia, 11 a.m., FCSA
Indiana 4A Final: Fort Wayne Bishop Dwenger vs East Central, 2:30 p.m., FCSA

Men's College Basketball
Bryant at Georgetown, 11 a.m., FS2
Northern Iowa at North Dakota, 2 p.m., FCSP
Hawaii at Texas Tech, 3 p.m., FSSW+
SIU Edwardsville at Butler, 4 p.m., FS2
Emerald Coast Classic: Championship, 6 p.m., CBSSN
Georgia at Seton Hall, 6:30 p.m., FS1
Cleveland State at Maryland, 6:30 p.m., BTN
Western Illinois at Creighton, 7 p.m., FS2
Texas State at McNeese State, 7 p.m., ROOT
Louisiana-Monroe at Houston, 7 p.m., ESPN3
Belmont at BYU, 8 p.m., BYUtv
Texas Southern at Washington State, 8 p.m., P12/P12 WA
Great Alaska Shootout: Championship, 11:30 p.m., CBSSN

Men's Soccer
Scottish Premier: Rangers vs St. Mirren, 6 a.m., FSP
Bundesliga: Bayern Munich vs Hertha BSC Berlin, 8:30 a.m., FS1/FXDEP
Bundesliga: 1899 Hoffenheim vs Borussia Monchengladbach, 8:30 a.m., FS2
Bundesliga: FSV Mainz 05 vs Eintracht Frankfurt, 8:30 a.m., FSP
Bundesliga: Werder Bremen vs Hamburg, 8:30 a.m., GolTV
La Liga: Barcelona vs Real Sociedad de Futbol, 8:50 a.m., beIN/beIN2
English Premier: Manchester City vs Southampton, 9 a.m., NBCSN/NBCU
English Premier: Bournemouth vs Everton, 9 a.m., NBCET
English Premier: Crystal Palace vs Newcastle, 9 a.m., NBCET
English Premier: Aston Villa vs Watford, 9 a.m., NBCET
English Premier: Sunderland vs Stoke City, 9 a.m., NBCET
Bundesliga: Hannover 96 vs FC Ingolstadt 04, 10:30 a.m., GolTV
English Premier: Leicester City vs Manchester United, 11:30 a.m., NBC/NBCU
Uruguay: Plaza Colonia vs Penarol, 4 p.m., GolTV
Liga MX Quarterfinal, Leg 2: Jaguares de Chiapas vs Tigres UANL, 5:50 p.m., UNI/UDN
Liga MX Quarterfinal, Leg 2: Club America vs Club Leon, 8 p.m., TELE/NBCU

Motorsports
F1: Abu Dhabi Grand Prix, Qualifying, 7 a.m., CNBC/UDN
National Basketball Association
Denver at Dallas, 7:30 p.m., FSSW
Atlanta at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m., FSSWSA

National Hockey League
Washington at Toronto, 6 p.m., NHL
Dallas at Minnesota, 7 p.m., FSSW+

Tennis
Davis Cup Final: Rubber 3, 8 a.m., TENNIS

RADIO

College Football
Texas A&M at LSU, 6:30 p.m., KACT 1360 AM (Andrews); KBST 1490 AM (Big Spring)

Men's College Basketball
Hawaii at Texas Tech 3 p.m., KCRS 97.5 FM/550 AM

NAHL Hockey
Wichita Falls at Odessa, 7 p.m., KFZX 102.1 FM

National Basketball Association
Denver at Dallas, 7:30 p.m., KBEST 95.7 FM (Big Spring)

Denton Guyer takes down San Angelo Central

From staff reports

ARLINGTON — Denton Guyer had 380 yards rushing and Myron Mason had three touchdown runs to help beat San Angelo Central, 35-27, in a Class 6A Division II regional round playoff game at AT&T Stadium on Friday afternoon.

Central ended its season at 11-2.

Guyer (10-3) advances to the play the winner of today's Arlington Lamar-Mansfield game in the state quarterfinal round.

The game was close throughout until Mason scored his third touchdown of the day with a 75-yard run to give the Wildcats a 35-21 lead midway through the fourth quarter.

Brennen Wooten threw for 272 yards and two touchdowns for the Bobcats.

DENTON GUYER 35, SAN ANGELO CENTRAL 27

Central	14	7	0	6	—27
Guyer	14	7	0	14	—35

First Quarter
Guyer — Myron Mason 5 run (Cole Schroeder kick), 5:52 remaining
Guyer — Mason 45 run (Schroeder kick), 4:07
Central — Dedrick Howard (Marc Cabrera kick), 3:50
Central — Will Grindstaff 41 pass from Brennen Wooten (Cabrera kick), 1:04
Second Quarter
Guyer — Noah Cain 73 run (Schroeder kick), 6:49
Central — Mike Brown 29 pass from Aaron Wooten (Cabrera kick), 0:51
Fourth Quarter
Guyer — Da'Von Harmon 3 pass from Shawn Robinson (Schroeder kick), 6:27
Guyer — Mason 75 run (Schroeder kick), 6:27
Central — Aaron Wooten 5 pass from Brennen Wooten (kick blocked), 3:45

	CEN	GUY
First downs	12	9
Rushes-yards	30-6	35-380
Passing yards	281	22
Comp-att-int	24-45-1	4-9-0
Punts-avg.	3-35.6	4-38.5
Fumbles-lost	1-0	2-1
Penalties-yds	5-56	4-30

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING — Central, Brennen Wooten 6-35, Khalil Antoine 6-14, Daven Manning 5-11, Cal Vincent 2-5, Guyer, Noah Cain 13-148, Myron Mason 8-124, Shawn Robinson 12-98, Luke Stillwell 2-10.

PASSING — Central, Wooten 23-44-1—272, Vincent 1-1-0—5, Guyer, Robinson 4-8-0—22, Stillwell 0-1-0—0.

RECEIVING — Central, Will Grindstaff 13-161, Mike Brown 2-42, Adam West 3-41, Cal Vincent 4-24, Aaron Wooten 2-13, Guyer, Brandon Daniel 1-9, Thabo Mwanilwi 1-5, Christian Moore 1-5, Da'Von Harmon 1-3.

TRINITY

From 1B

Vincent Baiano had trouble completing a high percentage of passes in the soggy conditions, going 8 of 29 for 141 yards.

The Chargers fumbled the ball four times, losing two of them.

"It was bad," Alexander said of the conditions.

"The weather was not on anyone's side. I wouldn't have wanted it any other way. The weather, it evened out the field as far as each side had to endure. It came down to heart and who wanted it more."

TRINITY 23, BAYTOWN CHRISTIAN 15, OT

Trinity	0	0	0	15	8—23
Baytown	15	0	0	0	0—15

First Quarter
Baytown — Trevon Huston 46 run (kick failed), 9:48
Baytown — Safety, 6:09
Trinity — Hudson Newport recovers fumble in end zone (Huston run), 4:21
Fourth Quarter
Trinity — Safety, 7:48
Trinity — Jacyree Webbs 45 run (pass failed), 8:50
Trinity — Cade Lawson blocked punt recovery (Carson Parrish pass from Ethan Schlittler), 7:48
Overtime
Trinity — Peyton Harrington 8 run (Chesley McDonald kick)

	Trinity	Baytown
First downs	9	5
Rushes-yards	25-77	41-191
Passing yards	141	0
Comp-Att-Int	8-29-0	0-4-0
Punts-Avg.	1-22.0	3-22.0
Fumbles-lost	3-2	6-4
Penalties-yards	2-20	7-67

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING — Trinity, Jacyree Webbs 9-86, Cade Lawson 3-46, Peter Rodenko 1-3, Peyton Trinity 2-3, Vincent Baino 2-(-6), Treydan Seay 8-(-13). Baytown Christian, Trevon Huston 31-199, Caleb Lister 5-6, Jamichael Green 1-3, Brisco Haggarty 2-0, Hudson Newport 2-(-17).

PASSING — Trinity, Vincent Baiano 8-29-0—141. Baytown Christian, Trevon Huston 0-3-0—0, Ryan Hicks 0-1-0—0.

RECEIVING — Trinity, Peter Rodenko 2-87, Chris Picciano 1-17, Cade Lawson 1-15, Lewis Ohlman 1-9, Peyton Harrington 2-8, Daniel Webb 1-5.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SCORES

FRIDAY'S SCORES

CLASS 6A Division I

Region I
Regional
Allen 36, Arlington Martin 11

Region III
Regional
Galena Park North Shore 28, Cypress Falls 21

Region IV
Regional
Converse Judson 45, Laredo United 0
Smithson Valley 35, Harlingen 20

CLASS 6A Division II

Region I
Regional
Denton Guyer 35, San Angelo Central 27

Region III
Regional
Katy 66, Friendswood 0

Region IV
Regional
Schertz Clemens 41, San Benito 15

CLASS 5A Division I

Region I
Regional
Alamo 33, Abilene Cooper 0

Region III
Regional
Temple 27, Richmond Foster 7

Region IV
Regional
Austin Vandegrift 49, Edinburg Vela 39
Cedar Park Vista Ridge 35, Victoria West 14

CLASS 5A Division II

Region I
Regional
Lake Dallas 51, El Paso Eastlake 21

Region II
Regional
Lancaster 40, Terrell 20

Region III
Regional
Angleton 38, College Station 22

Region IV
Regional
CC Calallen 60, Boerne-Champion 39
Cedar Park 42, Edcouch-Elsa 0

CLASS 4A Division I

Region I
Regional
Abilene Wylie 61, Levelland 8
Brownwood 23, Mineral Wells 13

Region II
Regional
Argyle 58, Kennedale 34
Texarkana Liberty-Eylau 38, Kaufman 22

Region III
Regional
Carthage 55, Navasota 48
Silsbee 43, El Campo 42

Region IV
Regional
China Spring 21, Gatesville 14
Waco La Vega 6, Liberty Hill 0, OT

CLASS 4A Division II

Region I
Regional
Celina 46, Perryton 0
Krum 31, Sweetwater 0

Region II
Regional
Atlanta 42, Lorena 0
Gilmer 36, Center 21

Region III
Regional
Bellville 37, Giddings 20
West Orange-Stark 69, Caldwell 13

Region IV
Regional
Cuero 25, Geronimo Navarro 13

CLASS 3A Division I

Region I
Regional
Brock 45, Wall 14

Region II
Regional
Sunnyvale 32, White Oak 15

Region III
Regional
Cameron Yoe 42, Grandview 28
Teague 36, SA South San West 23

Region IV
Regional
Hitchcock 41, Alief Rice 24
Mathis 36, Goliad 22

CLASS 3A Division II

Region I
Regional
Henrietta 27, Eastland 7
Idalou 37, Coleman 0

Region II
Regional
Waskom 36, Arp 18

Region III
Regional
Crockett 49, Corrigan-Camden 24
Franklin 28, Newton 20

Region IV
Regional
Boling 28, Odem 20
East Bernard 42, Blanco 6

CLASS 2A Division I

Region II
Regional
Crawford 36, Goldthwaite 12
Tolar 30, Bosqueville 17

Region III
Regional
Shelbyville 27, Centerville 21

Region IV
Regional
Shiner 41, Flatonia 7
Refugio 41, Wenmar 7

CLASS 2A Division II

Region I
Regional
Seagraves 34, Quanah 28

Region II
Regional
Albany 43, Seymour 7
Iraan 35, Roscoe 18

Region III
Regional
Muleshoe 49, Hubbard 6
Tenaha 24, Normangee 14

Region IV
Regional
Bremond 41, Falls City 14

CLASS 1A Division I

State Quarterfinal
Abbott 42, Milford 26
Zephyr 52, Rochelle-44

CLASS 1A Division II

State Quarterfinal
Imperial Buena Vista 46, Balmorhea 41
Richland Springs 52, Jonesboro 7

TAPPS 6-Man
WF Notre Dame 68, Granbury North Central 45

NHL GLANCE

Stars 3
Canucks 2, SO

DALLAS — Tyler Seguin scored on the first shot of the shootout, Antti Niemi stopped all three Vancouver attempts after making 34 saves and the Dallas Stars beat the Vancouver Canucks 3-2 on Friday night.

Vancouver's Henrik Sedin tied the game on the power play with 4:10 left. Daniel Sedin assisted with a pass across the goal mouth.

The Stars outshot the Canucks 6-2 in overtime, but goalie Ryan Miller stopped them even during a power play. Miller finished with 23 saves.

Niemi deflected Vancouver's last shootout attempt by Chris Higgins wide of the net.

Dallas' Jamie Benn scored his league-leading 17th goal on a tip-in on the power play with 4:33 left in the first period.

Daniel Sedin tied the game for the Canucks at 3:10 of the second period, but Jason Spezza put Dallas back ahead with a power-play goal with 8:08 left in the second.

The Stars won in their first shootout this season. Vancouver is 1-1 in shootouts.

Patrick Sharp had two assists for Dallas, the only NHL team that hasn't lost two straight games this season.

Vancouver controlled the puck for much of the first period but failed to score. The Stars killed 6 minutes of penalties in the first 10:22 of the game.

On Dallas' first power play, Seguin's one-timer from above the left faceoff circle went in off Benn's left ankle.

Standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Montreal	24	18	4	2	38	86	53
Ottawa	22	12	5	5	29	73	64
Boston	22	13	8	1	27	73	64
Detroit	23	12	8	3	27	55	58
Tampa Bay	24	11	10	3	25	57	55
Florida	22	9	9	4	22	58	58
Buffalo	23	9	12	2	20	50	61
Toronto	22	7	10	5	19	51	62

Metropolitan Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
N.Y Rangers	23	16	5	2	34	70	47
Washington	22	16	5	1	33	71	49
Pittsburgh	22	13	8	1	27	50	51
N.Y Islanders	23	11	8	4	26	64	57
New Jersey	22	11	9	2	24	53	55
Philadelphia	23	8	10	5	21	47	65
Carolina	23	8	11	4	20	47	66
Columbus	24	10	14	0	20	59	73

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Central Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Dallas	23	18	5	0	36	81	59
St. Louis	23	14	6	3	31	62	57
Nashville	22	12	6	4	28	58	56
Chicago	23	13	8	2	28	65	59
Minnesota	21	11	7	3	25	60	57
Winnipeg	24	11	11	2	24	64	75
Colorado	22	8	13	1	17	63	67

Pacific Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Los Angeles	22	13	8	1	27	55	48
San Jose	22	13	9	0	26	61	56
Arizona	22	12	9	1	25	61	62
Vancouver	24	9	8	7	25	69	65
Anaheim	24	8	11	5	21	47	65
Calgary	23	8	13	2	18	54	82
Edmonton	23	7	14	2	16	59	72

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

Scores & schedule

Friday's Scores
Montreal 3, New Jersey 2, SO
Florida 3, N.Y Islanders 2, SO
Dallas 3, Vancouver 2, SO
Boston 4, N.Y Rangers 3
Philadelphia 3, Nashville 2, OT
Winnipeg 3, Minnesota 1
Chicago 3, Anaheim 2, OT
Washington 4, Tampa Bay 2
Buffalo 4, Carolina 1
Columbus 2, Pittsburgh 1, OT
Detroit 4, Edmonton 3, OT
Arizona 2, Calgary 1, OT

Today's Games
Philadelphia at N.Y Rangers, 12:30 p.m.
Washington at Toronto, 6 p.m.
New Jersey at Montreal, 6 p.m.
N.Y Islanders at Tampa Bay, 6 p.m.
Edmonton at Pittsburgh, 6 p.m.
Columbus at St. Louis, 7 p.m.
Buffalo at Nashville, 7 p.m.
Dallas at Minnesota, 7 p.m.
Winnipeg at Colorado, 9 p.m.
Ottawa at Arizona, 9 p.m.
Calgary at San Jose, 9 p.m.
Chicago at Los Angeles, 9:30 p.m.

JACKALOPES BRIEF

JACKS FALL TO WILDCATS IN SHOOTOUT

ODESSA — Odessa goaltender Dean Shatzer turned in another tremendous outing, but the Wichita Falls Wildcats won in a shootout, 2-1, Friday night at the Ector County Coliseum.

Friday's game was no doubt the Jacks' best performance against the Wildcats this season, earning its first point in six tries. In the shootout loss, Shatzer (4-5-0-2) made 34 saves on 35 shots. In the last two games, he has stopped 74 of 76 shots faced.

After a scoreless opening frame that saw each team go 0-1 on the power play, Wichita Falls struck first in the second period, when Austin Albrecht beat Shatzer at 7:13 on a snapshot from the high slot.

In the third, Odessa used a triple redirect to tie the game at 12:24 and forced overtime on Gray Marr's fifth goal of the year.

In the shootout, Adam Goodsir became the hero, beating Shatzer for the game winner.

Justin Kapelmaster earned the win (13-1-1) after making 34 saves on 35 shots.

From staff reports

WHAT'S ON DECK

High school

BOYS BASKETBALL
Levelland at Andrews, 3 p.m.

Junior college

MEN'S BASKETBALL
MC at Native American Classic, Glendale, Ariz.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL
Midland College vs. Phoenix College, 1 p.m., Odessa

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

American League
TORONTO BLUE JAYS — Agreed to terms with LHP J.A. Happ on a three-year contract.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association
NBA — Suspended Milwaukee coach Jason Kidd one game for aggressively pursuing and confronting a game official, slapping the ball out of his hands, and not leaving the court in a timely manner upon his ejection during a Nov. 25 game against Sacramento.

International Basketball Federation
FIBA — Suspended the Mexican basketball federation because of the national government's interference in how the sport is run.

FOOTBALL

National Football League
CINCINNATI BENGALS — Activated OT Cedric Ogbuehi from the reserve/non-football injury list. Placed CB Darquese Dennard on injured reserve.
NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS — Released LB Eric Martin.
PHILADELPHIA EAGLES — Signed DB Jaylen Watkins from Buffalo's practice squad. Placed CB Nolan Carroll on injured reserve.
WASHINGTON REDSKINS — Signed CB Dashaun Phillips. Placed CB Chris Culliver on injured reserve.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League
COLORADO AVALANCHE — Reassigned F Dennis Everberg to San Antonio (AHL). Recalled LW Andrew Agozzino from San Antonio.
MONTREAL CANADIENS — Recalled G Dustin Tokarski and LW Christian Thomas from St. John's (AHL). Assigned D Jarred Tinordi to St. John's for conditioning purposes.
NEW JERSEY DEVILS — Placed F Jiri Tlusty on injured reserve, retroactive to Nov. 20. Signed F Tyler Kennedy to a one-year contract.

American Hockey League
ALBANY DEVILS — Signed RW Alexandre Carrier to a professional tryout contract.
SPRINGFIELD FALCONS — Signed Fs Mike Hoeffel and Jon DiSalvatore to professional tryout contracts. Released D Keith Aulie from his professional tryout contract.

ECHL
READING ROYALS — Announced G Connor Knapp was recalled by Lehigh Valley (AHL) and F Brandon Alderson was assigned to the team from Lehigh Valley. Signed G Brent Troyan.

COLLEGE
HAWAII — Named Nick Rolovich football coach.
UNLV — Announced sophomore F Goodluck Okonoboh is leaving the basketball program and will be granted his release.

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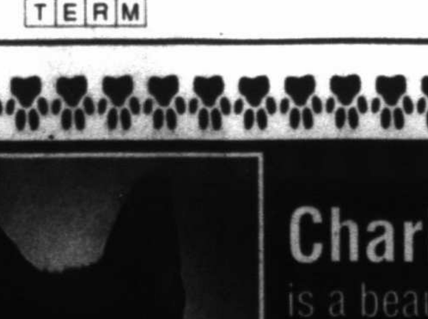
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Rumble in paradise

Syracuse gets past No. 25 A&M late

By Kyle Hightower
Associated Press

PARADISE ISLAND, Bahamas — Syracuse coach Jim Boeheim doesn't hand out compliments lightly.

He gave his team a big one after their performance in the Battle 4 Atlantis championship game.

"This was a great tournament for us. I don't think we've ever gone through a tournament where we've been the underdog for two straight games," he said. "So this might be one of our better wins."

Michael Gbinije had 20 points, Malachi Richardson added 16 and the Orange held off No. 25 Texas A&M 74-67 on Friday. It is Syracuse's first early season tournament title since the Orange won the 2013 Maui Invitational.

It took a second-half spurt for Syracuse to pull out a three-point win over Connecticut in the semifinals. This time the Orange relied on the toughness-driven brand of basketball that was its hallmarks in its Big East Conference days.

Gbinije was selected the tournament's most valuable player. Trevor Cooney added 15 points and made the all-tournament team.

The game was tight throughout the second half and featured nine ties and 12 lead changes.

But after the score was tied at 61, the Orange (6-0) outscored the Aggies (6-1) 13-6 over the final 5:38.

"We made 3's early so they had to come out and cover us," Cooney said. "We were about to get the lane and make plays. That's what we gotta continue to do."

Jalen Jones led Texas A&M with 23 points, and Danuel House added 15.

The Aggies led by two at halftime. That changed in the final 20 minutes as they struggled to get easy baskets. They also finished just 7 for 11 from the free throw line.

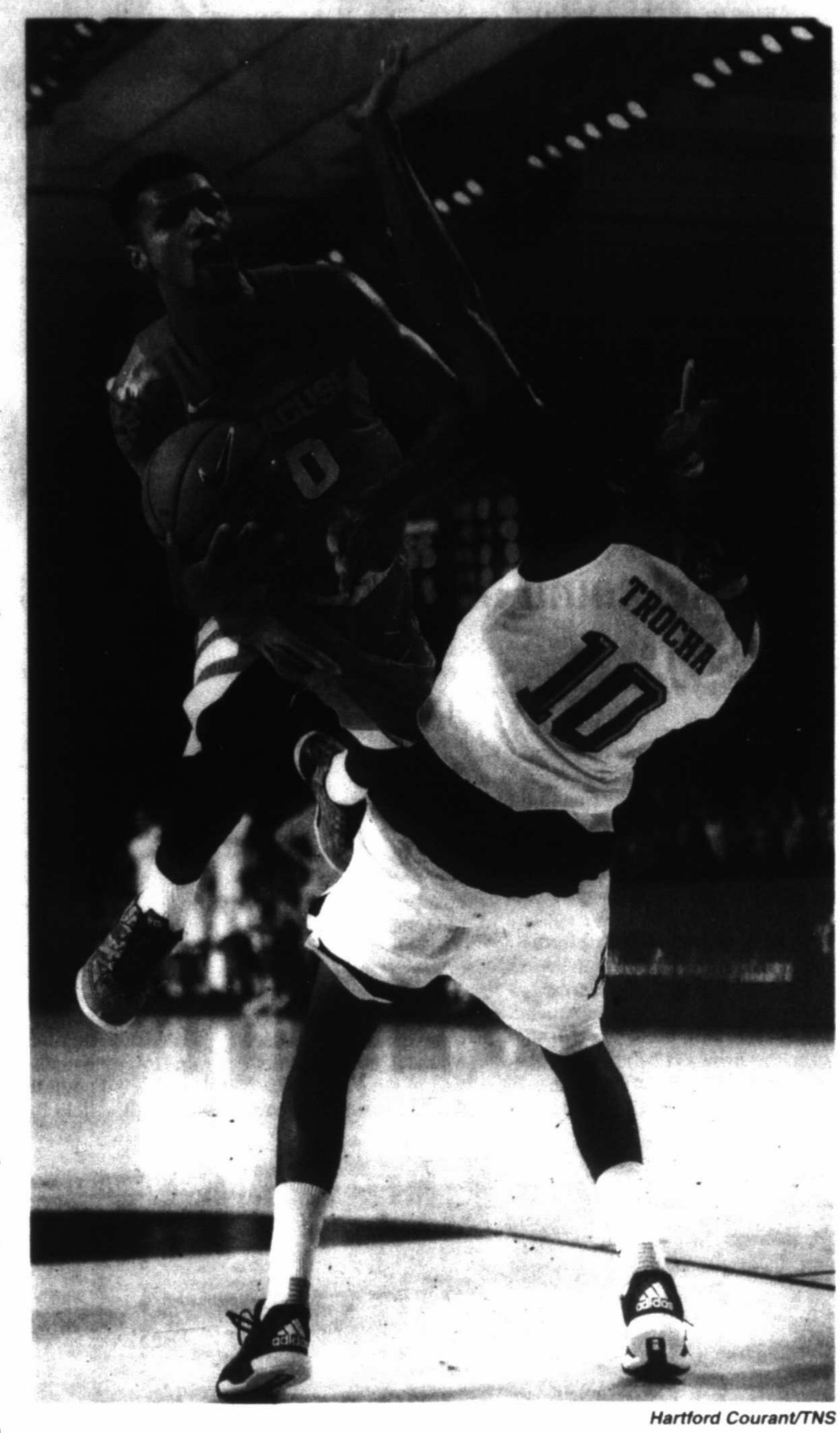
"We were all around the basket and didn't get fouled, and we didn't make layups," Aggies coach Billy Kennedy said.

The game was played within a basket for most of the second half.

The Orange was aggressive with its zone, but the Aggies were just as patient working for open shots.

The 3's kept falling for Syracuse, though, and it finally got some separation at 72-63 on a three-point play by Cooney with 3:10 left.

Texas A&M got 16 first-half points from Jones and took two-point lead into halftime.



Hartford Courant/TNS

Syracuse's Michael Gbinije (0) drives to the basket against Texas A&M's Tonny Trocha-Morelos (10) in the championship game of the Battle 4 Atlantis at Imperial Arena in Nassau, Bahamas, on Friday. Syracuse won, 74-67, and Gbinije was named tournament MVP.

Lady Chaparrals close strong in win over Cisco

From staff reports

ODESSA — The No. 20-ranked Midland College women's basketball team used a strong second half to beat Cisco College 67-56 during Friday's action of the Sonic Thanksgiving Classic at the OC Sports Center.

