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Stagecoach driver Alan Cartwright drives a stagecoach down Main Street in Fort Worth, with the Tarrant County Courthouse in the background. Cartwright will drive the Wells Fargo stagecoach today as it delivers books to students at Crockett Elementary for the fourth annual Project Literacy donation between Wells Fargo and the Reporter-Telegram.

BEHIND THE REINS

Stagecoach rolls into town for literacy

By Meredith Moriak
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Stagecoach driver Alan Cartwright will be behind the reins today as the Wells Fargo wagon rolls into Midland kicking off the fourth annual Project Literacy initiative.

Every first-grader in Midland County will receive a copy of "Giraffes Can't Dance" by Giles Andreæ through the Wells Fargo and Midland Reporter-Telegram-sponsored program.

Cartwright will drive as four specially trained horses pull an authentic Concord Coach reproduction from the downtown Reporter-Telegram offices to Crockett Elementary.

Five of Crockett's first-graders who have perfect attendance, MISD Deputy Superintendent Randy Baiza and Crockett Principal Lisa LeClear will ride the stagecoach 1.5 miles to the school, where every child will be given a copy of the book.

Today's book donation is one of more than 85 events Cartwright will participate in this year as one of Wells Fargo's 10 stagecoach drivers.

He began working for the bank in 1995 and is responsible for training, transporting and driving horses and stagecoaches at a variety of events such as parades and bank openings.

Based in Benbrook, just west of Fort Worth, Cartwright primarily works for Wells Fargo in Texas and surrounding states. He occasionally travels to Florida, and in November 2012 he drove horses at the Tower of London and Royal Courts as part of the Lord Mayor's Show in London.

"I've been in the horse business all my life. I'm just lucky to have had the opportunity to work for Wells Fargo. To say I'm still employed as a stagecoach driver is unusual," Cartwright said.

His family has provided horse-drawn

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Wells Fargo history

In 1852, Henry Wells and William Fargo founded Wells, Fargo & Co. to serve the West. The new company offered banking and express delivery of gold and anything else valuable.

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Night and day, stagecoaches rolled on at a pace from five to 12 miles an hour. The coach stopped only to change horses. Traveling from St. Louis to San Francisco took about 25 days.

In 1866, Wells Fargo combined all the major western stage lines. Stagecoaches bearing the name Wells, Fargo & Co. rolled over 3,000 miles of territory, from California to Nebraska, and from Colorado into the mining regions of Montana and Idaho.

Source: WellsFargo.com

Ground breaks on Wall Street Lofts

By Joseph Basco
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Many city officials and those involved with the creation of a large downtown loft development celebrated the start of construction with a groundbreaking ceremony Thursday afternoon.

The Wall Street Lofts, an apartment complex to be constructed at the intersection of Wall and Main streets, will have 120 units and amenities such as a swimming pool and a parking garage. It is expected to open in December 2014.

The lofts — as well as the planned retail space the developers are also creating — is one of several projects meant to transform downtown Midland into an urban living environment from the ghost town that the area becomes after business hours.

Robert Gunby, one of three partners of developer Wall Street Lofts LP, said the lofts will "help businesses grow and create a 24-hour life for downtown Midland."

"Everybody who lives in the Wall Street Lofts can essentially go down an elevator four floors, have dinner and go back to their apartment on the top floor," said District 3 Councilman John James, who Gunby described as instrumental to the project from its infancy.

Wall Street Lofts is one of the largest downtown Midland housing projects in more than 50 years; the other is Energy Tower at City Center, which will have condos. Developers in the past have unsuccessfully attempted to bring housing downtown, but the economic state of Midland has prompted developers — local and non-local — to start building in all areas of the Tall City.

The three partners of Wall Street Lofts were confident there will be a demand for housing in downtown and cited the demand for housing all across the city as well as influx of young professionals into the city who are receptive to urban living.

C.W. Fields, a partner with Wall Street Lofts, said that rents for the smallest lofts may start in the $1,100- to $1,200-range and will increase in accordance with square footage. The lofts range in size from 605 square feet to 1,096 square feet, according to the site plan.

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Gasoline	$3.257 ▼	$0.013

The big number
The new Big Tex stands
3 feet taller
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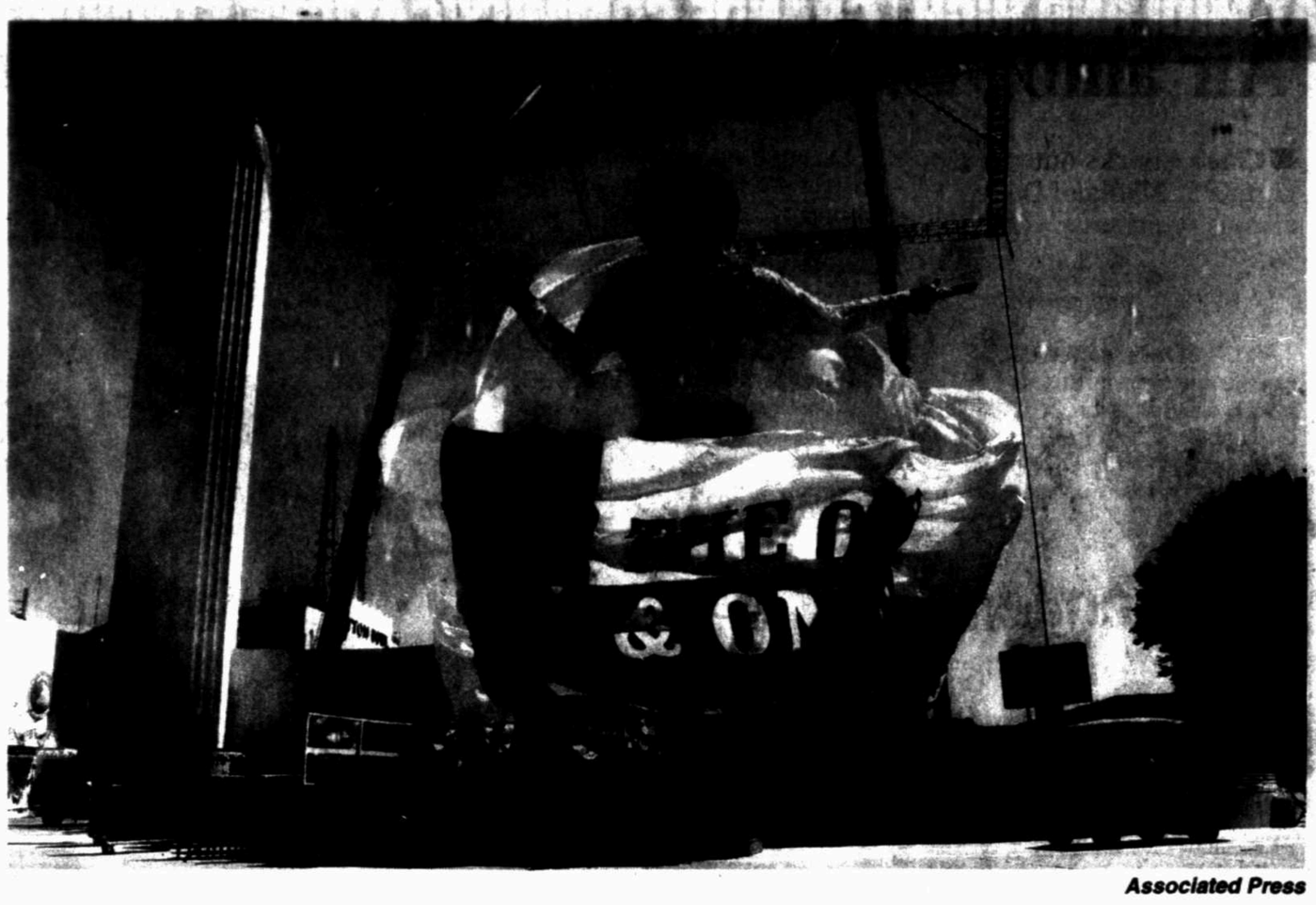

Associated Press

The new Big Tex is revealed at the State Fair of Texas in Dallas on Thursday. It was rebuilt and revealed a day earlier after a fire destroyed the previous version at the end of last year's fair season.

Big Tex returns to fair year after fire

Associated Press

DALLAS — The new Big Tex made his debut Thursday afternoon, a year after the towering cowboy that's an icon of the State Fair of Texas was destroyed in a blaze.

The new Big Tex is supposed to look similar to the old one, though at 55-feet tall, he is 3 feet taller. And unlike the figure that was destroyed last year, he has a fire-suppression system.

The big reveal of the new Big Tex had been set for today, the opening day of the fair. But fair spokeswoman Sue Gooding said officials decided to move up the unveiling to Thursday after winds started ripping the lightweight curtains surrounding him.

"We decided that although we wanted to keep it a secret, we needed to go ahead and drop it," Gooding said.

With the unveil coming a day before the fair's start, only fair workers and members of the media were there to see him in person Thursday.

An electrical short two days before the end of last year's fair caused the blaze that destroyed the old Big Tex.

Big Tex wears a red-white-and-blue shirt featuring stars and a 95-gallon hat. A giant belt buckle adorns his blue jeans and his boots feature American and Texas flags and the state Capitol.

Fair spokeswoman Sue Gooding said Big Tex's footwear are replicas of Lucchese boots from the 1940s that were part of a series featuring designs for each state.

"I love it. I think he looks great," Stephanie Szatan said after pausing to snap a picture of the revamped cowboy. "I'm glad he's back."

Szatan, whose family owns food stands at the fair, noted his appearance has evolved over the years anyway.

Melissa Polk, who works with a resort company that has a booth at the fair, said she was still trying to get used to his new face.

"It's neat-looking, but you're so accustomed to something," she said.

About an hour before the fair announced that the reveal would be moved up a day, television helicopters hovering above Big Tex offered a sneak peek of his cowboy hat-topped head and shoulders, but Gooding said that didn't play into the fair's decision to move up the unveiling.

The fair still plans a ceremony featuring Big Tex this afternoon, she said, but it will be a "welcome back" instead of an unveiling. She also said Big Tex won't talk until today. He has a new voice this year following a contract dispute with the man who provided his voice previously.

The new person providing the voice was chosen from among 111 applicants and is from the Dallas area, Gooding said. That person's name will remain a mystery, she said.

She also said his voice will be both live and recorded, which will allow him to speak longer. She said only the live voice has been used for the last several years after the technology used for the recording broke.

This will mark the 61st year that Big Tex has presided over the state fair. After last year's fire, the beloved cowboy was hauled from the grounds on a flatbed truck in a procession resembling a funeral.

Big Tex was built in 1949 as a giant Santa Claus for a Christmas celebration in Kerens, 60 miles south of Dallas. Intrigued by the idea of a towering cowboy, the State Fair of Texas paid $750 for the structure, which debuted as Big Tex in 1952.

An exhibition at this year's fair will spotlight Big Tex's history and a 20-minute video will show the rebuilding of Big Tex.

Associated Press

A worker walks near the boots of Big Tex, the 55-foot-tall symbol of the State Fair of Texas, after it was unveiled Thursday.

Sources: Davis will run for governor

Associated Press

AUSTIN — Democrat Wendy Davis, a state senator who catapulted to national prominence this summer with a filibuster over access to abortion, is running for Texas governor.

Two Democrats with knowledge of her decision told The Associated Press on Thursday that Davis would announce her candidacy next week. They spoke on condition of anonymity because they did not want to pre-empt her official campaign launch on Oct. 3, which will take place in her home district of Fort Worth.

A Davis campaign had been widely expected, but she has held off making her decision public. Davis campaign spokesman Hector Nieto would not confirm that she is running.

"As Sen. Davis told grass-roots supporters last week via email, she's made a decision and she looks forward to making her decision public on Oct. 3," Nieto said.

Thursday afternoon, a message on Davis' Twitter feed said, "A week from today, I'm announcing something big. Can you chip in now to show the strength of our grassroots network?"

Hours later, her campaign released a statement saying the announcement will come in the Fort Worth suburb of Haltom City at the Wiley G. Thomas Coliseum, where Davis received her high school diploma.

Republican Attorney General Greg Abbott announced his candidacy this summer and is considered the early favorite to succeed Gov. Rick Perry, who is not seeking re-election after 14 years in office.

No other Democrat has expressed interest in running for governor in Texas, where a Democrat hasn't won a statewide office in nearly 20 years. Experts say Davis, 50, would need to raise $40 million to mount a serious campaign, and Davis has spent the past three months attending fundraisers nationwide to build her bankroll.

Davis must raise money quickly to compete with Abbott, who has spent the past several years planning a 2014 run and has socked away more than $20 million.

For months, Democrats have urged Davis to run and reinvigorate a party that hasn't won a statewide office since 1994.

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LOFTS

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The city, through the Midland Development Corp., has invested $5 million in the project for the purpose of building a four-story parking garage. It will have private parking spaces for loft tenants and public spaces for general use such as the Midland Center and retail.

"This City Council and city councils before it have been very focused on building up our downtown and slowing deterioration that we see in some of the other buildings because it provides benefit to the taxpayers," James said. "So this investment that we made in the Wall Street Lofts is an investment toward making sure taxpayers ultimately pay less for the upkeep of downtown."

FELONY ARRESTS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Fonda J. Abeyta, 41, of Midland, was arrested Wednesday on a charge of assault on a family or household member with a previous conviction.

Joshua C. Byrd, 22, of Midland, was arrested Wednesday on a charge of possession of a controlled substance less than 1 gram.

Randy C. Carden, 18, of Midland, was arrested Wednesday on charges of aggravated robbery and aggravated assault with a deadly weapon.

Jesus G. Cardoza Jr., 40, of Midland, was arrested Wednesday on charges of assault on a public servant, obstruction or retaliation and aggravated assault on a public servant.

Tevin D. Neighbors, 22, of Midland, was arrested Wednesday on charges of sexual assault and assault on a family or household member with a previous conviction.

Source: Midland County Sheriff's Office

Texas A&M: Enrollment at record high, 1st in state

Associated Press

COLLEGE STATION — Texas A&M University says enrollment has hit a record high of nearly 59,000 students, ranking it first in the state.

The university said in a statement Thursday part of the increase is due to the acquisition of a Fort Worth-based law school and the return of a medical program. It said that as of Sept. 20 the university had 58,809 students. It says the numbers are not expected to change.

Nearly 54,000 students are at the school's main campus in College Station. The university says there are more than 25,000 women enrolled at the school, which until 50 years ago was an all-male institution.

The enrollment figures come on the heels of a recent announcement that Texas A&M had raised a record $740 million in donations the past year.

Air ambulance transports injured man to Lubbock

■ Crash knocks out traffic signals at Midland Drive, Illinois Avenue

From staff reports

A driver who suffered life-threatening injuries in a late-Wednesday night crash was flown to a Lubbock hospital Thursday afternoon, according to the city's public information officer.

The crash occurred about midnight at the intersection of Illinois Avenue and Midland Drive.

An SUV was traveling southbound on Midland Drive and attempted to turn east onto Illinois Avenue. A pickup, also traveling southbound on Midland Drive, collided with the SUV. The pickup continued south and struck a traffic signal control box, causing a complete loss of the traffic signals, according to Sara Higgins, public information officer for the city.

The pickup driver was transported to Midland Memorial Hospital with life-threatening injuries. When he was stabilized, he was airlifted to Lubbock, she said. The SUV driver and passenger were not injured.

Speed and alcohol are being considered factors contributing to the crash, Higgins said.

The street lights are out as a result of the crash, and the city's Transportation Division has placed stop signs in all directions.

Higgins said repairing the lights at that intersection won't be an easy fix.

"We will need to do some rewiring and replace the box with all of its contents. (The crash) basically cut the 'hard drive' out of the traffic lights at that intersection," Higgins said.

No timeline has been set for repairs to be completed, she said.

STAGECOACH

From 1A

rigs, equipment and props for the movie industry and civic events since 1966. He's been a member of the Screen Actor's Guild for more than 35 years, and past clients include the Fort Worth Stock Show, Six Flags amusement parks, Warner Brothers Studios and Universal Studios.

"This is a job that you'll probably never have if you didn't grow up doing it. There's not a school to teach you," Cartwright said, noting that he has to train and care for horses, drive a stagecoach and tractor-trailer, often play mechanic and be willing to act a part during appearances. "We notice every year that there are fewer horses and covered wagons in parades. I figure Grandpa didn't teach the kids how to drive the horses. It's a disappearing job."

Training horses and driving stagecoaches for Wells Fargo is a family affair, Cartwright said. His wife, Georgia, is the third woman to ever drive for Wells Fargo's stagecoach program. She will spend the weekend in New Braunfels driving at a parade.

Cartwright owns 40 horses and puts them through extensive training before ever selecting them to participate in community events and represent Wells Fargo, he said.

"It takes you about two years until you get a team trained where you can take them into town and feel comfortable," Cartwright said. "We have our own fire truck and sound systems set up on one of our training wagons with marching band music. You've got to try to recreate everything here at home that you might encounter in town."

The five horses selected to travel to Midland began exercising on Tuesday, and after a Thursday morning bath they were loaded into a climate-controlled tractor-trailer to head to Midland.

All of Cartwright's necessary equipment is carried in the tractor-trailer. His horses travel in the front and the stagecoach rides in the back.

To Wells Fargo, the stagecoach is not just a logo, but a living expression of the company's beginnings, said Lovester R. Law, vice president and manger of the stagecoach appearance program.

"The stagecoach really reflects who we are. It's kind of inseparable from who we are and was a way to connect the east to the west hundreds of years ago," Law said. "We really connected communities and towns, bringing goods and services and assets from the east to the west."

Though stagecoaches had made sporadic appearances in communities before 1958, the formal stagecoach program began on June 14, 1958, when actor Dale Robertson — who played Jim Hardie in the television series 'Tales of Wells Fargo' — rode on a stagecoach in a parade before the opening of a Wells Fargo branch in Hayward, Calif. The event generated so much publicity the company's leaders decided to create a true marketing program around the stagecoaches.

"We do this because we love it. It's a great role for us to play, bringing the stagecoach and horses to communities around the country," Law said. "We make people happy, and through it all they understand a little bit more about Wells Fargo."

Today the bank has five display-only Buffalo Bill coaches and 22-full-size coaches that are reproductions of the Concord coaches Wells Fargo & Co. used in the 1850s. They were built by carriage builder J. Stephens Abbot and master wheelwright Lewis Downing in Concord, N.H.

The coaches have wooden bodies, wooden wheels and are very durable, Cartwright said. When originally manufactured in the 1850s, each stagecoach weighed bout 2,500 pounds and cost $1,100 each.

The coach held nine passengers inside and could carry nine on top, depending on the route, he said.

"It also had to carry luggage, and they changed horses every 12 miles. You can imagine how many horses and employees they had to make each trip possible," Cartwright said.

Employees from Wells Fargo, the Reporter-Telegram and Midland Need to Read will deliver books to local elementary schools today.

South Texas man put to death for slaying

Associated Press

HUNTSVILLE — A South Texas man was put to death Thursday for a slaying 14 years ago in which the victim was bound with shoelaces and strips of bedding, stabbed 94 times and robbed of $50.

The execution of Arturo Diaz, 37, was carried out after the U.S. Supreme Court refused a last-ditch appeal to block his lethal injection. It was the 13th execution this year in Texas, the nation's most active capital punishment state.

Diaz smiled and blew a kiss to several witnesses watching through a window, including his mother and grandmother.

He then turned to the father of his victim, watching through an adjacent window to the death chamber. "I hope this can bring some relief for you and your family," he told him.

He spoke in Spanish to his own friends and relatives, telling them: "I am with God."

He also added that he hoped his fate "serves as an example for some youngsters. ... Think about it before you do drugs."

He was pronounced dead 17 minutes later, at 6:30 p.m.

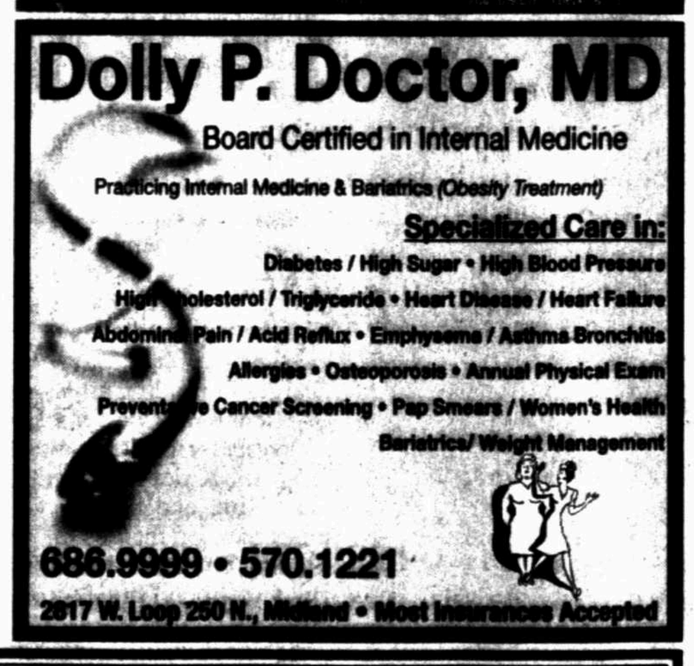
"It was way too easy," Forrest Nichols, whose son was murdered in 1999, said as he stood watching Diaz.

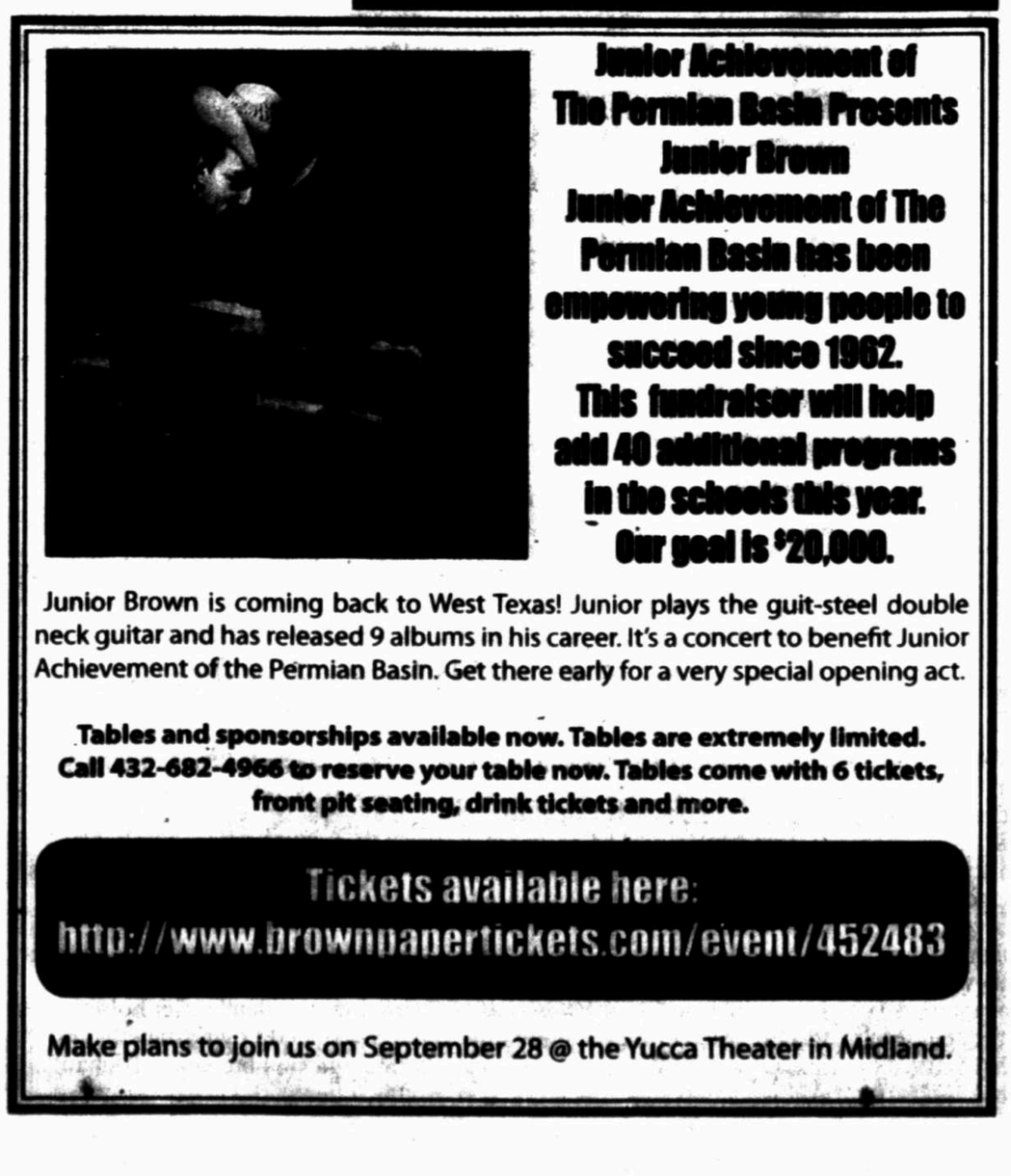
Texas Department of Criminal Justice officials have used pentobarbital as the single execution drug for more than a year, but Diaz became the first in the state given the sedative procured from a vendor or manufacturer the prison agency has declined to identify.

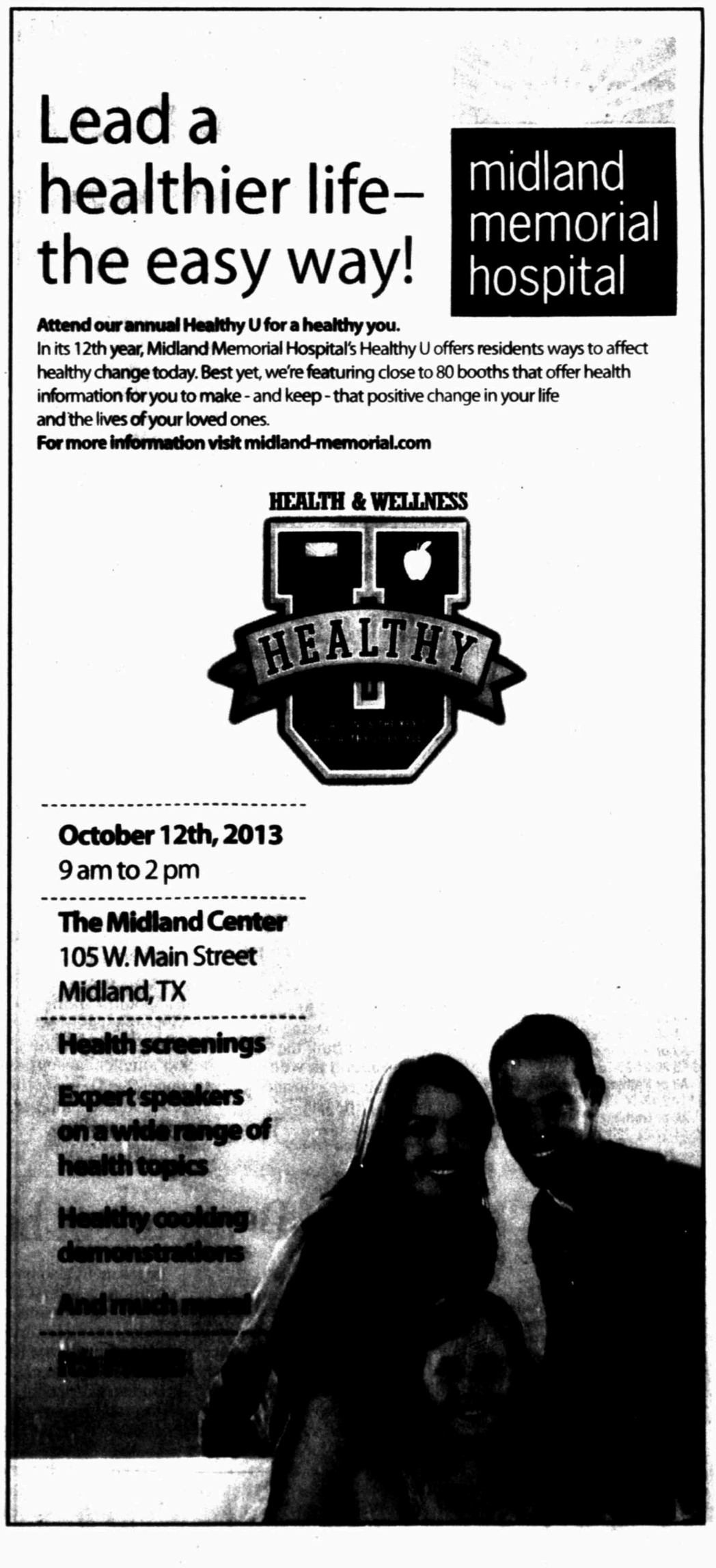
Diaz's reaction to the drug was similar to other Texas inmates who have been executed with pentobarbital. He took several deep breaths, began snoring and ceased movement in less than a minute.

The expiration date of the department's existing inventory passed this month, possibly diluting its potency. Like other death penalty states, Texas officials needed to go to non-traditional sources because the usual suppliers bowed to pressure from capital punishment opponents and refused to make their product available.

In his appeal to the Supreme Court, Diaz's attorney, James Terry Jr., argued recent high court rulings allowed another look at previously unsuccessful appeals where inmates had shoddy legal help. Diaz had deficient counsel at his 2000 trial in Hidalgo County and early in the appeals process, his attorney said.







TODAY IN MIDLAND

Things to do

■ St. Ann's Carnival at St. Ann's Catholic Church.

■ Storytime for children age 3 to 5, 10:30 a.m., Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Center. 685-7376.

■ Hands-on Learning Event: Crocodile Creek, 6 p.m., Barnes and Noble Booksellers. www.barnesandnoble.com.

■ Hands-on Learning Event: LEGO Master Builder Academy, 6:30 p.m., Barnes and Noble Booksellers. www.barnesandnoble.com.

Midland County football today

Odessa Permian at Midland High, 7:30 p.m.

Note: Lee, Midland Christian and Greenwood are on the road.

Happening Saturday

■ Ronnie Milsap at Wagner Noël Performing Arts Center. www.wagnernoel.com

■ Junior Brown performs at Junior Achievement fundraiser at Yucca Theatre. www.tailtownes.com.

Meetings schedule

Midland Development Corp.
8:30 a.m.
City Hall basement,
300 N. Loraine St.

Candidate forums

■ The Midland League of Women Voters is hosting city council and mayoral candidate forums 7 p.m. Oct. 7 and Oct. 14 at Scharbauer Student Center's Carrasco Room at Midland College.

■ The Midland Downtown Lions Club is hosting a mayoral candidate forum noon-1 p.m. Oct. 16 at 200 Plaza St.

Lunch will be served beginning 11:30 a.m. Lunch tickets are $9. There is no charge to attend just the forum.

Deadline to make lunch reservations is Oct. 11. To make a reservation, call 553-2287 or email lauramoss2@gmail.com.

Judge Rucker honored

Judge Dean Rucker, of the 318th District Court, was inducted into the Midland Teen Court Hall of Honor Thursday at the organization's annual volunteer appreciation breakfast.

Judge Kyle Peeler, in presenting his colleague with the award, said Rucker is "considered statewide as the premier authority on family law."

He also said what he admires most about Rucker is that the judge treats everyone in his courtroom with compassion and dignity.

Previously named to the Hall of Honor were the late Judge John Hyde, Mary Beck, former executive director of Midland Teen Court, and David Colburn, Midland ISD police chief.

Community calendar

■ Permian Basin Mensa, the local chapter of the international High IQ Society, will meet Saturday in Odessa.

Dr. Padmaja Mrunal Patel will present a program entitled, "Goals and Experiences of Organizing Interfaith Events in West Texas."

■ Stripes convenience stores on Monday will kick off the chain's sixth annual March of Dimes cut-out campaign, encouraging customers to make a donation of at least $1.

In the past five years, Stripes has raised more than $2.6 million. The goal of this year's campaign, which continues through Oct. 13, is $500,000, according to a press release from the local division of March of Dimes.

Gas prices in Midland

■ **Cheapest price:** $3.10 (multiple locations in central and northwest Midland)

■ **Most expensive:** $3.39 (multiple locations)

■ **Most common prices:** $3.22, $3.25, $3.29

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Today in history

In 1787, the Congress of the Confederation voted to send the just-completed Constitution of the United States to state legislatures for their approval.

In 1920, eight members of the Chicago White Sox were indicted for allegedly throwing the 1919 World Series against the Cincinnati Reds in what became known as the "Black Sox" scandal. Despite total confessions by several of the players, all were acquitted at trial; still, all eight were banned from baseball for life.

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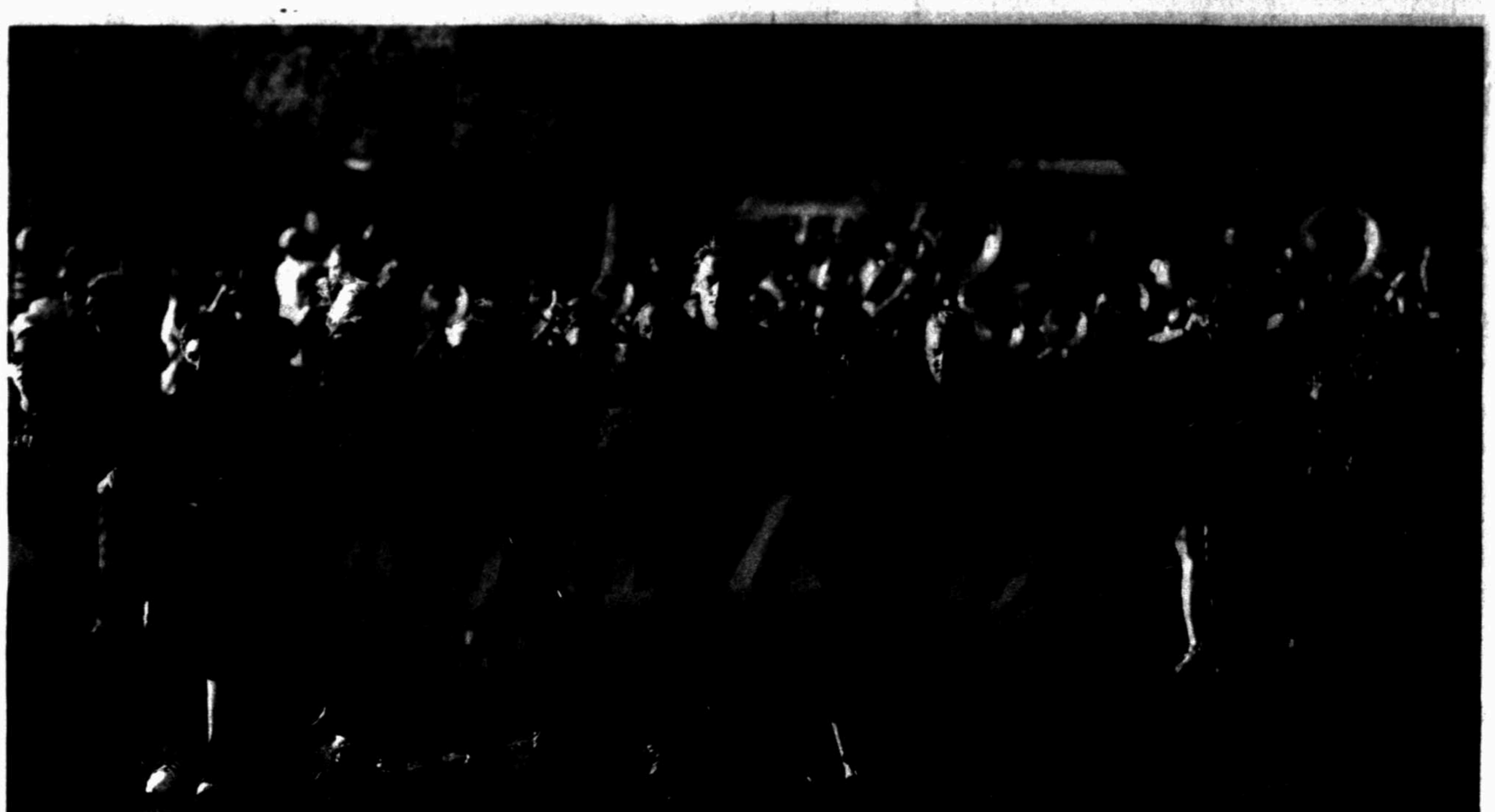

BULLDOGS ON PARADE

Midland High held its annual homecoming parade Thursday ahead of the Midland High football team's game against Permian at 7:30 p.m. today at Grande Communications Stadium. See more photos from the parade at **www.mywesttexas.com**.

Comedian Eddie Griffin puts on edgy, mature show

■ REVIEW

By Nick Wendel
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When Eddie Griffin danced his way onto the stage at the Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center Thursday night, he brought with him a routine including elements that are generally foreign to Midland entertainment.

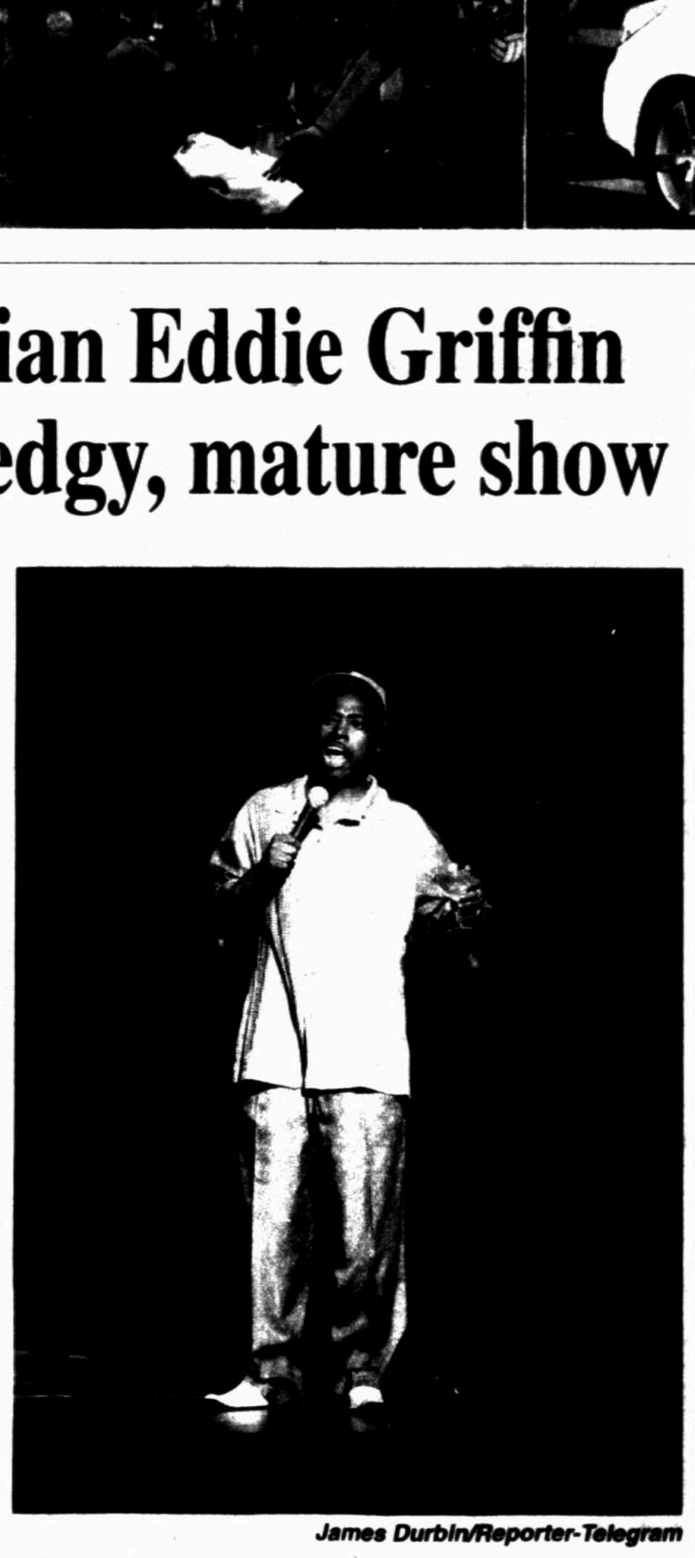
Being a stand-up comedy act alone set him apart from the usual generally warmly accepted menu of country music performances and plays in the Permian Basin.

But additionally, his brand of humor contributed to what was easily the most edgy and mature entertainment I have covered in my two-month tenure as an entertainment beat writer.

At times, Griffin's humor was clean and his timing uncanny, including improvised comedy mocking random yells or cheers from the audience. At other times, his act shockingly infringed on Texas cultural norms, including jabs at both the Bush presidents and their wives. But at nearly all times, his comedy was intentionally irreverent, drawing an identity by grabbing the audience's attention with a joke more obscene or questionable than the last.

This was the first live performance I have witnessed at the Wagner Noel, and the venue did not disappoint. Parking was well-organized and convenient, and the auditorium's smaller capacity (just under 2,000) made for a highly involved audience.

The performance as a whole was entertaining, and it did offer some variety to the Permian Basin entertainment scene. However, it did contain some very mature subject matter, so you may want to do your homework on performers at this venue before taking the whole family.



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Comedian Eddie Griffin performs at the Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center on Thursday.

MPD: Man used steering wheel lock as weapon

By Tyler White
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A Midland man violated a protective order Monday by using his pickup and a steering wheel lock as deadly weapons in an aggravated assault, according to court documents.

Joe L. Brown Jr., 48, is being held on a $211,500 bond for two first-degree felony charges of aggravated assault with a weapon on a date, family or household member, two second-degree felony charges of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, third-degree felony charges of evading arrest or detention with a vehicle and violation of bond or protective order by assault or stalking, and class A misdemeanor charges of evading arrest or detention and violation of bond or protective order.

A Midland police officer responded to a disturbance with weapons at about 6 p.m. Monday in the 3500 block of Neely Avenue. The complainant told dispatch the suspect was driving a green pickup, according to the arrest affidavit.

The officer observed a pickup, which matched the description, with extensive front-end damage traveling west in the 3700 block of Neely Avenue. The driver, identified as Brown, sped away from the officer and then entered an apartment complex. The officer detained Brown after forcing entry into his apartment during the pursuit, according to the affidavit.

Brown

The officer contacted the alleged victims, a woman and her friend, who said they were going to pick up someone when Brown pulled up beside the woman's vehicle and swung a steering wheel lock at her. The attack broke the window, according to the affidavit.

The woman drove off and when she was near Midland Drive and Wadley Avenue, Brown rammed his pickup into the rear end of her vehicle. She drove to Lee High School, where Brown rammed his pickup into the front driver door of her vehicle. She got out when Brown approached her and swung the steering wheel lock at her, injuring her left arm and her face, according to the arrest report.

Brown violated a protective order that was in place for the two alleged victims, according to the report.

If convicted, Brown faces five to 99 years in prison for each first-degree felony charge, up to 20 years for each second-degree felony charge, up to 10 years in prison for each third-degree felony charge and up to one year in prison for each class A misdemeanor charge.

Justice Department has spent nearly $5 million on drones

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The FBI has been using drones to support its law enforcement operations since 2006 and has spent more than $3 million on the unmanned aircraft, the Justice Department's internal watchdog said Thursday.

The disclosure came in a new report by the Justice Department's inspector general, Michael Horowitz, who revealed that the department also has awarded $1.26 million to at least seven local police departments and nonprofit organization for drones.

In addition, the IG said another Justice Department component, the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, plans to use drones to support future operations. To date, the ATF has spent almost $600,000, the IG report stated.