The Lady Chaparrals (11-2) only led 30-28 at the half before MC outscored the Lady Wranglers 37-28 in the second half.

Three Lady Chaps were in double figures, led by Sierra Dixon with 15 points, Kayla Bretherton had 14 and Walnatia Wright added 13.

Lee grad Bri'An Washington had 11 points for Cisco.

MC next plays Phoenix College at 1 p.m. today in the classic.

NO. 20 MIDLAND COLLEGE 67, CISCO COLLEGE 56

Midland College (11-2) — Morgan Ashton 2 0-0 6, Taelor Hodge 0 0-0 0, Sierra Dixon 5 1-4 15, Toni Taylor 1 1-2 3, Tichina Coleman 1 0-0 2, Walnatia Wright 6 1-3 13, Kayla Bretherton 4 6-14 14, Marshiah Farmer 0 2-4 2, Tanashia Dixon 2 2-2 6, Lisa Kaempf 2 2-2 6. Totals 23 15-35 67.

Cisco College — Hampton 1 0-0 2, Wilks 2 7-12 11, Downing 1 3-6 5, King 5 5-5 16, Dewberry 2 1-3 5, McGruder 0 0-0 0, Washington 5 0-0 11, Hayes 1 1-2 3, Collie 0 0-0 0, Cole 2 1-2 5. Totals 19 15-24 56.

Midland College	15	15	14	23 —67
Cisco College	11	17	9	19 —56

3-point goals — MC6 (S. Dixon 4, Ashton 2), Cisco 3 (Downing, King, Washington). Total fouls — MC 15, Cisco 30. Fouled out — Downing, McGruder, Hayes.

Next: Midland College vs. Phoenix College at Odessa, 1 p.m. today.

NBAROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

SPURS 91
NUGGETS 80

DENVER — Kawhi Leonard scored 25 points, and the San Antonio Spurs beat the Denver Nuggets 91-80 on Friday night for their fourth win in a row.

Tony Parker added 13 points and former Midland College player Jonathon Simmons had 12 for the Spurs, who were without Tim Duncan and Manu Ginobili. The veteran stars got the night off to rest with San Antonio playing the second of three games in four nights.

Danilo Gallinari had 16 points for the Nuggets, who have lost five in a row. Denver also has lost nine straight to San Antonio.

ROCKETS 116
76ERS 114

HOUSTON — James Harden had 50 points, nine rebounds and eight assists, and the Houston Rockets beat the winless Philadelphia 76ers 116-114 on Friday night.

Harden was 14 for 28 from the field and 16 for 20 at the line in his third career game with 50 or more points. He is averaging 36.2 points in his last five games.

Philadelphia moved one loss away from matching the New Jersey Nets' NBA-worst mark of 18 losses to open a season. The Sixers have dropped 27 in a row dating to last season for the longest losing streak in major U.S. professional sports history, passing the NFL's Tampa Bay Buccaneers from 1976 to '77. The previous record was also matched by the 76ers in 2013-14.

MAGIC 114
BUCKS 90

ORLANDO, Fla. — Elfrid Payton had 22 points and 10 assists, and the Orlando Magic beat the Milwaukee Bucks 114-90 rout on Friday night.

The Magic shot 52.4 percent from the field and limited the Bucks to 41.9 percent shooting. Tobias Harris scored 19 points for Orlando, and Evan Fournier and Victor Oladipo had 17 apiece.

Giannis Antetokounmpo and Jerryd Bayless led Milwaukee with 17 points apiece. Khris Middleton had 15.

The Magic made each of their six 3-point attempts and 13 of 16 shots (81.3 percent) overall while blowing the game open in the third period. Orlando outscored Milwaukee 37-22 in the quarter to push a six-point halftime lead to 86-65.

CAVALIERS 95
HORNETS 90

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — LeBron James had 25 points and 13 rebounds, extending his personal run of dominance against the Charlotte Hornets by leading the Cleveland Cavaliers to a 95-90 victory Friday night.

James' teams have won 23 straight games against Charlotte.

Kevin Love had a double-double at halftime and finished with 18 points and 16 rebounds as the Cavaliers snapped Charlotte's seven-game home winning streak and improved to 4-4 on the road.

Richard Jefferson added 13 points and Tristan Thompson pulled down 12 rebounds for the Cavaliers.

Kemba Walker had 18 points and Nicolas Batum added 17 points and eight rebounds to lead Charlotte, which fell to 4-1 on its seven-game homestand.

The last time James lost to a Charlotte team was Feb. 19, 2010, during his first stint with the Cavaliers.

CELTICS 111
WIZARDS 78

BOSTON — Jared Sullinger had 18 points and 15 rebounds in three quarters and Isaiah Thomas scored 21 points, leading the Boston Celtics to a 111-78 rout of the Washington Wizards on Friday night.

Jae Crowder scored 17 and Avery Bradley had 16 points for the Celtics, who posted a runaway win against the Wizards for the second time in three weeks.

HEAT 97
KNICKS 78

NEW YORK — Gerald Green scored a season-high 25 points while starting in place of Luol Deng, and the Miami Heat beat New York 97-78 on Friday night for their second victory over the Knicks this week.

Chris Bosh added 20 points and Dwyane Wade had 17 for the Heat, who held the Knicks to 78 points in both victories over the last six nights.

Green showed off his entire repertoire during a superb fourth-quarter stretch that turned the game into a blowout and sent the Heat to their eighth straight victory over the Knicks, their longest winning streak in the series.

PACERS 104
BULLS 92

INDIANAPOLIS — Paul George scored 33 points, C.J. Miles had 16 and the Indiana Pacers beat the Chicago Bulls 104-92 on Friday night.

The Pacers (10-5) have won a season-high four straight and 10 of 12 overall. Monta Ellis had 14 points, and George Hill finished with 10 assists.

THUNDER 103
PISTONS 87

OKLAHOMA CITY — Kevin Durant had 34 points and 13 rebounds to help the Oklahoma City Thunder beat the Detroit Pistons 103-87 Friday night for their fourth straight win.

Russell Westbrook, Serge Ibaka and Enes Kanter added 14 points apiece for the Thunder. In a matchup of the NBA's top two rebounding teams, the No. 2 Thunder outrebounded the No. 1 Pistons 58-38. Detroit center Andre Drummond, who was leading the league with 17.8 rebounds per game, finished with seven.

HAWKS 116
GRIZZLIES 101

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — Paul Millsap had 23 points and 14 rebounds, one of six Atlanta Hawks players who scored in double figures during a 116-101 victory over the Memphis Grizzlies on Friday night.

Jeff Teague had 20 points and seven assists for Atlanta, which had lost five of seven. Al Horford scored 16, Kent Bazemore had 14, Kyle Korver added 13 and Mike Muscala 11.

TOP25ROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

NO. 1 KENTUCKY 84
SOUTH FLORIDA 63

MIAMI — Jamal Murray had 21 points and No. 1 Kentucky scored the final 15 points of the first half on the way to beating South Florida 84-63 in the HoopHall Miami Invitational on Friday.

Skal Labissiere added 17 points for the Wildcats (6-0), who led by as many as 31. Charles Matthews scored 11 points and Isaiah Briscoe finished with seven assists for Kentucky, now a winner of 37 consecutive regular-season games and 39 in a row against unranked opponents.

Chris Perry scored 14 points for USF (1-5), which has lost 18 consecutive games against teams ranked in the Top 25. Jaleel Cousins added 12 points on 5-for-6 shooting.

NO. 3 MICHIGAN STATE 77
BOISE STATE 67

FULLERTON, Calif. — Denzel Valentine scored a career-high 32 points, hitting five consecutive 3-pointers to break open a tight game in the second half, and Michigan State beat Boise State in the semifinals of the DirecTV Wooden Legacy.

Valentine followed up his second career triple-double Thursday night in a 31-point victory over Boston College with stellar perimeter shooting that bailed out the Spartans (6-0) against the scrappy Broncos (3-3), giving coach Tom Izzo his 501st career win.

Valentine had seven 3-pointers, tying his career high set last season. The senior made all nine of his free throws, four in the last 22 seconds. He also had nine rebounds and six assists.

NO. 4 IOWA STATE 99
VIRGINIA TECH 77

NICEVILLE, Fla. — Jameel McKay scored 23 points and Iowa State beat Virginia Tech to advance to the Emerald Coast Classic final.

Abdel Nader added 15 points and 10 rebounds for the Cyclones. Zach Leday led the Hokies (3-2) with 19 points.

NO. 8 VILLANOVA 69
GEORGIA TECH 52

NEW YORK — Jalen Brunson and Josh Hart each scored 13 points to help Villanova beat Georgia Tech in the NIT Season Tip-Off championship game.

Kris Jenkins had 12 points and the Big East Co-Player of the Year Ryan Arcidiacono added nine for Villanova (6-0). Charles Mitchell led the Yellow Jackets (4-2) with 16 points and 11 rebounds.

RICHMOND 94
NO. 14 CALIFORNIA 90

LAS VEGAS — Terry Allen had 34 points and 12 rebounds in Richmond's victory over California in a Las Vegas Invitational consolation game.

ShawnDre' Jones added 22 points, and Marshall Wood had 24 for the Spiders (4-2).

It was the second straight loss for the Bears (4-2), who fell to San Diego State on Thursday night. Jaylen Brown had 27 points, and Tyrone Wallace added 15 for California.

NORTHEASTERN 78
NO. 15 MIAMI 77

CORAL GABLES, Fla. — Quincy Ford made a jumper at the buzzer to lift Northeastern past Miami.

Northeastern beat a Top 25 team for the first time since an 86-84 victory over Louisville in 1986. The Huskies (5-1) blew a four-point lead in the final 34 seconds before Ford connected for the winning basket and the last two of his 24 points.

Davon Reed scored 19 points for Miami (5-1), and Sheldon McLellan had 18 points.

NO. 17 NOTRE DAME 68
IOWA 62

LAKE BUENA VISTA, Fla. — V.J. Beachem scored 16 points, Demetrius Jackson had 12 and Notre Dame beat Iowa in the consolation round of the AdvoCare Invitational.

Bonzie Colson had a pair of layups and Jackson added a third as Notre Dame (4-1) used a 9-2 stretch for a 63-55 lead late. Jarrod Uthoff had 20 points for Iowa (3-2).

GONZAGA 73
NO. 18 UCONN 70

PARADISE ISLAND, Bahamas — Kyle Wiltjer scored 17 points, Eric McClellan added 15 and Gonzaga held off No. 18 Connecticut in the Battle 4 Atlantis third-place game.

UConn's Rodney Purvis had a chance to tie it, but missed a 3-pointer at the buzzer.

Domantas Sabonis added 12 points for Gonzaga (4-1). Shonn Miller led UConn with 19 points.

ALABAMA 64
NO. 20 WICHITA STATE 60

LAKE BUENA VISTA, Fla. — Shannon Hale scored 20 points and Riley Norris added 12 to help Alabama beat Wichita State in the AdvoCare Invitational consolation round.

Alabama (3-2) beat a Top 25 team on a neutral court for the first time since Nov. 29, 2009, a 68-66 victory over then No. 15 Michigan. Wichita State (2-3) lost its second straight invitational game without senior guard Fred VanVleet. He's out with ankle and hamstring injuries.

NO. 23 XAVIER 87
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA 77

LAKE BUENA VISTA, Fla. — Trevon Bluiett scored 16 points and Xavier beat Southern California to reach the AdvoCare Invitational title game.

Bluiett had 11 points as Xavier (6-0) took control early en route to a 54-27 halftime lead. Nikola Jovanovic and Julian Jacobs had 15 points each for USC (5-1).

NO. 24 CINCINNATI 65
NEBRASKA 61

NEW YORK — Troy Caupain scored 17 points and Cincinnati beat Nebraska in the Barclays Center Classic semifinals.

Shaq Thomas added 14 points, and Octavius Ellis had 12 as Cincinnati (6-0). Tai Webster scored 21 points for Nebraska (4-2), and Shavon Shields had 14.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL GLANCE

Major scores

SOUTHWEST
Baylor 94, Arkansas St. 72
Oklahoma St. 75, Long Beach St. 73
Rice 87, UC Riverside 81
Texas A&M-CC 86, Elon 81
MIDWEST
Akron 82, Charleston Southern 58
Illinois St. 73, Quincy 65
Minnesota 93, Nebraska-Omaha 90
Missouri St. 77, William Woods 58
FAR WEST
East Carolina 83, Stetson 73
Sam Houston St. 71, Bethune-Cookman 46
EAST
Albany (NY) 74, NJIT 73
Army 81, Ark.-Pine Bluff 60
Fairfield 82, Columbia 61, OT
Gardner-Webb 77, SE Louisiana 68
North Florida 81, Hartford 60
SOUTH
Auburn 119, Northwestern St. 81
Coll. of Charleston 57, W. Carolina 56
Florida 70, Florida Gulf Coast 50
Furman 69, Mount St. Mary's 60
Georgia Southern 84, SC-Upstate 80
Georgia St. 78, IUPUI 72, OT
IPFW 71, Jacksonville 63
Jackson St. 69, Savannah St. 42
James Madison 89, Marshall 75
Kentucky 84, South Florida 63
Lousiana Tech 71, NC Central 50
Md.-Eastern Shore 70, St. Francis (Pa.) 57
Memphis 81, Ohio St. 76, OT
Mercer 71, Appalachian St. 70
NC State 87, Winthrop 79
Navy 70, UNC Greensboro 66
Northeastern 78, Miami 77
South Carolina 92, Lipscomb 76
Tennessee Tech 85, Robert Morris 72
The Citadel 121, Bob Jones 81
Tulane 60, Stephen F. Austin 59
W. Michigan 83, Liberty 59
TOURNAMENT
Advocare Invitational
Semifinals
Xavier 87, Southern Cal 77
Semifinals
Alabama 64, Wichita St. 60
Notre Dame 68, Iowa 62
Barclay's Center Classic
First Round
Cincinnati 65, Nebraska 61
Battle 4 Atlantis
Championship
Syracuse 74, Texas A&M 67
Third Place
Gonzaga 73, UConn 70
Fifth Place
Michigan 78, Texas 72
CC Coastal Challenge-Home
First Round
Colorado St. 90, Portland 74
UTEP 71, S. Illinois 66
Abilene Christian 72, Florida A&M 62
Oakland 84, Alcorn St. 51
Continental Tire Las Vegas Classic
Third Place
Richmond 94, California 90
DIRECTV Wooden Legacy
Semifinals
Michigan St. 77, Boise St. 67
Semifinals
Evansville 69, Santa Clara 57
UC Irvine 80, Boston College 67
Emerald Coast Classic-Home
First Round
Iowa St. 99, Virginia Tech 77
Chattanooga 85, Alabama St. 58
Jacksonville St. 88, Chicago St. 65
GCI Great Alaska Shootout
First Round
San Jose St. 76, San Diego 67
NIT Season Tipoff
Championship
Villanova 69, Georgia Tech 52
Third Place
Stanford 69, Arkansas 66

Top 25 schedule

Today's Games

No. 2 Maryland vs. Cleveland State, 7:30 p.m.
No. 4 Iowa State vs. Illinois or UAB at The Arena, Moreville, Fla., 2:30 or 5 p.m.
No. 16 Purdue vs. Lehigh, 6 p.m.
No. 24 Cincinnati vs. George Washington or Tennessee at the Barclays Center, 11 a.m. or 1:30 p.m.

Sunday's Games

No. 3 Michigan State in DIRECTV Wooden Legacy at the Honda Center, Anaheim, Calif., TBA
No. 6 Duke vs. Utah State, 11:30 a.m.
No. 7 Oklahoma vs. Wisconsin, 1:30 p.m.
No. 11 Arizona in DIRECTV Wooden Legacy at the Honda Center, Anaheim, Calif., TBA
No. 17 Notre Dame in Advocare Invitational at HP Field House, Orlando, Fla., TBA
No. 20 Wichita State in Advocare Invitational at HP Field House, Orlando, Fla., TBA
No. 23 Xavier in Advocare Invitational at HP Field House, Orlando, Fla., TBA
No. 25 SMU vs. Brown, 2 p.m.

NBA GLANCE

Standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Toronto	10	6	.625	—
Boston	9	5	.563	½
New York	8	9	.471	2½
Brooklyn	3	12	.200	6½
Philadelphia	0	17	.000	10½

Southeast Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Miami	10	5	.667	—
Atlanta	11	7	.611	½
Charlotte	9	7	.563	1½
Orlando	8	8	.500	2½
Detroit	6	7	.462	3

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Cleveland	12	4	.750	—
Indiana	10	5	.667	1½
Chicago	9	5	.643	2
Detroit	8	8	.500	4
Milwaukee	6	10	.375	6

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Southwest Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
San Antonio	13	3	.813	—
Dallas	9	7	.563	4
Memphis	9	8	.529	4½
Houston	6	10	.375	7
New Orleans	4	11	.267	8½

Northwest Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Oklahoma City	11	6	.647	—
Utah	7	7	.500	2½
Minnesota	7	8	.467	3
Denver	6	10	.375	4½
Portland	6	10	.375	4½

Pacific Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Golden State	11	1	.917	—
Phoenix	7	6	.538	4½
L.A. Clippers	7	6	.538	4½
Sacramento	5	7	.417	6
L.A. Lakers	2	12	.143	10

Scores & schedule

Friday's Scores

Orlando 114, Milwaukee 90
Cleveland 95, Charlotte 90
Boston 111, Washington 78
Miami 97, New York 78
Atlanta 116, Memphis 101
Oklahoma City 103, Detroit 87
Houston 116, Philadelphia 114
Indiana 104, Chicago 92
San Antonio 91, Denver 80
Golden State at Phoenix, late
Sacramento at L.A. Clippers, late
New Orleans at L.A. Clippers, late

Saturday's Games

Toronto at Washington, 6 p.m.
Brooklyn at Cleveland, 5:30 p.m.
Atlanta at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.
Denver at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.
New Orleans at Utah, 8 p.m.
L.A. Lakers at Portland, 9 p.m.
Sacramento at Golden State, 9:30 p.m.

Sunday's Games

Milwaukee at Charlotte, 1 p.m.
Minnesota at L.A. Clippers, 2:30 p.m.
Philadelphia at Memphis, 5 p.m.
Phoenix at Toronto, 5 p.m.
Detroit at Brooklyn, 5 p.m.
Boston at Orlando, 5 p.m.
Houston at New York, 6:30 p.m.
Indiana at L.A. Lakers, 8:30 p.m.

ILLNESS

From 1B

Foster and Marshall sat down for a deeply personal chat to mark the running back's partnership with PROJECT 375. Marshall asked the questions and Foster was open and shockingly candid.

Foster said he grew up in a home with domestic violence where there wasn't enough food at times. When he made it to the NFL, he found whole new set of problems related to money and whom to trust.

"It's just so much pressure and nobody tells you how to deal with it," Foster said.

He didn't see counseling as an option.

"I was drinking heavily. I was," he said. "I'm not proud of it. But it was something that helped me because it was numbing and what I found out, which was extremely powerful, was the emotions that you numb you can't be selective with. So everything that you numb that you're trying to numb you also numb everything good. So I was blocking out a lot of love"

He didn't hit rock bottom until his then-wife, Romina, made a life-changing decision.

"It was when my wife decided that we were going to get a divorce," he said. "This is extremely personal, but I was just not the best husband. I just wasn't. And that was because I didn't know how to be a husband. ... I was out there just trying to wing it."

His time in counseling helped Foster stop his destructive behavior. But soon after he started to feel happy again, he tore a groin muscle in training camp. He says he was OK though, because of the mental work he'd put in.

He returned on Oct. 4 and was riding high. Happy on the football field, proud of the father he'd become and enjoying life overall. Just four games after his return came another blow. Foster tore his Achilles tendon and would miss the rest of the season.

"It's like ... man I can't catch a break," he said. "But I've done so much emotional work that it didn't really faze me either."

Foster's passion for this cause isn't only because of his struggles. He has another big reason for wanting to help.

"My sister is bipolar," Foster said.

For many years Christina Foster's illness went undiagnosed.

"We didn't have money to get any kind of diagnosis so we just thought that she was an (jerk)," Foster said. "... It got to the point where I stopped talking to her because I couldn't deal with it, and I didn't know what she was going through. So we lost years of our life because we didn't know she was suffering from this disease."

Foster choked back tears as he spoke of his sister. He said she was living in government housing and using food stamps. She finally got help and is better now, which has allowed the two to repair their fractured relationship.

A condition of allowing Foster to share her story was that he include the happy ending.

"She said absolutely, but make sure that you tell them that it's a story of triumph," Foster said. "She takes the proper medicine and it's a struggle still, but every single day she fights it and she's on her way to get her master's (degree) now."

Marshall loves hearing people's stories because each one is valuable in starting to erase the stigma of discussing mental illness.

"The thing that is therapeutic ... is when I'm helping other people," Marshall said. "It's so freeing and rewarding. It also holds me accountable to continue to take the proper steps when I'm not feeling well, I'm having a bad day to ... use the tools and skills that I have to make sure I get back on track."



Cleveland Browns quarterback Johnny Manziel (2) plays during a game against the Pittsburgh Steelers on Nov. 15 in Pittsburgh. *AP file photo*

Manziel could be inactive for Browns on Monday

By Tom Withers
Associated Press

BEREA, Ohio — Johnny Manziel's demotion might include him not dressing for the game.

Browns coach Mike Pettine said Friday that he hasn't decided if Manziel, who was stripped of his starting job this week, will be active for Monday night's matchup against Baltimore.

Manziel was downgraded from starter to third string when a video surfaced of him partying during Cleveland's bye week in an Austin, Texas, club. Josh McCown will start when the Browns (2-8) host the Ravens (3-7) with Austin Davis serving as the backup. Manziel is next on the depth chart and that could mean he doesn't get to put on his uniform.

"I haven't done the worksheet yet, but that always comes down to projected health, where we are at other positions," Pettine said. "So I haven't made that decision yet."

Manziel's swift downfall came shortly after he was elevated to starter for the remainder of this season. But after promising Pettine and other coaches he would behave during the time off, Manziel, who spent 10 weeks in a rehab facility during the offseason, couldn't resist going out on the town.

Pettine refused to divulge any more details for his decision to bench Manziel, but he did not deny that part of the punishment was due to the 22-year-old not being honest with him.

"I already addressed it," Pettine said. "I said trust and accountability was where we had a shortfall. I have nothing more to add."

Manziel made a brief appearance in Cleveland's locker room following practice, but was not available for an interview. He has not spoken to reporters since his demotion.

Browns offensive coordinator John DeFilippo said he supports Pettine's decision to penalize Manziel. He understands the reason, but that doesn't ease the sting.

"It's disappointing," he said. "I'm not going to lie. You have a player that I think we would all agree has come so far from a football standpoint from the product he put on the field from a year ago."

NFL GLANCE

Standings

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
New England	10	0	0	1.000	323	182
Buffalo	5	5	0	.500	244	227
N.Y. Jets	5	5	0	.500	234	208
Miami	4	6	0	.400	205	249
South						
Indianapolis	5	5	0	.500	224	248
Houston	5	5	0	.500	208	228
Jacksonville	4	6	0	.400	211	268
Tennessee	2	8	0	.200	182	233
North						
Cincinnati	8	2	0	.800	266	186
Pittsburgh	6	4	0	.600	236	191
Baltimore	3	7	0	.300	226	249
Cleveland	2	8	0	.200	186	277
West						
Denver	8	2	0	.800	222	183
Kansas City	5	5	0	.500	257	198
Oakland	4	6	0	.400	240	259
San Diego	2	8	0	.200	213	282

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

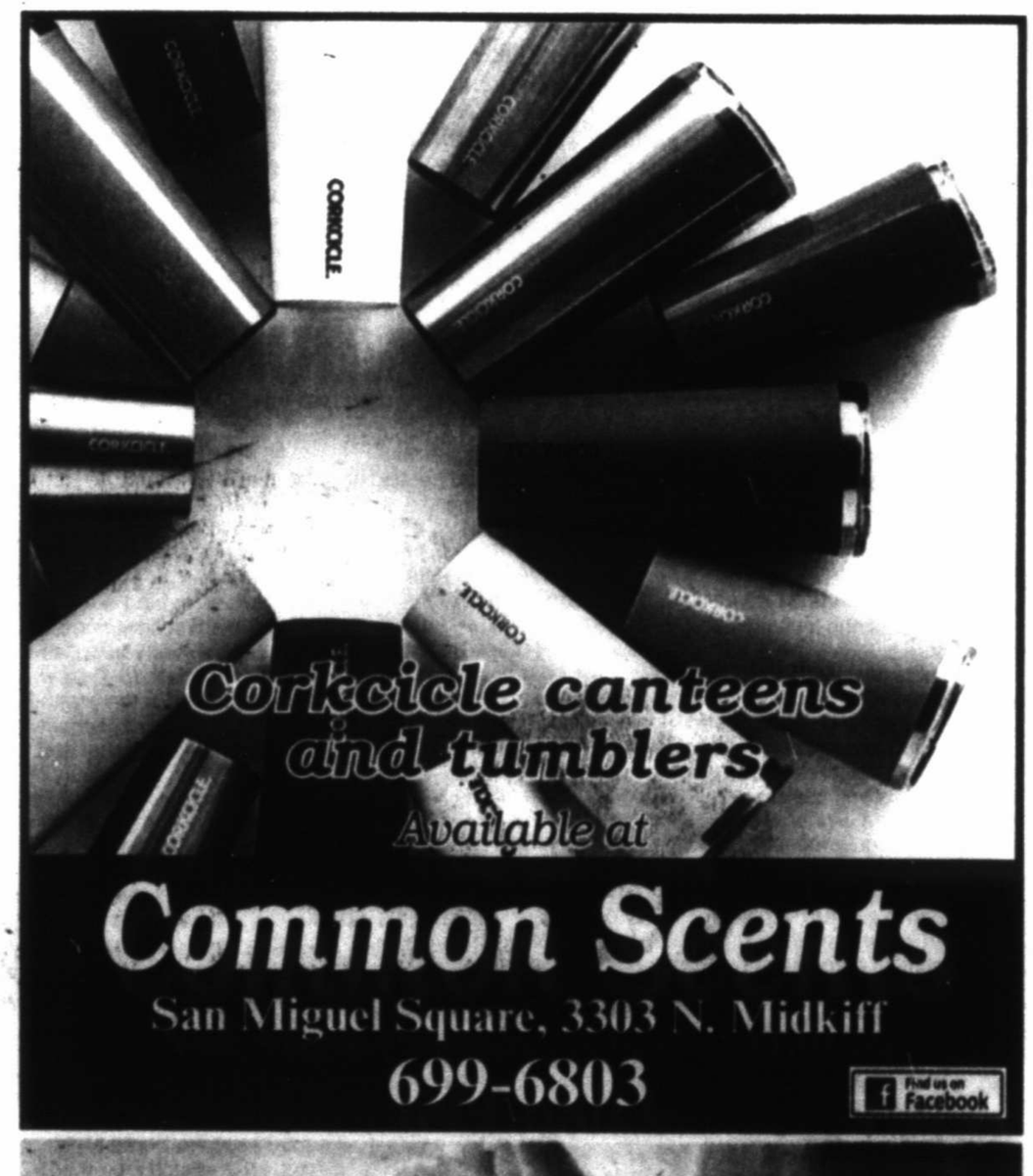
East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
N.Y. Giants	5	5	0	.500	273	253
Washington	4	6	0	.400	221	253
Philadelphia	4	7	0	.364	243	274
Dallas	3	8	0	.273	204	261
South						
Carolina	11	0	0	1.000	332	205
Atlanta	6	4	0	.600	250	214
Tampa Bay	5	5	0	.500	236	254
New Orleans	4	6	0	.400	255	315
North						
Minnesota	7	3	0	.700	211	184
Green Bay	7	4	0	.636	262	215
Chicago	5	6	0	.455	231	264
Detroit	4	7	0	.364	230	288
West						
Arizona	8	2	0	.800	336	216
Seattle	5	5	0	.500	228	192
St. Louis	4	6	0	.400	179	199
San Francisco	3	7	0	.300	139	252

Scores & schedule

Sunday's Games
New Orleans at Houston, noon
Buffalo at Kansas City, noon
Oakland at Tennessee, noon
St. Louis at Cincinnati, noon
Minnesota at Atlanta, noon
N.Y. Giants at Washington, noon
Tampa Bay at Indianapolis, noon
San Diego at Jacksonville, noon
Miami at N.Y. Jets, noon
Arizona at San Francisco, 3:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh at Seattle, 3:25 p.m.
New England at Denver, 7:30 p.m.