From 2004 to May 2013, the Justice Department spent almost $5 million on the unmanned aircraft.

In June, then-FBI Director Robert Mueller told Congress that the FBI occasionally uses the unmanned aerial vehicles but was developing guidelines in anticipation of issues that will arise "as they become more omnipresent." In one instance earlier this year, the FBI used drones at night during a six-day hostage standoff in Alabama.

In a letter in July to Sen. Rand Paul, R-Ky., the FBI revealed it had used drones 10 times since 2006 for surveillance in kidnappings, search and rescue missions, and drug and fugitive investigations. Among them was last winter's standoff between authorities and Jimmy Lee Dykes, who was shot to death after holding a 5-year-old boy hostage in an underground bunker in Alabama, the letter said.

Sebelius: Health bill limited without Texas' help

Associated Press

DALLAS — U.S. Health and Human Services Secretary Kathleen Sebelius visited Texas for the fifth time in two months Thursday to tout the benefits of the federal health care overhaul, but she acknowledged that many poor, uninsured Texans will get no help without the cooperation of state Republicans who unyieldingly oppose the law.

Texas has the highest rate of uninsured people of any state in the country, but top state officials have refused tens of billions of dollars offered by the federal government to expand Medicaid.

Unless officials change their mind, people who would have gotten health coverage under Medicaid will be left out, Sebelius said after an event in Dallas. Her hope, she said, is that officials will change their mind once Medicaid funding begins elsewhere in January.

Texans can still purchase health insurance in federal exchanges that open enrollment next week.

"The money starts to flow on January 1, 2014," Sebelius said. "That's when this federal deal would kick in. And every day, Texas would leave a portion of that money on the side of the road."

Top Texas Republicans continue to fight the Affordable Care Act three years after Congress passed it. Gov. Rick Perry says the overhaul is bad policy and the Medicaid expansion, even if it's mostly funded by Washington, would still hurt the state budget. The federal government will pay the full cost of new coverage until 2016, then phase down to 90 percent.

Perry has also asked the state insurance commissioner to adopt strict regulations for federal "navigators" trained to help people sign up for coverage.

Sebelius has touted the work of local officials and groups in Texas that are promoting the law. She went to Houston, Austin and San Antonio last month.

More kids protected from flu; CDC says keep it up

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — More children than ever got vaccinated against the flu last year, and health officials urged families Thursday to do even better this time around.

Far too many young and middle-aged adults still forego the yearly protection, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention said.

And this year, Americans have an unprecedented number of vaccine options to choose from: The regular shot; the nasal spray; an egg-free shot for those allergic to eggs; a high-dose shot just for those 65 and older; and a tiny-needle shot for the squeamish. The bigger change: A small number of the regular flu shots, and all of the FluMist nasal vaccine, will protect against four strains of influenza rather than the traditional three.

"There's something for everyone this year," said CDC's Dr. Anne Schuchat.

A severe flu strain swept the country last winter, sparking a scramble for last-minute vaccinations. There's no way to predict if this year will be as bad. But it takes about two weeks for the vaccine to take effect, so health officials say early fall — before flu begins spreading widely — is the best time to start immunizations.

"Now is the time to get vaccinated," said Dr. Paul Biddinger of Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston. "Don't wait until it's in your community."

Boston declared a public health emergency last January when hospitals were filled with flu patients, and Biddinger said he treated many who openly regretted not having been vaccinated.

AP file photo

A flu shot is administered in Jackson, Miss., in 2002. More children than ever got vaccinated against the flu last year, and health officials are urging families to do even better this time around. A severe flu strain swept the country last winter, sparking a scramble for last-minute vaccinations. There's no way to predict if this year will be as bad. But protection requires a yearly vaccine, either a shot or nasal spray. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention said Thursday it's time for people to start getting immunized.

January and February typically are the peak flu months in the U.S. But small numbers of flu cases circulate for much of the year, and Biddinger said a couple of people have been hospitalized already.

"That first cough or fever is not the time to think about influenza vaccine," Schuchat said.

Flu vaccine is recommended for nearly everyone ages 6 months and older. Yet just 45 percent of the population followed that advice last year. Flu is particularly risky for seniors, children, pregnant women and people of any age with asthma, heart disease and other chronic diseases.

Two-thirds of adults 65 and older were vaccinated last year. So were nearly 57 percent of children, an increase of 13 percentage points over the past two years. The number is even higher among babies and toddlers — 77 percent — and Schuchat said pediatricians get the credit for pushing flu vaccination in recent years.

About half of pregnant women are vaccinated, a number also on the rise since the 2009 flu pandemic illustrated that population's vulnerability.

But only 42 percent of adults younger than 65 were vaccinated, Schuchat said, with rates even lower among 18- to 49-year-olds.

It's not clear why. But "there are no good reasons to skip the influenza vaccine," said Dr. William Schaffner of Vanderbilt University and past president of the National Foundation for Infectious Diseases.

The flu shot cannot give anyone the flu, he stressed. But while it's estimated to cut by about 60 percent the chances of getting the flu, Schaffner said it's "a good vaccine, but it's not a perfect vaccine."

How to choose among the vaccine options, including the new four-strain version? The CDC doesn't recommend one type of flu vaccine over another. All flu vaccine protects against two strains of Type A flu, typically the most severe kind, and one strain of Type B. The new so-called quadrivalent versions protect against two Type B strains.

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OPINION

Ayatollah's aide is Iranian moderation in action

■ Obama administration needs to demand proof of good faith — honor U.N. resolutions, suspend uranium enrichment

CHARLES KRAUTHAMMER
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The search, now 30 years old, for Iranian "moderates" goes on. Amid the enthusiasm of the latest sighting, it's worth remembering that the highlight of the Iran-contra arms-for-hostages debacle was the secret trip to Tehran taken by Robert McFarlane. President Reagan's former national security adviser. He brought a key-shaped cake symbolizing the new relations he was opening with the "moderates."

We know how that ended.

Three decades later, the mirage reappears in the form of Hassan Rouhani. Strange resume for a moderate: 35 years of unswervingly loyal service to the Islamic Republic as a close aide to Ayatollahs Khomeini and Khamenei. Moreover, Rouhani was one of only six presidential candidates, another 678 having been disqualified by the regime as ideologically unsound. That puts him in the 99th centile for fealty.

Rouhani is Khamenei's agent but, with a smile and style, he's now hailed as the face of Iranian moderation. Why? Because Rouhani wants better relations with the West.

Well, what leader would not want relief from Western sanctions that have sunk Iran's economy, devalued its currency and caused widespread hardship? The test of moderation is not what you want but what you're willing to give. After all, sanctions were not slapped on Iran for amusement. It was to enforce multiple Security Council resolutions demanding a halt to uranium enrichment.

Yet in his lovey-dovey Washington Post op-ed, his U.N. speech and various interviews, Rouhani gives not an inch on uranium enrichment. Indeed, he has repeatedly denied that Iran is pursuing nuclear weapons at all. Or ever has. Such a transparent falsehood — what country swimming in oil would sacrifice its economy just to produce nuclear electricity that advanced countries like Germany are already abandoning? — is hardly the basis for a successful negotiation.

But successful negotiation is not what the mullahs are seeking. They want sanctions relief. And more than anything, they want to buy time.

It takes about 250 kilograms of 20 percent enriched uranium to make a nuclear bomb. The International Atomic Energy Agency reported in August that Iran already has 186 kilograms. That leaves the Iranians on the threshold of going nuclear. They are adding 3,000 new high-speed centrifuges. They need just a bit more talking, stalling, smiling and stringing along a gullible West.

Rouhani is the man to do exactly that. As Iran's chief nuclear negotiator between 2003 and 2005, he boasted in a 2004 speech to the Supreme Cultural Revolution Council, "While we were talking with the Europeans in Tehran, we were installing equipment in parts of the (uranium conversion) facility in Isfahan. ... In fact, by creating a calm environment, we were able to complete the work in Isfahan."

Such is their contempt for us that they don't even hide their strategy: Spin the centrifuges while spinning the West.

And when the president of the world's sole superpower asks for a photo-op handshake with the president of a regime that, in President Obama's own words, kills and kidnaps and terrorizes Americans, the killer-kidnapper does not even deign to accept the homage. Rouhani rebuffed him.

Who can blame Rouhani? Offer a few pleasant words in an op-ed hailing a new era of non-zero-sum foreign relations, and watch the media and the administration immediately swoon with visions of detente.

But at least we have to talk, say the enthusiasts. As if we haven't been talking. For a decade. Strung along in negotiations of every manner — the EU3, the P5+1, then the final, very final, last-chance 2012 negotiations held in Istanbul, Baghdad and Moscow at which the Iranians refused to even consider the nuclear issue, declaring the dossier closed. Plus two more useless rounds this year.

I'm for negotiations. But only if it's to do something real, not to run out the clock as Iran goes nuclear. The administration says it wants actions not words. Fine. Demand one simple proof of good faith: Honor the U.N. resolutions. Suspend uranium enrichment and we will talk.

At least that stops the clock. Anything else amounts to being played.

And about the Khamenei agent who charms but declares enrichment an inalienable right, who smiles but refuses to shake the president's hand. When asked by NBC News whether the Holocaust was a myth, Rouhani replied: "I'm not a historian. I'm a politician."

Iranian moderation in action.

And, by the way, do you know who was one of the three Iranian "moderates" the cake-bearing McFarlane dealt with at that fateful arms-for-hostage meeting in Tehran 27 years ago? Hassan Rouhani.

We never learn.

GUEST VIEW

Free tickets to sporting events don't have place in Legislature

San Antonio Express-News

If no one is really benefiting from the free tickets lobbyists dole out to lawmakers, then it shouldn't be hard to end the practice. Since 2005, lobbyists have dished out nearly $200,000 in free tickets to state lawmakers, and that's just what's been reported.

As the San Antonio Express-News' David Saleh Rauf has reported, no one knows how many free tickets find their way into lawmakers' hands. Lobbyists have figured out how to skirt disclosure requirements.

What we do know is lawmakers are allowed to receive a variety of freebies as long as the value does not exceed $500 in a calendar year.

Often, this translates into tickets to see professional sports teams such as the Texans, Cowboys, Spurs and Rockets. Sometimes the tickets come from the teams themselves, and sometimes they are tied to a company's luxury suite, or the lobbyist simply has picked up the tab.

"This is part of the currency of the Legislature," Tom "Smitty" Smith, Texas director of the nonprofit watchdog group Public Citizen, told Rauf.

"Lawmakers are far more likely to vote with someone they've had a pleasurable or unique experience with or one they rate as high-value like being able to go to a game and sit in a skybox"

That's just what happened during the NFL preseason when a dozen lawmakers from Harris County piled into a luxury suite for a game between the Houston Texans and Miami Dolphins. It's a perk the Texans have offered since 2006.

There, they mingle with Texans owner Bob McNair.

What's amazing about the freebies is lawmakers and lobbyists alike told Rauf they don't factor into the political process.

"We usually talk football," said Rep. Harold Dutton, D-Houston. "I haven't had one request from Bob McNair."

"I appreciate what they do for me, but they understand there's no strings attached," said Rep. Joe Farias, D-San Antonio, who attended Spurs games with his family in 2007 and 2008 through lobbyist tickets.

State Sen. Leticia Van De Putte, D-San Antonio, offered a similar defense, saying the long hours and low pay that come with public service justify the perk.

But if the freebies have no bearing on how lawmakers vote, then it shouldn't be too hard to do away with them, right?

If nobody is benefiting, it must be a needless expense.

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Cruz's filibuster demonstrates gutsiness

■ Admiration for the senator by important 'outsiders' will sustain him in his crusade against Obamacare

RICH LOWRY
King Features Syndicate

Long ago, Ted Cruz earned the hatred of every elected Democrat in Washington. Now, he's on his way to doing the same with nearly every Republican. Soon, it will be almost a clean sweep.

He is, to paraphrase Winston Churchill's quip about Secretary of State John Foster Dulles, a bull who carries a china shop with him. He had barely begun his 21-hour filibuster — or, to be strictly precise, 21-hour-long speech — when he compared his doubters to appeasers of Adolf Hitler, and he ended it roughly a day later with a prickly exchange with Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid.

The Cruz eye-rollers had plenty of occasions to roll their eyes — perhaps no senator has caused so many colleagues to mutter under their breaths in his first eight months in the world's greatest deliberative body — but the conservative grass roots cheered. They are desperate for passion and, above all, fight, and Cruz delivered them during his long hours holding forth on C-SPAN2.

We should stipulate upfront that he is not going to defund Obamacare. As a legislative strategy, the defund effort is far-fetched to the point of absurdity. The theory is that on the cusp of or after a government shutdown, pressure becomes so intense on Democrats that Reid buckles and passes a measure defunding Obamacare, and Barack Obama signs it.

Let's put aside for the moment that Democrats believe — probably rightly — that Republicans will be blamed for any shutdown. Why would a little downside political risk in the current confrontation move them? We're talking about a party that spent decades trying to pass something like Obamacare and a president who was content to lose his House majority over it.

The Cruz all-nighter wasn't a legislative tactic so much as it was what 19th-century anarchists called "the propaganda of the deed." It made a point. It dramatically reaffirmed Republican resolve to repealing Obamacare. It drove more debate about the health care law. It perhaps opened up space for more realistic immediate Republican goals, such as a delay in the individual mandate, in the impending fiscal fights.

It also saved Cruz's reputation among the tea-party conservatives. The House passed its defunding measure in a passive-aggressive mood, as if to say, "All right, big guy, you wanted this — now let's see what you can do with it." The reaction in the House when Cruz said the measure didn't have the votes in the Senate was anger combined with schadenfreude at his presumed comeuppance. Rarely have so many harsh background quotes been given to so many reporters with such glee.

By spending nearly an entire day attacking Obamacare on the Senate floor, though, Cruz demonstrated enough gutsiness to take the sting out of his imminent defeat.

In the longer run, the outcome in the short term is irrelevant to Cruz's stature as a conservative leader. No one asked whether Ronald Reagan had successfully blocked the ratification of the Panama Canal Treaty in 1977 when he ran for president in 1980. For that matter, no one asked whether Sen. Barack Obama had successfully defunded the Iraq War in 2007 when he ran for president in 2008.

Obama's example is instructive: When before have we heard of a new senator capturing the imagination of his party's base, establishing an unimpeachable standard of purity on a hot-button issue absolutely essential to it and beginning to run for president shortly after arriving on the national scene?

Who knows whether Cruz ultimately tries the same thing. But the scoffers are probably the same kind of people who chuckled at backbencher Newt Gingrich giving speeches to an empty House chamber on C-SPAN so many decades ago. Gingrich was playing an outside game, and so is Cruz. The disdain for him among insiders will be inversely related to the admiration for him among the much more important outsiders.

They will sustain him in a crusade against Obamacare that, alas, will extend long beyond this fall's fiscal fights.

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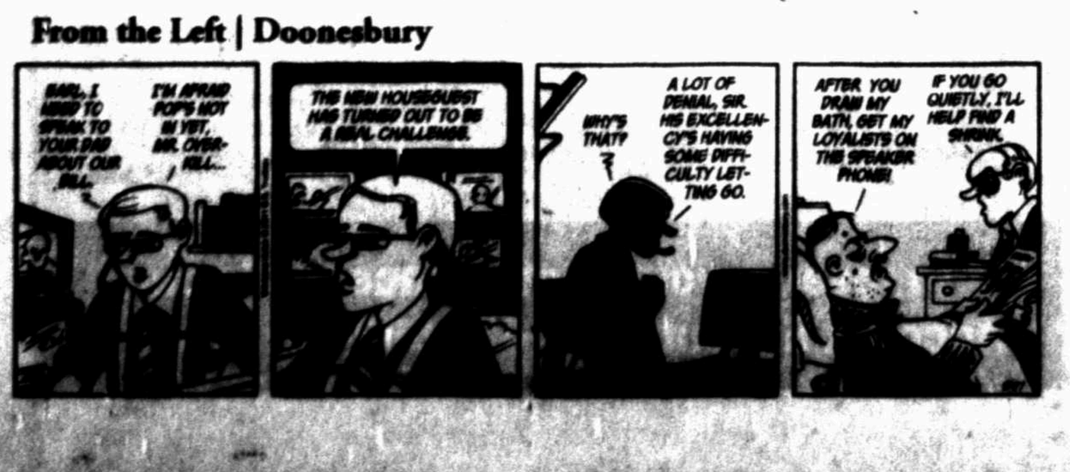

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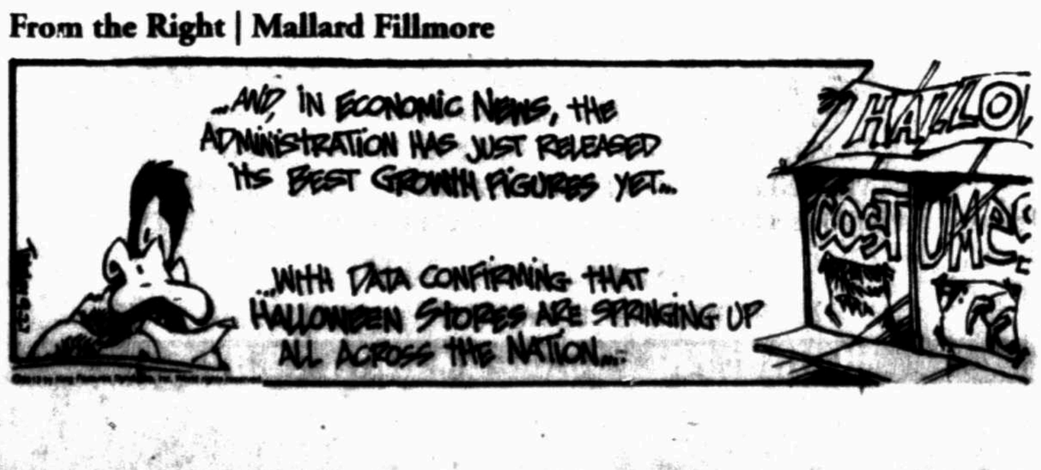

No compromise: Government on brink of a shutdown?

By Andrew Taylor and Donna Cassata
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Moving closer to the brink of a government shutdown, House Republicans vowed Thursday they won't simply accept the stopgap legislation that is likely to remain after Senate Democrats strip away a plan to dismantle President Barack Obama's health care law.

The defiant posture sets the stage for weekend drama on Capitol Hill today after the Senate sends the fractious House a straightforward bill to keep the government operating through Nov. 15 rather than partly closing down at midnight Monday.

Speaker John Boehner, of Ohio, and several rank-and-file Republicans said the House simply won't accept a "clean" spending measure, even though that's been the norm in Congress on dozens of occasions since the 1995-96 government closures that bruised Republicans and strengthened the hand of Democratic President Bill Clinton.

"I don't see that happening," Boehner said. Still, he declared that "I have no interest in a government shutdown" and he doesn't expect one to occur on Tuesday.

Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid, of Nevada, said the Democratic-led chamber will not relent.

"The Senate will never pass a bill that guts the Affordable Care Act," Reid declared.

A partial government shutdown would keep hundreds of thousands of federal workers off the job, close national parks and generate damaging headlines for whichever side the public held responsible.

Associated Press

With four days to go before the federal government is due to run out of money, Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid, D-Nev., left, looks at a countdown clock Thursday during a news conference on Capitol Hill, where Senate Democratic leaders blamed conservative Republicans for holding up a stopgap spending bill to keep the government running.

Washington faces two deadlines: The Oct. 1 start of the new budget year and a mid-October date — now estimated for the 17th — when the government can no longer borrow money to pay its bills on time.

The first deadline requires Congress to pass a spending bill to allow agencies to stay open. The mid-month deadline requires Congress to increase the government's $16.7 trillion borrowing cap to avoid a first-ever default on its payments, which include interest obligations, Social Security benefits, payments to thousands of contractors large and small, and salaries for the military.

The standoff just four days before the end of the fiscal year increased the possibility of a shutdown, with no signs of compromise.

The No. 2 Democrat in the Senate, Dick Durbin of Illinois, said that because of the time it takes the Senate to approve even noncontroversial bills, if the House amends a Senate-passed spending bill and returns it to the Senate over the weekend, "That is a concession on their part that we're going to shut down the government."

Not far from the Capitol, at a community college in Largo, Md., Obama insisted he would not negotiate over his signature domestic achievement, either on a bill to keep the government operating or legislation to raise the nation's borrowing authority.

"The entire world looks to us to make sure that the world economy is stable. You don't mess with that," Obama said of the debt ceiling/default measure. "And that's why I will not negotiate on anything when it comes to the full faith and credit of the United States of America."

Responding to Obama's non-negotiable stand, Boehner said, "Well, I'm sorry but it just doesn't work that way."

House GOP leaders said Thursday they would unveil their own legislation to lift the government's borrowing cap through December of next year, but only if the new health care law is delayed for a year.

Meeting behind closed doors, House Republican leaders encountered resistance from their rank and file over their measure even though they were attaching a list of other Republican favorites such as green-lighting the Keystone XL oil pipeline, blocking federal regulation of greenhouse gases and boosting offshore oil exploration.

Republicans who lost the presidential election and a shot at Senate control last year are trying to use must-pass measures to advance agenda items that the Democratic-led Senate and Obama have soundly rejected. The last-ditch effort on "Obamacare" comes just days before coast-to-coast enrollment in the plan's health care exchanges begins Thursday.

Despite the popular items, the leadership was struggling to win over its recalcitrant GOP members, especially tea party-backed lawmakers pressing for deeper, deficit-cutting spending measures. The spending cuts the Republicans would attach to the debt-limit legislation would be likely to represent a small fraction of the almost $1 trillion in new borrowing authority the bill would permit.

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OKLAHOMA

Prisoner dialed 911 to report escape

TULSA — A prisoner being driven across western Oklahoma dialed 911 this week to tell police that two other inmates had stolen an unattended transport van in an attempted escape.

Private transportation guards stopped at Weatherford Regional Hospital on Tuesday with some prisoners who appeared to be sick. The guards left eight inmates in the van — with the engine still running. Two of them kicked out a partition, moved to the front of the van and drove it for about a mile before fleeing on foot.

Joshua Silverman, one of the six inmates who was taken along for the ride, found a phone in the van and called 911.

Weatherford's assistant police chief said Silverman helped authorities narrow their search for the two escapees who were recovered nearby later that day.

MISSOURI

Effort to target sex ads hits surprising obstacle

JEFFERSON CITY — Top law enforcement officers across the country are pushing Congress for greater authority to go after a booming online industry that hosts ads for child sex traffickers. But they are encountering opposition from an unexpected source — conservative state lawmakers who fear a government clamp down on Internet businesses.

The conflict highlights the difficulty of policing an online marketplace that has rapidly evolved under a generally hands-off approach by government.

A coalition of conservative lawmakers and businesses has drafted a model resolution that could be considered next year in state capitols from coast to coast. The document, obtained by The Associated Press, urges Congress to deny state prosecutors the enforcement power they seek over the ads — warning that it could discourage investment in new Internet services.

For state lawmakers wary of being characterized as sympathetic to sex offenders, it's admittedly a political risk.

"Obviously, anything dealing with sexual predators or sex trafficking, we want to put an absolute stop to that," said North Dakota state Rep. Blair Thoreson, a Republican who leads a multi-state task force opposing the request by state attorneys' general. "But in this case, I think we can maybe find other ways to do it ..."

Some attorneys general say the concerns are unfounded.

"It's not like we're trying to hurt free speech. We're trying to protect children who are being sold for sex," said Georgia Attorney General Sam Olens, a Republican.

CHICAGO

Judge: Governor must reinstate lawmakers' pay

Illinois Gov. Pat Quinn's decision to halt legislators' pay over the state's unprecedented pension crisis is unconstitutional and the Chicago Democrat must move to reinstate salaries immediately, a judge ruled Thursday.

Illinois Comptroller Judy Baar Topinka, whose office is responsible for issuing paychecks to lawmakers, said after the ruling that she had instructed her staff to begin doing so immediately. But Quinn said he planned to appeal to a higher court and would seek a stay of Thursday's ruling.

Cook County Circuit Court Judge Neil Cohen issued his eight-page decision in a lawsuit brought by Chicago Democrats, House Speaker Michael Madigan and Senate President John Cullerton. Lawmakers have missed two paychecks and were set to miss a third next week.

Cohen said Quinn did not have the power to withhold pay while lawmakers were serving their current terms and ordered Topinka to restore salaries with interest.

"(The) Illinois Constitution grants the governor authority to reduce items of appropriation," Cohen wrote. "The governor cannot, however, exercise his authority in a manner which violates another constitutional provision."

Quinn said the issue was about more than his constitutional authority.

"The reason I suspended legislative paychecks in the first place — and refused to accept my own — is because Illinois taxpayers can't afford an endless cycle of promises, excuses, delays and inertia on the most critical challenge of our time," he said in a statement. "Nobody in Springfield should get paid until the pension reform job gets done."

MONTANA

Ex-teacher freed after 30-day term for rape

BILLINGS — A former high school teacher has been released from a Montana prison after completing a 30-day sentence for rape handed down by a judge under fire for both the sentence and his remarks about the 14-year-old victim.

Fifty-four-year-old Stacey Rambold returned Thursday to his hometown of Billings, where he was seen reporting to the local probation office after completing his term for the 2007 rape of Cherice Moralez.

Rambold will remain on probation until 2028, and has been registered as a low-risk sex offender.

He was convicted after violating terms of a deferred prosecution agreement he made after Moralez killed herself in 2010.

Prosecutors are appealing District Judge G. Todd Baugh's sentence. A complaint has been filed by advocates seeking Baugh's removal.

The judge said at an August sentencing hearing that Moralez seemed "older than her chronological age."

NEW YORK

Accountant is arrested in Madoff fraud

A 77-year-old accounting executive was arrested Thursday on charges he helped direct false bookkeeping during Bernard Madoff's historic fraud, though his lawyer said his client was himself "a victim of a sociopath."

The executive, Paul Konigsberg, was charged with five crimes in an indictment unsealed in federal court in Manhattan. Prosecutors said Konigsberg was a senior tax partner at the accounting firm Konigsberg Wolf & Co. when he directed others to falsify records to conceal a fraud that cheated thousands of investors out of nearly $20 billion over decades.

Konigsberg pleaded not guilty at an arraignment. His lawyer, Reed Brodsky, insisted he was a victim of Madoff, the one-time high-flying financier who pleaded guilty to fraud charges in 2009 and was sentenced to 150 years in prison. The lawyer noted that the Securities and Exchange Commission as well as thousands of investors were duped for decades by Madoff.

"Mr. Konigsberg was no different," Brodsky said. "He and his family lost over $10 million."

Konigsberg was freed on $2 million bail pending a court appearance Monday.

Outside court, Brodsky said Konigsberg was looking forward to clearing his name in court.

"He is a victim of a sociopath, Bernie Madoff," Brodsky said. Konigsberg declined outside court to comment.

At the arraignment, Assistant U.S. Attorney Matthew Schwartz said Konigsberg was Madoff's "accountant of choice" with his most important clients. He said Konigsberg backdated trades by months or years to further the fraud and was paid $15,000 to $20,000 a month.

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The Rev. David Huxley, new pastor at St. Nicholas Episcopal Church.

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From police officer to priest: Former officer returns to church

■ The Rev. David Huxley takes rector position at St. Nicholas' Episcopal Church

By Ragini Venkatasubban
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The Rev. David Huxley didn't plan on ever coming back to church — let alone entering the priesthood.

"I'd grown up Episcopalian, but when I got to be 17 or 18, church kind of lost its appeal," said Huxley, who moved to Midland last week to take a position as the new rector at St. Nicholas' Episcopal Church. "I went churchless for many years."

Huxley became a police officer for the city of Madison, Wis. He worked there for 20 years before finding himself back in the Episcopal church, attending services upon a friend's suggestion. Still, he never thought of becoming a priest until he kneeled to pray one Sunday and realized how much he missed church.

Kneeling in a pew, he heard a response to his prayer — "I don't care where you've been; I don't care what you've done; I'm just glad that you're back."

Taking this as a calling from God, Huxley re-

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BELOW LEFT
Bob and Karen Weidmann talk about their three children completing their mission work in the past.

BOTTOM LEFT
Chris and Angelique Vore talk about the mission their son, Adam, is on currently with Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

BELOW RIGHT
Jerry Zant, Stake president of Odessa Stake with Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

LEFT
Adam Vore is serving a two-year mission in Cambodia.

SERVING ABROAD

West Texas Mormon missionaries spread Gospel abroad

■ Local youth serving in Cambodia, Russia

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A year ago, Adam Vore was a young Mormon from the Permian Basin attending Brigham Young University in Utah.

Today, the 19-year-old is refered to as "Elder Vore," a missionary serving two years in the small, southeast Asian country of Cambodia.

Adam is one of nearly 70,000 Mormon missionaries currently stationed around the world, proselytizing for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Mormon men and women walk the streets of foreign countries, knocking on doors, striking up conversations, all with one purpose — to share the word of God.

Most are young, ranging in age from 18 to 26, but a fair number are seniors around retirement age. The two-year mission is not required by the Mormon church, but is often encouraged by families.

From the time Adam was born, his mother, Angelique, and father, Chris, encouraged their son to become a mis-

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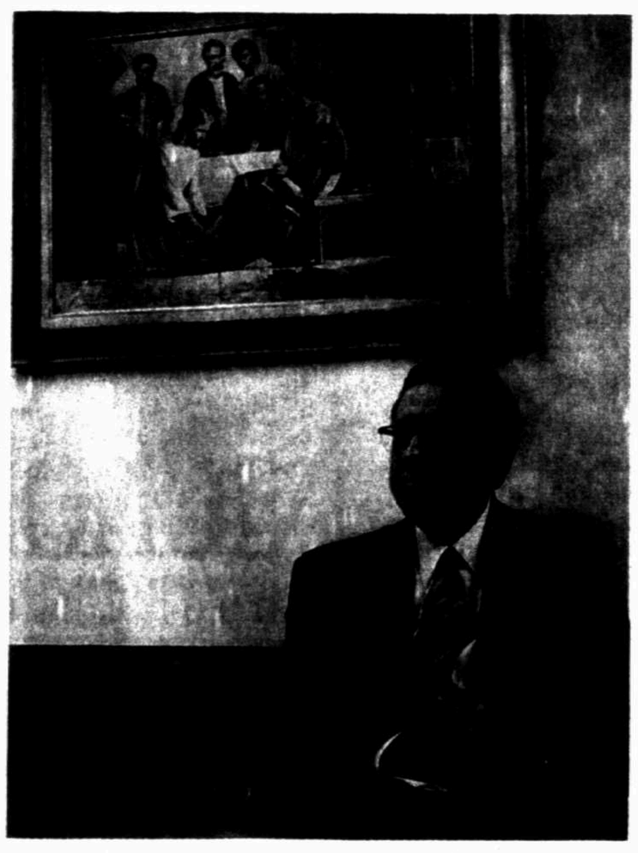

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Religion with Ragini: Catholic service involves rituals, Communion

Editor's note: Every few weeks, MRT staff writer Ragini (rhymes with mahogany) Venkatasubban will visit a different religious gathering in the Permian Basin and write about her experience. The column serves to give readers, especially those who are new to Midland, a glimpse inside West Texas churches, temples and religious communities.

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I stepped into the pyramid-shaped sanctuary, facing a wooden crucified Jesus Christ on the wall in front of me. Rows of pews lined the floor with holy books tucked into shelves behind them. In the final minutes before the service, churchgoers milled around, the priest pulled on his robes and soft music played in the background.

I was at a Catholic church for the first time in my life. Last weekend, I attended the Sunday morning Mass at Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish and Shrine, led by the Rev. David Herrera.

A Catholic service is rife with rituals, which reminded me of temple rituals in my Hindu background. From what I understand, Masses are identical in nearly every Catholic church — there are certain times to pray and certain words to respond with.

The script for the Mass is laid out in a book called the missal, which includes the appropriate prayers and songs for that week's service. We began with the deacon, priest, laypeople and altar servers walking up the aisle, wearing colored robes and holding a large cross.

"Good morning," called the priest. "Good morning, Father," responded the congregation.

The Mass included several prayers and songs, including a sermon from the deacon, who spoke about serving God by helping the needy.

"This is what our dear Pope Francis is asking us to do," he said.

The service also included the baptism of a baby girl. Dressed in a tiny white dress, she made hardly a sound as Herrera poured water over the top of her head and made holy marks with oil. He welcomed her into the Christian community and implored the congregation to hold themselves responsible for her Godly upbringing.

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432-683-1370

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4401 Cardinal Lane
432-520-4298

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1908 W. Wall, Ste. D-Midland, Texas
432-684-4230

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2901 W. Kansas
432-683-4506

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12144 E. Hwy 158, Gardendale, TX
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1603 N. Grandview, Odessa, TX
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3309 Neely
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13370 Hwy 191, Odessa, TX
432-264-8976

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Resurrection United Methodist Church
9541 W. 57th St., Odessa, TX
432-385-1212

St. Mark's United Methodist
1701 N. Main
432-683-3339

First United Methodist Church
Main & Ohio St.
432-682-3701

First United Methodist Church
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3011 W. Kansas
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432-218-6412

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432-218-8595

Church of New Beginnings
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6901 East State Hwy. 191, Odessa, TX
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3900 N. FM 1788
432-563-0028

Apostolic Assembly in the Faith Christ Jesus
2309 S. Fort Worth
432-686-8526

Beacon Light Outreach Ministries
410 S. Lee
432-599-0793

Christian Motorcyclists Association
4632 Conley Ave., Odessa, TX
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Christian Tabernacle Church
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1100 Dayton Rd.
432-682-8433

Crossway Church Adult
1000 Upland
432-528-8541

Destiny by Grace Christian Worship Center
3303 S. Hwy 349
432-556-6638

Faith Apostolic Church
4001 W. Illinois Ave.
432-520-5371

Faith Country Church
Exit 143 off I-20 E. to FM 1208, 5 miles
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Midland Center Room 3
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432-682-0010

Teen Challenge Services
6901 S. CR 1200
432-687-0348

Teen Flow Service
711 S. Main
432- 686-2525

Templo Jerusalem
1205 S. Belmont
432-683-4806

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2900 Princeton
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Midland Spanish Seventh Day Adventist Church
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Grace Covenant Church
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Unitarian Universalist

Unitarian Universalist Church of Midland
3301 Neely
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1 John 4:16

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RELIGIONBRIEFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

WASHINGTON

Senate chaplain prays budget battle will be resolved

U.S. Senate Chaplain Barry Black is asking God to give senators the wisdom to know how to pass a budget that would avert a government shutdown and "the backbone" to do it.

Hours before Texas Republican Ted Cruz began a filibuster in opposition to President Barack Obama's health care law, Black used Tuesday's invocation to express what he called the American people's "jitters" over a possible shutdown next week.

Cruz is urging his colleagues to oppose moving ahead on a bill that would fund all of government except Obamacare to prevent Majority Leader Harry Reid from stripping the health care provision from the bill.

Black asked God to "give our senators the wisdom to know what is right," and "the backbone to go through the doors you open."

WASHINGTON

Judges weigh religious exemption for health law

Another federal appeals court, this one in the nation's capital, is considering whether for-profit businesses can be exempted from a contraceptive mandate in the health care law because of the owners' religious views.

Two brothers who own businesses in Ohio say the requirement would force them to violate their Roman Catholic faith and values.

Two of the judges at Tuesday's hearing questioned whether business owners should have to give up their religious rights. But the third judge said he believes religious freedom must sometimes yield to the greater good.

The case comes as two other appeals court circuits have issued conflicting rulings in similar cases. The Obama administration has asked the U.S. Supreme Court to take up a case involving Hobby Lobby and Mardel Christian bookstores. Their Christian owners won a temporary exemption from the mandate after the 10th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals ruled that the companies are likely to prevail in the case.

But the 3rd U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals ruled against the Mennonite owners of a Pennsylvania furniture manufacturing company.

RHODE ISLAND

Catholic college reschedules pro-gay marriage professor

The provost of Providence College says the Roman Catholic school has rescheduled a talk by a nationally known proponent of gay marriage.

Last Saturday, Provost Hugh Lena announced that an appearance by Wayne State University professor John Corvino scheduled for Thursday was canceled. The move prompted concerns about academic freedom from students and faculty members.

But on Wednesday, Lena said in a school-wide email that Corvino had agreed to appear at the school opposite Sherif Girgis, a Ph. D student in philosophy at Princeton. Girgis is a well-known opponent of gay marriage.

Lena said the event will likely be held during the spring semester.

Lena said he shouldn't have announced Corvino's appearance was cancelled, because the school's intent was to postpone it until it could book someone of national repute to present opposing arguments to Corvino's.

WASHINGTON

10 Commandments monument toppled in Washington

A stone monument of the Ten Commandments that sits on a street behind the U.S. Supreme Court in Washington has been toppled by vandals in what its patron is calling a hate crime.

The 3-foot-by-3-foot granite monument weighs 850 pounds and sits in front of the headquarters of Faith and Action, a Christian outreach ministry. The group installed the tablets in a garden outside its offices in 2006, and the group's president said the tablets were angled so that justices arriving at the high court would see them.

The Rev. Rob Schenck, who heads the organization, said the vandals pushed the monument forward so the commandments can't be seen, suggesting antipathy toward a message revered by Christians, Jews and people of other faiths.

KANSAS

Vatican official to be in Kansas for sainthood nod

HUTCHINSON — A Vatican official will visit Kansas to complete a lengthy investigation into a possible miracle that could help elevate a Kansas priest to sainthood.

Italian lawyer Andrea Ambrosi returns to Kansas on Saturday to finalize the investigation into whether the Rev. Emil Kapaun, a Kansas priest who died in 1951 in a North Korean prisoner-of-war camp, will become a saint.

The Hutchinson News reported that the recovery of Avery Gerleman, a student at Hutchinson Community College, is one of the possible miracles being investigated by the Vatican's Congregation for the Causes of Saints.

Gerleman believes Kapaun saved her life back in 2006, just as he saved soldiers in the prisoner-of-war camp.

The Catholic church usually requires two miracles for sainthood, but only one will be required if Kapaun is declared a martyr.

KANSAS

Lawsuit filed to block science standards

TOPEKA — An anti-evolution group filed a federal lawsuit Thursday to block Kansas from using new, multistate science standards in its public schools, arguing the guidelines promote atheism and violate students' and parents' religious freedom.

The group, Citizens for Objective Public Education, had criticized the standards developed by Kansas, 25 other states and the National Research Council for treating both evolution and climate change as key scientific concepts to be taught from kindergarten through 12th grade. The Kansas State Board of Education adopted them in June to replace evolution-friendly standards that had been in place since 2007.

The new standards, like the ones they replaced, reflect the mainstream scientific view that evolution is well-established. Most board members believed the guidelines will improve science education by shifting the emphasis in science classes to doing hands-on projects and experiments.

The nonprofit organization based in the small community of Peck, south of Wichita, was joined in its lawsuit by 15 parents from across the state with a total of 18 children — most of them in public schools — and two taxpayers from the Kansas City-area community of Lake Quivira. The parents say they're Christians who want to instill a belief in their children that "life is a creation made for a purpose."

"The state's job is simply to say to students, 'How life arises continues to be a scientific mystery and there are competing ideas about it,'" said John Calvert, a Lake Quivira attorney involved in the lawsuit.

The lawsuit is against the state board, its 10 members, Education Commissioner Diane DeBacker and the state Department of Education. Neither DeBacker nor board Chairwoman Jana Shaver immediately returned telephone messages seeking comment.

Obituaries

Brian King

Brian King died suddenly Monday afternoon.

Mr. King is survived by his wife, Cindy; brother, Nonny; children, David, Patrick, Michael and Marlene; and four grandchildren.

Mr. King is a Army veteran serving two Vietnam tours, decorated with the Silver Star and Bronze Star among others. Graduating from Central Michigan University with an Earth Science degree. He then worked for 35 years in the Permian Basin oil industry as a Geologist.

His outdoor passions evolved into raising & training hunting dogs and game birds. He was a member of Llano Estacado Bird Club and was past President of the Permian Basin Gun Dog Association and a member of the American Brittany Field Trialing Association.

Brian was a jack of all trades. Patient, compassionate and optimistic in all his endeavors. Raise a glass, remember a kind word, take care.

A memorial service will be held at 10am, Saturday, September 28, 2013 at the VFW Hall, 409 Veterans Airpark Lane, in Midland.

Edith Bryant

Edith Bryant died on Monday, September 23, 2013, in the Levelland Nursing Home, where she had resided for the past twelve years. A service honoring her life as a friend, sister, grandmother and mother will take place at 10 am on Thursday, September 26, 2013 at College Avenue Baptist Church in Levelland, Texas. Burial will be in the Levelland Cemetery with George Price Funeral Home directing.

Edith began her life in Petty, Texas, on May 18, 1913, the daughter of Charles H. Oringderff and Sarah Olive Stroman, she loved her life with her seven brothers and sisters. At a Baptist singing convention, Edith met Buck Bryant, and on October 27, 1935, the two married. Together, Buck and Edith enjoyed fifty-four years of marriage and raising seven children, four of who are currently living: Ralph Bryant (Hortencia) of Laredo, Texas; Ronnie Bryant (Sydna) of Kingsland, Texas; Linda Holt (Eddy) of Midland, Texas; Butch Bryant (Judy) of Levelland, Texas; and also Dan Throckmorton (son-in-law) of Bloomfield, Colorado and Micki Smith (daughter-in-law) of Lubbock, Texas. Throughout Edith's life, she remained devoted to her twenty-six-grandchildren, fifty-eight great grandchildren, and thirty-nine great-great grandchildren. Her room in the nursing home seemed the most decorated since Edith proudly displayed photographs of all of these children, their spouses, and even the pets. Of all Ediths hobbies, she loved to read and kept the church library filled with the recent bestselling Christian books. In the nursing home, she led a Bible study for the residents. In Whitharral, where she lived for many years, the locals flocked to her café and though in time Edith closed the business, she continued to bake pies and appease former customers and her family. Her active life, her legacy, will instill the importance of living in the moment and making God a part of one's life.

Edith is preceded in death by her husband Buck; two sons, Gilbert and Calvin (Stump) Bryant; a daughter, Mildred Throckmorton; two grandsons, Parrish Bryant and Dale Davis; and four brothers (Verle, Dood, Dee, and Leo Oringderff) and one sister Jewel Kyle.

Visitation with family will take place at the George Price Funeral Home on Wednesday, September 25, 2013 between 7 to 9 pm.

The family would appreciate any memorial donation in Edith's name. Most special to her would be the College Avenue Baptist Library Fund, Levelland, Texas.

Please join us in celebrating the life of Edith at www.georgepricefunerals.com

Imogene Dolores Dixon Holmes

Imogene Dolores Dixon Holmes went home to be with the Lord, Sept. 25, 2013. Born Aug. 10, 1925, in Ranger, TX, she spent most of her life in Van Horn, TX, where she met and married the love of her life, Kenneth Bailey Holmes, who passed away in 2004.

She was a devoted wife and mother, who is survived by her four children and their spouses, Patricia Holmes Gunn and Tom Kennedy, Debra Holmes White and Brad White, Ronald and Leta Holmes, and Donald and Karen Holmes; eight grandchildren and their spouses, Shai Sparks Frietze and Hector Frietze, Kenneth-Ross and Angela Sparks, Benjamin and Meredith White, Jacob White, Linsey Holmes, Rachael Holmes, Bailey Holmes and Kenna Holmes; seven great grandchildren, Eric, Christopher, Debra Nicole, and Matthew Wood, Sterling and Sloan Sparks, and Nixon White.