Monday's Game
Baltimore at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m.







NEWBERRY

From 1B

Peyton Manning and Kobe Bryant. Hopefully, they're planning a joint retirement announcement pretty soon so we can start remembering their mammoth accomplishments instead of how bad things got in the twilight of their careers.

SHIRKING RESPONSIBILITY: College coaches demand to control every little aspect of their programs. Until something goes wrong. Then, like Sgt. Schultz, they know nothing, nothing! Sorry, Rick Pitinos of the world, you don't get to proclaim ignorance when, for instance, allegations emerge that one of your assistants was running a brothel on campus.

A FISH CALLED LORIA: If you think your favorite team's owner is incompetent, imagine what it's like to be a fan of the Miami Marlins. Jeffrey Loria has continually fleeced the good people of South Florida, most notably getting them to build him a new stadium without bothering to reciprocate with a major league team. Just this week came word that beloved TV announcer Tommy Hutton was let go after 19 seasons. That'll teach him to be honest about Loria's joke of a franchise.

CON GAME: Along those same lines, we can't figure out why local governments keep spending hundreds of millions of dollars building new stadiums for teams owned by billionaires. The worst offender is metro Atlanta, where they're actually constructing TWO new stadiums — one for the Falcons, the other for the Braves. What makes this even more galling, there was nothing wrong with the stadiums those teams already had, both of which were constructed in the 1990s. Good thing the Colosseum was in Rome instead of the A-T-L. Otherwise, it would be a parking deck.

BOXING ON THE ROPES: Remember when a championship bout was the most exciting event in sports? Those days are long gone. Floyd Mayweather vs. Manny Pacquiao was the last glimmer of hope to make boxing relevant again. But we can at least be thankful for Holly Holm, whose upset of Ronda Rousey removed any reason to pay attention to MMA, a bloodlust that sells itself as the successor to the sweet science.

GOONS ON ICE: Really, NHL, it's time to get rid of the fighting. It's the 21st century. We've evolved. You'll be better off without it.

F1 faces major problems on the track and off

By Chris Lines
Associated Press

ABU DHABI, United Arab Emirates — Wounded by another predictable and dull championship, and locked in a decision-making paralysis, the end of the Formula One season comes more as a relief than a climax.

The regular appearance of the jet-set on their yachts around Abu Dhabi's Yas Marina circuit may provide the glamour upon which the sport trades, but beneath that surface there are major concerns, both sporting and financial.

Most worrying for all in Formula One is not just the scale of the problems, but the lack of any immediate means of addressing, let alone curing, them.

On the sporting front, 2015 has been predictable, with Mercedes even more dominant than the year before. If champion Lewis Hamilton and teammate Nico Rosberg finish 1-2 this weekend, it will be for a record 12th time in a season.

In sports, predictability is bad, and the television viewing figures which were already tumbling in 2014 will likely decline further, with the domino effect on advertising and sponsors.

There is no greater indicator of the problem than Germany — a nation drenched in F1 success for a generation — being left off the calendar, in part, because local promoters struggle to draw crowds.

"We know who's going to win, and who's going to be second, third and fourth," F1 head Bernie Ecclestone said in an interview last month. "You've lost the excitement."



Associated Press

Mercedes driver Lewis Hamilton of Britain steers his car during the first training session at the Yas Marina racetrack in Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates, on Friday. The Emirates Formula One Grand Prix will take place on Sunday.

It is a candid admission from a man who is tasked with generating and maintaining interest from broadcasters, sponsors and race promoters.

But one-sided seasons are not new and the sport was not too badly scarred by the similar dominance of Michael Schumacher or Sebastian Vettel.

The real problems are off the track.

In the past two months alone the sport has seen Red Bull — recently the sport's power team — threatening to quit, the Lotus team hauled before the courts over unpaid debts, and Ferrari vetoing much-needed cost-cutting proposals.

Throw in a commercial leader in Ecclestone entering the latter half of his 80s with no succession plan in place, and a brewing European Union investigation into anti-competitive behavior, and things are not looking great.

The sport is bewilderingly complex, governed by agreements and an array of decision-making bodies whose content and operations are always obscure and often downright secret.

The regulatory power is in the hands of FIA, the commercial power rests with Ecclestone and the hedge fund CVC Capital Partners which owns a controlling stake, and the sporting power is with the teams.

Getting those three bodies to agree on any reform, no matter how urgently required, borders on the impossible.

At the heart of the problem, of course, is money.

FIA, under previous president Max Mosley, leased out the commercial rights — chiefly made up of sponsorship, broadcasting rights and race-hosting fees — to Ecclestone, initially on a short-term basis, but eventually in an extraordinary 100-year deal.

Ecclestone sold down his stake in the bodies which collectively play the role of "commercial rights holder" and the controlling stake is now owned by CVC.

The hedge fund rakes in nine-figure annual revenues from the sport and its initial plan was to float the business, list on a public stock exchange, collect a tidy profit and move on. But the onset of the global financial crisis changed that.

While CVC is looking for an exit plan, much of the revenue they are collecting goes to pay their creditors and there is precious little reinvestment in growing F1, or helping grassroots motorsports, which FIA could be doing if it had retained the commercial rights.

"Whatever profits F1 is generating go straight out of the sport and go to repay loans, so that is one massive drain," leading F1 analyst Dieter Rencken said. "What can be done about it? At this stage there's very, very little that can be done."

Major teams signed deals locking them to the sport through 2020, negotiating privileges for themselves because of it. But some of those deals need to be undone to allow smaller teams to be competitive and bring more competition to the racetracks.

Regardless of what is in the best interests of the sport, however, the big teams are unlikely to agree to any dilution of their power and profitability. So F1 has little choice but to wait for many of the deals to expire before it can begin urgent reforms to reduce costs, sustain the financially struggling independent teams, hopefully attract new ones, and reinvigorate the sport.

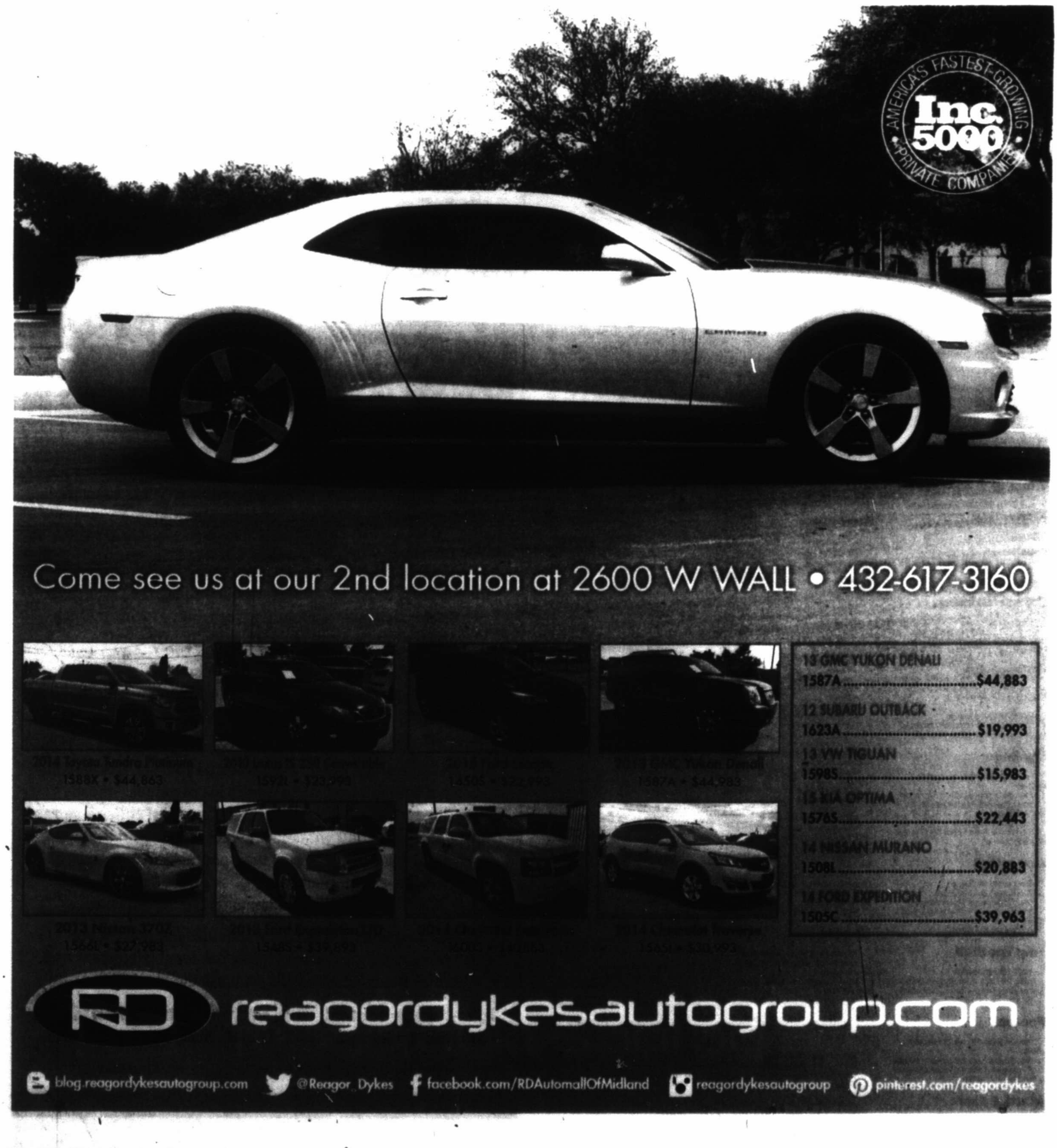
GOLF GLANCE

ALFRED DUNHILL CHAMPIONSHIP LEADING SCORES
Friday
At Leopard Creek Country Club
Malelane, South Africa
Purse: $1.6 million
Yardage: 7,287; Par: 72
Second Round

Charl Schwartzel, South Africa	66-67—133
Joost Luiten, Netherlands	68-70—138
Benjamin Hebert, France	68-70—138
Richard Sterne, South Africa	68-70—138
Pablo Martin Benavides, Spain	69-69—138
Jason Scrivener, Australia	69-70—139
Mark Williams, Zimbabwe	67-72—139
Eddie Pepperell, England	74-65—139
Shaun Norris, South Africa	70-70—140
Christiaan Basson, South Africa	64-76—140
David Drysdale, Scotland	71-69—140
Thomas Aiken, South Africa	72-68—140
Ben Evans, England	71-69—140
Johan Carlsson, Sweden	71-70—141
Vaughn Groenewald, South Africa	68-73—141
Matt Ford, England	67-74—141
Doug McGuigan, South Africa	69-72—141
Dean Burmester, South Africa	71-70—141
Chris Hanson, England	70-71—141
Ryan Evans, England	71-70—141
Missed the Cut	
John Hahn, United States	73-73—146
Louis Oosthuizen, South Africa	70-76—146

EMIRATES AUSTRALIAN OPEN LEADING SCORES
Friday
At The Australian Golf Club
Sydney
Purse: $901,170
Yardage: 7,230; Par: 71
Second Round
a-amateur

Matthew Jones, Australia	67-68—135
Todd Sinnott, Australia	63-70—138
Nicolas Colsaerts, Belgium	71-66—139
Aron Price, Australia	71-68—139
Jordan Spieth, United States	71-68—139
Geoff Ogilvy, Australia	68-71—139
Lincoln Tighe, Australia	66-73—139
Rhein Gibson, Australia	72-68—140
John Senden, Australia	69-72—141
Brett Rankin, Australia	71-68—141
Richard Green, Australia	72-69—141
Stephen Dartnall, Australia	70-71—141
Daniel Pearce, New Zealand	72-69—141
Grant Thomas, Australia	70-72—142
a-Bryson DeChambeau, United States	70-72—142
Lee Westwood, England	70-72—142
Terry Pilkadaris, Australia	71-71—142
Darren Clarke, Northern Ireland	75-67—142
Wade Ormsby, Australia	71-71—142
Matthew Guyatt, Australia	71-71—142
Alistair Presnell, Australia	69-73—142
Joon-woo Choi, South Korea	69-73—142
Nathan Holman, Australia	74-69—143
Neven Basic, Australia	70-73—143
David Klein, Germany	72-71—143
Callan O'Reilly, Australia	72-71—143
Tim Hart, Australia	72-71—143
Ryan Fox, New Zealand	70-73—143
Rod Pampling, Australia	71-72—143
John Choi, South Korea	75-68—143
Brett Rumford, Australia	69-74—143
Nick Cullen, Australia	70-73—143
Pan Cheng-tsung, Taiwan	73-70—143
Others	
Adam Scott, Australia	71-73—144
Vincent Covelli, United States	73-71—144
George McNeil, United States	77-69—146
a-Jordan Niebrugge, United States	77-69—146
Missed the Cut	
Dino Gulcimazzi Jr., United States	75-72—147
Ryan Dillon, United States	72-75—147
Mark Baker, United States	71-76—147
Stuart Appleby, Australia	72-76—148
Sam Chen, United States	76-73—149
Peter Lonsec, United States	78-73—151
Thane Ringer, United States	74-77—151
Garrett Sapp, United States	78-74—152
Ryan Carter, United States	77-76—153
Kyle Souza, United States	78-77—155



Penn State's Sandusky settlements has now totaled nearly $93 million

By Mark Scolforo
Associated Press

HARRISBURG, Pa. — Penn State settled with six more victims or accusers of Jerry Sandusky, according to a new audit that puts the school's total payout in the child sex abuse scandal at nearly $93 million.

The university's audited financial statements for the year that ended June 30, dated Oct. 30, show $33.2 million in new payments over claims related to the former longtime assistant football coach.

"Additional claims could be paid in the future but without having knowledge of the number and nature of such claims the university is unable to predict the outcome of these matters," wrote auditors with Deloitte & Touche LLP in Philadelphia.

Sandusky is pursuing an appeal while he serves 30 to 60 years in prison on a 45-count child sexual abuse conviction. He recently won a court decision restoring his Penn State pension, which the state retirement system had canceled the day he was sentenced.

The audit findings, which say the school has now paid or agreed to pay 32 claims, were reported Wednesday by WJAC-TV in Johnstown.

Three former top Penn State administrators who were charged with covering up complaints about Sandusky await an appeals ruling in their effort to get charges dropped against them.

University spokesman Lawrence Lokman declined to comment on the settlements, citing strict confidentiality agreements.

"Obviously, we continue to be saddened by the pain suffered by all victims of child abuse (and) are committed to helping survivors heal and to educate others about these insidious crimes against children," Lokman said Friday.

On Monday, a federal case in eastern Pennsylvania against Sandusky, the university and Sandusky-founded children's charity The Second Mile was dismissed. Howard Janet, a lawyer for the young man known as Victim 6, who testified against Sandusky, told the judge the parties had reached a confidential settlement.

Penn State announced in October 2013 it had agreed to give 26 people $59.7 million related to the Sandusky scandal. In April, the university board voted 18-6 to authorize Penn State officials to settle additional Sandusky-related litigation after dollar limits were discussed in private.



AP file photo

On Oct. 29, former Penn State University assistant football coach Jerry Sandusky arrives at the Centre County Courthouse for an appeal hearing in Bellefonte, Pa. The university's audited financial statements dated Oct. 30, 2015, for the year that ended June 30, show that Penn State settled with six more of Sandusky's victims or accusers for $33.2 million in new payments over claims. According to the audit, that puts the school's total payout at nearly $93 million.

TEXAS FISHING REPORT

Here is the weekly fishing report as compiled for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department for Nov. 25 and also available on the internet at http://www.txfishing.com.

WEST

ALAN HENRY: Water stained; 54-59 degrees; 1.91 feet low. Black bass are fair on Texas rigs, jigs, Rat-L-Traps and Carolina rigs. Crappie are fair to good on jigs and minnows. Catfish are fair to good on prepared bait.

ARROWHEAD: Water off color; 55-60 degrees; 1.17 feet low. Black bass are fair on Texas rigs and spinnerbaits. Catfish are fair to good on nightcrawlers.

COLORADO CITY: 19.96 feet low. No report available.

FORT PHANTOM HILL: Water clear; 54-59 degrees; 4.84 feet low. Black bass are fair on spinnerbaits, jigs and Texas rigs. Crappie are fair on jigs and minnows. Catfish are fair on nightcrawlers.

HUBBARD CREEK: Water off color; 55-61 degrees; 17-58 feet low. Black bass are fair to good on Rat-L-Traps, Texas rigs, jigs and shallowheads. Crappie are fair to good on jigs and minnows. Catfish are fair to good on nightcrawlers and live shad.

NASWORTHY: 52-58 degrees; 1.81 feet low. Black bass are fair to good on chatterbaits and Texas rigs. No reports on crappie. Catfish are fair on nightcrawlers.

OAK CREEK: Water stained; 51-58 degrees; 20.02 feet low. Black bass are fair to good on weighted flukes, medium running shad pattern crankbaits, Texas rigs and jigs. Crappie are fair to good on minnows and jigs. Catfish are fair on chartreuse (use Worm-Glo) nightcrawlers.

O.H. IVIE: Water stained; 53-59 degrees; 48.03-feet low. Black bass are fair to good Texas rigs, jigs, squarebill crankbaits and spinnerbaits. Crappie are fair to good on minnows and jigs fished shallow. Catfish are fair to good on live bait.

POSSUM KINGDOM: Water fairly clear; 58-61 degrees; 0.05 feet low. Black bass are fair to good on medium running crankbaits, Texas rigs, drop shot rigs and jigs. Crappie are fair on live minnows. White bass are fair to good on slabs. Striped bass are fair on live shad. Catfish are fair to good on live shad and nightcrawlers.

SPENCE: 56.66 feet low. No report available.

STAMFORD: 1.88 feet low. No report available.

SWEETWATER: Water off color; 60-67 degrees; 30.18 feet low. No report available.

WHITE RIVER: Water stained; 61-66 degrees; 16.87 feet low. No report available.

SOUTH

AMISTAD: Water murky; 74-78 degrees; 26.12 feet low. Black bass are good on crankbaits, jerkbaits, soft plastics, and jigs, and fair on topwaters. Striped bass are good on slabs and Red Fins. White bass are fair on white crankbaits and jigging spoons. Crappie are slow. Catfish are fair on cheesebait, shrimp, and nightcrawlers over baited holes in 15-60 feet. Yellow catfish are fair on trotlines baited with live perch. Everyone in a boat must have a Mexico fishing license (if fishing the Mexico side) whether fishing or not.

PANHANDLE

GREENBELT: 35.08 feet low. No report available.

MACKENZIE: 71.4 feet low. No report available.

MEREDITH: 59.4 feet low. No report available.

PALO DURO: 50.16 feet low. No report available

CENTRAL

BASTROP: Water stained; 73-77 degrees; Black bass are good on watermelon soft plastics and Rat-L-Traps. Crappie are slow. Channel and blue catfish are fair on nightcrawlers and stinkbait. Yellow catfish are slow.

BELTON: Water murky; 68-72 degrees; 1.16 feet high. Black bass are good on topwaters and spinnerbaits. Hybrid striper are good on live shad early. White bass are good on slabs. Crappie are fair on minnows. Channel and blue catfish are slow to fair on hot dogs and summer sausage. Yellow catfish are good on live perch

BROWNWOOD: Water clear; 67-71 degrees; 2.06 feet low. Black bass are fair on medium running crankbaits, buzzbaits, and watermelon worms over brush piles in 8-15 feet. Hybrid striper are s ow. White bass are good on Lf1 Fishies and minnows off lighted docks at night. Crappie are slow. Channel catfish are fair on cut bait and shrimp over baited holes. Yellow catfish are slow.

BUCHANAN: Water murky; 69-73 degrees; 12.13 feet low. Black bass are good on white Spinnerbaits, perch colored Rat-L-Traps, and chartreuse crankbaits in 10-20 feet. Striped bass are fair on Red Fins, Zara Spooks, and Spoiler Shads near Lighthouse Point in 20-35 feet. White bass are fair on plastic swim baits and Tiny Traps in 10-20 feet. Crappie are fair on chartreuse Curb's crappie jigs and live minnows. Channel catfish are good on shrimp, minnows, and cheesebait. Yellow and blue catfish are good on perch and live shad.

CANYON LAKE: Water murky; 71-75 degrees; 0.10 feet high. Black bass are good on white spinnerbaits, watermelon blood red worms, and Texas rigged 6-inch pumpkinseed worms in 15-25 feet. Striped bass are fair jigging 1oz. Pilk Minnows and trolling crankbaits at daylight. White bass are slow. Smallmouth bass are fair on pumpkinseed JDG grubs and watermelon Curb's jigs in 15-30 feet. Crappie are fair on minnows and blue tube jigs spotter. Channel catfish are slow. Yellow and blue catfish are good on trotlines and juglines baited with live goldfish and perch.

COLEMAN: Water murky; 72-76 degrees; 7.33 feet low. Black bass are fair on watermelon crankbaits, soft plastic worms, and Rat-L-Traps. Hybrid striper are fair on silver spoons. Crappie are fair on minnows and white tube jigs over brush piles. Channel catfish are good on stinkbait, shrimp, and nightcrawlers. Yellow catfish are slow.

COLORADO RIVER: (At Colorado Bend State Park) No report available.

FAYETTE: Water murky; Black bass are fair on chartreuse and watermelon Carolina rigged soft plastics over grass in 5-15 feet. Red ear perch are good on worms in 5-15 feet. Channel and blue catfish are slow.

GRANBURY: Water murky; 68-72 degrees; 0.02 feet high. Black bass are good on watermelon spinnerbaits and soft plastics off points early. Striped bass are fair on chartreuse striper jigs. White bass are fair on minnows and small spinnerbaits. Crappie are good on minnows and blue tube jigs. Catfish are good on stinkbait and shrimp.

GRANGER: Water murky; 70-74 degrees; 1.64 feet high. Black bass are fair on chartreuse crankbaits spinner around standing timber. White bass are fair on silver spoons among shad. Crappie are slow. Blue catfish are good on prepared bait and juglines baited with shad. Yellow catfish are slow.

LBJ: Water stained; 71-75 degrees; 0.71 feet low. Black bass are good on chartreuse Curb's buzzbaits, white swim baits, and watermelon Whacky Sticks in 10-20 feet at daylight. Striped bass are good on Lf1 Fishies and Creme 2-inch Spoiler Shads at night. White bass are fair on Lf1 Fishies at night. Crappie are fair on white tube jigs and five minnows over brush piles. Channel catfish are good on minnows and shrimp. Yellow and blue catfish are good on trotlines baited with live bait.

NAVARRO MILLS: Water murky; 70-74 degrees; 12.52 feet high. Black bass are fair on small spinnerbaits. White bass are fair on Lf1 Fishies. Crappie are good on minnows. Channel catfish are fair on stinkbait and shrimp. Blue catfish are slow. Yellow catfish are slow.