A member of First United Methodist Church of Midland, Imogene had been a follower of Christ since she was 13 years old. Known as the "songbird" in high school, she played piano and organ and sang in the church choir most of her life. She also was an avid crocheter and knitter. She loved any sporting event and received a basketball scholarship to SMU.

The family will receive friends from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Friday, September 27, 2013, at the funeral home. Services will be held at 10:00 a.m., September 28, 2013, at First United Methodist Church Chapel, 300 N Main Street, Midland, TX, and graveside services at 4:30 p.m., at Evergreen Cemetery in Ranger, TX. In lieu of flowers, please donate to McMurry University Athletics or your favorite charity.

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

Leroy Morrow

Leroy Morrow left his earthly home for his new home on September 24, 2013, after a courageous battle with cancer. He was born March 19, 1967 to Richard and Dortha Morrow in Lubbock, Texas.He was also greeted by his two sisters.

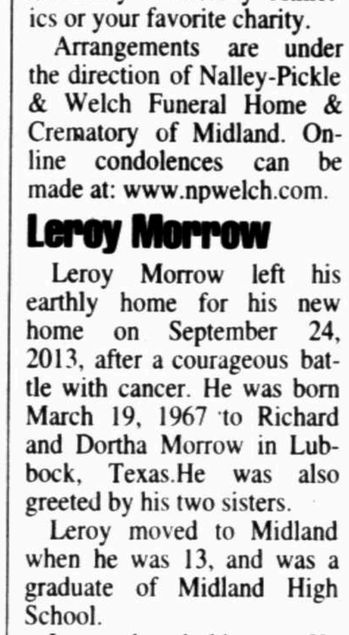
Leroy moved to Midland when he was 13, and was a graduate of Midland High School.

Leroy loved history. He was especially interested in the presidents, and could tell you anything you wanted to know about them.

Leroy is survived by his sisters, Donna Estrada, Pamela Illnik and her husband Michael, nieces Sarah Hopper and her husband Tommy, Amie Illnik, nephew Jeffery Illnik and his wife Tara, as well as many cousins, aunts, uncles and friends.

A memorial is planned for September 28, 2013 at 1:00 p.m. at North A Church of Christ. Greg Fleming and Bryan Briley officiating. In lieu of flowers the family suggests donations to Home Hospice: 901 W. Missouri, Midland, Texas 79701, Berean Children's Home , Inc. P.O. Box 1009, or North A Church of Christ, 505 San Angelo, Midland, Texas 79701.

Service under the direction of Andrews Funeral Home.



Novelyn Jones

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Novelyn Jones, age 88, passed away on September 24, 2013. She was born on April 4, 1925 in Roscoe, Texas to George and Jewell Davenport. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Casey B. Jones, sister, Mauverine Redmond, and brothers, Armon Davenport and Sterman Davenport. She is survived by her daughter and son-in- law, Linda and Leif Stromberg of Dallas, her son, George R. Jones of Arvada, Colorado, her sisters-in-law, Joni Lu Wright of San Antonio and Betty Davenport of Winter Springs, Florida, her cousin, Dorothy Harvey of Littleton, Colorado, many nieces, nephews, and friends, and her beloved dog, Penny. She grew up in Roscoe and Stanton Texas and graduated from Stanton High School. She lived most of her life in Midland, Texas, where she and her husband Casey raised their two children. She lived for the last ten years in Dallas, first in Rosser Park and, for the last two years, at the Bentley. She enjoyed her friends and neighbors in Dallas and Midland. She was a wonderful, loving mother to her two children, and she exemplified service to others through the care she gave her mother for many years. Her knowledge of a great variety of topics was amazing, and she had a gentle sense of humor. She was a devoted Dallas Cowboy fan and followed the team closely each year. In addition, she was extremely compassionate and cared for the welfare of all people and animals. She had kind words to say to everyone, and, each day, brought happiness to others. She will be buried in Evergreen Cemetery in Stanton, Texas. Arrangements are under the direction of Rhoton Funeral Home in Carrollton, Texas. Donations can be made in her name to the SPCA of Texas, the Humane Society, or a charity of your choice.

Death Notices

Donna E. Blanscett

Donna E. Blanscett 64, of Midland, TX passed away September 25, 2013.

A memorial service will be held Saturday September 28, 2013 at 1:00 p.m. at Ellis Funeral Home, 801 Andrews Hwy, Midland, TX. Services are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Rosan Sisson

Join us as we lay Rosan Sisson to rest.

We will meet at 10:00 am, October 5th, in the chapel at Evergreen Cemetery in Stanton Texas.

Rumaldo C. Falcon

Rumaldo C. Falcon, 49, of Odessa TX passed away Wednesday, September 25, 2013.

Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m. Friday at McNett Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will be in Andrews West Cemetery under the direction of McNett Funeral Home.

He survived by his daughters Natalie Ortiz, Lauren Falcon; son Martin Falcon; brothers, Earnest Falcon and Charlie Falcon; and one granddaughter Preslynnn Ortiz.

All Obituaries must be submited by 3:30 P.M. prior to next publication day.

OTHERDEATHS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

ATLANTA

Civil rights pioneer Evelyn Lowery dies at 88

Evelyn Lowery, a pioneer in civil rights and women's empowerment and the wife of the Rev. Joseph Lowery, died Thursday at her home in Georgia, a family spokeswoman said.

Family spokeswoman Diane Larche said the 88-year-old Lowery died Thursday morning. She had been hospitalized since Sept. 18 after suffering a severe stroke and returned home on Wednesday night, after medical experts said the stroke had caused irreversible damage.

Joseph Lowery said his wife devoted her life to serving others.

"My beloved Evelyn was a special woman, whose life was committed to service, especially around the issues of empowering women," Lowery, a past president of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, said in a statement to The Associated Press.

The SCLC, which traces its beginnings to the Montgomery, Ala., bus boycott, organized nonviolent protests as it pushed for an end to segregation around the South during the civil rights movement.

Evelyn Lowery founded SCLC/WOMEN Inc. in 1979. The group works to empower women, girls and families. She also created the Drum Major for Justice Awards, held annually in April in Atlanta.

"As a woman and warrior in the non-violent struggle for justice, Mrs. Evelyn Lowery boldly confronted the challenges of racism and sexism, never flinching, never failing in her commitment to the best in the American spirit," said the Rev. Raphael Warnock, senior pastor of Atlanta's Ebenezer Baptist Church, where Martin Luther King, Jr. and his father once preached.

U.S. Rep. John Lewis, D-Ga., said he was chairing a Democratic Caucus meeting in the U.S. Capitol when he learned of Evelyn Lowery's death and asked members to observe a moment of silence in her honor.

"Mrs. Lowery was a pillar of our community, a valuable participant in the struggle for civil rights, and an admired role model to the young people she mentored," Lewis said in a statement.

Bernice King, CEO of the Martin Luther King Center, said Evelyn Lowery was a dedicated and energetic leader and one of the most widely respected figures in the civil rights movement.

Earlier this month, Joseph and Evelyn Lowery were in Birmingham, Ala., for the 50th anniversary of a church bombing that killed four black girls in 1963.

"She was a wonderful mother and wife, and I thank God that she didn't suffer any pain and that I was blessed having her as my partner, my confidant and my best friend for close to 70 years," Joseph Lowery said. "I will miss her each and every day, but as a man of faith, I know that she is with her God."

ARIZONA

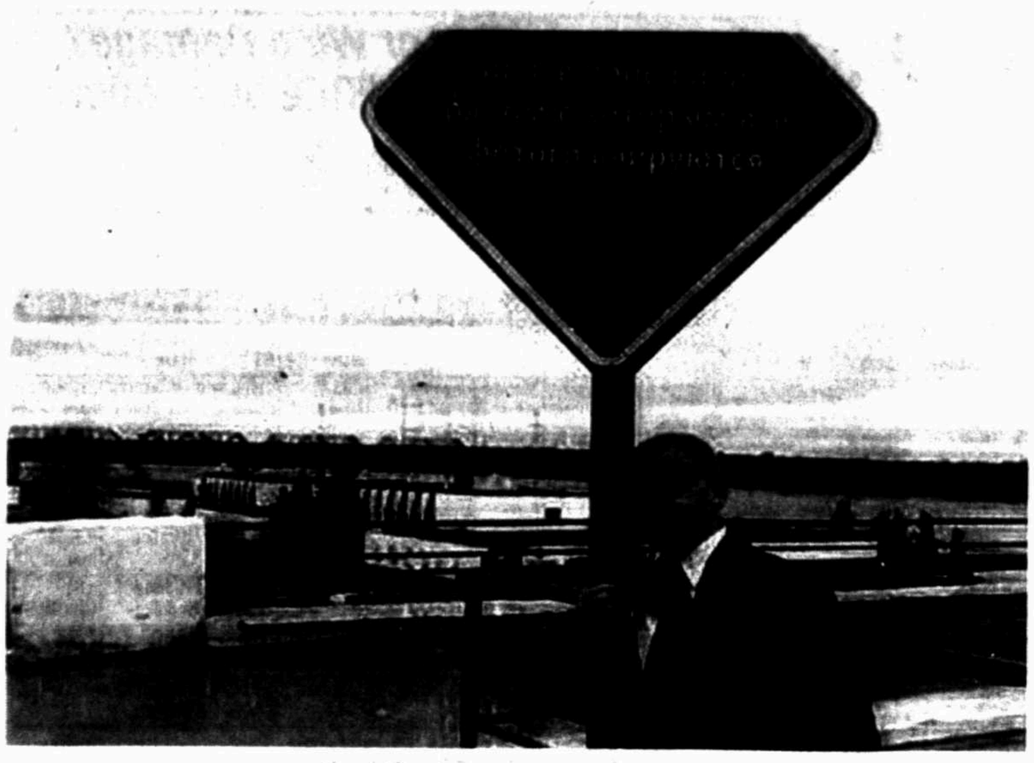
Navajo Code Talker Nelson Draper Sr. dies

WINDOW ROCK — Flags are flying at half-staff across the Navajo Nation in honor of a Navajo Code Talker.

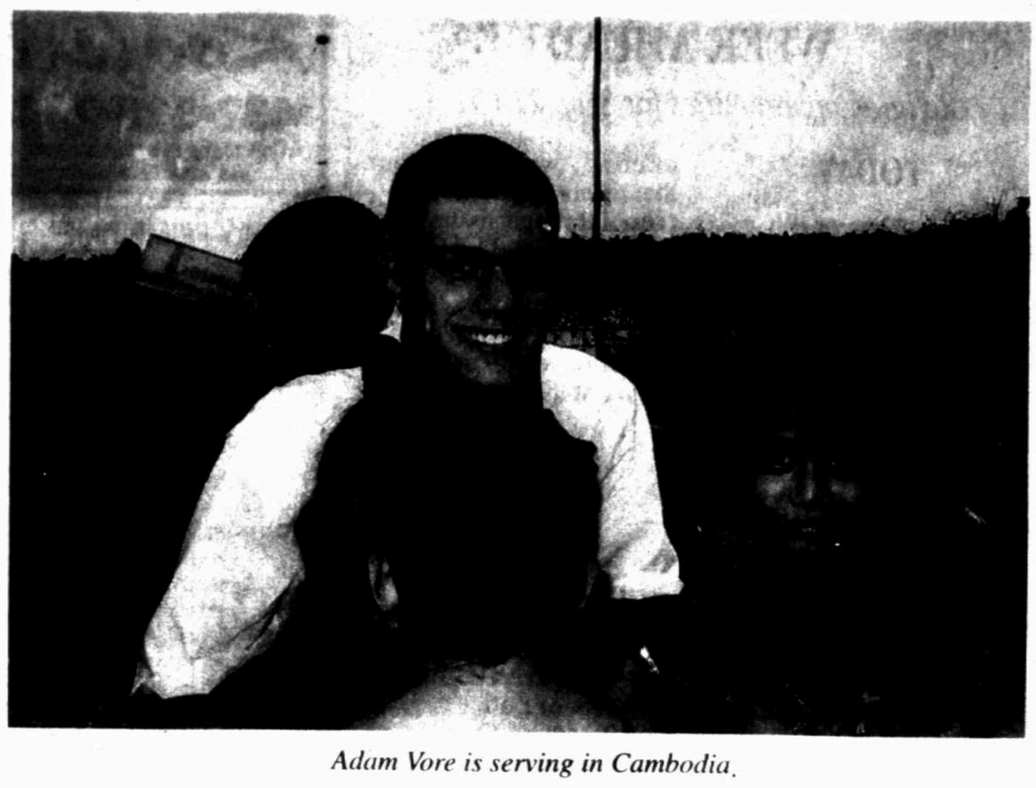
Tribal officials said Nelson Draper Sr. died early Sunday morning at his home in Barstow, Calif. He was 96.

Navajo Nation President Ben Shelly has ordered flags to be lowered across the reservation through Monday in Draper's honor.

Shelly called Draper a modern-day hero whose deeds brought great pride to the Navajo Nation. Hundreds of Navajos used a code developed from their native language that confounded the Japanese during World War II.



Brett Weidmann is serving in Russia



Adam Vore is serving in Cambodia.

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From 1B

sionary. Chris served as a missionary in France when he was young.

After one semester of college, Adam was ready. He applied and received his country assignment of Cambodia from a senior apostle of the church. He had saved up money for two years, because missionaries are required to pay their own way.

Before he left, he spent a few months in missionary training, where he learned about Cambodian culture and how to proselytize. Then, he boarded a plane that took him halfway around the world for two years, where he was stripped of all electronics, including a personal cell phone.

The first home Adam entered in Cambodia had a tin roof, a dirt floor and housed six people. He emailed home to his parents, "Please be grateful for what you have."

"Some people ask me, 'Aren't you worried or nervous?' But I know he's representing Jesus Christ and he'll be cared for — even though it's far away and it's a challenge," Angelique Vore said.

The church maintains apartments for the missionaries in each country. Missionaries are required to be with a companion at all times. They are allowed two phone calls home per year, on Christmas and Mother's Day. Email is permitted once a week.

The Mormon region that includes Midland, Odessa and Big Spring — called the Odessa Texas Stake — currently has 20 missionaries serving around the world, from Brazil to Honduras to Russia.

Brett Weidmann, son of Bob and Karen Weidmann from the Midland chapter of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, has been a missionary in Russia since April. His two brothers served in Ukraine, and his sister in Brazil.

Every day, Brett walks the streets and speaks to people — in Russian — about Mormon beliefs, his father said. Adam Vore does the same in Cambodia, only he spends more time in people's homes.

"They'll go out and ask people if they want to learn about Jesus Christ — those that respond favorably, they enter their homes and share the message of Jesus," Chris Vore said.

Because Cambodia is a predominantly Buddhist country, not many people there accept the Gospel, Chris Vore said.

In addition to proselytizing, the missionaries engage in service work, such as teaching English and helping with construction projects. They wear the standard missionary dress — a white shirt and tie — and walk or ride bicycles around town, though the church also has cars.

The missionaries don't have a set number of people they're trying to reach, said Jerry Zant, president of the Odessa Texas Stake. Zant served as a missionary in Japan in the 1970s and said the two-year service greatly changes people.

"They leave as boys and come back as men," he said. "All of a sudden, they realize, 'I can make a difference in the world for good, whether it's preaching the Gospel or being a good neighbor.'"

Missionaries are only sent to countries that accept them, Zant said. China and many Middle Eastern countries do not permit missionaries. Israel allows missionaries to provide service but not proselytize.

Four missionaries from Australia and Canada are currently serving in the Midland/Odessa area.

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tired from the police force at age 50 and entered the seminary to become an Episcopalian priest. Going back to school was difficult, but his police background helped him tremendously in dealing with people, he said.

Huxley worked at churches in Oklahoma and Wisconsin, including a stint as campus minister at the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater, before taking the rector position in Midland.

St. Nicholas' Episcopal Church had been searching for a rector since the Rev. Jim Liggett retired in September 2012, said Jane Wolf, chair of the search committee. The Rev. John Watson served as interim rector for the past year.

Huxley, known as "Father Dave" to the congregation, was chosen from three finalists. His blend of history-inspired sermons, interest in pastoral care and genuinely caring personality set him apart, Wolf said.

Along with getting to know the congregation, Huxley is settling down in Midland with his wife, Cookie, and his dog, a miniature schnauzer. He has four children, four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Around 75 to 100 people attend services every week at St. Nicholas', said bookkeeper and parishioner Nancy Hart. Huxley's first service was last Sunday. His immediate plans are to meet the community, especially those who are homebound and unable to attend services, and incorporate more singing into the services.

"I really enjoyed being a police officer. It was a good job," he said. "But this is better."

St. Nicholas' Episcopal Church

ST. NICHOLAS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH, 4000 W. LOOP 250 N.
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around to collect money offerings, and children ran up to Herrera at the front of the room and gave him high-fives as he spoke a few words to them about faith. The congregation held hands and greeted those sitting around us with, "Peace be with you."

We then moved into the ritual of Communion, which involves partaking of the body of Christ (represented by a wafer-like bread) and the blood of Christ (wine). One by one, churchgoers went to the altar at the front of the sanctuary to receive Communion. Volunteers doled out small pieces of the wafer and sips of wine.

The Mass concluded with prayers for birthdays and anniversaries of the congregation. The deacon proclaimed that Mass does not end with that morning's service and implored us to go out and continue to serve the peace of God.

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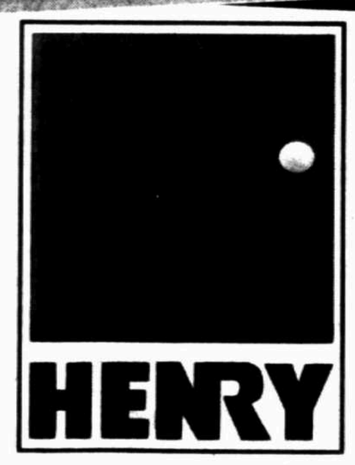

HENRY

Psalm 16:8

I have set the LORD always before me. Because He is at my right hand, I will not be shaken.

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WEEK AHEAD

Religion opportunities for Sept. 27-Oct. 3

TODAY

Concert

Kelview Heights Baptist Church, 402 W. Scharbauer Drive, is hosting a CD release party and concert with Sue Roseberry 8:13 p.m. today. Roseberry is a local author, storyteller and singer. Tickets are $25. For more information, call 685-3876.

Speaker

Cornerstone Christian Fellowship, 901 N. Midland Drive, will host a night of worship with pastor John David Lambrano of Cosecha de Amor Church in Bogota, Columbia at 7 p.m. today. For more information, call 689-8898.

SUNDAY

Youth group

Youth of The Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity, 1412 W. Illinois Ave., meet at 6:30 p.m. Sundays in the parish hall for fellowship, community service and spiritual growth. For more information, call 349-7882.

TUESDAY

Bible studies

Midland Bible Church, 5900 Whitman Drive, will offer Bible studies for women Tuesdays and Thursdays this fall. Child care is provided. The schedule is:

9:30 a.m. Tuesdays through Nov. 12: "She Did What She Could" by Elisa Morgan.

Noon Thursdays through Nov. 14: "The Life of Elijah"

Luncheon

Midland/Odessa Christian Women's Connection will host a fall luncheon Tuesday in the Koinonia Room of First Presbyterian Church, 800 W. Texas Ave. Cost is $12, which includes a buffet and program. Music will be provided by Brittany Moultroup. Dee King will speak about being a "Homecoming Queen Who Fell Off Her Parade Float." Christian Women's Connection has no membership or dues and reservations may be made by calling 432-770-8704 or emailing jehillredbird@aol.com.

WEDNESDAY

Class

Midland Bible Church, 5900 Whitman Drive, is offering Awana, a program that teaches children (preschool through sixth grade) about the Bible and Christian principles. Classes will be held Wednesdays from 6:15 to 8 p.m. For more information, email awana@midlandbible.org.

THURSDAY

Class

First Baptist Church, 2104 W. Louisiana Ave., will offer an 11-week Precept Upon Precept study of the Book of Daniel beginning 9:15 a.m. Thursday in rooms 101-103. For more information, call 682-2447 or email storrie@grandecom.net.

FUTURE

Pet blessing

The Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity, 1412 West Illinois Ave., will celebrate the life of St. Francis of Assisi with a blessing of the animals 10:15 a.m. Oct. 6 on the front lawn of the church, weather permitting, or in St. Francis Hall. Pets of all kinds are invited to come and be blessed. Please have the pet on a leash, or in a cage or crate. A picnic lunch will follow the service. For more information, call 683-4207 or Bert Bostic at 349-7882.

Festival

GARDEN CITY — St. Lawrence Church, 2400 Farm-to-Market Road 2401, will host the 57th annual St. Lawrence Fall Festival at the parish hall and grounds Oct. 6. The event begins with Mass at 9 a.m. Lunch with brisket, German sausage, sides and homemade desserts will be served from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Sausage is available for purchase by the pound.

Show

New Direction Ministry is presenting Living Illusions hosted by True-Lite Christian Fellowship 6:30 p.m. Oct. 12. Tickets can be purchased at New Direction Ministry, 509 N. Loraine St., www.truelite.org or True-Lite Christian Fellowship, 3001 N. "A" Street.

Concert

Michael W. Smith is bringing his Worship Around the World tour to Wagner Noël Performing Arts Center. He will perform 8 p.m. Oct. 12 with special guest Jason Crab. Tickets are available at www.wagnernoel.com, 1-800-514-3849 or at the box office.

Class

The Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity, 1412 West Illinois Ave., will begin an Inquirers Class for youth and adults interested in joining the church or wanting to learn more about the Episcopal church. The class is scheduled for 9-9:50 a.m. Sundays Oct. 13 through Nov. 24 in room 11 of the educational building. The Rev. Barbara Kirk-Norris will teach the class. For more information, call 683-4207.

Concert

Paul's Journey will perform 10:30 a.m. Oct. 15 at Second Baptist Church, 3125 Travis Ave. For more information, call 694-9856 or visit www.paulsjourneyonline.com.

Show

First Baptist Church is hosting Veggie Tales Live 6:30 p.m. Oct. 15 at the worship center. Tickets are $20 in advance at itickets.com or $25 at the door.

Tent meetings

Christian Tabernacle Church will host daily tent meetings Oct. 20-26 at Farm-to-Market Road 1788 and County Road 145. Meetings will be 10 a.m and 7 p.m. Sundays and 7 p.m. weekdays. Speakers include Brenda Coffman of Granbury, Karl Pabst of Odessa, Sherry Williams and James Williams.

Financial class

Crestview Baptist Church, 301 N. Loop 250 West, will host Dave Ramsey's new Legacy Journey 7-week course beginning 6 p.m. Oct. 29. The course is a follow-up to Ramsey's Financial Peace University. For more information, contact Mark McCraney at 681-2800.

Nativity display

Grace Presbyterian Church, 2801 N. Garfield St., is hosting No Room at the Inn Nativity display 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Nov. 23 to benefit Family Promise. The church is seeking people to display their nativities during the event. For more information, contact Donna Edney at donna.edney@gmail.com.

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KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Last Man St (N)	Neighbors (N)	Shark Tank (N)	20/20	KMID News	(:35) 432 OT	(:05) Jimmy Kimmel Live
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KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	Seinfeld	Rules of Engage.	Perfect Score (N)	Perfect Score	America's Next Top Model (N)	Rules of Engage.	Seinfeld	Community	Community	That '70s Show	That '70s Show
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Masterchef Junior (P) (N)		Sleepy Hollow "Blood Moon"	Modern Family	Modern Family	The Arsenio Hall Show		Met Your Mother	Met Your Mother
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BET	58	26		40		106&Park	★ ★ Jason's Lyric ('94, Dra) Allen Payne.			★ ★ ★ Men in Black ('97, Sci-Fi) Will Smith.				(:05) Wendy Williams		
BRAVO	65	63		41		Nene "Remix of Love"		I Dream of Nene		★ ★ 50 First Dates Adam Sandler.			★ ★ 50 First Dates Adam Sandler.			
CNBC	46	45		39	72	The Kudlow Report		Millions	Millions	Marijuana Inc	American Greed		Mad Money		Marijuana Inc	
CNN	43	24	51	30	56	OutFront		A. Cooper 360		Piers Morgan Live	Anderson Cooper		Stroumboulopoulos		Piers Morgan Live	
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TNT	24	23	40	26	50	Supernatural "Let It Bleed"		★ ★ ★ 300 Gerard Butler. The Spartan king assembles a small army of soldiers to defend his land from the Persians.				★ ★ 10,000 BC (2008, Epic) Camilla Belle, Cliff Curtis, Steven Strait.				★ The Time M...	
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USA	26	30	42	27	49	NCIS: Los Angeles "Special Delivery"		Modern Family	Modern Family	Modern "Benched"	Modern Family	SVU "Lost Reputation: Above Suspicion"		CSI: Crime Scene "Karma to Burn"		CSI: Crime "Code Blue Plate Special"	
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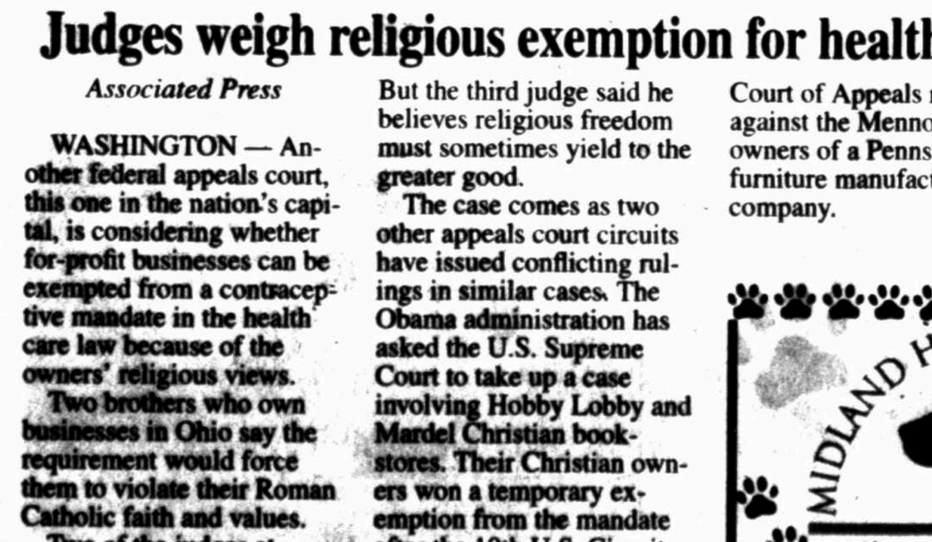

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STUDENT LED PRAYER

Students gather Wednesday morning at the flag pole outside Lee High School for the annual See You at the Pole prayer event.

Judges weigh religious exemption for health law

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Another federal appeals court, this one in the nation's capital, is considering whether for-profit businesses can be exempted from a contraceptive mandate in the health care law because of the owners' religious views.

Two brothers who own businesses in Ohio say the requirement would force them to violate their Roman Catholic faith and values.

Two of the judges at Tuesday's hearing questioned whether business owners should have to give up their religious rights.

But the third judge said he believes religious freedom must sometimes yield to the greater good.

The case comes as two other appeals court circuits have issued conflicting rulings in similar cases. The Obama administration has asked the U.S. Supreme Court to take up a case involving Hobby Lobby and Mardel Christian bookstores. Their Christian owners won a temporary exemption from the mandate after the 10th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals ruled that the companies are likely to prevail in the case.

But the 3rd U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals ruled against the Mennonite owners of a Pennsylvania furniture manufacturing company.

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TODAY: Mostly sunny High: 87 Low: 69

SATURDAY: Cloudy High: 78 Low: 59

SUNDAY: Mostly sunny High: 81 Low: 63

Local forecast

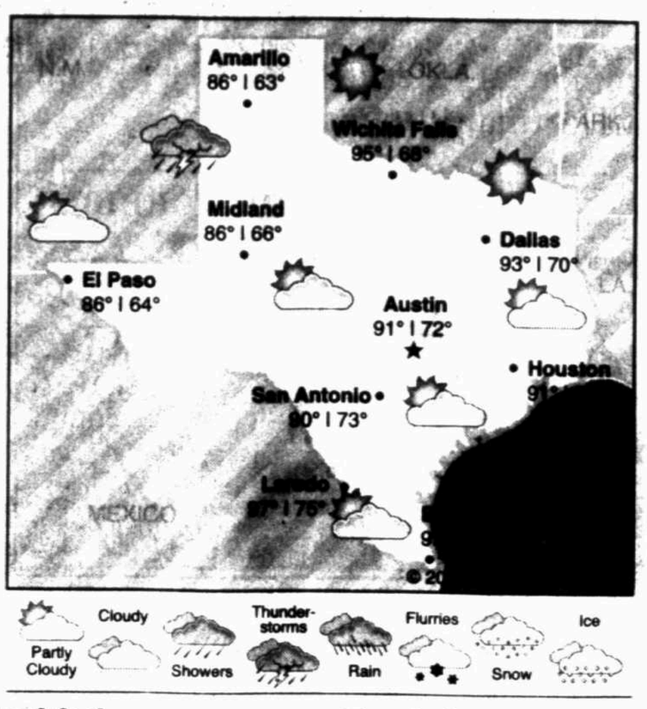
Expect mostly sunny skies today with a high around 87 and south winds between 10 and 15 mph. Tonight's forecast calls for increasingly cloudy conditions with a low around 69 and south winds between 15 and 25 mph, with gusts as high as 35 mph. There is a 20 percent chance of isolated showers and thunderstorms during the day and a 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms at night.

Saturday, look for cloudy skies with a high around 78 and southeast winds between 10 and 15 mph becoming northeast. Expect mostly cloudy conditions at night, with a low around 59 and northeast winds between 10 and 15 mph. There is a 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms during the day and a 20 percent chance at night.

Sunday, the forecast calls for mostly sunny skies during the day, partly cloudy skies at night, with a high around 81 and a low around 63.

Monday, the forecast calls for sunny skies with a high near 88 and mostly clear skies in the evening with a low around 65.

The high on Friday reached 95, while the low dropped to 69. The record high for Sept. 26 is 105 set in 1977. The record low is 44 set in 1989.



Precipitation

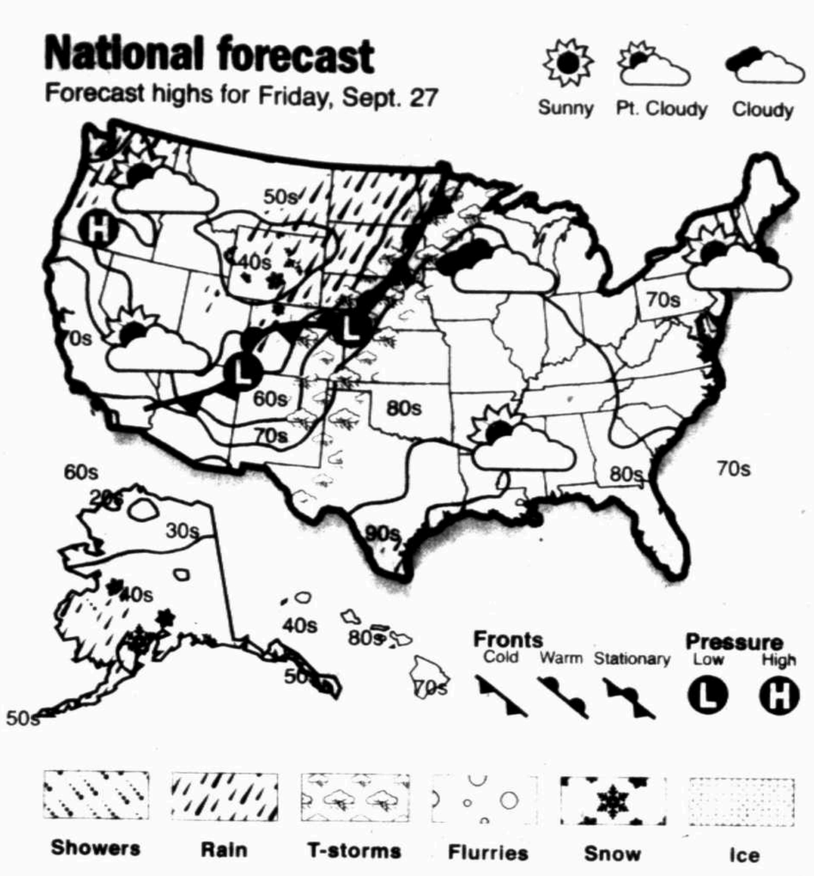
Wednesday	0.00 in.
Thursday	0.00 in.
Month total	0.27 in.
Year total	4.84 in.
Normal total (year to date)	11.36 in.

Thursday's temperatures

High	95
Low	69
Normal high	84
Normal low	59
Sunrise	7:40 a.m.
Sunset	7:38 p.m.

National forecast

Forecast highs for Friday, Sept. 27



Woman questions boyfriend's support as she changes jobs

DEAR ABBY

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DEAR ABBY: I am the mother of a 4-year-old daughter and pregnant with my second child.

My boyfriend and I live in a nice house and have a comfortable lifestyle. We each pay our own bills, and I pay half the mortgage that is in his name.

I am extremely unhappy at my job. The job itself isn't the problem; it's the management team and its effect on office morale. They treat us employees like dirt, thus everyone is always fighting with each other. I try to stay out of it, but I am unhappy to the core there. I want to find another job after my maternity leave, but I'm afraid my soon-to-be-fiance won't be willing to pick up the slack financially while I'm temporarily unemployed.

Isn't this the normal give-and-take that "married" couples go through? Shouldn't I expect him to help me if I'm going through a rough patch? Are my expectations unreasonable? — EXPECTING AND DEPRESSED IN TEXAS

DEAR EXPECTING: I assume that you have discussed this with your boyfriend and he wasn't receptive. Your expectations wouldn't be unreasonable if you WERE married or at least engaged. But you're not. While you and I think he should help you financially over this rough patch, he may feel no obligation to do so. If that's the case, your not-quite-fiance appears to be treating you like a roommate-with-benefits. Because you are not on the title of the house you pay half the mortgage on, there is no guarantee you will ever have anything to show for your contribution.

In light of that, of course he should be supportive emotionally and financially if you leave your job. Expecting him to step up to the plate is not unreasonable. But whether he agrees with you and me is another matter. Please find out before you invest any more money or he impregnates you again.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I are well into a relaxed retirement. His successful, middle-aged son "Rory" has developed the habit of stopping by unannounced occasionally on his way home from work. This would be fine except that it falls in the middle of the dinner hour. Although we ask Rory to join us, he prefers to just stand over us and talk about his day while we eat. This wasn't his childhood home, so it's not a matter of an extended familiarity with this residence.

I have asked his father to speak to him about it, and while he agrees that his son's actions are rude, he refused to say anything. My husband is mild-mannered and seems to be happy that Rory takes the time to see him. To me, it looks like this is the most convenient time for Rory to get the occasional parent visit out of the way while not considering our feelings.

Because I have had a good long-term relationship with my stepson, I took him aside and politely explained that these dinner interruptions are discourteous. Rory blew up at me! I was astonished to see a mature man I respected act in such a childish manner. Now I'm the culprit in a family rift, while my husband remains mute. Should I have focused on digestion and held my tongue? — DISAPPOINTED STEPMOM

DEAR STEPMOM: Because your husband refused to say anything and won't back you up, it appears the answer is yes. While some people consider the dinner hour to be sacred, not everyone does, and your stepson's visits were only occasional. Your request might have been better received had you told Rory that his hovering makes you nervous, and if he didn't care to share the food you had prepared, you'd appreciate it if he would at least sit at the table with you for everyone's comfort.

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

North-South vulnerable. South deals.

NORTH
♠ J 10 2
♡ 10 5 4
♢ 10 8 4 2
♣ J 5 2

WEST
♠ K
♡ A J 6 3 2
♢ A Q
♣ K Q 7 6 4

EAST
♠ 8 6 5 3
♡ K 8
♢ 7 6 5 3
♣ 10 8 3

SOUTH
♠ A Q 9 7 4
♡ Q 9 7
♢ K J 9
♣ A 9

The bidding:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
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Pass			

Opening lead: Six of ♠

There are some catastrophes that can only befall an expert. Sitting South was former world champion Roger Trezel, and he reported this deal himself.

These days, West would not dream of doubling one no-trump, but would either make a two-suited takeout bid or bid one of his suits. North, with a perfectly balanced hand, saw no reason to try to wriggle out of one no-trump doubled, and that became the final contract.

West led the six of clubs and, in view of the double, declarer might have tried the jack from dummy. But the nine in hand was a most effective red herring, so declarer played low, and captured East's 10 with the ace. In an effort to get to the table, declarer led a deceptive seven of spades, but there was no way to fool West on this deal. The defender won with the king, and cashed four club tricks, on which declarer discarded two spades and a diamond. Next came a low heart and, with the heart return, the defenders cashed five tricks in that suit, and the ace of diamonds. At the end, declarer had to take one more trick, either the jack of spades or the king of diamonds in hand. Still, that was down five for a loss of 1,400 points, costing North-South a pretty sou!

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JACQUELINE BIGAR'S STARS

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

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Friday, Sept. 27, 2013:

This year there often are power plays going on around you. The push and pull could become exhausting if you really get into it. The best way to win this game is not to play. An element of the unexpected runs through your work and those you look up to. If you are single, you'll find partners galore, but you will only choose one. This year presents an interesting group of new people in your life. If you are attached, the two of you will enjoy having many serious discussions together. You discover how moody CANCER can be!

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★ Pressure builds to a level that might be difficult to accept, and you could become reactive. Avoid a power play, because once it gets started, it could be difficult to end. The unexpected could affect your decisions. Understand someone's very serious approach. Tonight: At home.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★ Listen to news with a more upbeat attitude. Someone might be holding back some important information. You won't understand why, but don't worry about it. You will find it out soon enough. Understand that much is happening with this person. Tonight: Speak your mind.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★ You might be put off by someone's controlling ways. If you are uncomfortable with this person's behavior, you need to speak up. Observe what is going on behind the scenes. Understanding does not mean going along with his or her ideas. Tonight: Count your change.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★★★ You are upbeat right now, so be careful that you don't collide with someone who is very controlling. You might want to bypass this experience with just a smile. Knowing what you want from a situation will prove to be unusually helpful. Tonight: The world is your oyster.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★ Take your time, listen and gather information. You might discover that what you judge to be a diplomatic statement could cause an uproar. It would be smart to avoid a power play. Not only will you be annoyed, but you also do not want to get caught in the storm. Tonight: Play it easy.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★ You have good intentions. Be clear with a child or love interest about your limits. Establishing boundaries will benefit any relationship. News — possibly from someone financially tied to you or a partner — suddenly might put a new slant on a matter. Tonight: With friends.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★ You might need to take a stand. Recognize that you have the ability to turn a situation around. The problem might be dealing with demanding people who don't permit you to concentrate on anything other than what they want. Tonight: A must appearance.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★ You could be in a difficult situation involving someone at a distance. Don't demand that anyone act as an in-between, because he or she might not give you the whole story. You won't need to be stern, but you will need to be open. Tonight: Look beyond the obvious.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★★ Work with a partner directly in order to maximize your time. You could become very controlling with your finances, or someone around you could. Recognize that there are always limits to spending. Your creativity will come through. Tonight: A long-overdue chat.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★ You could be more contrary than you realize. Someone you care about will open up. You will see life from a renewed perspective once you understand the complexity surrounding a suggestion. Avoid a difficult person, if you can. Tonight: Go along with someone's suggestion.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★★ Weigh the pros and cons of adapting to an uncomfortable situation. On some level, you might just want to push this person away or cause an uproar rather than state your feelings. Tonight: Get some personal errands done.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★ Your immense creativity emerges and cuts through someone's controlling ways. Though there could be irritation, you'll avoid a major confrontation. Seeking out news from someone at a distance could be challenging. Listen to feedback carefully. Tonight: Only do what you love.

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BORN TODAY

Actress Gwyneth Paltrow (1972), U.S. Founding Father Samuel Adams (1722), baseball player Mike Schmidt (1949)

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1 Williams' partner in paint
8 Vivid
15 Former and current Yankee Alfonso
16 "How sexy!"
17 "Doing more than is necessary
19 Decorates on mischief night, briefly
20 Norwegian saint
21 Bad marks in high school?
22 "Where secrets are kept
26 MD's "Pronto!"
29 Habituate
30 New York governor before Spitzer
33 Prefix with tarsal
34 Mean: Abbr.
37 ""The Elements of Style" co-author
39 ""We're even!"
41 OK hours
42 Hot stuff
44 Toady
45 "Blue Jasmine" director
46 Map speck
47 "Words before a flip
53 Household name in household humor
54 Bologna bone
55 Local center?
58 Celebration suggested by words that end answers to starred clues
63 Frequent park statue visitors
64 "Show Boat" (1936) standout
65 Gives a kick
66 Hanging in the balance

DOWN

1 Army NCO
2 Earring shape
3 Most massive known dwarf planet
4 Dog star's first name?
5 It may be covered
6 "__ Chicago": 1937 Tyrone Power film
7 Exploding stars
8 Brit's oath
9 Balderdash
10 Contented sigh
11 "Say __"
12 Contrive
13 Actress Massey
14 French royal name of yore
18 Violinist Zimbalist
22 The Colorado runs through it
23 R.E.M.'s "The __ Love"
24 Bonkers
25 Use a Pink Pearl
26 Project detail, briefly
27 They're run at bars
28 Chem lab abbr.
31 Defeats, as a bill
32 European prefix
34 Green machines?
35 Medical lab vessel
36 Item in a pool
38 "Did you __?!"
40 Surplus store caveat
43 "Three Sisters" playwright Chekhov
45 Bits of advice from gramps, perhaps
47 Jalopies
48 "Sesame Street" striped-shirt wearer
49 Cuban girlfriend
50 Latin stars
51 Enjoys a lucky streak
52 Editor Marshall and singer Lisa
55 Toledo thing
56 "Star Wars" creature
57 Kin of -ess
59 "Woo-__!"
60 Old Opry network
61 1942 FDR creation
62 Asian occasion

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

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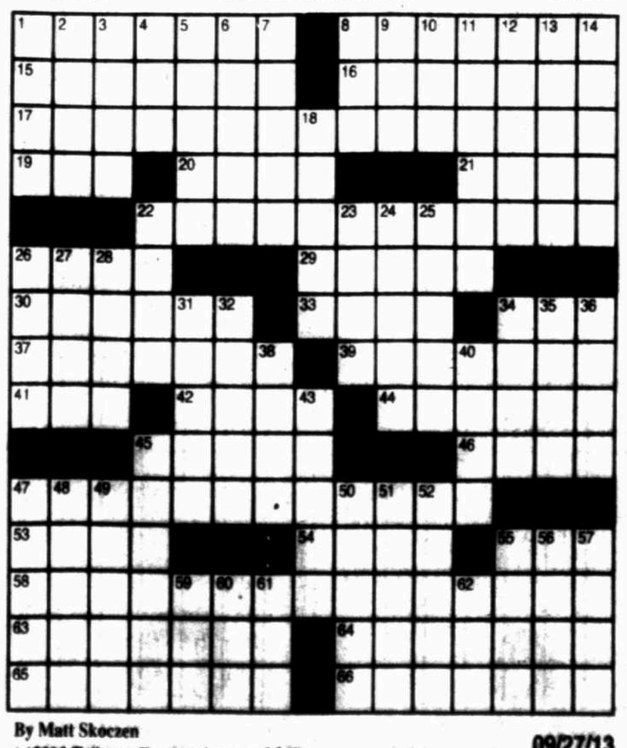

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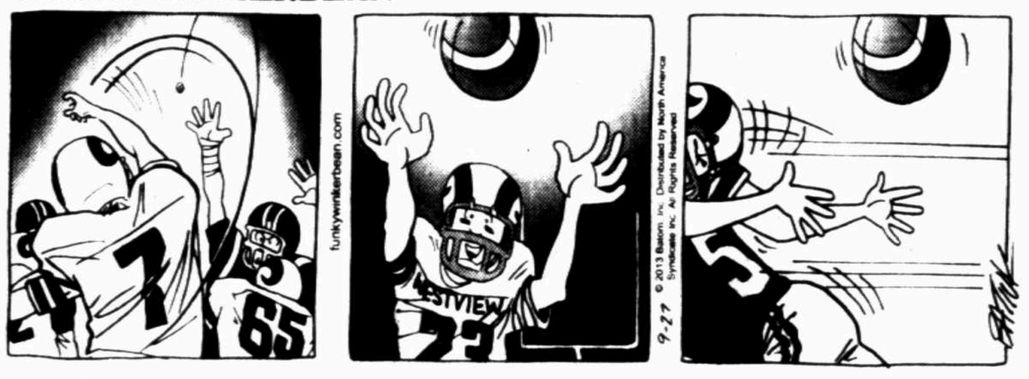

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ZITS

CLASSIC PEANUTS

BABY BLUES

SHOE

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GARFIELD

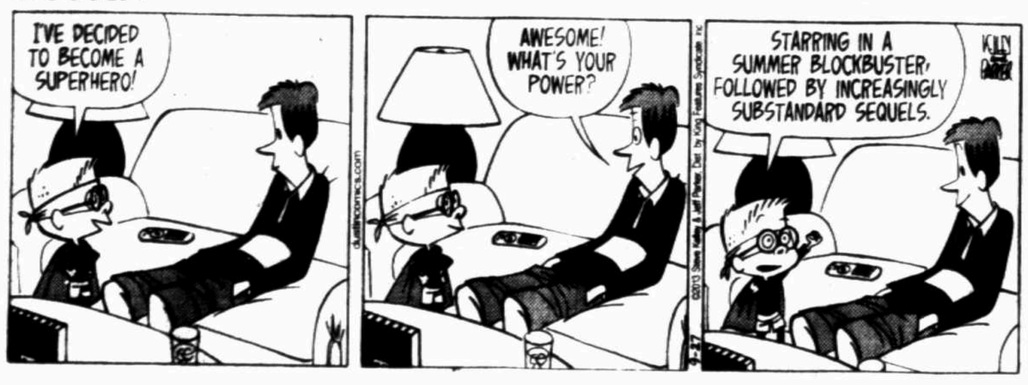
CLOSE TO HOME

"Since he retired, Stu has been having a hard time finding his passion in life."