PROCTOR: Water murky; 68-72 degrees; 0.06 feet low. Black bass are good on perch colored spinnerbaits, crankbaits, and Rat-L-Traps. Striped bass are good on chartreuse striper jigs. White bass are fair on cut shad. Crappie are fair on minnows. Channel and blue catfish are good on stinkbait, shrimp, and shad. Yellow catfish are fair on live bait.

SOMERVILLE: Water murky; 69-73 degrees; 7.27 feet high. Black bass are fair on watermelon crankbaits and soft plastic worms. Hybrid striper are slow. White bass are fair on minnows. Crappie are slow. Channel and blue catfish are fair on shrimp. Yellow catfish are slow.

STILLHOUSE: Water murky; 71-75 degrees; 2.84 feet high. Black bass are good on chartreuse crankbaits, spinnerbaits and Rat-L-Traps. White bass are fair on minnows. Crappie are good on minnows. Channel and blue catfish are good on shrimp, hot dogs, and nightcrawlers. Yellow catfish are slow.

TEXOMA: Water murky; 68-72 degrees; 9.07 feet low. Black bass are fair on chartreuse topwaters, pumpkinseed worms, and small crankbaits in 8-18 feet. Striped bass are fair on clear grubs and jigging spoons in 20-30 feet. White bass are fair on Lf1 Fishies and minnows in 20-35 feet. Crappie are fair on minnows and green tube jigs in 10-20 feet. Channel and blue catfish are fair on shrimp and fresh cut bait in 25-40 feet. Yellow catfish are slow.

WALTER E. LONG: Water murky; Black bass are fair on watermelon spinnerbaits and crankbaits. Hybrid striper are fair on white striper jigs. White bass are slow. Crappie are good on minnows near the dam. Channel and blue catfish are good on liver and shrimp. Yellow catfish are slow.

WHITNEY: Water murky; 69-73 degrees; 0.15 feet low. Black bass are fair on blue/black spinnerbaits, crankbaits, and Rat-L-Traps. Striped bass are fair on live minnows. White bass are good on minnows. Crappie are good on minnows and blue tube jigs. Catfish are fair on shrimp, stinkbait, and nightcrawlers.

WESTTEXASSPORTS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

To submit an item for West Texas Sports, please either fax, bring in, mail or email your information in hard-copy form to the Reporter-Telegram sports department.

Please make your submission as detailed as possible, including dates of events, deadlines, fees, age groups, etc.

To bring your item to the MRT, come to 201 E. Illinois Ave. in Midland. To mail your information, send it to Reporter-Telegram, c/o Sports Department, 201 E. Illinois Ave., Midland, TX 79701.

To fax your information, send to 570-7650 or you can email it to sports@mrt.com.

Baseball

GCM Baseball Academy
What: Professional private baseball lessons & clinics covering pitching, fielding, catching and hitting provided by three former professional players.
For: Ages 5 & up
Cost: Individual lessons, $65 an hour or $40 for 30 minutes. Bulk purchases & group lesson rates available at discount
For more info: Call (432) 425-6108

Private batting and pitching instruction
For more info: Call Danny Jordan at 230-0096 for instruction on mechanics and pitch selection in a one-on-one setting

Private hitting and catching instruction
For more info: Call Scott Chapman at 967-2364 for instruction in a one-on-one environment

Pitching, hitting and fielding lessons
For more info: Call Midland High baseball coach Barry Russell at 296-2438

Private Baseball/Softball lessons
For more info: Contact Extra Innings Midland/Odessa at (432) 617-4487 or visit www.extrainnings-midlandodessa.com

Midland Little League Umpires Needed
For more info: Contact 889-6080

WTX Baseball
What: Instruction for players 5 and up.
For more info: wtxbaseball.com; facebook.com/wtxbaseballmidland; 413-0329

Private lessons
For more info: Call Mike Munoz 432-230-6477 or email mmunoz@midlandchristianschool.org

Basketball

Permian Basketball Association needs officials
For more info: Jim Cox 685-4143 or 553-3714

YMCA needs basketball referees
For more info: 682-2551

Midland Hoops 32 Basketball Skills Training
Cost: $25 per session; one to two people. $15 for groups of three or more
For more info: Contact Eddie Venzant at 254-6894 or go to midlandhoops32.com. venzanted-de@yahoo.com

Bowling

Tuesday Night Petroleum Men's League
When: Meets at 6:45 p.m.
For more info: Melton Post 684-5176 or Cactus Lanes 694-0177

Edith McElmore Three-Person League
When: 10 a.m. Wednesdays
Where: AMF Lanes
For more info: Call AMF Lanes at 689-9725

Camps/Clinics

Ten Star All Star Camp
For whom: Boys and girls ages 10-19
For more info: Call (704) 373-0873 for a brochure

COM Aquatic Camps
What: Swimming, diving, snorkeling
Ages: Preschool and grade school
For more info: Call 684-7755

Tennis clinics and lessons
Contact Coach Jon lanier for clinics and lessons at jlanier@midlandchristianschool.org

Cycling

Permian Basin Bicycle Association Meetings
When: 7 p.m. third Monday of every month
Where: Beak Park Ranch House, 5200 W Wall St., Midland
Dues: $25/$30 for a family
For more info: Peyton's Bikes 699-1718 or go to www.pbbats.com

Dodgeball

Sticks and Kicks Leagues
Who: Kids, adults, co-ed players
Cost: $35 per player (8 game season)
Where: Register at Sticks and Kicks, 3918 W Wall
For more info: Call 520-6633

Flag Football

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

Football

Permian Basin Officials Chapter seeks officials
Note: Education and training will be provided
For more info: Call Terrell Pierce at 559-5004 or Don Orren at 631-2396

Martial Arts

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

Private Martial Art/Self-Defense Lessons
Ages: Men-Women-Children
What: Learn Basic Skills to Advanced Techniques
Note: Private, Semi-Private and Group Lessons are available
For more info: Call Master Oscar Jimenez / 432-559-5009 (semenez3@att.net

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

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

Miscellaneous

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

Poker

Lone Star Poker League
What: Free to play Texas Hold 'em Poker tournaments
For: Beginners to experienced players. Ages 21 and up
When/where: 6:30 p.m. Sunday, Wednesday and Friday at Woolers & Tweeters; 6:30 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday at Rednetks Drafthouse
Players must be signed in by 6:15 p.m. each night
For more info: Go to www.lonestarpokertour.net

Professional Wrestling

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

Rugby

Mad Dog Rugby Football Club
Practices: Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7-9 p.m. at Reyes-Washburn Park (north field)
For more info: call 432-697-6418

Running

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

Gazelles Training Group
When: 6 a.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday
For more info: Call Popcorn Leonard at 512-762-1020 or 682-0988

Shooting

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

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

Soccer

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

Midland Soccer Association
For: Youth Recreational League Ages 4-18
When: Spring/Fall Games
Note: Also information on becoming a certified referee!
For more info: Register online at www.midlandsoccer.com and go to 432-694-5425

Softball

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

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

Midland United Girls Softball Registration
What: Online registration is now open and registration will only be available online
Fees: T-ball ($75), 8U-18U ($100); late fee $25
For: ages. A girl must be 4 by Jan. 1, 2015 to play T-ball. The same date will used to place child in each division. A parent may have opportunity to bump their child up one division.
To register: go to Midlandfastpitch.com or registration will also be available at Midland Park Mall on March 7 and March 14 from 1-5 p.m.

Concho Valley Fast Pitch Jamboree
What: A preseason varsity tournament
When/where: Jan. 16-17, San Angelo
Team entry: $275 (15 players max)
Deadline: Jan. 12
To enter: Call Tournament Director Chris Cardenas at 325-374-2910

Swimming

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

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

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

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

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

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

COM Competitive Dive Team
Who: Try out for Bronze, Silver, Gold Prep or Gold levels of COM Dive Team.
What: Emphasizes a on diving techniques and participation in local and out of town competitive meets
For more info: 684-7755

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Tennis

West Texas Tennis Association
What: West Texas Tennis Association, a non-profit community tennis association, promotes and oversees USTA leagues, programs and events in the area.

For more info: Call 432-210-0611 or www.westtexastennis.com for more information

Bush Tennis Center Clinics
What: Balloon Tennis 34 (ages 3-4); Redball 56 (ages 5-8); Orange and Green Ball 910 (ages 9-10). Junior Development (6th-8th grade freshman-JV); Junior Select (varsity); RSR Adults (adult beginners); Intermediate Adults; A-D & E Adults (advanced adults). Also Junior Team Tennis registration now open
Where: Bush Tennis Center
For more info: Visit www.bushtenniscenter.com and or call 620-8180

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

Midland College Tennis
What: Clinics, lessons, leagues, tournaments
Where: Midland College Tennis Center
For more info: Call 687-4046

Midland College Tennis Club
When: A community tennis club
Where: Midland College Tennis Center
Annual Dues: Adults $65, youths $30, families $140
For more info: Call 563-1333 or email midlandtennisclub@aol.com

Midland Women's Tennis Association
For more info: 559-7208

Ultimate Frisbee

Midland Drought Ultimate Frisbee Club
What: The Club plays weekly casual pick-up games on Saturday mornings from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and offer occasional opportunities for tourney travel
For: ages. Males and females from the high school level to adult
For more info: Go to www.midlandultimatefrisbee.weebly.com or call Matt at 432-288-3139

Walking

Midland Walkabout AVA Club
For: All Ages
Annual dues: $15 per family
Walks: One Saturday morning per month
When: First Monday of the month at Murray's Deli on Wadley at 6 p.m.
Who: All ages
For more info: Call 432-697-4310, email ggwinn@midlandbizcomm.net or visit midlandwalkabout.wordpress.com

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THE ULTIMATE FOOTBALL CONTEST

A 'GRAND PRIZE' WEEKLY IN POWER POINTS CONTEST

The Midland Reporter-Telegram will carry this season's POWER POINTS Football Contest, which features a weekly grand prize of $1,000.

Along with other newspapers in the South region, the Midland Reporter-Telegram will publish the contest for 17 weeks, beginning September 6th. Entry forms publish every Sunday and Monday in the sports section.

In addition to the $1,000 regional grand prize, a local prize of a $50 gift card from Domino's Pizza will be awarded each week.

In POWER POINTS, the object of the game is to amass as many of the 136 possible points each week as you can. Contestants select winners from each week's list of games – mostly NFL action but with a smattering of top regional college games. Contestants pick their winners and plot them along a weighted point scale according to their confidence in them. Your highest-confidence pick goes on the 16-point line, your lowest-confidence pick on the 1-point line.

The contestant regionally who tallies the most of the 136 points each week wins $1,000. The local contestant who tallies the most of the 136 points is the local winner.

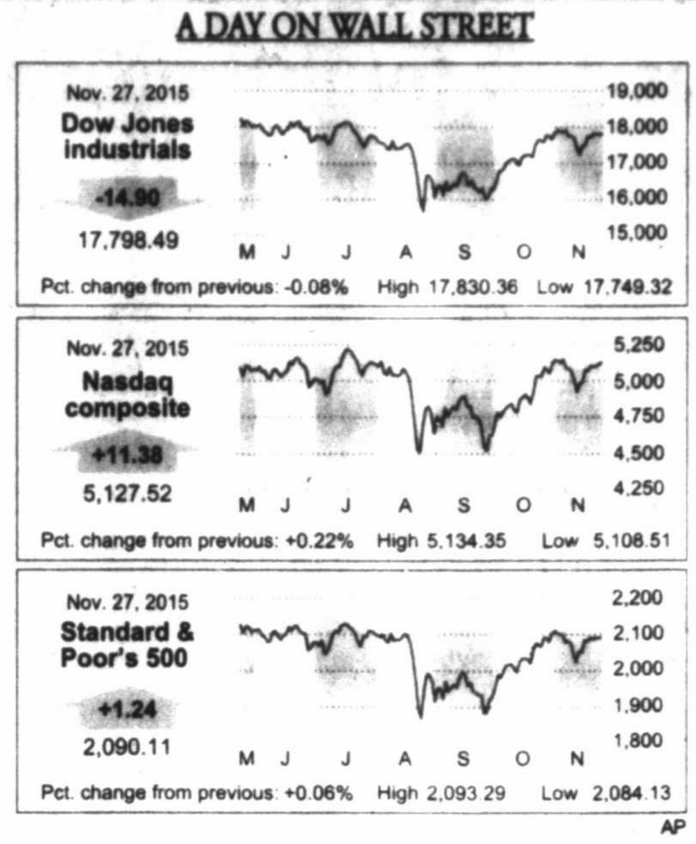
To enter the contest, drop off your entries at Midland Reporter-Telegram, 201 E. Illinois Ave., Midland, Texas.

Weekly deadline for entry is 2 p.m. on Thursdays.

THE MARKET IN REVIEW

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AP

NYSE

MOST ACTIVE ($1 OR MORE)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
iShEMkts	513483	33.94	-.76
S&P500ETF	3369912	209.56	+.24
GenElec	327142	30.36	...
SunEdison	292930	3.36	+.11
MktVGold	271159	13.45	-.26

GAINERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Navios pfG	12.82	+1.32	+11.5
AMidstrm	10.03	+1.03	+11.4
ScorpioB 19	12.80	+1.50	+13.3
SalixBlk pfC	9.76	+.66	+7.2
SandRMass	3.37	+.22	+7.0

LOSERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Dnx300Chn	21.25	-3.46	-14.0
DxRsaBll rs	15.50	-2.35	-13.2
LehTOY21	5.17	-.76	-12.8
DxNGBll rs	14.65	-2.00	-12.0
StoneEnrgy	6.60	-.75	-10.2

DIARY

Advanced	1,830
Declined	1,211
Unchanged	129
Total issues	3,170
New Highs	95
New Lows	48
Volume	1,413,070,595

AMEX

MOST ACTIVE ($1 OR MORE)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
iShIndia bt	16461	27.22	-.01
CheniereEn	11261	47.60	+.70
NwGold g	10358	2.14	-.08
SynthBiol	9844	3.04	+.09
BarcGSOil	9183	7.63	-.19

GAINERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
AltisrcAst	16.61	+2.00	+13.7
SnchzHPR rs	15.45	+1.47	+10.5
CorMedix	2.49	+.19	+8.3
YumaE pfA	5.90	+.40	+7.3
Earthstone	15.28	+.77	+5.3

LOSERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
StrPathCm	10.93	-1.43	-11.6
AmFarm n	7.30	-.44	-5.7
Can-Fite	3.23	-.15	-4.4
TelinstEl	5.20	-.22	-4.1
VirnetX	2.66	-.11	-4.0

DIARY

Advanced	170
Declined	160
Unchanged	39
Total issues	369
New Highs	2
New Lows	5
Volume	26,200,656

NASDAQ

MOST ACTIVE ($1 OR MORE)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
Apple Inc	120168	117.81	-.22
Cisco	94322	27.32	+.08
Microsoft	87904	53.93	+.24
SiriusXM	82005	4.14	-.02
PwShs QQQ	80760	114.31	+.16

GAINERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
e-Future	15.89	+7.74	+95.0
Repros wtB	7.63	+3.10	+68.4
ReprosTh	2.54	+.79	+45.1
KaloBio rs	34.83	+8.20	+30.8
Repros wtA	3.12	+.72	+30.0

LOSERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
GalectinTh	2.05	-.23	-10.1
DigitalAlly	4.27	-.47	-9.9
FulngGbl n	3.70	-.37	-9.1
ValueLine	15.18	-1.46	-8.8
KingtoneW	3.09	-.29	-8.6

DIARY

Advanced	1,693
Declined	978
Unchanged	222
Total issues	2,893
New Highs	87
New Lows	36
Volume	763,136,374

INDEXES

52-Week High	Low	Name	Last	Chg	% Chg	Net % Chg	YTD % Chg	52-wk % Chg
18,351.36	15,370.33	Dow Jones Industrials	17,798.49	-14.90	-.08	-.14	-.77	7.37
9,310.22	7,452.70	Dow Jones Transportation	8,215.42	+43.37	+.53	+.10.11	+10.68	
657.17	539.96	Dow Jones Utilities	563.02	+2.39	+.43	-8.91	-6.12	
11,254.87	9,509.59	NYSE Composite	10,450.53	-.17		-3.59	-4.61	
5,231.94	4,292.14	Nasdaq Composite	5,127.53	+11.39	+.22	+8.27	+7.01	
2,134.72	1,867.01	S&P 500	2,090.11	+1.24	+.06	+1.52	+1.09	
1,551.28	1,344.80	S&P Midcap	1,468.98	+4.71	+.32	+1.14	-1.83	
22,537.15	19,619.26	Wilshire 5000	21,761.34	+19.47	+.09	+.42	-.14	
1,296.00	1,078.63	Russell 2000	1,202.38	+4.37	+.36	+.19	+2.48	

PERMIAN BASIN STOCKS

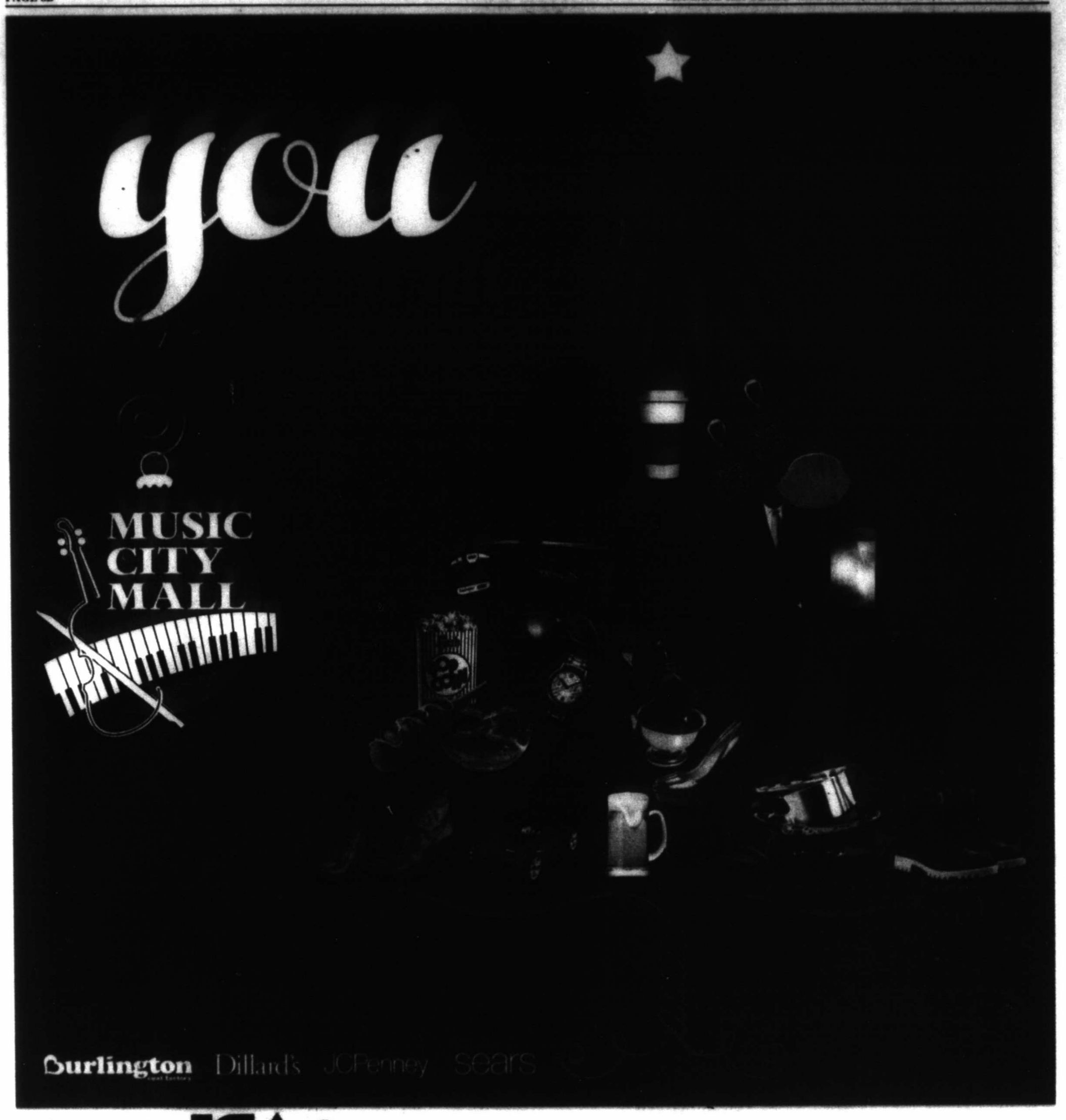
Name	Div	PE	Last	YTD Chg	YTD %Chg
AT&T Inc	1.88	36	33.97	-.12	-.1
Abraxas		7	1.32	-.06	-55.1
AdaDvsEq	.92e		13.00	-.01	-5.0
AEtern g rs			11.06	.37	61.6
Alcoa	.12	14	9.32	.09	-4.1
Alibaba		51	87.38	.33	21.0
AlonUSA	.60	11	17.71	.17	+39.8
Ambev	.45e		4.90	.06	20.6
Amgen	3.16	20	163.52	-.43	+2.7
Anadarko	1.08		60.71	-.42	-26.4
Apache	1.00		49.42	-.93	-21.1
Apple Inc	2.08	13	117.81	-.22	+35.7
ApldMatl	.40	17	18.62	+.17	-25.3
Archrock	.60	32	10.68	.23	-45.4
ATMOS	1.68f	20	62.84	+.65	+12.7
AutoData	2.12f	28	86.69	+.26	+4.2
BP PLC	2.40	14	39.50	.16	-8.6
BabsCCInv	1.20		16.99	.13	-6.6
BakrHu	.68		52.78	-.28	-5.9
BcoBrad s	.44e		5.62	.10	-49.1
BkofAm	.20	13	17.48	+.04	-.3
B_PrivaST			19.91	-.47	-4.5
BarrickG	.08	20	11.41	-.27	-43.0
BasicEnSv			3.77	.33	-41.2
BerkHa A		18201624.00	661.01	-10.8	+1.4
BlkHillsCp	1.62	28	42.75	+.07	-19.4
BrMySq	1.48	66	67.85	-.23	+14.9
BrownFA	1.36f	37	113.67	+2.69	+13.5
BrownFB	1.36f	33	106.51	+1.43	+21.3
CVS Health	1.40	21	94.63	+.73	+.1
Cameron		17	68.04	.05	+.2
Caterpillar	3.08	14	71.22	.27	-22.2
Celestic g		14	11.48	+.07	-22.2
CntryLnk	2.16	20	27.06	-.08	-17.6
ChesEng			5.26	.15	-73.1
Chevron	4.28	20	90.37	-.50	-19.4
Chicos	.31	54	12.35	-.20	-23.8
Cimarex	.64		118.03	-2.67	+11.3
Cisco	.84	15	27.32	+.08	+3.7
Citigroup	.20	12	54.21	-.13	+.2
ClayEng			57.63	-1.97	-9.7
CocaCola	1.32	28	43.15	+.12	+2.2
ColgPalm	1.52	25	66.56	+.13	-3.8
ConAgra	1.00	27	41.66	+.04	+14.8
ConchoRes		64	108.30	-2.70	+8.6
ConocoPhil	2.96	59	53.48	-.90	-22.6
CrackerB	4.40a	18	128.99	-2.01	-8.4
CSVLgNG rs			2.58	.24	-87.0
CSVLgCrd rs				6.95	-58.8
CSVelIVST			29.63	.33	-4.8
CSVrxSh rs			6.05	-.13	-78.1
CrosTim	1.55e	7	15.29	-.02	-11.7
Cyclacel h			1.02	+.33	+45.1
DCP Mid	3.12	13	25.24	.48	-44.4
DTE	2.92f	15	80.17	+.29	-7.2
Dataram			1.05	.04	-38.2
DevonE	.96		44.87	-1.04	-26.7
DirDGldBr			20.03	-.98	-18.8
Disney	1.32f	22	115.13	-3.54	+22.2
DowChm	1.84f	14	52.01	+.09	+14.0
eBay s		16	29.10	+.10	+24.8
EOG Resrc	.67		82.02	-1.51	-10.9
EmpDist	1.04	17	22.64	+.49	-23.9
Energen	.08		59.82	-1.33	-6.2
EngyTsfr	4.22f		38.31	-.32	-41.1
EnPro	.80		50.08	+.18	-20.3
EntProdPt	1.54f	20	25.64	.29	-29.0
Encsson	.39e		9.57	+.14	-20.9
ExxonMbl	2.92	17	81.23	-.02	-12.1
Facebook			105.45	+.04	+35.2
FordM	.60	12	14.53	-.02	-6.3
FreeSea hrs			.04	-.01	-99.9
FrptMcM	.20a		8.10	-.65	-65.3
GATX	1.52	9	45.93	-.07	-20.2
GabMultT	.94e		9.09	+.02	-19.2
GAInv	1.15e		32.43	+.30	-7.3
GenElec	.92		30.36		+20.1
Gerdau	.07e		1.61	.05	-54.6
GtBasSc f			13	+.02	-94.8
GtPlainEn	1.05f	20	26.97	+.11	-6.1
HP Inc	.50		12.61	-.03	-30.8
HalconRes			58	.05	-67.4
Halliburt n	.72	48	39.13	-.18	-.5
HP Ent n	.22		14.35	+.23	-13.3
iShGold			10.22	.11	-10.7
iShBrazil	1.03e		23.34	.72	-36.8
iShJapan	.13e		12.48	.06	+11.0
iSTaiwn	.29e		13.43	.25	-11.1
iShChinaLC	.76e		36.93	-1.04	-11.3
iShEMkts	.84e		33.94	-.76	-13.6
iS Eafe	1.70e		60.70	+.01	-.2
Intel	.96	15	34.46	+.01	-5.0
InterDig	.80		46.15	-.52	-.7
ItauUnibH	.40e		7.27	.15	-39.0
JD.com			27.40	+.42	+29.4
JohnJn	3.00	19	102.37	+.41	-2.1
KimbClk	3.52	64	120.85	+.38	+4.6
KindMorg	2.04f	45	23.87	.23	-43.6
LegacyRes	.60f		3.15	.17	-72.4
Lubys			4.90	+.01	+7.7
MacroGnx			44.54	.54	-66.1
MarkWest	.52e		61.45	.76	-14.4
McDnlds	3.56f	24	114.23	.50	-21.9
Merck	1.84f	32	53.23	+.22	+8.2
MeritMed		32	19.46	+.02	+12.3
Micron					-55.1
Microsoft			53.93	+.24	+27.5
MitcmTx			10.24	+.14	-77.4
NBG rs					-66.7
NatGrid	3.35e		70.14	.38	-1.7
NewGold			17.16	-.13	-47.7
NextEra			115.10	-.31	-8.4
NuSTAREn			49.92	+1.28	+15.1
NvMAd	79a		13.44	+.02	-1.6
NvPMI	78a		13.28	+.04	-4.9
NvPwr	82a		13.64	+.05	-1.6
NSTFI3	55a		14.05	+.03	-1.3
NTXQI	65a		13.82	+.03	-4.4
OasisPet			11.32	.76	-37.6
OcciPet	3.00	33	75.19	-.19	-6.7
Oshkosh	.60	16	39.48	-.27	-27.1
PanTech			6.85	+.15	+11.4
ParkDri			2.72	+.03	-11.4
PattUTI	.40		16.10	+.55	-3.0
PennaRE	.84		21.90	+.32	-6.6
Primsp	40e		6.70		-35.1
PetroArA			2.69	.18	-27.4
PetroDall			4.93	.19	-32.5
Pfizer	1.12	25	32.79	.08	+5.3
PioNr	.08	28	144.63	-.95	-.7
PlainsAAP	2.80f	14	23.87	-.16	-53.5
PwShs QQQ	1.52e		114.31	+.16	+7.1
Praxair	2.86	21	113.91	+.70	-12.1
PrmEgy		25	53.00	-3.30	-27.1
PUVrsST rs			27.18	+.43	-78.4
ProctGam	2.65	27	75.70	-.20	-16.9
OcciPet	3.00	33	75.19	-.19	-6.7
QuestDgn			23.29	+.01	-22.1
RangeRs	.12	17	28.50	+.78	-46.2
RegencyEn	.24	118	19.17	+.08	-31.1
ReprosTh			2.54	+.79	-14.5
Rowan	.40		20.05	.46	-14.2
RoyDShllA	3.76	12	50.07	+.14	-25.2
SpdrDJIA	3.90e		177.90	.03	-.2
S&P500ETF	4.13e		209.56	+.24	-.2
SpdrLe1 3bl			45.69	+.01	-12.5
SpdrOGEx	.73e		36.96	.84	-12.8
SabnR	3.24e	10	32.16	+.16	-10.1
SanderFm	.88a	6	73.64	+.64	-12.4
SandRidge			30	-.01	-83.5
Schlmbrg	2.00	26	77.33	-.20	-.5
SiriusXM		41	4.14	+.02	+18.1
Smucker	2.68	35	123.26	-.32	+22.1
SouFun	.20e	18	6.73	.29	-8.9
SwstnEngy			8.74	.68	-68.0
SP Engy	1.98e		67.77	.49	-14.4
SPDR Fncl	.44e		24.58	+.06	-.6
SunEdison			3.36	+.11	-82.8
SunocoLog	1.83f		28.18	.46	-32.6
Synchrony		12	31.35	.18	+5.4
TelefEsp	1.03e		12.27	+.08	-13.7
Tesoro	2.00	9	112.23	.08	+57.7
3M Co	4.10	20	157.99	+.36	-3.9
Torchmark	.54	15	60.95	+.25	+12.5
TriContl	.80e		20.52	+.07	-4.2
TylerTech		84	174.92	+1.47	+59.8
UBSI	1.32f	21	42.29	+.12	+12.9
US OilFd			13.03	.36	-36.0
Vale SA	.29e		3.57	.16	-56.4
ValeroE	2.00f	8	72.94	+.01	-47.4
VangEmg	1.10e		33.99	.76	-15.1
Vipshop		45	16.95	+.41	-13.3
VulcanM	.40	79	103.99	+.61	+58.2
WEC Engy	1.83	19	49.54	+.47	-6.1
WalMart	1.96	13	59.89	.35	-30.3
WalgBoots	1.44	26	84.18	+.78	-10.5
WstnRefin	1.52f	8	45.72	+.55	+21.0
WhitngPet			15.94	-1.23	-51.7
WmaCos	2.56	66	36.14	.30	-19.6
XcelEngy	1.28	19	35.64	+.14	-.8
Xerox	.28	37	10.63	+.04	-23.3
Yahoo			32.94	-.22	-34.8