DENNIS THE MENACE

"ME AN' JOEY'LL RAKE THE LEAVES FOR YA. WE ONLY CHARGE A PENNY PER LEAF!"

DUSTIN



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"IT'S JUST AS IMPORTANT TO DRINK LOCALLY AS TO EAT LOCALLY."

FAMILY CIRCUS

"We have one of those in our kitchen to let us know when our daddy's cooking."

DILBERT

Lee's Vitello, Sanchez form tough duo at safety

By Len Hayward
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Logan Vitello and Abel Sanchez hardly knew each other prior to last year.

About the only thing they did know was they played football, but they didn't hang out in the same groups or even participate in the same sports other than football.

But prior to last season these two were thrust into safety spots on the Lee defense. Both possessed the athleticism and speed to play the position, but the two were so unfamiliar with the spots that the learning curve was long.

Now a year later, the duo are not only more experienced and better players, but also closer as friends.

And on Friday nights, that makes a big difference for communication between the two and their coaches.

"Before football, I didn't know Logan, and then we got to play the position together, and understand each other better," said Sanchez, who has 23 tackles and two pass breakups this year for the Rebels. "We just had that connection from the start."

Vitello

The two players' experience has been something that has shown so far in the early part of this season, and will be key when the Rebels take on Lubbock Coronado at 8 p.m. today at Lowrey Field.

The game

LEE AT LUBBOCK CORONADO

When: 7:30 p.m. today
Location: Lowrey Field, Lubbock
Radio: KNFM 92.3 FM
Live updates: www.mywesttexas.com

The Mustangs run an offense that relies heavily on the run game and the option, and the two safeties in Lee's defense will be called on to not only make sure no plays go deep, but also to fill in on the run.

A year ago, facing this kind of team would've brought some angst

Please see **REBELS**/4C

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Lee's Abel Sanchez (27) breaks up a pass intended during a Nov. 9, 2012 game against San Angelo Central at Grande Communications Stadium.

FromPurpletoBlack

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Odessa Permian football coach Blake Feldt looks on during team's practice on Aug. 19 at Permian High School. The Midland High grad brings his team into Grande Communications Stadium today where his current team will play his former team.

Feldt faces alma mater from Permian sideline

By Jonathan Hull
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Many Midland High alumni will be back in the Tall City today as they prepare to celebrate homecoming festivities. Yet, one of those alumni will be standing on the opposite sideline preparing to lead rival Odessa Permian in a key District 2-5A matchup.

Blake Feldt is the first-year head coach of the Panthers (1-3, 1-1 in 2-5A), but he's also a 1979 graduate of Midland High (2-1, 1-0), adding a little more intrigue to the Bulldogs' annual homecoming game scheduled for a 7:30 p.m. kickoff at Grande Communications Stadium.

The game

ODESSA PERMIAN AT MIDLAND HIGH

When: 7:30 p.m. today
Location: Grande Communications Stadium
Radio: KCRS 550 AM
Live updates: www.mywesttexas.com

And while he might be the head coach at Permian now, Feldt still recalls Midland fondly.

"Midland is my hometown. Midland High is my alma mater," Feldt said. "Midland is a special place for me and my entire family. We were very active in the community while we were there, so this is a very special place to me."

Feldt's father, Harrell, was an influential lawyer during the 1970s and 1980s in Midland, serving as president of the Chamber of Commerce for a time. As a lawyer, Harrell Feldt was instrumental in the development of many businesses around Loop 250, including the location of Midland Park Mall.

Blake Feldt was a standout offensive and defensive lineman for the Bulldogs

Please see **FELDT**/5C

MCS begins quest for 3rd straight state title

By Len Hayward
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Midland Christian will officially begin its quest for a third straight TAPPS Division II state championship today against Fort Worth Southwest Christian in Fort Worth.

And in that quest, the Mustangs offense is riding a wave of success, and in that there's some interesting numbers. Over four games this season, the Mustangs have thrown almost as much as they've run it.

McClendon

It's been through the air where Midland Christian has been most successful scoring with 18 touchdowns passing compared to eight rushing touchdowns. But it also shows an evolution and change in philosophy for a team and coaching staff that centered its offense around running the football and was successful at it.

The Mustangs can still run as they are averaging more than 6 yards a carry this season, but it's been the passing game that has garnered the attention. Midland Christian coach Greg McClendon said the goal is to be as balanced as possible on offense, but even he admits that he's taken to the passing game the last few years.

Midland Christian will begin

Please see **MCS**/5C

The game

MIDLAND CHRISTIAN AT FW SOUTHWEST CHRISTIAN

When: 7:30 p.m. today
Location: Eagle Stadium, Fort Worth
Online: www.midlandchristianschool.org and www.bit.ly/mustangslive

Romo, Rivers benefiting from improved protection

By Tom Orsborn
San Antonio Express-News

Turnovers no longer plague the quarterbacks of the Dallas Cowboys and the San Diego Chargers.

And when asked why, Tony Romo and Philip Rivers point to their revamped offensive lines.

"I'm having a little more time in the pocket," Romo said. "I'm not throwing as many balls under duress."

"The guys up front," Rivers said, "have played really, really well in pass protection."

Playing behind a spotty line in 2012, Romo tied for the NFL lead in interceptions with 19. Through the first three games of last season, he had four touchdown passes and three interceptions.

With his team leading the NFC East with a 2-1 record this season, Romo has six TDs and only one interception.

"The best teams in this league that go on and give themselves a chance late in the year have quarterbacks who are able to get through progressions at a normal speed," Romo, 33, said.

Rivers was 10th in the league last season with 15 interceptions. At this point last season, he had four TDs and three interceptions.

In leading the Chargers to a 1-2 record this season, Rivers, 31, has eight TDs and just one interception.

"He was under duress a lot (in 2012), and it feels like they've done a really nice job solidifying that offensive line," Cowboys coach Jason Garrett said of Rivers. "He's playing with more confidence. He's getting the ball out of his hand. When you give him time, he's a dangerous quarterback."

Rivers is second only to Denver's Peyton Manning in passer rating at 116.0, a big reason why the Chargers are ninth in the NFL in scoring offense with a 26-point average. He's completed 70 percent of his passes for 798 yards.

Rivers has been sacked just five times, putting the Chargers on pace to yield 26 sacks. Last season, he was sacked 49 times, second most in the league behind Green Bay's Aaron Rodgers.

Unfortunately for the Chargers, injuries have their line in a state of flux as they prepare to face a Dallas defense that is second in the league with 13 sacks. Three starters are banged up and first-round right tackle D.J. Fluker is returning after missing Sunday's 20-17

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See high school volleyball capsules

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Profar's pinch HR in 9th lifts Rangers

By Schuyler Dixon
Associated Press

ARLINGTON — Pinch-hitter Jurickson Profar homered leading off the ninth inning, and the Texas Rangers overcame a four-error inning to beat the Los Angeles Angels 6-5 on Thursday night to keep pace in the playoff chase.

The Rangers started the day a game behind Cleveland for the second wild-card spot in the American League. The Indians beat Minnesota 6-5 on Thursday.

It was the fourth straight time the Rangers have beaten the Angels on a walk-off homer at home. They did it each time in a three-game sweep in late July.

Joe Nathan (6-2) got the win after striking out two with a runner at third and one out in the top of the ninth.

Profar's sixth homer came off Michael Kohn (1-4).

Josh Hamilton, back in Texas with a chance to damage the postseason hopes of a team he helped lead to consecutive World Series in 2010 and 2011, went 1 for 3 with two walks. He was on third in the ninth when Mark Trumbo struck out to end the inning.

Trumbo snapped an 0-for-25 skid with three hits, including a tying single in the seventh that drove home Kole Calhoun, who had a leadoff triple off Tanner Scheppers.

An inning earlier, Leonys Martin put Texas ahead with a big double for the second straight night. Martin's two-out double into the gap in right-center scored Craig Gentry, who had three singles, and pinch-runner Adam Rosales for a 5-4 Texas lead.

The Angels scored three unearned runs for a 4-3 lead in the second when the Rangers set a club record with a four-error inning.

There were two outs with the bases empty when first baseman Mitch Moreland booted a ground ball from Andrew Romine.

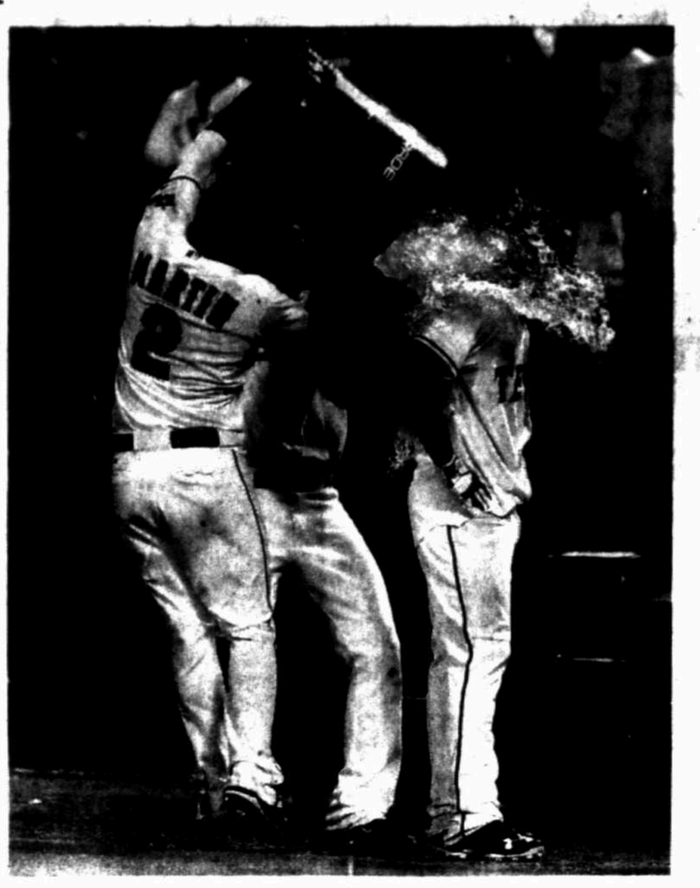
After a single by J.B. Shuck, second baseman Ian Kinsler let a routine grounder from Erick Aybar get past him into shallow right field. Romine scored easily from second, and Kinsler got another error when his throw hit Shuck in the back at third, allowing Aybar to take second.

Adrian Beltre's throwing error on an infield single by Mike Trout allowed Aybar to score the third unearned run.

Texas starter Matt Garza kept the game close in the fifth, with a little help from his defense. After consecutive singles from Howie Kendrick and Calhoun, Kendrick was thrown out at home by Gentry on a single to left by Trumbo.

After Chris Iannetta walked to load the bases with one out, Garza got Romine on a fly ball to shallow right and Shuck on a soft liner to Moreland.

Garza gave up 11 hits in just 5 1/3 innings, but allowed just one earned run.



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Texas' Jurickson Profar, right, gets doused after his game-winning home run by Leonys Martin (2) and Elvis Andrus, following the Rangers' 6-5 win over the Los Angeles Angels on Thursday in Arlington.

Rangers	6
Angels	5

MLBROUNDUP

FROM STAFF REPORTS

American League

RAYS 4
YANKEES 0

NEW YORK — Mariano Rivera said goodbye to Yankee Stadium with hugs, tears and cheers.

Baseball's most acclaimed relief pitcher made an emotional exit in his final appearance in the Yankees' home pinstripes, when captain Derek Jeter and Andy Pettitte came to the mound to remove him with two outs in the ninth inning of a 4-0 loss to the Tampa Bay Rays on Thursday night.

"It's time to go," Jeter appeared to tell Rivera.

Tampa Bay won its seventh straight and leads the AL wild-card race.

INDIANS 6
TWINS 5

MINNEAPOLIS — Reliever Joe Smith struck out pinch-hitter Oswaldo Arcia to end a ninth-inning rally and Cleveland won its seventh straight game, holding off Minnesota to keep pace in the AL wild-card race.

The Twins scored four runs in the ninth and had runners on first and second before Smith got the final out.

Cleveland leads Texas by one game for the second wild-card spot. Each team has three games left in the regular season. Tampa Bay is on top in the chase, one game ahead of the Indians.

ROYALS 3
WHITE SOX 2

CHICAGO — Jeremy Guthrie pitched seven strong innings, and David Lough hit a two-run homer to lead Kansas City to victory over Chicago.

One day after being eliminated from the postseason, the Royals earned their 84th win, their most since 1993.

The Royals' 6-0 loss to Seattle on Wednesday, combined with victories from all three teams ahead of them in the AL wild-card standings, officially eliminated them from playoff contention.

ORIOLES 3
BLUE JAYS 2

BALTIMORE — Miguel Gonzalez pitched seven innings of two-hit ball, Matt Wieters homered and drove in two runs, and Baltimore beat Toronto.

Nick Markakis had two hits and an RBI for the Orioles, who won the season series 10-9. Baltimore is 13-5 at Camden Yards against the Blue Jays since the start of the 2012 season.

National League

BRAVES 7
PHILLIES 1

ATLANTA — Jason Heyward had a career-high five hits, including a leadoff home run, and Atlanta rode a five-run first inning to a 7-1 victory over Philadelphia on Thursday night.

The win pulled the Braves even with idle St. Louis at 94-65 for the best record in the National League with three games to play. The Braves won the season series against the Cardinals and would win the NL's No. 1 seed if the teams finish tied.

PADRES 3
DIAMONDBACKS 2, 11 INNINGS

SAN DIEGO — Alexi Amarista hit an RBI single in the 11th inning for San Diego.

Tommy Medica led off the 11th with a swinging bunt down the third-base line for an infield single. Jesus Guzman batted for reliever Nick Vincent (6-3) and hit a ground-rule double that center fielder A.J. Pollock misplayed.

Josh Collmenter (5-5) intentionally walked Nick Hundley to load the bases, and Amarista slapped a single through a drawn-in infield.

BREWERS 4
METS 2

NEW YORK — Scooter Gennett capped a four-run second inning with a two-run single and Milwaukee overcame some wild pitching that included the beaning of David Wright.

Wright was hit in the helmet by a pitch from Johnny Hellweg with two outs in the third inning. The All-Star third baseman went down to his hands and knees but he was able to walk off the field unassisted. The Mets said he was removed as a precaution.

Bud Selig says he will retire in January 2015

By Ronald Blum
Associated Press

NEW YORK — Bud Selig took over a sport with $1.7 billion in revenue, four teams in each year's postseason, economic disparity among the clubs and a fixation on sticking with traditions that dated to the 19th century.

After a decade of maintaining his departure was imminent, the 79-year-old baseball commissioner put his exit plans in writing Thursday and said in a statement he will retire in January 2015 after 22 years — the second-longest term behind Kenesaw Mountain Landis.

His revolutionary reign produced an $8 billion industry, interleague play, an expanded postseason and two decades of labor peace. But, he also presided over a canceled World Series and long-running drug scandal.

"He's been the voice of baseball. Some people liked his voice. Some people didn't," Minnesota Twins manager Ron Gardenhire said. "I have a lot of respect for the guy."

Selig has been a bit of the Boy Who Cried Wolf in the past when it came to his retirement. He said in 2003 that he would step down at the end of 2006 but has repeatedly accepted new contracts.

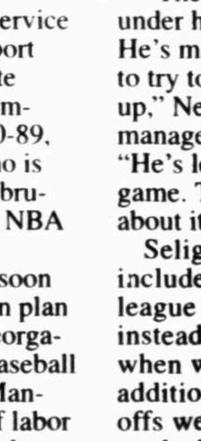
Some owners — even his wife — had been skeptical in the past that he really would quit, but this marked the first time he issued a formal statement that he will give up the sport's top job. He even gave an exact date: Jan. 24, 2015.

"I look forward to continuing its extraordinary growth and addressing several significant issues during the remainder of my term," he said.

Selig's length of service and impact on his sport matches those of Pete Rozelle, the NFL commissioner from 1960-89, and David Stern, who is stepping down in February after 30 years as NBA commissioner.

Selig said he will soon announce a transition plan that will include a reorganization of central baseball management. Rob Manfred, baseball's chief labor negotiator, has gained increased influence in recent years, but it's not clear whether Selig's successor will come from within the commissioner's office.

Many had speculated Selig wanted to surpass the term of Landis, who served from November 1920 to November 1944.



Selig

Perhaps the biggest mark on Selig's tenure was the prevalence of performance-enhancing drugs. Management didn't have a drug agreement with its players from October 1985 until August 2002, and drug testing with penalties didn't start until 2004. Selig has repeatedly defended his record, saying baseball acted as fast as it could in a matter that was subject to bargaining with players.

"The game has grown under him tremendously. He's made every effort to try to clean the game up," New York Yankees manager Joe Girardi said. "He's left his mark on the game. There's no doubt about it."

Selig's tenure also included splitting each league into three divisions instead of two in 1995, when wild cards and an additional round of playoffs were added. Wild cards doubled to four last year, when the postseason stretched to four rounds.

Expansion teams in Arizona and Tampa Bay started play in 1998, raising the major league total to 30. Interleague play began in 1997 along with revenue sharing, which allowed the smaller-market clubs a better chance to compete. Jackie Robinson's No. 42 was retired by Selig for all of MLB that same year, and other initiatives followed. Major League Baseball Advanced Media launched in 2000, the World Baseball Classic in 2006, limited video review of umpires' calls in 2008 and the Major League Baseball Network in 2009.

Owners have repeatedly praised his financial stewardship, which has led to record franchise values as shown by the $2 billion sale of the Los Angeles Dodgers last year. The average player salary has tripled under his tenure to more than $3 million.

Selig's critics said he moved cautiously — a characterization even he sometimes agreed with. Running baseball from his longtime home in Milwaukee, he worked to build consensus rather than dictate to owners in the manner of Peter Ueberroth. Selig used a grandfatherly charm to get what he wanted.

"Everything's been a success overall," Toronto general manager Alex Anthopoulos said. "You're going to have your detractors, that goes without saying."

Tulsa to host Big 12 baseball tourney in 2015

Associated Press

TULSA, Okla. — The Big 12 has announced that its annual baseball tournament will move to Tulsa in 2015 before returning to Oklahoma City in 2016.

The five-day event in Tulsa will be played at ONEOK Field, home of the Double-A Drillers. It will mark only the third time it has been played somewhere other than Oklahoma City, which has hosted the tournament in all but two years since 1997.

The Ballpark at Arlington hosted the event in 2002 and 2004.

ONEOK Field opened in 2010 and has a capacity of 8,152, but the stadium is capable of holding up to 9,009. It has averaged 9,300 fans for four games between Oklahoma and Oklahoma State since 2010.

Oklahoma City's Bricktown Ballpark, home of the Triple-A RedHawks, seats just over 13,000.

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Lee's Justus Tarin dives after the ball during a Sept. 13 game against Abilene Cooper at LHS gym.