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Standings

As of Nov. 22

Big 12

	Conference				All Games			
	W	L	PF	PA	W	L	PF	PA
Oklahoma St.	6	0	276	179	9	0	401	214
Baylor	5	0	267	131	8	0	459	230
TCU	6	1	294	201	9	1	443	262
Oklahoma	5	1	293	98	8	1	417	163
Texas	3	4	180	188	4	6	249	299
West Virginia	2	4	167	225	5	4	297	248
Iowa St.	2	4	157	221	3	6	228	289
Texas Tech	2	5	289	333	5	5	452	422
Kansas St.	0	5	112	197	3	5	215	233
Kansas	0	7	94	336	0	10	169	459

SEC

EAST DIVISION	Conference				All Games			
	W	L	PF	PA	W	L	PF	PA
Florida	7	1	189	108	10	1	301	159
Georgia	5	3	183	159	8	3	305	196
Tennessee	4	3	197	155	7	4	359	226
Vanderbilt	2	5	78	131	4	7	154	199
Kentucky	2	6	140	221	5	6	272	291
Missouri	1	6	70	121	5	6	180	186
South Carolina	1	7	161	243	3	8	231	293

West	Conference				All Games			
	W	L	PF	PA	W	L	PF	PA
Alabama	6	1	223	126	10	1	385	159
Mississippi	5	2	220	183	8	3	445	247
Mississippi St.	4	3	183	170	8	3	369	236
Texas A&M	4	3	154	156	8	3	333	240
LSU	4	3	193	191	7	3	319	257
Arkansas	4	3	247	238	6	5	394	330
Auburn	2	5	164	200	6	5	313	299

AAC

EAST DIVISION	Conference				All Games			
	W	L	PF	PA	W	L	PF	PA
Temple	6	1	251	162	9	2	360	222
South Florida	5	2	231	154	7	4	358	250
UConn	4	3	149	139	6	5	210	210
Cincinnati	3	4	267	243	6	5	414	347
East Carolina	3	4	186	169	5	6	313	293
UCF	0	7	114	315	0	11	164	408

WEST DIVISION								
Navy	7	0	277	125	9	1	382	187
Houston	6	1	273	153	10	1	452	222
Memphis	4	3	248	229	8	3	447	324
Tulsa	2	5	227	288	5	6	386	429
Tulane	1	6	113	248	3	8	202	388
SMU	1	6	199	312	2	9	333	485

Polls

AP Top 25

The Top 25 teams in The Associated Press college football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Nov. 21, total points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote, and previous ranking

	Record	Pts	Pvs
1. Clemson (55)	11-0	1,518	1
2. Alabama (6)	10-1	1,469	3
3. Iowa	11-0	1,325	6
4. Notre Dame	10-1	1,317	5
5. Oklahoma	10-1	1,295	7
6. Michigan St.	10-1	1,286	9
7. Baylor	**9-1**	**1,161**	**10**
8. Ohio St.	10-1	1,051	2
9. Oklahoma St	10-1	995	4
10. Florida	10-1	926	8
11. North Carolina	10-1	900	12
12. Michigan	9-2	855	14
13. Stanford	9-2	816	15
14. Florida St.	9-2	680	16
15. TCU	**9-2**	**652**	**11**
16. Navy	9-1	647	19
17. Northwestern	9-2	593	20
18. Oregon	8-3	470	23
19. Mississippi	8-3	358	25
20. Washington St	8-3	354	24
21. Houston	**10-1**	**275**	**13**
22. UCLA	8-3	230	NR
23. Mississippi St.	8-3	130	NR
24. Toledo	9-1	123	NR
25. Temple	9-2	107	NR

Others receiving votes: Utah 100, Pittsburgh 60, LSU 33, **Texas A&M 27**, Wisconsin 21, Air Force 15, Southern Cal 8, Arkansas 7, W Kentucky 6, Georgia 5, BYU 3, Tennessee 2, Arkansas St 1, South Florida 1, West Virginia 1

Coaches poll

The Amway Top 25 football coaches poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Nov. 21, total points based on 25 points for first place through one point for 25th, and previous ranking

	Record	Pts	Pvs
1. Clemson (58)	11-0	1590	1
2. Alabama (5)	10-1	1531	3
3. Iowa (1)	11-0	1419	6
4. Notre Dame	10-1	1373	5
5. Oklahoma	10-1	1364	7
6. Michigan State	10-1	1302	9
7. Baylor	**9-1**	**1201**	**10**
8. Ohio State	10-1	1138	2
9. Florida	10-1	1047	8
10. Oklahoma State	10-1	956	4
11. North Carolina	10-1	929	12
12. Stanford	9-2	881	15
12. Michigan	9-2	881	13
14. Florida State	9-2	783	16
15. Navy	9-1	674	19
16. TCU	**9-2**	**626**	**11**
17. Northwestern	9-2	569	21
18. Oregon	8-3	482	22
19. Mississippi	8-3	383	25
20. Washington State	8-3	327	23
21. Houston	**10-1**	**256**	**14**
22. Mississippi State	8-3	230	25
23. UCLA	8-3	224	NR
24. Temple	9-2	116	NR
25. Utah	8-3	101	18

Others receiving votes: LSU 82, Toledo 69, Wisconsin 56, **Texas A&M 54**, Pittsburgh 46, Georgia 34, Southern California 27, Western Kentucky 12, Arkansas 7, Air Force 6, West Virginia 6, Bowling Green 5, Brigham Young 5, San Diego State 3, Appalachian State 2, Arkansas State 1

College Football Playoff rankings

	Record
1. Clemson	11-0
2. Alabama	10-1
3. Oklahoma	10-1
4. Iowa	11-0
5. Michigan St.	10-1
6. Notre Dame	10-1
7. Baylor	**9-1**
8. Ohio St.	10-1
9. Stanford	9-2
10. Michigan	9-2
11. Oklahoma St.	10-1
12. Florida	10-1
14. Florida St.	9-2
14. North Carolina	10-1
15. Navy	9-1
16. Northwestern	9-2
17. Oregon	8-3
18. Mississippi	8-3
19. TCU	**9-2**
20. Washington St.	8-3
21. Mississippi St.	8-3
22. UCLA	8-3
23. Utah	8-3
24. Toledo	9-1
25. Temple	9-2

The College Football Playoff Selection Committee will issue weekly rankings each Tuesday, with the final rankings being announced 11 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 6. The playoff semifinals will match the No. 1 seed vs. the No. 4 seed, and No. 2 will face No. 3. The semifinals will be hosted at the Orange Bowl and Cotton Bowl on Dec. 31. The championship game will be on Jan. 11, 2016 at Glendale, Ariz.

Texas games

THURSDAY

Texas Tech 38, Texas 35

FRIDAY

Houston 52, Navy 31

TCU 28, Baylor 21 (2OT)

TODAY

SMU at Memphis, 11 a.m.

Texas Southern at Alabama A&M, 1 p.m.

Middle Tennessee St. at UTSA, 1:30 p.m.

Southern Utah at Sam Houston St., 2 p.m.

UTEP at North Texas, 2:30 p.m., FSN

Charlotte at Rice, 2:30 p.m.

Texas St. at Idaho, 4 p.m.

Texas A&M at LSU, 6:30 p.m.

TCU TOPS BAYLOR IN 2OT



Fort Worth Star-Telegram/TNS

TCU safety Nick Orr (18) intercepts a pass intended for Baylor wide receiver Ishmael Zamora (8) in the first quarter at Amon G. Carter Stadium in Fort Worth, on Friday. TCU got the win, 28-21, over Baylor in a game that took an extra 50 minutes to start because of inclement weather and two overtimes to finish because of fierce evenly matched competition.

Is the Red Raiders' wild win over Texas Kingsbury's turning point?

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D2eAndre Washington knows how much a win against Texas in Austin meant to the Texas Tech football program and its fans.

"It's special," said the senior Red Raider running back, who rushed for 173 yards and two touchdowns. "To sum it it up in one word, just special. Being the last game of the regular season, a rival and everybody knowing the tradition between Texas Tech and Texas, to be able to get a win on the road, it's special for the seniors, for the team, everybody."

It wasn't pretty, and there were moments when the Red Raiders could have let it slip away, but Tech made the plays when it mattered and then held on for dear life for a 48-45 win on Thursday night.

It was the first win for the Red Raiders over Texas in Austin since 1997. Back then, Spike Dykes was still coaching the Red Raiders and current Texas head coach Kliff Kingsbury was a junior in high school in New Braunfels. The win also broke a six-game losing streak against the Longhorns.

"I don't remember Texas Tech beating Texas since (Michael Crabtree in 1988)," said senior wide receiver Jakeem Grant, who scored the game-winning touchdown on a trick play appropriately called "hook 'em." "I wanted to make the highlight just like (Crabtree) did."

It has been a long time coming for these Red Raiders, who got a couple of monkeys off their backs on a wet night in Austin.

They also managed to play well enough on the road to get a win. That is something that the Red Raiders hadn't done much this season since the 35-24 win at Arkansas on Sept. 19.

"We haven't played very well on the road, but a lot of it has been due to the quality of the opponent," Kingsbury said. "To get two quality road wins where we have struggled traditionally, really, is a big step."

Could this truly be a stepping stone for the Red Raiders?

Coming off a 4-8 season in 2014 and to being 7-5 and bowl bound has to be considered a step forward, even though there were moments when the Red Raiders left many of their fans shaking their heads.

For Kingsbury, who is still a very young head coach, this has to be a step for him, as he has been on a learning curve in his three seasons of leading the program at his alma mater. Kingsbury was never on the hot seat, although some publications would have had you believe such was the case in the preseason. He is certainly isn't now. If Kingsbury and his Red Raiders continue this trend, he will be one of the hottest commodities in football.

It's also hard to believe Texas coach Charlie Strong is on the hot seat, as well, despite back-to-back losing seasons. He had to get rid of some knuckleheads in the programs and bring in the players he's wanted in only two short years.

The way the Longhorns fought on Thursday night, even though they kept finding ways to shoot themselves in the foot, has Strong believing that there is hope for his program going forward.

"If you look at what we had on the field, our future is very bright," said Strong, whose team dipped to 4-7 on the season. "Sometimes, you have to go through a little adversity. It just makes you stronger. When you battle through games like this, it will only make you stronger, and it will make our teams stronger."

Please see **LeROY**/2C

Miles' future at LSU unknown as Tigers tussle with Texas A&M

By Brett Martel
Associated Press

BATON ROUGE, La. — What is supposed to be Senior Day at Tiger Stadium is bound to take on an air of "Les Miles Day," no matter how much the embattled coach would rather the focus be on his players when LSU hosts Texas A&M on tonight.

Speculation that the regular-season finale will also be Miles' final game as LSU's coach has dominated Louisiana sports talk shows, internet chat rooms and newspaper columns lately. Athletic director Joe Alleva has declined to address the matter publicly, allowing speculation about Miles' status to fester on the heels of his first three-game skid in 11 years at LSU.

One could argue it would be rash to fire Miles now, given his overall LSU record of 110-32. But when asked if the clash with A&M should not mark his final day on the home sideline at Death Valley, Miles responded that he was "not going to look to defend or make a case."

"I love the place. I'm going to work hard. I'm not going to get into what is my view," Miles added. "I'm fortunate to be the head coach here. I've always felt that way. I love the players that I've recruited. ... I want to finish strong in Tiger Stadium. I want the seniors to go out great."

If Miles' situation wasn't enough to enliven a clash of unranked teams, there is also the return to Tiger Stadium of Aggies defensive coordinator John Chavis, who spent the previous six seasons in the same post at LSU.

From a personal standpoint, Chavis said he would not consider his return to

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Ward leads No. 21 Houston to win over No. 16 Navy

Associated Press

HOUSTON — Houston Cougars rebounded from their first defeat of the season with their biggest victory yet under coach Tom Herman.

Greg Ward, Jr. threw for 308 yards and three touchdowns to lead Houston to a 52-31 win over No. 16 Navy on Friday, sending the Cougars to the first American Athletic Conference championship game.

Houston (11-1, 7-1 American) clinched the West Division title and will host either Temple or South Florida in the championship game Dec. 5. The Cougars are also well positioned to earn a bid to a New Year's Six bowl game, likely the Fiesta Bowl, if they win the league championship.

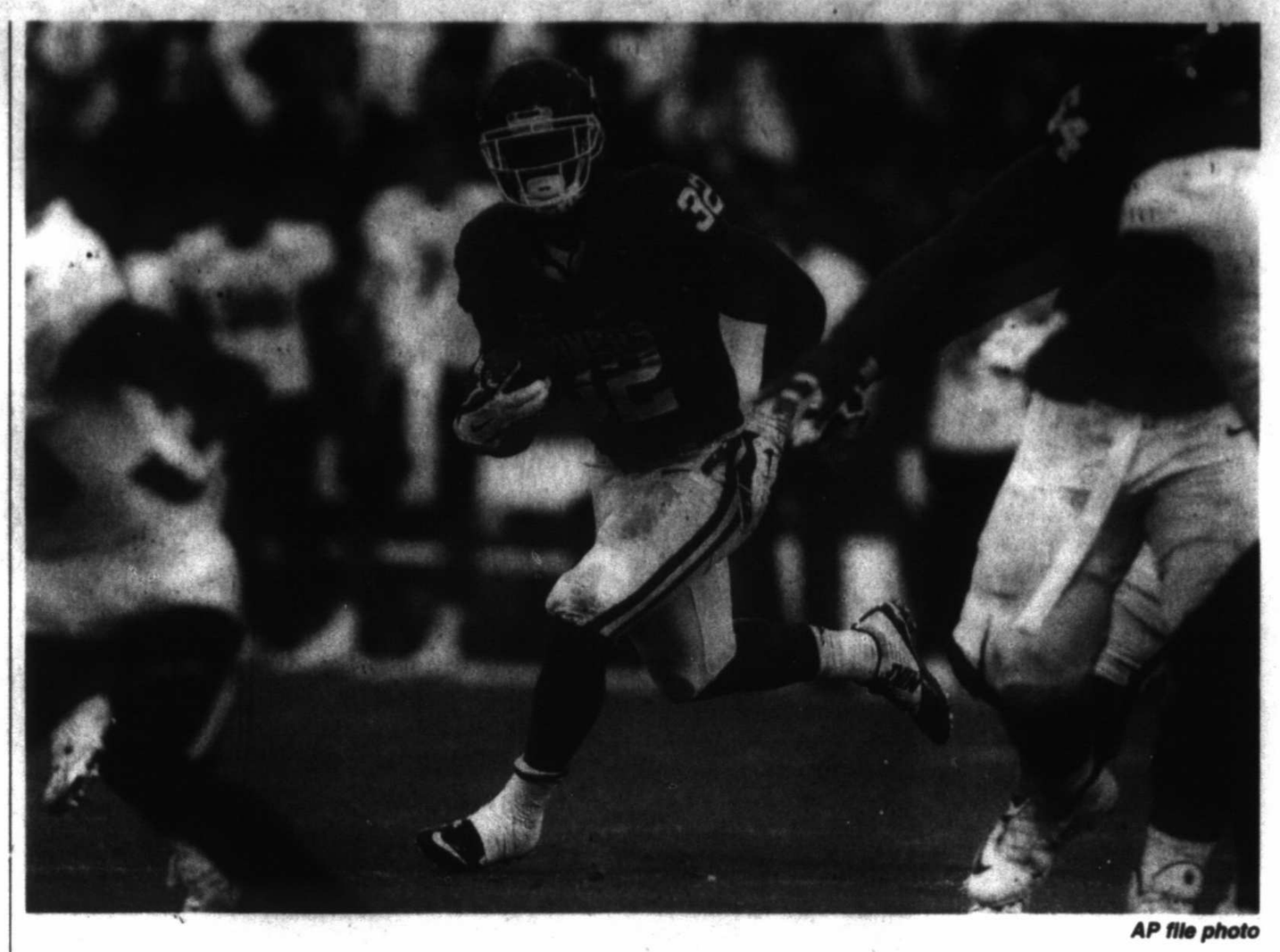
"I'm excited for the city, and I'm excited for our university that we earned the right to host this game," said Herman, the first-year coach who has quickly turned the Cougars into championship contenders. "We'll certainly celebrate the victory tonight, but our goal was not to go 12-0; it was not to win the West. It was to win the conference, and that's something that has not been done around here in a long time."

After struggling to its lowest point of the year last week in a 20-17 loss at Connecticut, during which Ward hardly played because of an ankle injury, the Cougars were firing on all cylinders.

Ward was 26-of-35 passing and ran for 83 yards and another score as Houston opened up a 38-17 lead by the end of the third quarter.

"It really means a lot for the seniors for them to have another home game, but the preparations doesn't stop because we have another game next week we have to get ready for," Ward said.

Keenan Reynolds rushed for 84 yards on 19 carries and a fourth quarter touchdown and was 13 of 16 for 312 yards passing and a touchdown for Navy (9-2, 7-1). The Heisman Trophy contender scored his 83rd career touchdown to match the FBS record set by Wisconsin's Montee Ball. Reynolds also set a Navy record with his 29th career TD pass.



AP file photo

On Oct. 24, Oklahoma running back Samaje Perine (32) carries during a game against Texas Tech in Norman, Okla. Oklahoma faces Oklahoma State in the Bedlam Game today.

OU, Oklahoma St. have much to play for

By Cliff Brunt
Associated Press

STILLWATER, Okla. — There's nothing typical about this Bedlam matchup.

Rivals Oklahoma and Oklahoma State could win the Big 12, and perhaps more, today. Fifth-ranked Oklahoma (10-1, 7-1 Big 12) has moved up to No. 3 in the College Football Playoff rankings, and a win against the Cowboys would almost surely clinch a berth.

"I think that, in a way, overshadows the rivalry a little bit right now," first-year Oklahoma offensive coordinator Lincoln Riley said. "Not to discredit it. I don't want to be the guy that's new to it that says it's not. Of course, it's a great rivalry, a lot of history, but the importance of this game for us, what's riding on it, is probably our focus."

Ninth-ranked Oklahoma State (10-1, 7-1, No. 11 CFP) has an outside chance of getting into the playoff. The Cowboys will try to bounce back from a 45-35 loss to Baylor last Saturday.

"We'll try to stay focused on the task at hand," Oklahoma State coach Mike Gundy said. "The good news is that everyone in the state will be excited about the game this week, and I can't imagine that our players won't stay focused, prepare and play well on Saturday."

It will be just the third time that both teams have entered the game ranked in the AP Top 10. No. 2 Oklahoma beat No. 3 Oklahoma State 24-14 in Norman in 1984, and No. 3 Oklahoma State beat No. 10 Oklahoma 44-10 in Stillwater in 2011.

Oklahoma coach Bob Stoops said Friday that quarterback Baker Mayfield is expected to play after sustaining a concussion last week against TCU. The Heisman hopeful passed concussion protocol on Sunday, and Stoops said Mayfield practiced throughout the week.

Here are a few things to watch when Bedlam breaks loose:

DUAL QBs: Oklahoma has to prepare for two quarterbacks — pocket passer Mason Rudolph and dual threat J.W. Walsh. Rudolph has 21 touchdown passes and just eight interceptions and has thrown for more than 400 yards three times this season. Walsh, who plays mostly in the red zone and in short-yardage situations, has 11 rushing and 11 passing touchdowns. Oklahoma State ranks fourth nationally in red-zone efficiency.

FINDING BALANCE: Oklahoma State ran for just eight yards in the loss to Baylor. It's the lowest total for the Cowboys since STATS began keeping track in 1996. The Cowboys want to avoid long-yardage situations because the Sooners lead the conference in sacks. Linebacker Eric Striker and defensive tackle Charles Tapper are particularly disruptive for Oklahoma.

SLOWING PERINE: Oklahoma State won 38-35 in overtime last year, but Oklahoma was in control before bruising running back Samaje Perine was knocked out of the game in the third quarter with a severely sprained left ankle. Before that, he ran for 151 yards and two touchdowns, and the Sooners led 28-14. More could be in store — Oklahoma State is seventh out of ten Big 12 teams in rushing defense.

JAMES WASHINGTON: Oklahoma State's speedster has eight touchdown catches the past five weeks, many of them long passes over the top of the defense. Washington averages 20.2 yards on 45 receptions. Oklahoma's secondary, led by Zack Sanchez, leads the Big 12 with 16 interceptions. If Striker and Tapper are able to get to Oklahoma State's quarterbacks, Washington will have fewer opportunities.

BAD WEATHER: The forecast calls for freezing drizzle and temperatures in the upper 20s. That could slow the passing attacks and force an emphasis on the ground games, which would appear to favor Oklahoma.

"It's going to be fun either way," Walsh said. "Whether it's 100 degrees or zero degrees, it's going to be a fun last game of the season."

Like it or not, Iowa 1 win away from playoff

By Ralph D. Russo
Associated Press

Iowa is a victory away from the College Football Playoff.

You can question it if you want. You can rail against it. You can hate it and call it unfair, but the third-ranked Hawkeyes are 12-0 heading to the Big Ten championship game after beating Nebraska 28-20 on Friday.

Iowa has been a polarizing team as it climbed to No. 4 in the playoff rankings. Coach Kirk Ferentz's Hawkeyes have unquestionably benefited from a schedule that hasn't included any high-profile games.

The Hawkeyes' best victories: Wisconsin, Northwestern and Pittsburgh. All solid teams. But the Hawkeyes missed playing any of the Big Ten East big boys such as Michigan State, Ohio State and Michigan. That will change next week. If Michigan State beats Penn State on Saturday, the Spartans (10-1, No. 5 CFP) will play Iowa. If Michigan State is upset, the Ohio State-Michigan winner goes to Indianapolis.

The Hawkeyes have an excellent tailback in Jordan Canzeri, who had two long touchdown runs against Nebraska, as the lynchpin of a solid offense. A tough defense is led by stellar cornerback Desmond King, who is tied for the national lead with eight interceptions. But it's fair to ask whether the Hawkeyes really stack up against the nation's best teams.

The Massey composite ranking of 45 computer models used to rate teams had Iowa No. 8 coming into this weekend's games. The Sagarin Ratings, another popular computer model, is not so fond of the Hawkeyes. Iowa was No. 17 before beating Nebraska. Sagarin's strength of schedule rating for Iowa was 62, one spot behind Ohio State and three ahead of Baylor. Of the current playoff top four, Alabama's schedule ranks eight toughest in the country, Oklahoma's is 32nd and Clemson's is 47th. The Tigers are the only other unbeaten team in FBS and have been the playoff committee's No. 1 in each of its rankings.

Advance-metric models are even less impressed. The F/+ ratings at Football Outsiders.com, which use play-by-play and possession-by-possession data to determine a team's efficiency, have Iowa 25th.

But winning is hard and usually if a weak schedule is the best thing a team has going for it that team will find a way to lose to someone of that weak schedule.

The Hawkeyes have avoided a stumble that so many thought was inevitable — they were only one-point favorite against the Huskers (5-7).

Now they head to the postseason very much in the mix for the national championship.

Whether you like it or not.

No OT required

There will be no overtime necessary for the College Football Playoff selection committee this season. Coach Tom Herman and his Houston Cougars made sure of that.

The Cougars wrapped up a spot in the first American Athletic Championship game by beating Navy 52-31 on Friday, eliminating the Midshipmen from contention for a New Year's Six bowl bid. The Midshipmen came into the weekend 15th in the playoff rankings, best among teams from the Group of Five conferences.

The highest ranked champion from the Group of Five in the final rankings is assured of a berth in the Fiesta or Peach bowls this year. If Navy had been that team on Dec. 6, the day after championship Saturday, the committee would have waited a week until after the Midshipmen played Army on Dec. 12 to complete the New Year's Six matchups. Only the bowl matchups affected by Navy would have been delayed, and it would have had a trickle-down effect to other teams and even smaller bowls that would have to wait to set their pairings.

Now that won't be a problem and the entire bowl lineup, all 40 matchups, should be completed Dec. 6 as scheduled.

Houston and the American are in prime position to grab that Group of Five spot in the New Year's Six. The Cougars dropped out of the last playoff rankings but should have no problem getting back in this week. Houston will host next week either Temple, which can clinch the AAC East with a victory at UConn on Saturday, or USF, if the Owls lose. Temple was No. 25 in the latest playoff rankings.

MILES

From 1C

Baton Rouge to be difficult. "Because when the time comes to compete, that's what you go do."

"Lot of good kids there I really care for and wish them the best," Chavis continued, "but not on this Saturday."

Some things to know about Texas A&M vs. LSU:

MILES' GUYS: Some current and former LSU players have expressed support for Miles or warned that firing him could be a mistake.

"Our best and easiest way to defend the coach is with our play," receiver Malachi Dupre said, adding that Miles "is looked at as one of the greatest coaches in college football."

Former LSU quarterback Matt Flynn, who won a national title with Miles in the 2007 season and is now with the New Orleans Saints, said those who want Miles out should "be careful what you're asking for."

AWKWARD REUNION? LSU defensive players say Chavis' abrupt departure last season didn't allow for many proper goodbyes.

"He was gone after the bowl game and we had a lot of questions and there were guys making decisions whether to go to the (NFL) ... so it was a shocker," senior linebacker Lamar Louis said. "You feel a little sad and disappointed, but at the end of the day, college football has turned into a business. It's the mini NFL and sometimes people have to make the right decisions for themselves and sometimes as players we've got to understand that."

FOURNETTE'S FINISH: Despite three straight below-average outings, LSU running back Leonard Fournette still leads the Southeastern Conference with 158.2 yards rushing per game and has scored 17 TDs, two short of LSU's single-season record. His last chance to make an impression on Heisman Trophy voters comes against an A&M defense allowing 202.5 yards rushing per game.

YOUNG TIGERS: LSU's Senior Day ceremonies will celebrate only 15 players, which begs questions about leadership, but also speaks to Miles' record of recruiting NFL talent.

"When people come to school here, they realize there's a huge possibility of leaving early," said Dupre, a sophomore who could leave after his junior season for the NFL. "So you can praise it, and at the same time I don't want to feel like that's an excuse for us in any games that we've lost."

HEAD TO HEAD: Texas A&M seeks its first victory over LSU since joining the SEC in 2012. Aggies coach Kevin Sumlin refers to his seniors as "pioneers" for being part of A&M's first SEC team, but also noted that LSU "is the one program they haven't beaten in the West (Division) in their time here. ... It's something they want to accomplish."

LEROY

From 1C

Texas will be back because it's Texas. The Longhorns have the money, the support, and more talent will come.

For now, though, it's the Red Raiders' turn to enjoy the moment and a win that has been 18 years in the making.

Here are my latest Big 12 power rankings:

1. Oklahoma (10-1, 7-1): The College Football Playoff committee surprised many by putting the Sooners at No. 3 in the latest rankings. OU's going to need to beat rival Oklahoma State today to stay there.

2. Oklahoma State (10-1, 7-1): The Cowboys suffered their first loss of the season (45-35) to Baylor last week, but a win over the Sooners would certainly make up for it.

3. TCU (10-2, 7-2): Even without QB Trevone Boykin and WR Josh Doctson, the Horned Frogs gave the Sooners all they could handle, and on Friday night Boykin returned to help the Frogs knock off Baylor in double overtime.

4. Baylor (9-2, 6-2): The Bears' hopes for a playoff spot and a third straight Big 12 title faded with Friday's loss.

5. West Virginia (6-4, 3-4): The Mountaineers rolled past Kansas, 49-0, last week, and now they host an Iowa State team that's going through some turmoil.

6. Texas Tech (7-5, 4-5): The Red Raiders finally won in Austin, and now they get to rest up and prepare for their bowl game.

7. Texas (4-7, 3-5): The mistakes and missed opportunities for the Longhorns against Texas Tech pretty much sums up the season for the program.

8. Kansas State (4-6, 1-6): The Wildcats need to win out to become bowl eligible. Beating rival Kansas in Lawrence would be a good place to start.

9. Iowa State (3-8, 2-6): Paul Rhoads not only didn't win enough, but his team blew some late leads this year to get him fired as the Cyclones head coach. Still, Rhoads did an admirable job in one of the toughest jobs in the Big 12.

10. Kansas (0-11, 0-8): Nothing would please the Jayhawks more than to get their first and only win of the season against rival Kansas State today.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL SCORES & SCHEDULE

Friday's scores

SOUTHWEST
TCU 28, Baylor 21 (2OT)
Houston 52, Navy 31
Arkansas 28, Missouri 3
MIDWEST
Akron 20, Kent St. 0
W. Michigan 35, Toledo 30
Cent. Michigan 35, E. Michigan 28
Iowa 28, Nebraska 20
FAR WEST
Boise St. 40, San Jose St. 23
Washington 45, Washington St. 10
Oregon 52, Oregon St. 42
EAST
Miami 29, Pittsburgh 24
SOUTH
W. Kentucky 49, Marshall 28
Georgia St. 31, Troy 21
Tulsa 45, Tulane 34

Today's games

SOUTHWEST
Middle Tennessee (6-5) at UTSA (3-8), 30 p.m.
UTEP (4-7) at North Texas (1-10), 1:30 p.m.
Charlotte (2-9) at Rice (4-7), 1:30 p.m.
Oklahoma (10-1) at Oklahoma St. (10-1), 7 p.m.
MIDWEST
Ohio St. (10-1) at Michigan (9-2), 11 a.m.
Indiana (5-6) at Purdue (2-9), 11 a.m.
Northwestern (9-2) vs. Illinois (5-6) at Chicago, 2:30 p.m.
Penn St. (7-4) at Michigan St. (10-1), 2:30 p.m.
Wisconsin (8-3) at Minnesota (5-6), 2:30 p.m.
Kansas St. (4-6) at Kansas (0-11), 3 p.m.
FAR WEST
LMU (3-8) at Wyoming (1-10), 1 p.m.
Colorado (4-8) at Utah (8-3), 1:30 p.m.
UCLA (8-3) at Southern Cal (7-4), 2:30 p.m.
BYU (8-3) at Utah St. (6-5), 2:30 p.m.
Arkansas St. (7-3) at New Mexico St. (3-7), 3 p.m.
Texas St. (3-7) at Idaho (3-8), 4 p.m.
Notre Dame (10-1) at Stanford (9-2), 6:30 p.m.
Colorado St. (6-5) at Fresno St. (3-8), 8 p.m.
Arizona St. (6-5) at California (6-5), 9 p.m.
Air Force (8-3) at New Mexico (6-5), 9:15 p.m.
Nevada (6-5) at San Diego St. (8-3), 9:45 p.m.
Louisiana-Monroe (1-10) at Hawaii (2-10), 10 p.m.
EAST
Maryland (2-9) at Rutgers (4-7), 11 a.m.
Iowa St. (3-8) at West Virginia (6-4), 11 a.m.
Boston College (3-8) at Syracuse (3-8), 11:30 a.m.
UConn (6-5) at Temple (9-2), 6 p.m.
SOUTH
Cincinnati (6-5) at East Carolina (5-6), 11 a.m.
Georgia (8-3) at Georgia Tech (3-8), 11 a.m.
Louisville (5-5) at Kentucky (5-6), 11 a.m.
Southern Miss. (8-3) at Louisiana Tech (8-3), 11 a.m.
SMU (2-9) at Memphis (8-3), 11 a.m.
FAU (2-9) at Old Dominion (5-6), 11 a.m.
Clemson (11-0) at South Carolina (3-8), 11 a.m.
Virginia Tech (5-6) at Virginia (4-7), 11 a.m.
Duke (6-5) at Wake Forest (3-8), 11:30 a.m.
Texas Southern (3-6) at Alabama A&M (2-8), 1 p.m.
Louisiana-Lafayette (4-6) at Appalachian St. (8-2), 1 p.m.
South Alabama (5-5) at Georgia Southern (7-3), 1 p.m.
Southern U. (6-4) vs. Grambling St. (8-2) at New Orleans, 1:30 p.m.
Alcorn St. (7-3) at Jackson St. (3-7), 2 p.m.
Alabama (10-1) at Auburn (6-5), 2:30 p.m.
North Carolina (10-1) at NC State (7-4), 2:30 p.m.
Vanderbilt (4-7) at Tennessee (7-4), 3 p.m.
Mississippi (8-3) at Mississippi St. (8-3), 6:15 p.m.
Florida St. (9-2) at Florida (10-1), 6:30 p.m.
Texas A&M (8-3) at LSU (7-3), 6:30 p.m.
FCS PLAYOFFS
First Round
Western Illinois (6-5) at Dayton (10-1), 11 a.m.
Fordham (9-2) at Chattanooga (8-3), Noon
The Citadel (8-3) at Coastal Carolina (9-2), 1 p.m.
Southern Utah (8-3) at Sam Houston State (8-3), 2 p.m.
South Dakota State (8-3) at Montana (7-4), 2 p.m.
Colgate (7-4) at New Hampshire (7-4), 2:30 p.m.
Duquesne (8-3) at William & Mary (8-3), 2:30 p.m.
Eastern Illinois (7-4) at Northern Iowa (7-4), 4 p.m.

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KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	FarmR.	Montelo.	Saturday Today (N)			Tree Fu	Ruff-Ruff	Astro	Clangers	Luna	LazyTown	Soccer
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	D.Tiger	D.Tiger	Wild K.	(:50) Nature Cat		Wild K.	Odd Sqd	Arthur	Dragon	Cook's	Baking	Project
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	Pagado	Pagado	Pocoyo	Amigos	Mickey	Mickey	Handy	Handy	Pagado	Pagado	Netas divinas	
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		JTV	JTV Direct	Into Wild	J. Hanna	Dog Tales	Pets.TV	Dragon	Eco Co.	Whadd	News	Paid	Paid
FLIX		340	575		165	★★ Get Over It Kirsten Dunst.		★ An Inconvenient Truth				(:15) ★ Going Overboard Adam Sandler.				★ Sea of Love	
HBO		300	550	14	14	Movie	(:45) ★★ Sleeping With the Fishes				First Look	(:45) ★★ Norbit Eddie Murphy.		3 1/2 Minutes, 10 Bullets			
HBO2		302	551	15	101	23	(5:15) ★ Firewall	★★ The Maze Runner Dylan O'Brien.				The Ties That Bind		★★ Charlie's Angels		Leftover	
HBOS		304	552	16	102		(5:05) ★ Mrs. Doubt...	(:15) ★★★ Dances With Wolves ('90, Epic)				Kevin Costner.		(:20) ★★ No Way Out Kevin Costner.			
MAX		380	557	17	120	24	(5:00) ★ The Great S...	★★★ The Namesake			Movie	(:05) ★★★ Walk of Shame		(:40) ★★ Tammy			
MAX2		382	558	18	122		(5:30) ★★★ Finding Forrester	(:50) ★★★ Idiocracy				(:15) ★★ 47 Ronin Keanu Reeves.				(:15) The Knick (N)	
PLEX			96			Movie	(:45) ★★ Ocean's Eleven ('60, Cri) Frank Sinatra.					★★★ Tin Man 3/3		(:35) ★★ Mixed Nuts			
SHOW		320	565	19	140	25	(4:55) ★ Mystery, Al...	Inside the NFL		NotreD.		★★ Waterworld ('95, Act) Kevin Costner.				The Affair	
TMC		336	573	22	155	26	(5:30) ★ Some Girl(s)	★★ Saved! Jena Malone.				(:35) ★★ Bandits ('01, Com) Bruce Willis.		(:40) ★ The Honeymooners			
A&E		27	58	28	35	47	S. Wars	Storage W.	S. Wars	S. Wars	S. Wars	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	The First 48	
AMC		40	74	23	42	51	Rifleman	Gone With the Wind Southern belle Scarlett O'Hara schemes and manipulates to survive during the Civil War.								Movie	
BET		58	-		40		Martin	Martin	Martin	Martin	Martin	Martin	Martin	Martin	Martin	Martin	Martin
BRAVO		65	76		41		Below Deck		Below Deck		Below Deck		Below Deck		Below Deck	Wives Cheshire (N)	
CNBC		46	52		39	72	Paid	Paid	F1 Racing Formula One Qualifying			Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid
CNN		43	50	51	30	56	New Day Saturday		New Day Saturday		New Day Saturday		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom
DISC		50	60	31	24	42	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		
DISNEY		56	64	36	25	36	Mickey Mouse Club	★ The Lion Guard...		StarWars	StarWars		Friends Whenever		Bunk'd	Austin	Austin	Underc.
ESPN		32	35	48	31	30	SportsCenter			College GameDay (L)						NCAA Football (L)	
ESPN2		34	36	49	32	31	(4:30) 30/30	SEC Storied	MatchUp	SportsCenter						NCAA Football (L)	
FAMILY		53	63	34	42	33	★★ Jingle All the Way					★★★ Enchanted ('07, Adv) Julie Andrews.				★★★★ Pocahontas	
FNC		45	48	53	23	55	(5:00) Fox & Friends Saturday					America's News HQ					
FOOD		64	70	27	68	54	Best	Brunch	Heart	Southern	Holiday	Pioneer	Pioneer	Rules (N)	The Kitchen (N)	Heaton	Cooking
FSSW		37	38	50	45	29	SportsDay		Huddle	Outdoor	Texans	Tailgate	H.S. Scoreboard		Sports Gameday (L)	NCAA Football (L)	
FX		31	56	59	64	69	Buffy Vampire Slayer	Anger M.	Anger M.	2½Men	2½Men	2½Men				★ Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of...	
HALLMARK		54	71	58		34	(5:00) ★ Window Wo...	★ A Princess for Christmas Katie McGrath.				★ Royal Christmas ('14, Dra) Lacey Chabert.				★ Once Upon a H...	
HGTV		63	69	26	48	44	Fixer Upper		Fixer Upper		Fixer Upper		Fixer Upper		Fixer Upper		
HISTORY		71	59	29	50	43	Modern Marvels		Modern Marvels		Modern Marvels		Modern Marvels		Marvels '90s Tech'	Marvels "80s Tech"	
LIFETIME		28	30	25	28	48	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Unsolved Mysteries		★ Kristin's Christ...	
MSNBC		47	53		49	73	Weekends-Alex Witt		Up			Melissa Harris-Perry				Weekends-Alex Witt	
NBCSN		38	43				(5:00) MatchOfWeek		Premier	Blazers	Leauge Live (L)		EPL Soccer (L)			Live	F1 Racing
NICK		55	-	39	34	37	ALVINNN	ALVINNN	ALVINNN	ALVINNN	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Nicky "Go Hollywood"	Dino (N)	ALVINNN
SPIKE		30	-	55	53	58	Paid Program		Paid Program		★★★ Rocky ('76, Dra) Burt Young, Sylvester Stallone.					★★★ Rocky II	
SYFY		66	82	41	57	67	(5:00) Paid Program		★ AVPR: Aliens vs. Predator - Requiem				★★★ Casino Royale ('06, Act) Judi Dench, Daniel Craig.				
TBS		25	33	44	66	41	Seinf. 1/2	Seinf. 2/2	Seinf. 1/2	Seinf. 2/2	★ Dr. Seuss' Cat in the Hat			(:45) ★★★ Alice in Wonderland Johnny Depp.			
TCM		41	75	24	63	66	Movie	(:45) ★ Monkey Business			(:15) ★★ Dick Tracy			★★★ Spook Busters		★ The Poseidon A...	
TELE		20	-	10	20		Pagado	Pagado	Raggs	Noodle	De chica	LazyTown	Pagado	Pagado	Pagado	Angel	SOS: Salva mi casa
TLC		51	61	32	38	52	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Disney Cruise Line		Walt Disney Hotels		Reimagined Magic		My 600-lb Life
TNT		24	34	40	26	50	Law & Order "Shrunk"		Law & Order "Blaze"		Law&Order "Identity"		Law&Order "Floater"		Law&O. "Embedded"		★ Wrath of the Ti...
TVLAND		49	-	35	54	35	(:10) Feud	(:50) Feud	(:25) Family Feud		Fam.Feud	(:35) Reba	(:10) Reba	(:50) Reba	(:25) Reba	Reba	Reba
USA		26	55	42	27	49	Paid Program		Paid Program		Chrisley	Chrisley	NCIS		NCIS "Internal Affairs"		NCIS "Newborn King"
WGN		19	85				Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	LawOrder "Hunters"		Law&O "Sideshow"		Walker, TR "War Cry"		Walker, TR

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	G	S	R	C	W	12 PM	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	(11:00) NCAA Football (L)				Football	NCAA Football (L)						Scoreb.
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	Pursuit of	Off-Road Racing		Football	Football	NCAA Football Iron Bowl Alabama at Auburn Site: Jordan-Hare Stadium (L)						
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	Gunsmoke		Bonanza		Rawhide		Wanted	Wanted	Rifleman	Rifleman	Superman	Superman
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	2½Men	BigBang	BigBang	Paid	Pre-game	To_Be Announced						
KMLM IND	11	12	12	11	11	News	Walking	About Us	S. Baras	Light of Southwest		Light of Southwest		Zion	R/Manusc	Mani E.	Jean-Cla
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	(11:30) EPL Soccer Man. U./Lei. (L)				GoalZone	Boxing Premier Championship Site: The Bomb Factory (L)					W.America	News
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	Chef's	Old House	House	HomeT.	Woodsh'p	Motor.	America	Daytrip	Start Up	Parks	News. (N)	InnerV
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	Como dice el dicho		Lanzate		Roca Guadalupe	Mupe	La Banda		P. Luche	Noticiero	(:55) MFL Fútbol (L)	
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		Studio 7	Flipside	Access Hollywood		Homeown.	Hazelton	O.House	Homes	NameG.	Fam.Feud	The Good Wife	
FLIX		340	575		165	(11:00) ★ Sea of Love		★ From the Hip ('87, Com) Judd Nelson.				★★★ Restoration Robert Downey Jr.				★ Arachnophobia	
HBO		300	550	14	14	(:15) ★ Dawn of the Planet of the Apes Gary Oldman.				The Latin Explosion		(:45) Boxing WCB				Movie	
HBO2		302	551	15	101	23	Leftover	(:45) Get On	(:15) ★ Focus ('15, Com/Dra) Will Smith.			Greenlight	Greenlight	Greenlight	Greenlight	Greenlight	Greenlight
HBOS		304	552	16	102		(:20) ★★★ The Untouchables ('87, Act) Kevin Costner.					(:25) ★★★ Field of Dreams		(:15) ★★★ Bull Durham Kevin Costner			
MAX		380	557	17	120	24	(:20) ★★★★ 25th Hour ('02, Cri) Edward Norton.					(:35) ★ 300: Rise of an Empire		(:20) ★ Black Sea (14, Thril) Jude Law.			
MAX2		382	558	18	122		(:15) ★★★ The Invasion Nicole Kidman.				(:55) ★★ Lucy			(:25) ★★★ 12 Years a Slave			Movie
PLEX			96			(:20) ★ Top Dog Chuck Norris.		(:50) ★★ Falling in Love Robert De Niro				(:40) ★★★ Tin Man 3/3				(:15) ★ For Keeps?	
SHOW		320	565	19	140	25	Homeland		Homeland		Homeland		Homeland		Homeland		Homeland
TMC		336	573	22	155	26	(:10) ★ Hellion ('14, Thril) Aaron Paul.					★★★ Dragonheart		(:45) ★★ Bandits ('01, Com) Bruce Willis.			Movie
A&E		27	58	28	35	47	The First 48		Nightwatch		Nightwatch		Beyond Scared Stra.		Beyond Scared Stra.		First 48 "Blood Feud"
AMC		40	74	23	42	51	(11:30) ★★★ The Karate Kid ('84, Dra) Ralph Macchio.					★★★ The Karate Kid Part II ('86, Act) Ralph Macchio.				★ Home Alone	
BET		58	-		40		Martin	Martin	Martin	Martin	Martin	Martin	Martin	Martin	Martin	Martin	Martin
BRAVO		65	76		41		Beverly "Uncensored"		Vanderpump Rules		Vanderpump Rules		Housewives Atlanta		Housewives Atlanta		Housewives Atlanta
CNBC		46	52		39	72	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid
CNN		43	50	51	30	56	CNN Newsroom		News	Signs (N)	CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom
DISC		50	60	31	24	42	Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		
DISNEY		56	64	36	25	36	Underc.	Underc.	Friends	Friends	Friends	Bunk'd	Bunk'd	Bunk'd	Liv/Mad	Liv/Mad	Underc.	Austin
ESPN		32	35	48	31	30	(11:00) NCAA Football (L)				Scoreb	NCAA Football (L)					Scoreb
ESPN2		34	36	49	32	31	(11:00) NCAA Football (L)				Scoreb	NCAA Football (L)					Scoreb
FAMILY		53	63	34	42	33	Movie	★★★ Tarzan ('99, Ani) Tony Goldwyn.				★★ The Hunger Games (12, Act) Jennifer Lawrence.					Movie
FNC		45	48	53	23	55	America's News HQ				America's News HQ	To Be Announced				America's News HQ	
FOOD		64	70	27	68	54	Holiday Baking		Cake Wars		Chopped Junior	Chopped		Restaurant		Cutthroat Kitchen	
FSSW		37	38	50	45	29	(11:00) NCAA Football Southern Miss vs Louisiana Tech (L)					NCAA Football University of Texas at El Paso at North Texas (L)					
FX		31	56	59	64	69	(10:00) ★ Pirates of t...		★ The Amazing Spider-Man ('12, Act) Andrew Garfield				★★★ Iron Man 3 Robert Downey Jr.				
HALLMARK		54	71	58		34	(11:00) ★ Once Upon...		★ Merry Matrimony Jessica Lowndes.				★ I'm Not Ready for Christmas Alicia Witt.			★ Christmas Und...	
HGTV		63	69	26	48	44	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop
HISTORY		71	59	29	50	43	Marvels "70's Tech"		Marvels "60's Tech"		To Be Announced		To Be Announced		American Pickers		American Pickers
LIFETIME		28	30	25	28	48	(11:00) ★ Kristin's ...		★ A Nanny for Christmas Dean Cain.				★★ Home by Christmas Linda Hamilton.			★ Twelve Men of...	
MSNBC		47	53		49	73	(11:00) Alex Witt		Caught on Camera		Caught on Camera		Caught on Camera		CaughtCam "Proof"		Caught on Camera
NBCSN		38	43				(11:30) F1 Auto Racing		Motorsport Hour (N)		Racer TV	USSA (L)		NFLTP	NCAA Football Gram./South. (L)		
NICK		55	-	39	34	37	ALVINNN	ALVINNN	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Thunder	GShakers	Nicky "Go Hollywood"		★ Santa Hunters
SPIKE		30	-	55	53	58	(11:00) ★★★ Rocky II		Sylvester Stallone.				★★★ Rocky III ('82, Dra) Sylvester Stallone.			★★★ Rocky IV	
SYFY		66	82	41	57	67	★★ Quantum of Solace ('08, Act) Daniel Craig.						★★★★ Skyfall ('12, Act) Helen McCrory, Daniel Craig.				Movie
TBS		25	33	44	66	41	★★★ Killers ('10, Act) Ashton Kutcher.				Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Girls	Girls	Girls
TCM		41	75	24	63	66	(11:00) ★ The Poseid...		(:15) ★★ Badlands Martin Sheen.				(:15) ★★★ The Cincinnati Kid			(:15) ★ The Thing	
TELE		20	-	10	20		★ Soldado Universal				★ The Jungle Book (1992, Family)			Noticiero	Videos	America's Funniest	
TLC		51	61	32	38	52	My 600-lb Life		My 600-lb Life		My 600-lb Life		48 Hours: Evidence		48 Hours "A Bad Bet"	48 Hours: Evidence	
TNT		24	34	40	26	50	(11:00) ★ Wrath of ...		(:15) ★★★ The Dark Knight Rises ('12, Act) Christian Bale, Anne Hathaway.						(:45) ★★★ Red Bruce Willis.		
TVLAND		49	-	35	54	35	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	★★★★ The Princess Bride ('87, Rom) Cary Elwes.					★★ My Cousin Vinny	
USA		26	55	42	27	49	NCIS "Yankee White"		NCIS "Bloodbath"		NCIS "Gut Check"		NCIS "Probie"		NCIS "Chimera"	NCIS "Knockout"	
WGN		19	85				Walker, Texas Ranger		Walker, TR "Survival"		Walker, TR		Blue Bloods		BlueB. "Silver Star"	Blue Bloods	

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	G	S	R	C	W	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	SNF Pre-game (L)	(6:05) NCAA Football (L)					(:20) Post-game (L)	(:35) Paid Program	(:05) Garrett	(:35) Extra Weekend
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	CBS 7 News	The Insider Weekend	Frosty the Snowman	Frosty Returns	The Story of Santa Claus		48 Hours		CBS 7 News	(:35) Elementary		(:35) P. of Interest
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	Batman	Batman	Wonder Woman Gault's Brain		Star Trek The Cor0bmite Maneuver		★★ Munster, Go Home (1966, Comedy) Yvonne De Carlo, Terry Thomas, Fred Gwynne				Lost in Space Return From Outer Space	
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	Football Pre (L)	NCAA Football (L)							Golan the Insatiable	LucasBros (:45) Lucas	Cowboys Huddle	Jerry Jones
KMLM IND	11	12	12	11	11	Day of Discovery	Israel Inspired	House Call	Update News	Light of the Southwest		Light of the Southwest		Restore Zion	Biblical Israel	HaYesod	Del Camino
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	News - West 9	Country Reporter	Dateline NBC Featuring quality investigative features and stories				Saturday Night Live		News/We-st 9 at 10	Saturday Night Live		
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	History Detectives "Raid on Harpers Ferry"		Woodsongs		Music City Roots		All-Star Orchestra		Austin City Lucha	Jason Isbell/ Neko Case	Jammin' at Jack's	Bluegrass Under
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	(4:55) MFL Fútbol (L)		Sabadazo						Familia P Univision	Noticiero Univision	Estrellados	
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		Rizzoli & Isles		Castle		Scandal		Mike&M.	Mike&M.	Anger M.	Anger M.	Office	Office
FLIX		340	575		165	(5:00) ★ Arachnoph...		★★★ Sea of Love ('89, Thril) Al Pacino.				★★★★ 12 Monkeys Bruce Willis.			(:10) ★ Supernova		
HBO		300	550	14	14	(5:25) ★ Blades of G...		★★★★ Kingsman: The Secret Service				(:15) Boxing WCB Wladimir Klitschko vs. Tyson Fury.				Sports	
HBO2		302	551	15	101	23	Greenlight (:45) Greenlight		★ The Leisure Class				★★★ Bad Words		LastWeek	★ The Purge Ana...	
HBOS		304	552	16	102		(:05) ★★★ Draft Day Kevin Costner.					★★★ Neighbors Seth Rogen.		Making	★ This Is Where I Leave You		Movie
MAX		380	557	17	120	24	(:15) ★★★ Taking Lives Angelina Jolie.				The Knick		★★★ The Other Woman	(:50) The Knick			Movie
MAX2		382	558	18	122		(5:40) ★★★ Divergent Shailene Woodley.					★★★ Smokin' Aces		(:50) ★★ The Boy Next Door			(:25) Games
PLEX			96			(5:15) ★ For Keeps?		★★ Mixed Nuts Steve Martin.		(:40) ★★ Top Dog Chuck Norris.				(:10) ★★ Hostage Hotel			Movie
SHOW		320	565	19	140	25	Homeland "Oriole"		Homeland		Spymasters: CIA in the Crosshairs (P) (N)			Boxing Jame DeGale vs. Lucian Bute (L)			
TMC		336	573	22	155	26	(5:50) ★★ World Trade Center Maria Bello.				★ Afflicted Cliff Prowse.			★ Wolves ('14, Act) Lucas Till.		★ Afflicted	
A&E		27	58	28	35	47	The First 48		S. Wars	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	S. Wars	Storage
AMC		40	74	23	42	51	(5:00) ★★★ Home Alone		★★★ Home Alone ('90, Com)			Macaulay Culkin.			★★ The Karate Kid Ralph Macchio.		
BET		58	-		40		★ Madea's Big Happy Family (2011, Drama) Bow Wow, Tyler Perry.							★ Madea's Big Happy Family (2011, Drama) Bow Wow, Tyler Perry.			
BRAVO		65	76		41		★★★ Burlesque ('10, Dra) Christina Aguilera, Cher.					★★★ Burlesque ('10, Dra) Christina Aguilera, Cher.				★ Drop Dead Gorg...	
CNBC		46	52		39	72	Boss "White Castle"		Undercover Boss		Boss "Hooters"		Boss "7-Eleven"		Boss "White Castle"	Undercover Boss	
CNN		43	50	51	30	56	The Seventies		The Seventies		The Seventies		The Seventies		The Seventies	The Seventies	
DISC		50	60	31	24	42	Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud	Fast N' Loud	
DISNEY		56	64	36	25	36	Jessie		★★ Jingle All the Way		Mighty M.	Kir.Buc.	Underc.	Austin	Jessie	Girl M.	Girl M.
ESPN		32	35	48	31	30	Scoreb.	(:45) NCAA Football (L)						(:45) SportsCenter		SportsCenter	
ESPN2		34	36	49	32	31	NCAA Football (L)							Scoreb. (:15) NCAA Football (L)			
FAMILY		52	63	34	42	33	(5:30) ★★★★ The Incredibles					★★ Wreck-It Ralph Jack McBrayer.		(:15) ★ Willy Wonka & the Chocolate Fac...			
FNC		45	48	53	23	55	FOX Report Saturday					Justice JudgeJeanine	Fox News Reporting		Stossel		Justice JudgeJeanine
FOOD		64	70	27	68	54	Diners	Revival	GingerbreadBuild (N)		Cookie Challenge (N)		Outr. Christmas		Diners "Best of Pizza"	Cookie Challenge	
FSSW		37	38	50	45	29	UEFAMag.	Mavericks	Mavs Pre	NBA Basketball	Denver Nuggets at Dallas Mavericks (L)				Maverick	DCowboys	NCAA Big 12
FX		31	56	59	64	69	(4:00) ★ Iron Man 3		★ The Avengers ('12, Act) Chris Evans, Robert Downey Jr.						Fargo		Mike&M.
HALLMARK		54	71	58		34	(5:00) ★ Christmas U...		★ A Christmas Detour					★ Let It Snow ('13, Rom) Alan Thicke.		★ Moonlight & M...	
HGTV		63	69	26	48	44	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	GingerbreadBuild (N)		Prop.Brothers (N)			Renovation (N)	H.Hunt	House	Prop.Brothers
HISTORY		71	59	29	50	43	American Pickers		American Pickers		American Pickers			Christmas "The 60s"	(:05) Ax Men		American Pickers
LIFETIME		28	30	25	28	48	(5:00) ★ Twelve Me...		★ A Gift Wrapped Christmas					★ Christmas in the City John Prescott.			★ A Gift Wrapped...
MSNBC		47	53		49	73	Conviction		Conviction		Lockup		Lockup (N)		Lockup		Lockup
NBCSN		38	43				(4:00) NCAA Football Gram./South. (L)				NFLTP	Still Standing		NFLTP	Premier League Match of the Day (N)		
NICK		55	-	39	34	37	Movie	Sponge	H.Danger	GShakers	Nicky	Thunder	F.House	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends
SPIKE		30	-	55	53	58	Movie	★★★ Rocky V ('90, Dra) Talia Shire, Sylvester Stallone.						★★★ Rocky ('76, Dra) Burt Young, Sylvester Stallone.			
SYFY		66	82	41	57	67	(5:30) ★★★ The Bourne Ultimatum					★★★ Live Free or Die Hard ('07, Act) Justin Long, Bruce Willis.				★ The Fifth Element	
TBS		25	33	44	66	41	Girls	2 Broke G.	BigBang	Billy on	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	★★ Ghosts of Girlfriends Past		
TCM		41	75	24	63	66	(5:15) ★ The Thing...		★★★★ To Kill a Mockingbird Gregory Peck.						★★ The Stalking Moon Gregory Peck.		Movie
TELE		20	-	10	20		Que noche con Angelica y Raul					★ Parker ('13, Act) Jason Statham.			Titulares	Videos	Decisiones extremas
TLC		51	61	32	38	52	48 Hours: Evidence		48 Hours Mystery		48 Hours Mystery		48 Hours Mystery		48 Hours Mystery		48 Hours Mystery
TNT		24	34	40	26	50	(4:45) ★ Red		★ Olympus Has Fallen Gerard Butler.						★★ Now You See Me ('13, Cri) Jesse Eisenberg.		Movie
TVLAND		49	-	35	54	35	(4:30) ★ My Cousin...		Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens
USA		26	55	42	27	49	NCIS "Bounce"		NCIS "SWAK"		NCIS "Hit and Run"		NCIS "Troll"		Modern	Modern	Satisfaction
WGN		19	85				Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods		BlueB. "Cellar Boy"		Blue Bloods		Manhattan		Mother	Mother

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TODAY: Showers	SUNDAY: Partly sunny	MONDAY: Mostly sunny	TUESDAY: Partly sunny	WEDNESDAY: Mostly sunny	THURSDAY: Sunny
High: 41 Low: 35	High: 43 Low: 37	High: 58 Low: 38	High: 58 Low: 37	High: 53 Low: 33	High: 56 Low: 36

Local forecast

Another day of showers and freezing rain is in the forecast today, according to the National Weather Service. The chance of rain increases from 60 percent today to 80 percent tonight. The NWS says there is a possibility of up to 2 inches of precipitation by the end of the weekend.

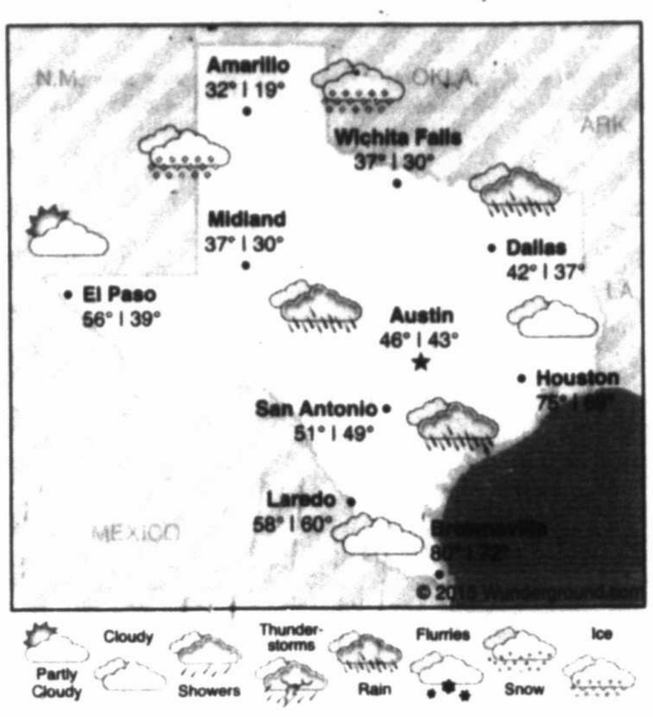
Sunday, there is a 30 percent chance of showers, but after the noon hour, clouds should clear out, temperatures should move closer to normal and the area should start to dry out, according to the NWS.

The record high for Nov. 27 is 85 set in 1949. The record low is 16 set in 1938. On Nov. 27 of last year, the high was 6- and the low was 32.

Weather brief

Wet weather from the Mid-Atlantic to the Plains

A storm system will produce a chance of rain from the mid-Atlantic to the southern Plains. A wintry mix will be possible in parts of the central and southern Plains. Portions of the Rockies and northern Plains will have a chance of snow.



Precipitation

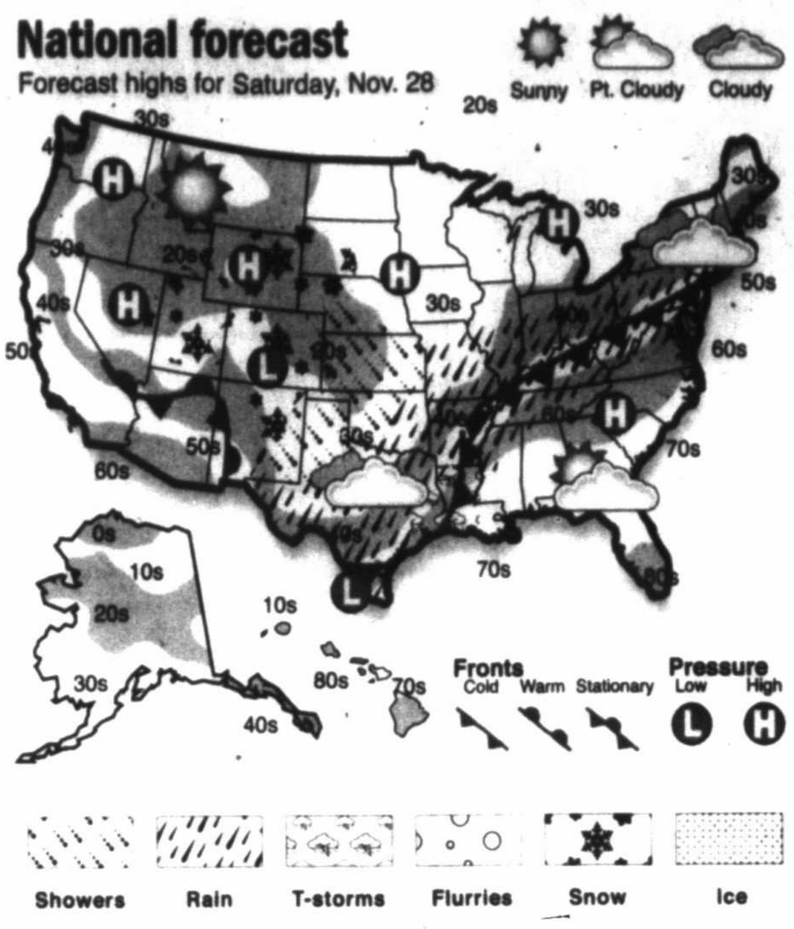
Thursday	0.20 in.
Friday	0.50 in.
Month total	0.87 in.
Year total	20.65 in.
Normal total (year to date)	13.94 in.

Friday's temperatures

High	65
Low	35
Normal high	63
Normal low	34
Sunrise	7:29 a.m.
Sunset	5:45 p.m.

National forecast

Forecast highs for Saturday, Nov. 28



Neighbors make themselves at home at another castle

DEAR ABBY



Write Dear Abby at www.DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069. Her column is distributed by Universal Press Syndicate.

DEAR ABBY: I have a neighbor, "Mrs. Smith," whom I see often in another neighbor's yard, "the Joneses," when they are not home. I have seen Mrs. Smith pick vegetables from their garden and take them to her house, and Mr. Smith connects extension cords that run to their home in the winter months when the owners are away. The Smiths are at least in their 60s and well off.

While it's possible the Joneses don't mind sharing their garden and electricity with this couple, it does seem unusual. We have security cameras in our yard to discourage the Smiths from coming onto our property.

Should I tell the Joneses about these people and, if so, what would be the best way to approach the subject? Or should I just mind my own business?

I would consider someone a good neighbor if they told me someone was coming onto my property like this, but I can't assume that others feel the same way — especially since they seem friendly toward each other and share a property line. What would a good neighbor do? — NEIGHBORLY IN NORTH DAKOTA

DEAR NEIGHBORLY: A good neighbor does unto others as he/she would like them to do unto him/her. The next time you see the Joneses, casually mention what you have observed, suggest they might want to check their electric bill and let them take it from there — or not.

DEAR ABBY: I'm a 17-year-old girl and my boyfriend is the same age. We have been together for five months and I don't know what to do because he's so jealous. If I log on to Facebook, he gets angry. If I go to the park with my parents, he gets mad.

Two days ago, he said he wanted to see my phone. When I told him to show me his phone, too, he refused. He said only he can check my phone. What should I do? — DON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO IN IOWA

DEAR DON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO: What you should do is dump this insecure, controlling boy immediately. What he's doing isn't flattering and it isn't normal. While his possessiveness may have seemed like a compliment in the beginning, for your own emotional — and possibly physical — well-being, break things off now. And if he doesn't back off, get your parents involved.

DEAR ABBY: My husband is in his 80s and I'm in my 70s. We have a traditional marriage. Each of us has our own responsibilities around the house.

I wish I could take off the months of November, December, January and February to sit and read and do less. He does blow snow occasionally, but that's it. I still have the house to clean and laundry, ironing and cooking to do. How is this fair? And why do women put up with this? — GETTING MORE TIRED BY THE WEEK

DEAR GETTING: It isn't fair. And only you can answer why you have put up with it all these years. If you are unhappy with the division of labor in November, December, January and February, then negotiate a new labor contract. Begin with the premise, "each according to his ability ... and YOUR NEED."

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

Bidding Quiz

Q 1 — Neither vulnerable, as South, you hold:

♠ Void ♡ Q 5 4 3 ◇ K J 10 4 ♣ J 10 8 7 2

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
1♠	Pass	1NT	2♣
2♣	Pass	?	

What call would you make?

Q 2 — North-South vulnerable, as South, you hold:

♠ A K 10 7 6 2 ♡ Q J 8 ◇ J 3 ♣ 8 7

As dealer, what call would you make?

Q 3 — East-West vulnerable, as South, you hold:

♠ A 10 7 6 ♡ Q 8 7 6 5 ◇ A 7 ♣ K 3

Right-hand opponent opens one no-trump. What call would you make?

Q 4 — Both vulnerable, as South, you hold:

♠ A 4 ♡ K 7 6 5 3 ◇ Q 8 3 ♣ A K 2

Right-hand opponent opens two spades, weak. What call would you make?

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 Saturday, Nov. 28, 2015:

This year you will respond to many different goings-on around you. Instead of diving in headfirst so often, sit back and give yourself an opportunity to make a judgment first. A friend plays a significant role in your year, though you sometimes get aggravated by this person's pushiness. Know that he or she cares. If you are single, you could meet someone through someone you deal with financially. Let the other person make the first move. If you are attached, the two of you gain a newfound closeness as you work through a volatile issue together. As a couple, you successfully share life's major moments. CANCER can be clingy at times.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★★ A family member will enjoy every moment of attention you give him or her. Trust your instincts with those you live with. No one knows them better than you do. A fiery and perhaps envious response comes from a partner. Tonight: Out on the town with your sweetie.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★ Communication flourishes if you follow a friend's suggestion. One-on-one relating sometimes causes others to withdraw. Look at the big picture when discussing a heavy issue. Listen to feedback. Tonight: At a movie or concert, where talking needs to be at a minimum.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★ When shopping, you might want to hold back if you're unsure about the price of a particular present. A friend will be delighted to give advice. Let this person speak, even if you don't agree with what you are hearing. Tonight: Time to treat yourself.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★★ You could be at a point where you no longer understand why a family member is so reactive when it is not necessary. You know that this person's reaction is unnecessary, but he or she might not. Read between the lines with a friend at a distance. Tonight: Do what you want.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★ Be more observant. Remain sensitive to a friend who could be out of sorts. If possible, try not to be reactive and get to the core issue that makes you want to carry on. Once you are there, you will regain an element of control. Tonight: If you want to, make it an early night.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★ You can't seem to make enough time to catch up on different friends' news. Use care with spending, as you easily could go overboard. Your imagination goes wild. Allow more silliness to enter your life. Understand what is happening with a child. Tonight: Let it all hang out.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★ Stay on top of an important matter that could involve those around you professionally or within your immediate circle. You could make a strong effort toward a special person, but it could be thrown back in your face if you are not careful. Tonight: A must appearance.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★★ Follow your instincts, even if they are not logical. When detached, you can see the whole picture and are able to respond. You could feel anger bubble up from out of the blue. A conversation opens up a new perspective. Tonight: Don't get hung up on minor details.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★★ Relate to a partner directly. If you are having a financial issue, you could feel as if there is no alternative. A friend is likely to express his or her strong views. Listen well, even if you don't agree. Ask as many questions as you can. Tonight: Let someone else make the first move.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★ Defer to others, especially as you might find trying to please everyone to be too exhausting. You also might need some personal time; see if you can squeeze it in. Others see you as controlling. Allow them to see you in a different light! Tonight: Go along with a suggestion.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★ Pace yourself, and understand that there is a limit to what you can do. Your smile and upbeat attitude will make waves and open up a friend. Don't take this person's comments personally. Tonight: Get into a fun hobby or project with a close loved one.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★★ You intuitively make the right decision, but you often don't realize how right you are. Learn to trust your instincts. Your creativity draws loved ones toward you. Refuse to get caught up in someone else's story right now. Tonight: Add more affection to your life.

BORN TODAY

Comedian Jon Stewart (1962), politician Gary Hart (1936), fashion designer John Galliano (1960)

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1 Furniture support
8 Hard-to-find hardware?
15 Learned
16 Side trip guide
17 Remote setting
19 __-Pak subcontinent: Asian region
20 Homework initials?
21 Like some backup files
22 Top dog
27 Cutesy plea for affection
30 Eye site
34 Bird that will swim but not fly
35 Pound, e.g.
36 Upset state
37 Letters associated with z's?
38 Tetanus symptom
40 Former "NFL Today" sportscaster Cross
41 Train for firefighting
43 2014 Wales summit host
44 Iowa campus
45 Refusal of hospitality, often
46 Thief's target
48 Literary legionnaire
50 Salinger heroine
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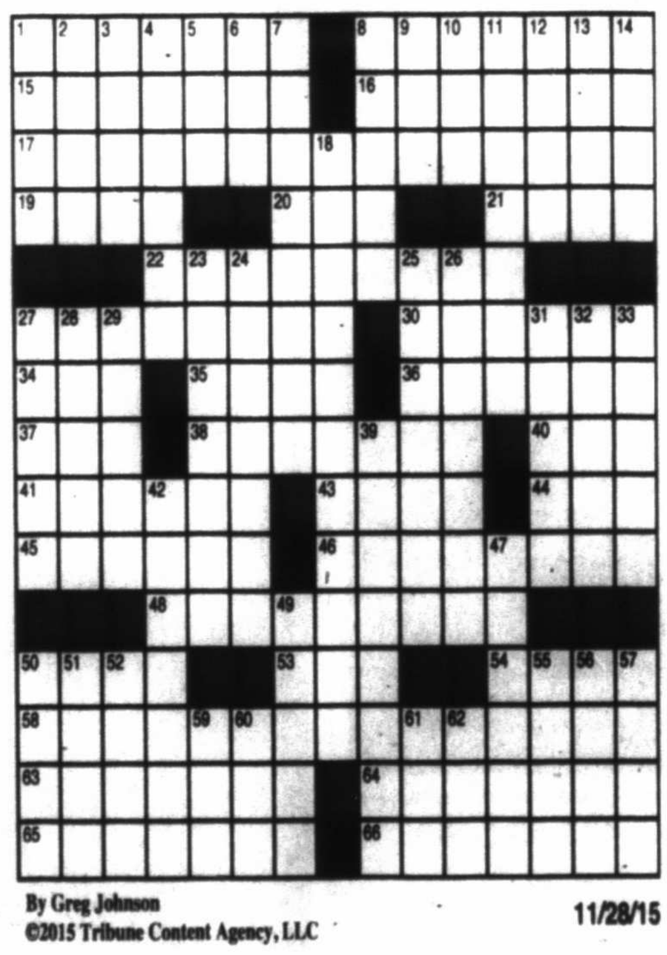
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3 Hunter with a distinctive laugh
4 Supplements
5 Small in a small way
6 Juillet's time
7 Like the Spaceship Earth sphere
8 Panasonic subsidiary
9 Supporting
10 "Dismal" tree in Shakespeare's "Titus Andronicus"
11 Partnership
12 "You said it!"
13 Standup comic Maron
14 Earned a citation?
18 1995 film in which Sean Connery played King Arthur
23 Lute family member
24 Company that merged with Konica
25 Screen alert subjects
26 Firm denial
27 Gymnast Strug
28 "Let me explain ..."
29 Collection areas
31 Firenze friends
32 Typically 78-card deck
33 Exasperated cry
39 Burmese gems
42 Time for significant changes
47 Yawn inducer
49 Barely ahead
50 Incredulous accusation
51 Flow slowly
52 Richie's mom, to Fonzie
55 Téléphone greeting
56 Mock election voter
57 Product of white Muscat grapes
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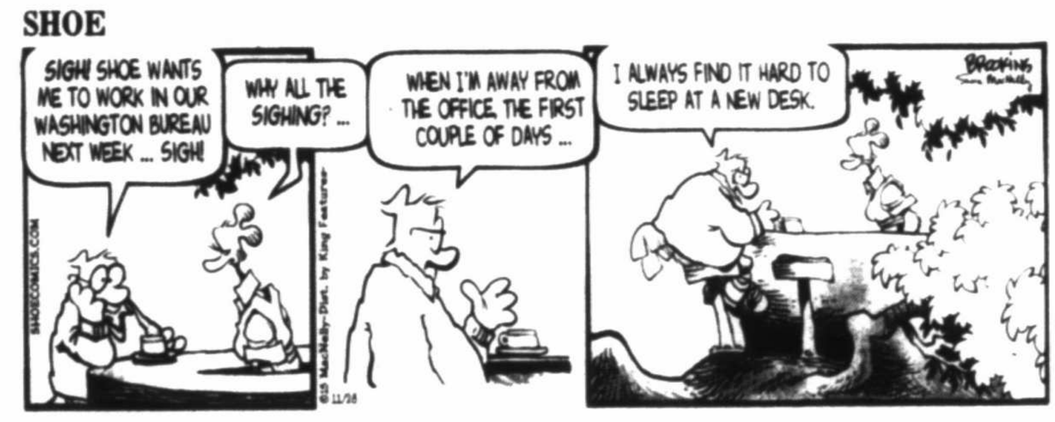
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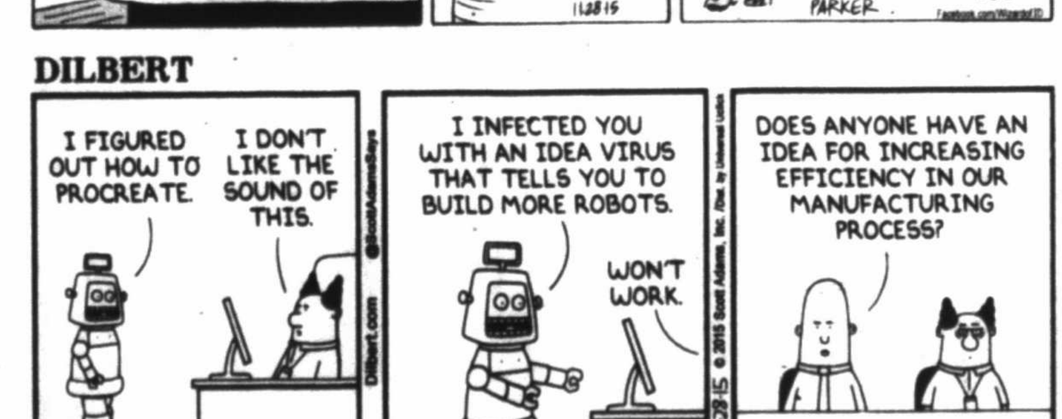
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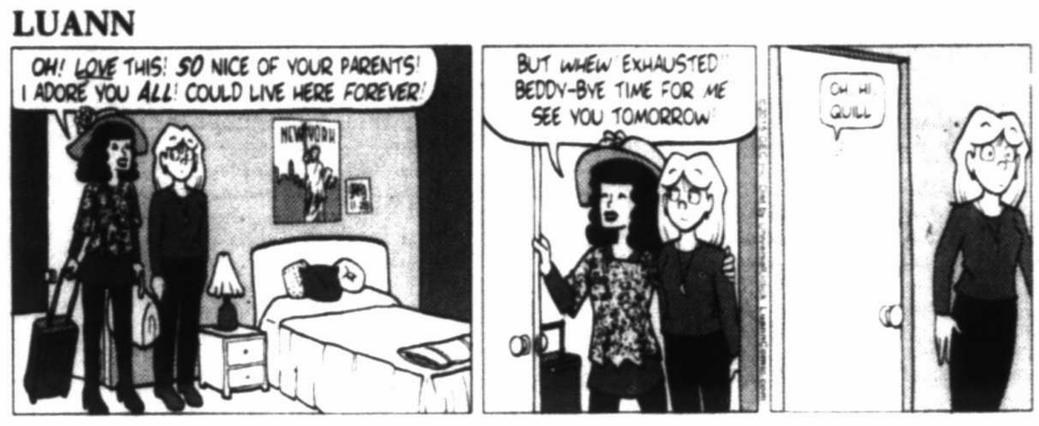
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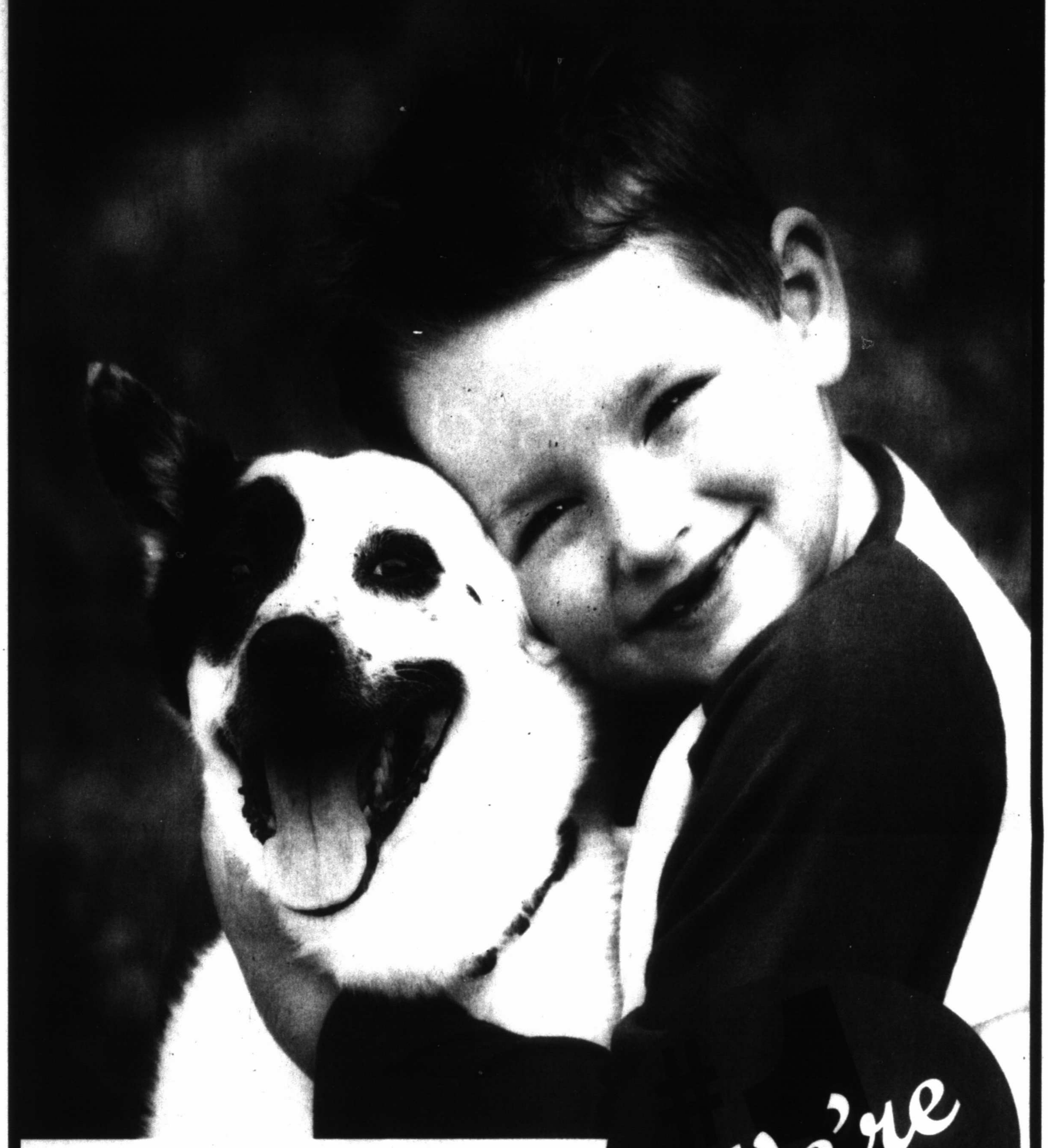
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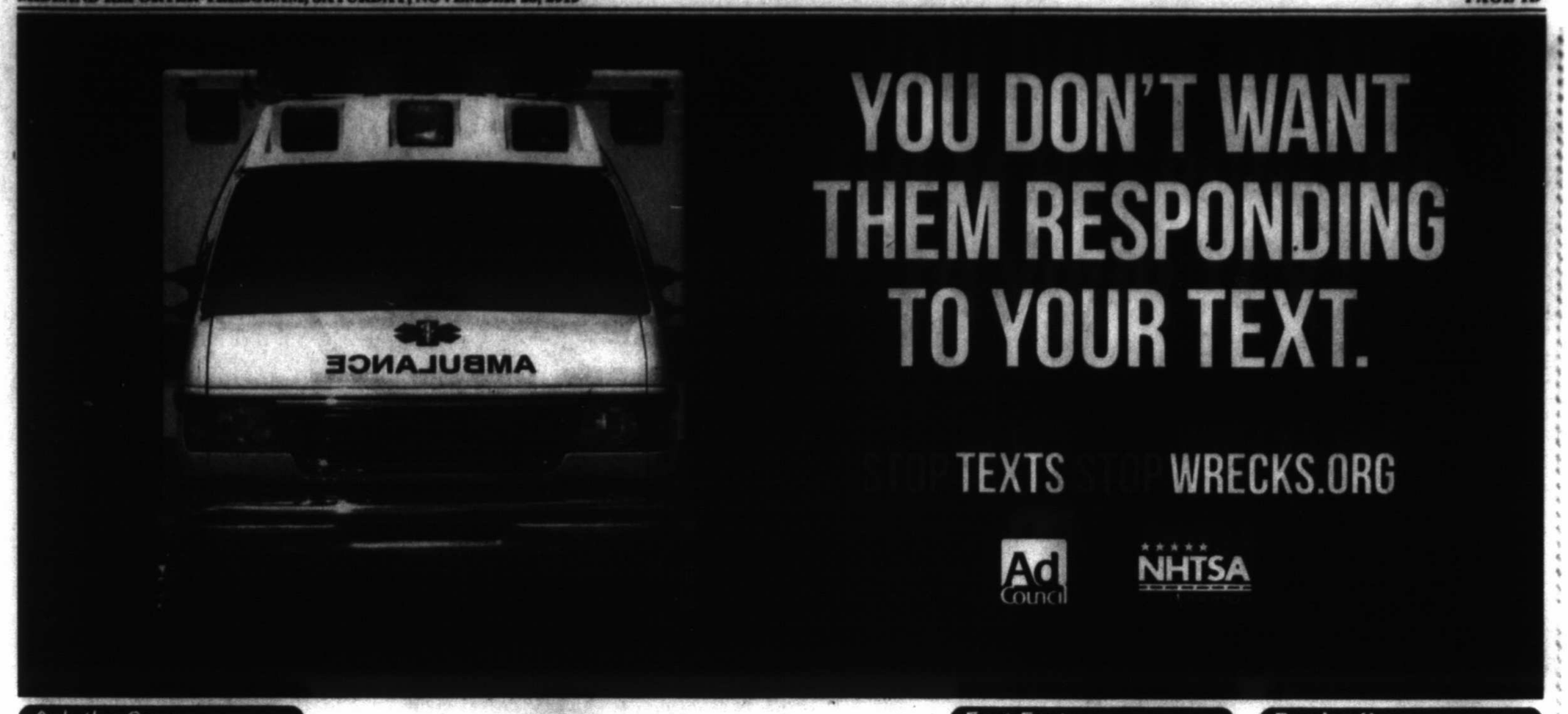
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Ask the Guys

Dear Classified Guys,
What is it with men and the classified section? Every Sunday my husband picks up the classifieds and reads it from front to back. He's always looking for another deal and constantly calls on things that I know we really don't need. I mean what am I going to do with a 40 cubic-foot industrial freezer? We eat out more than four times a week. I don't understand his obsession with the classified section. Can you help me?

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Cash: Wow, a 40 cubic-foot freezer! Imagine the size of the BBQ you could plan for next summer.

Carry: As you can tell, you may be looking to the wrong guys for sympathy. However, my wife understands your situation perfectly. She never knows what I'm going to bring home next.



Cash: You mean like the time you got a deal on that pop-up camper. You returned home to convince her of the fun you'd both have on fishing trips: catching your own dinner, cooking over an open fire and sleeping under the stars.

Carry: Until she mentioned that stars were the only things I'd see if we kept it! Who knew she didn't like roughing it. Fortunately, I sold it the following week…and at a profit.

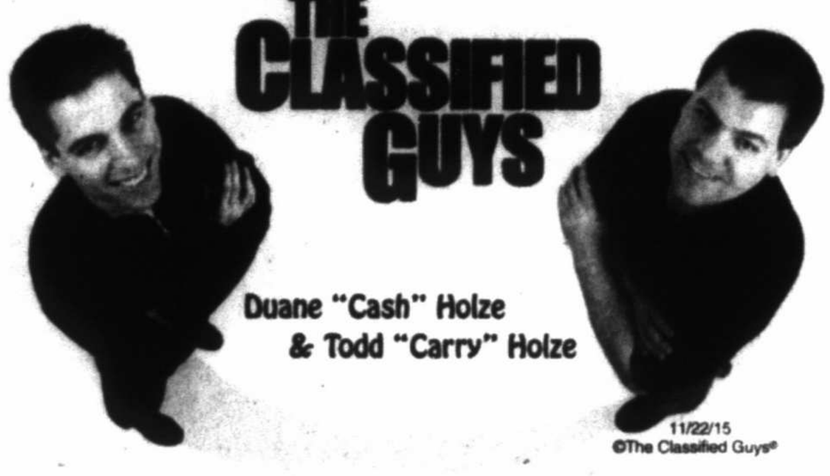
Cash: The truth is, shopping, whether classifieds or otherwise, satisfies an emotional need. Some women choose to buy clothing or shoes. Men often get lost in the tools section of the home improvement store. We all get an emotional satisfaction when we find a good deal.

Carry: That's why you see so many sale flyers in the newspaper, clearance racks in the stores and flea markets around town. Your husband has just latched onto the classifieds as his outlet for finding a bargain.

Cash: And honestly, classifieds are one of the best sources for finding a good deal. Last week I bought a metal garden shed for only pennies on the dollar and it was still in the original box. The only better deal might have been if the seller came to set it up.

Carry: If your husband loves shopping the classifieds, you may try urging him to find you a new car or maybe tickets for a vacation cruise. Then his obsession could work to your advantage.

Cash: And if you're having trouble getting his attention, consider placing your own classified ad. Imagine his surprise when he sees, "Husband For Sale" followed by your telephone number!



Fast Facts

Age Old Haggling

While haggling is common in other countries, Americans typically negotiate on only larger purchases. However, a study by *America's Research Group* noticed that haggling varies with age. It found that people over 50 years of age are more than twice as likely to haggle on goods and services in the retail market. That includes such things such as hotel stays, car repairs and even dental work.

Men's Day Sale

Hold onto your shopping carts ladies. Men DO like to shop…and in more places than just the classifieds. While guys are often stereotyped into a behavioral pattern of "grab and go" or "whine and wait", a *University of Illinois* study suggests differently. When a guy feels engaged in the experience of shopping, either on his own or with his female partner, he feels more valuable to the process. The study even found that guys enjoy browsing and bargain hunting. Maybe the next study will reveal that guys actually enjoy holding their wife's purse while waiting outside the dressing room.

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Reader Humor

Watching Expenses

Now that I'm retired, I've taken up woodworking as a hobby. However, because I'm on Social Security, I have to watch my expenses. So when I saw a small wood lathe advertised in the classifieds, I decided to call.

The gentleman was very pleasant and we talked on the telephone for quite awhile. Toward the end of our conversation I explained that I was on a fixed income and wanted to know if he was negotiable on the price.

"Absolutely," the man sympathized. "I know what it's like to be on a fixed income. My wife only gives me $10/week!"

(Thanks to Jim P.)

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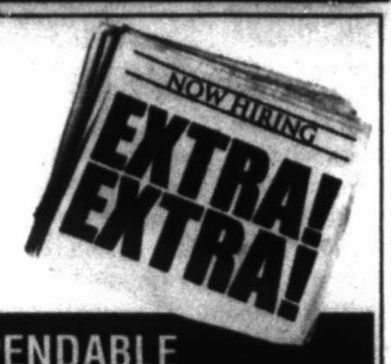
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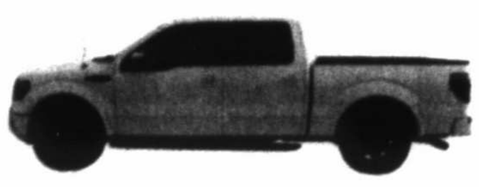
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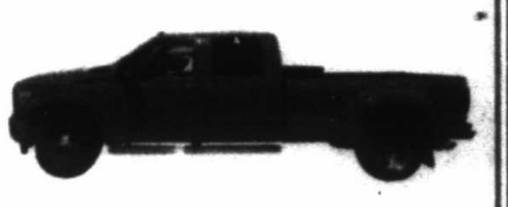
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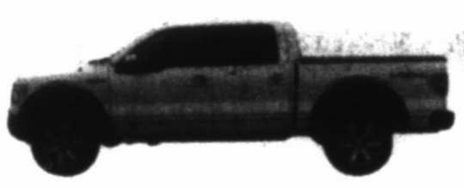
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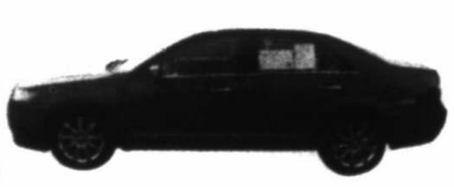
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382 Oak Point Dr. $785,000 MLS #12085700

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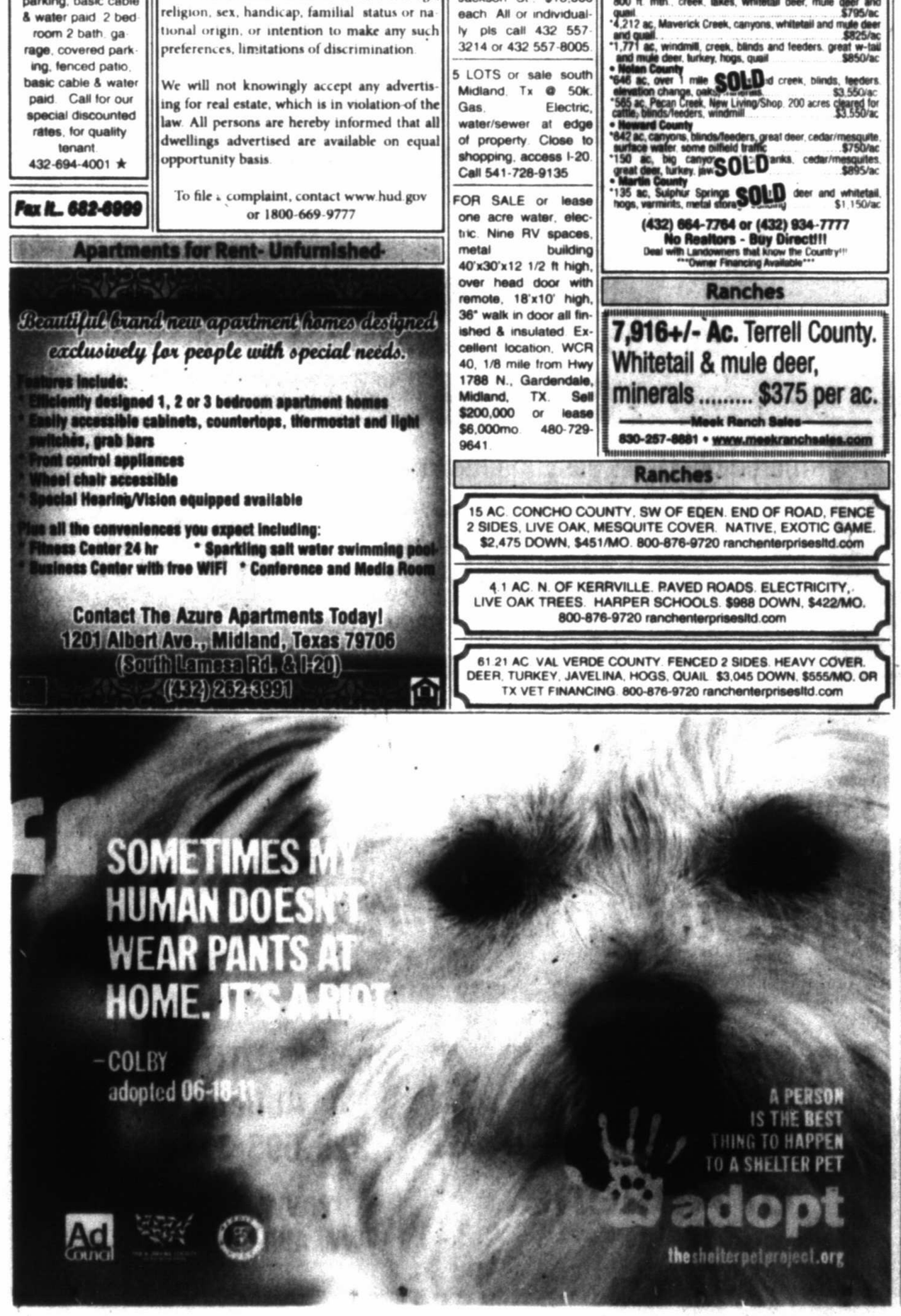
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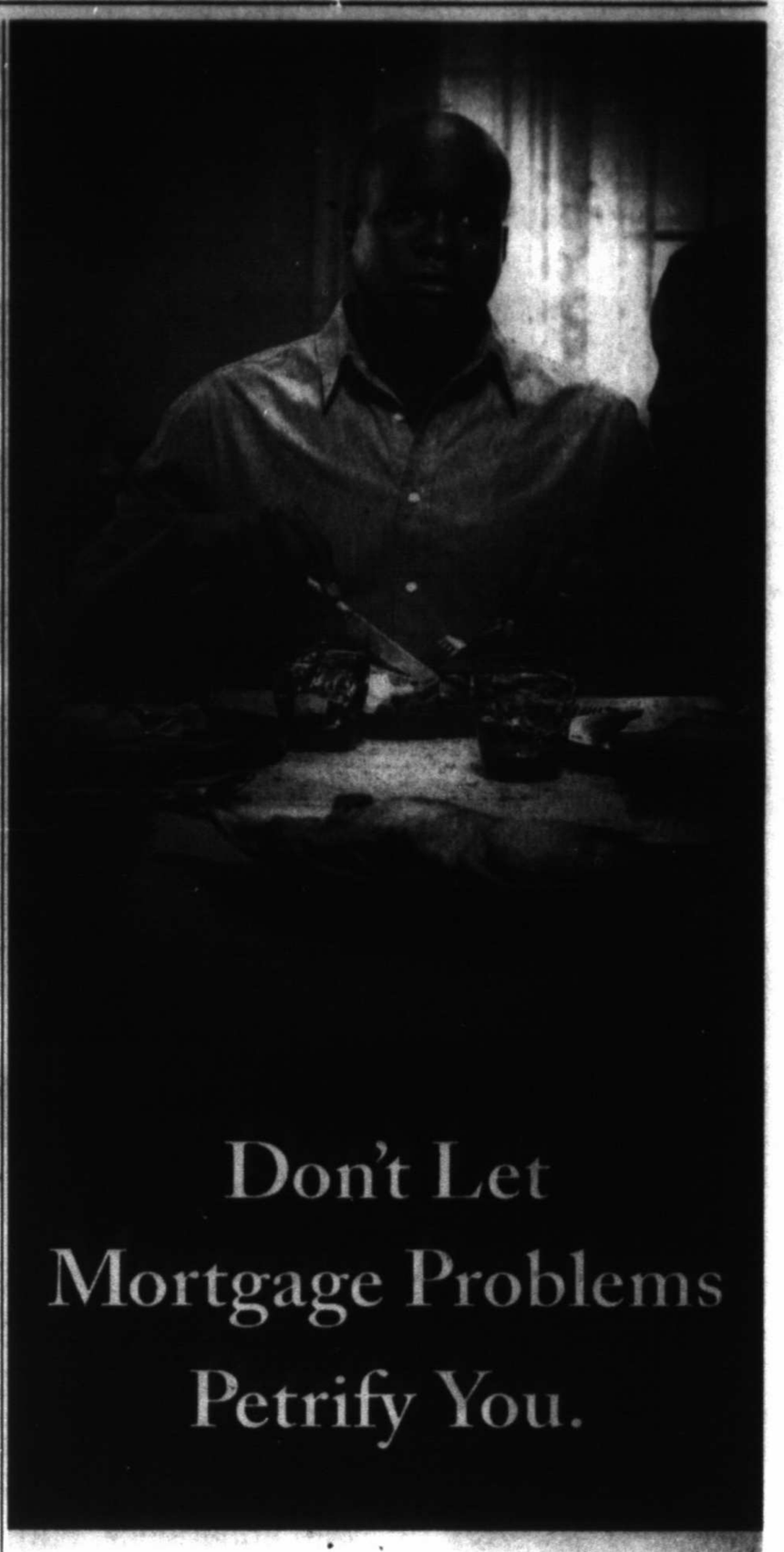
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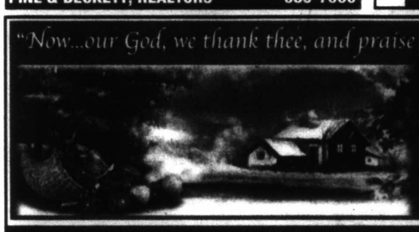
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