HSVOLLEYBALL

BY LEN HAYWARD

DISTRICT 2-5A
ODESSA PERMIAN
AT MIDLAND HIGH

When/where: 5 p.m. today, MHS gymnasium

Records: Midland High 22-11, 4-3 in District 2-5A; Odessa Permian 21-8, 6-1

Last match: Midland High def. Odessa High, 25-7, 25-19, 25-9; Odessa Permian def. Lee, 24-26, 25-14, 25-22, 23-25, 15-10

The scoop: Tonight's match is big for both teams. Permian will have a chance to finish the first half of district play with seven wins and keep pace with district-leading Amarillo Tascosa. Midland High, meanwhile, could help its playoff chances with a victory as the standings are jumbled from third on down. ... Midland High won for the first time in two matches on Tuesday, defeating Odessa High in three sets. The Lady Bulldogs were so dominant that neither team had a full serve rotation in the opening set. ... Permian beat Lee for the second time this season, both in five sets.

Next: Midland High at Abilene High, 6 p.m. Tuesday; Odessa Permian at Lubbock Coronado, 6 p.m. Tuesday

District 2-5A volleyball

	District		Overall	
Team	W	L	W	L
Amarillo Tascosa	6	1	18	13
Odessa Permian	6	1	21	8
San Angelo Central	5	2	21	9
Midland High	4	3	22	11
Lubbock Coronado	4	4	19	13
Abilene High	3	3	20	6
Lee	2	5	16	16
Abilene Cooper	0	7	10	21
Odessa High	0	7	2	18

Tuesday's Scores

Midland High def. Odessa High, 25-7, 25-19, 25-9; Odessa Permian def. Lee, 24-26, 25-14, 25-22, 23-25, 15-10; San Angelo Central def. Abilene Cooper, 25-18, 25-12, 25-18; Amarillo Tascosa def. Lubbock Coronado, 25-18, 22-25, 25-19, 19-25, 15-13.

Today's Matches

Odessa Permian at Midland High; Lee at Lubbock Coronado; San Angelo Central at Abilene High; Abilene Cooper at Odessa High. All matches at 6 p.m.

LEE AT
LUBBOCK CORONADO

When/where: 5 p.m. today, Lubbock Coronado HS

Records: Lee 14-14, 2-5 in District 2-5A; Lubbock Coronado 19-13, 3-3

Last match: Odessa Permian def. Lee, 24-26, 25-14, 25-22, 23-25, 15-10; Amarillo Tascosa def. Lubbock Coronado, 25-15, 22-25, 25-19, 16-25, 15-13

The scoop: The Lady Rebels can't afford many more hiccups in their chase for a playoff berth. Tuesday's loss to Odessa Permian, the second in five sets, put Lee in seventh place in the district standings and looking up at nearly the rest of the district. ... Lee had two players battling illness on Tuesday, and coach Daphne Rhoads said she expects both players to be healthy today.

Next: San Angelo Central at Lee, 6 p.m. Tuesday; Odessa Permian at Lubbock Coronado, 6 p.m. Tuesday

TAPPS 1-4A
FORT WORTH CHRISTIAN
AT MIDLAND CHRISTIAN

When/where: 6 p.m. today, McGraw Special Events Center

Records: Midland Christian 25-4, 4-1 in TAPPS 1-4A; Fort Worth Christian 27-6, 3-1 in TAPPS 1-4A

Last match: Midland Christian def. Lubbock Trinity, 25-20, 25-14, 25-14

The scoop: The Lady Mustangs take on a tough Lady Cardinal team looking to take over second place in the district by itself.

Next: Kermit at Midland Christian, 6 p.m. Tuesday

DISTRICT 4-3A
BIG SPRING
AT GREENWOOD

When/where: 10 a.m. Saturday, Greenwood HS gym

Records: Greenwood 10-18, 0-0 in District 4-3A; Big Spring 21-9, 0-0

Last match: Greenwood def. Wink, 25-15, 22-25, 25-16, 23-25, 15-13; Big Spring def. Bronte, 25-11, 25-12, 25-7

The scoop: Greenwood looks to have its lineup situation figured out as the Rangerettes begin district play. ... Greenwood will have to figure out a way to slow down the Lady Steers' Morgan Seaton, who typically leads them in kills and is among the leaders in assists each game.

Next: Greenwood at Sweetwater, 6 p.m. Tuesday; Monahans at Big Spring, 6 p.m. Tuesday

THIS WEEKEND'S COUNTY SCHEDULE

Kermit at Midland Classical, Noon Saturday

Trinity at Alpine, 1 p.m. Saturday

UTPBROUNDUP

FROM STAFF REPORTS

WOMEN'S SOCCER
UTPB TOPS LCU, 2-1

LUBBOCK — Kourtnye Chandler scored two goals as the University of Texas of the Permian Basin women's soccer team won their first game of the season on Thursday on the road.

Chandler scored the game's first goal in the 12th minute off an assist from Sal Bebre, but Lubbock Christian tied the game 10 minutes later off a goal from Emily Odom.

Chandler, though, scored the game winner unassisted in the 88th minute.

Falcons goalkeeper Bridget Esquivel had five saves in the game.

UTPB (1-8) will next play at 2:30 p.m. Oct 7 against Lubbock Christian at home.

VOLLEYBALL
FALCONS SWEEP
DALLAS BAPTIST

ODESSA — The University of Texas of the Permian Basin volleyball team swept a match from Dallas Baptist on Thursday, 25-18, 25-23, 25-23 at home in a Heartland Conference match.

Melissa Lusk had 12 kills and Hannah Rebb added nine, as Ariel Fralick ahd 19 assists and Arianna Gallardo 17.

Defensively, Jordan McDonald had 18 digs and Keeley Brogdon had 12.

UTPB (5-8, 3-1 in Heartland Conference play) will return action at noon Saturday against Arkansas-Fort Smith in Odessa.

49ers regain footing, demolish St. Louis

By R.B. Fallstrom
Associated Press

ST. LOUIS — Colin Kaepernick threw two touchdown passes, Frank Gore had his first 100-yard game of the season and the San Francisco 49ers' defense stepped up without some of their stars in a 35-11 rout over the St. Louis Rams on Thursday night.

Anquan Boldin had five catches for 90 yards and a touchdown, and Gore had 153 yards on 20 carries and a 34-yard score for San Francisco (2-2), which was outscored 46-10 the previous two games. Navarro Bowman had two of the 49ers' five sacks with a strip leading to a fourth-quarter scoring run by Anthony Dixon.

49ers	35
Rams	11

The Rams (1-3) had an overtime win and tie against San Francisco last year, and took the early lead Thursday before falling flat. Greg Zuerlein banged in a 40-yard field goal off the right upright to end a nine-game scoring drought in the first quarter, but the 49ers answered with 28 straight points.

The 49ers came close to a Super Bowl title in February and regained their footing against the team that gave them the most trouble last season. Minus cornerback Nnamdi Asomugha and linebackers Patrick Willis and Aldon Smith, they quieted a raucous, hopeful crowd, sending all but a few thousand home early.

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NFL

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
New England	3	0	1	01.000	59	34
Miami	3	0	0	1.000	74	53
N.Y. Jets	2	1	0	.667	55	50
Buffalo	1	2	0	.333	65	73
South	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
Houston	2	1	0	.667	70	82
Indianapolis	2	1	0	.667	68	48
Tennessee	2	1	0	.667	60	56
Jacksonville	0	3	0	.000	28	92
North	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
Cincinnati	2	1	0	.667	75	64
Baltimore	2	1	0	.667	71	64
Cleveland	1	2	0	.333	47	64
Pittsburgh	0	3	0	.000	42	76
West	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
Denver	3	0	0	01.000	127	71
Kansas City	3	0	0	01.000	71	34
San Diego	1	2	0	.333	78	81
Oakland	1	2	0	.333	57	67

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Dallas	2	1	0	.667	83	55
Philadelphia	1	2	0	.333	79	86
N.Y. Giants	0	3	0	.000	54	115
Washington	0	3	0	.000	67	98
South	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
New Orleans	3	0	0	01.000	70	38
Carolina	1	2	0	.333	68	36
Atlanta	1	2	0	.333	71	74
Tampa Bay	0	3	0	.000	34	57
North	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
Chicago	3	0	0	01.000	95	74
Detroit	2	1	0	.667	82	69
Green Bay	1	2	0	.333	96	88
Minnesota	0	3	0	.000	81	96
West	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
Seattle	3	0	0	01.000	86	27
San Francisco	2	2	0	.500	79	95
Arizona	1	2	0	.333	56	79
St. Louis	1	3	0	.250	69	121

Thursday's Score
San Francisco 35, St. Louis 11

Sunday's Games
N.Y. Giants at Kansas City, Noon
Seattle at Houston, Noon
Baltimore at Buffalo, Noon
Arizona at Tampa Bay, Noon
Indianapolis at Jacksonville, Noon
Cincinnati at Cleveland, Noon
Chicago at Detroit, Noon
Pittsburgh vs. Minnesota at London, Noon
N.Y. Jets at Tennessee, 3:05 p.m.
Washington at Oakland, 3:25 p.m.
Dallas at San Diego, 3:25 p.m.
Philadelphia at Denver, 3:25 p.m.
New England at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m.

Open: Carolina, Green Bay

Monday's Game
Miami at New Orleans, 7:40 p.m.

THURSDAY'S BOX SCORE
49ERS 35, RAMS 11

San Francisco	0	14	7	14	—35
St. Louis	3	0	0	8	—11

First Quarter
StL—FG Zuerlein 40, 7:09

Second Quarter
SF—Boldin 20 pass from Kaepernick (Dawson kick), 6:22.
SF—Gore 34 run (Dawson kick), :37

Third Quarter
SF—V.Davis 12 pass from Kaepernick (Dawson kick), 8:49

Fourth Quarter
SF—Dixon 1 run (Dawson kick), 10:15.
StL—Kendricks 6 pass from Bradford (Cunningham run), 5:44.
SF—Hunter 29 run (Dawson kick), 4:25.
A—56,640.

	SF	StL
First downs	19	14
Total Net Yards	370	188
Rushes-yards	40-219	19-18
Passing	151	170
Comp-Att-Int	15-23-0	19-41-1
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-16	5-32
Punts	7-54.7	11-44.5
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	2-1
Penalties-Yards	10-85	8-82
Time of Possession	31:45	28:15

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—San Francisco, Gore 20-153, Hunter 11-49, Kaepernick 3-11, Dixon 3-6, James 3-0, St. Louis, Richardson 12-16, Cunningham 4-6, Bradford 3-(minus 4).
PASSING—San Francisco, Kaepernick 15-23-0-167, St. Louis, Bradford 19-41-1-202.
RECEIVING—San Francisco, Boldin 5-90, Miller 3-22, Baldwin 2-19, V.Davis 2-18, Hunter 1-9, V.McDonald 1-9, Patton 1-9. St. Louis, Pettis 5-59, Givens 4-49, Cook 4-45, Austin 2-6, Cunningham 1-17, Quick 1-12, Richardson 1-8, Kendricks 1-6.
MISSED FIELD GOALS—San Francisco, Dawson 53 (WR), 71 (WL).

MLS

EASTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
New York	15	9	6	51	47	36
Sporting KC	14	9	6	48	43	28
Montreal	13	9	6	45	46	42
Houston	12	10	7	43	37	36
New England	11	11	7	40	41	33
Chicago	11	12	6	39	36	43
Philadelphia	10	10	9	39	37	39
Columbus	11	14	5	38	36	39
Toronto FC	4	15	11	23	25	44
D.C.	3	20	6	15	19	48

WESTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Seattle	15	8	5	50	38	28
Real Salt Lake	14	10	6	48	53	39
Portland	11	11	6	39	45	41
Los Angeles	13	10	6	45	46	36
Colorado	12	9	9	45	37	31
Vancouver	11	10	8	41	42	38
San Jose	11	11	8	41	31	41
FC Dallas	10	9	10	40	40	42
Chivas USA	6	16	8	26	29	54

NOTE: Three points for victory, one point for tie

Today's Game
Philadelphia at Sporting Kansas City, 7 p.m.

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Boston	96	63	.604	—
Tampa Bay	90	69	.566	6
Baltimore	83	76	.522	13
New York	82	77	.516	14
Toronto	72	87	.453	24
Central Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
x-Detroit	93	66	.585	—
Cleveland	86	70	.560	4
Kansas City	84	75	.528	9
Minnesota	66	93	.415	27
Chicago	62	97	.390	31
West Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
x-Oakland	94	65	.591	—
Texas	88	71	.553	6
Los Angeles	78	81	.491	16
Seattle	70	89	.440	24
Houston	51	108	.321	43

x-clinched division

Thursday's Scores
Tampa Bay 4, N.Y. Yankees 0
Baltimore 3, Toronto 2
Texas 6, L.A. Angels 5
Cleveland 6, Minnesota 5
Kansas City 3, Chicago White Sox 2

Today's Games
Boston (Buchholz 11-1) at Baltimore (Feldman 5-5), 6:05 p.m.
Tampa Bay (Hellickson 12-9) at Toronto (Dickey 13-13), 6:07 p.m.
Detroit (Porcello 13-8) at Miami (Koehler 4-10), 6:10 p.m.
L.A. Angels (C.Wilson 17-7) at Texas (Ogando 7-4), 7:05 p.m.
Cleveland (Kluber 10-5) at Minnesota (P.Hernandez 3-2), 7:10 p.m.
Kansas City (Shields 12-9) at Chicago White Sox (Sale 11-13), 7:10 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees (Undecided) at Houston (Oberholtzer 4-4), 7:10 p.m.
Oakland (Colon 17-6) at Seattle (F.Hernandez 12-9), 9:10 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Atlanta	94	65	.591	—
Washington	84	75	.528	10
New York	73	86	.459	21
Philadelphia	72	87	.453	22
Miami	59	100	.371	35
Central Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
z-St. Louis	94	65	.591	—
z-Pittsburgh	91	68	.572	3
z-Cincinnati	90	69	.566	4
Milwaukee	72	87	.453	22
Chicago	66	93	.415	28
West Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
x-Los Angeles	91	67	.576	—
Arizona	80	79	.503	11 1/2
San Diego	75	84	.472	16 1/2
San Francisco	73	85	.462	18
Colorado	72	87	.453	19 1/2

z-clinched playoff berth
x-clinched division

Thursday's Scores
San Diego 3, Arizona 2, 11 innings
Milwaukee 4, N.Y. Mets 2
Atlanta 7, Philadelphia 1
L.A. Dodgers at San Francisco, late

Today's Games
Detroit (Porcello 13-8) at Miami (Koehler 4-10), 6:10 p.m.
Milwaukee (Gallardo 11-10) at N.Y. Mets (C.Torres 4-5), 6:10 p.m.
Pittsburgh (A.J.Burnett 9-11) at Cincinnati (H.Bailey 11-11), 6:10 p.m.
Philadelphia (Cl.Lee 14-7) at Atlanta (Medlen 14-12), 6:30 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (T.Wood 9-11) at St. Louis (Lynn 14-10), 7:15 p.m.
Washington (Strasburg 7-9) at Arizona (Corbin 14-7), 8:40 p.m.
Colorado (McHugh 0-3) at L.A. Dodgers (Kershaw 15-9), 9:10 p.m.
San Diego (B.Smith 1-2) at San Francisco (Vogelsong 3-6), 9:15 p.m.

WILD CARD GLANCE

AMERICAN LEAGUE	W	L	Pct	WCGB
Tampa Bay	90	69	.566	—
Cleveland	89	70	.560	—
Texas	88	71	.553	1
NATIONAL LEAGUE	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**WCGB**
z-Pittsburgh	91	68	.572	—
z-Cincinnati	90	69	.566	—

z-clinched playoff berth

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Thursday's Games
Tampa Bay 4, N.Y. Yankees 0
Texas 6, L.A. Angels 5
Cleveland 6, Minnesota 5

Today's Games
Tampa Bay at Toronto, 6:07 p.m.
L.A. Angels at Texas, 7:05 p.m.
Cleveland at Minnesota, 7:10 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Today's Game
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati, 6:10 p.m.

THURSDAY'S AL WEST BOX
RANGERS 6, ANGELS 5

Los Angeles	ab	r	h	bi	Texas	ab	r	h	bi
Shuck lf	4	2	2	0	Kinsler 2b	4	1	2	0
Cowgill lf	1	0	0	0	Andrus ss	3	1	1	0
Aybar ss	5	1	1	0	Rios rf	4	0	0	0
Trout cf	5	0	2	2	Alberto 3b	4	1	1	1
J.Hmlin dh	3	0	1	0	Przyns c	4	0	2	1
HKndrc 2b	5	0	1	0	Morlnd 1b	3	0	0	1
Calhoun rf	5	1	2	0	Gentry lf	4	1	3	0
Trumo 1b	5	0	3	1	DvMrp dh	2	0	0	0
Iannett c	3	0	1	0	JeBakr ph	0	0	0	0
AnRmn 3b	4	1	0	0	Rosales pr-dh	0	1	0	0
					Profar ph	1	0	0	0
					LMartn cf	3	0	2	2
Totals	40	5	13	3	Totals	32	6	12	6

Los Angeles	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	— 5
Texas	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	— 6

Los Angeles — IP H R ER BB SO
Williams 5 9 3 3 0 2
Boshers 2-3 1 1 1 0 1
Cor.Rasmus 1-3 1 1 1 1 0
J.Gutierrez 1 0 0 0 0 1
D.De La Rosa 1 0 0 0 0 2
Kohn L,1-4 0 1 1 1 0 0

Texas
Darvis 5 1-3 11 4 1 2 3
R.Ross 2-3 0 0 0 0 0
Scheppers 1 2 1 1 0 0
Cotts 1 0 0 0 0 1
Nathan W,6-2 1 0 0 0 0 2

Cotts pitched to 1 batter in the 9th.
Kohn pitched to 1 batter in the 9th.
WP—Nathan.
T—3:22. A—26,198 (48,114).

THURSDAY'S LINESCORES
AMERICAN LEAGUE
ORIOLES 3, BLUE JAYS 2

Toronto	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—2 6 0
Baltimore	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	—3 9 2

Buehrle, Jenkins (4), Delabar (8) and Arencibia; Mig.Gonzalez, Tom.Hunter (8), a.Johnson (9) and Wieters. W—Mig.Gonzalez 11-8. L—Buehrle 12-10. Sv—JJ.Johnson (48). HRs—Baltimore, Wieters (22).

RAYS 4, YANKEES 0

Tampa Bay	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	—4 11 0
New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0 3 0

Cobb, Jo.Peralta (8), McGee (9) and Lobaton; Nova, Betances (8), M.Rivera (8), Daley (9) and J.Murphy. W—Cobb 11-3. L—Nova 9-6. HRs—Tampa Bay, D.Young (2).

ROYALS 3, WHITE SOX 2

Kansas City	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—3 7 0
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	—2 6 1

Guthrie, Hochevar (8), G.Holland (9) and Kottaras; S.Perez, Rienzo, Veal (7), D.Webb (7), Lindstrom (8) and Bry.Anderson. W—Guthrie.

15-12. L—Rienzo 2-3. Sv—G.Holland (46). HRs—Kansas City, Lough (5). Chicago, Konerko (12), A.Dunn (33).

INDIANS 6, TWINS 5

Cleveland	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	1	0 —6 11 0
Minnesota	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4 —5 13 2

McAllister, Shaw (5), Rzepczynski (7), Allen (7), M.Albers (8), C.Perez (9), J.Smith (9) and Y.Gomes; A.Albers, Pressly (6), Roenicke (8), Tonkin (8) and Pinto. W—Shaw 7-3. L—A.Albers 2-5. Sv—J.Smith (3). HRs—Cleveland, Y.Gomes (11). Minnesota, Pinto (4).

NATIONAL LEAGUE
PADRES 3, DIAMONDBACKS 2, 11 INNINGS

Arizona	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0 —2 3 0
San Diego	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1 —1 8 0

Cahill, Thatcher (6), Roe (7), D.Hernandez (8), W.Harris (9), Collmenter (10) and Gosewisch; Erlin, Gregerson (8), Street (9), Vincent (10) and Hundley. W—Vincent 6-3. L—Collmenter 5-5. HRs—Arizona, Prado (14).

BREWERS 4, METS 2

Milwaukee	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	—4 7 1
New York	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	—2 8 0

Helweg, Figaro (5), Wooten (7), Kintzler (8), Henderson (9) and Lucroy; Gee, Byrdak (7), Aardsma (8), F.Francisco (9) and Td'Arnaud. W—Figaro 3-3. L—Gee 12-11. Sv—Henderson (27). HRs—New York, Satin (3).

BRAVES 7, PHILLIES 1

Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1 9 1
Atlanta	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	—7 12 1

Cloyd, Robles (2), Savery (5), De Fratus (6), J.C.Ramirez (7), Rosenberg (8) and Kratz; Hale, Ohlendorf (7), Avila (8), Avilan (9) and McCann. G.Laird. W—Hale 1-0. L—Cloyd 2-7. HRs—Atlanta, Heyward (14).

WEDNESDAY'S LATE LINESCORES
MARINERS 6, ROYALS 0

Kansas City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0 5 2
Seattle	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	—6 8 0

E.Santana, W.Smith (7) and S.Perez; Iwakuma, Furbush (9) and Zunino. W—Iwakuma, 14-6. L—E.Santana 9-10. HRs—Seattle, Zunino 2 (5). M.Saunders (12).

RED SOX 15, ROCKIES 5

Boston	0	0	1	3	0	3	0	5	—15 16 0
Colorado	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	—5 10 1

Peavy, Tazawa (7), F.Morales (7), Breslow (8), Dempster (9) and Saltalamacchia; Chacin, Scahill (5), Pomeranz (6), Belisle (7), Oswalt (8), Brothers (9) and Torrealba, Pacheco. W—Peavy 12-5. L—Chacin 14-10. HRs—Boston, Victorino (15), Middlebrooks 2 (17). Colorado, Helton (15).

PADRES 14, DIAMONDBACKS 2

Arizona	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—2 6 0
San Diego	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	4x	—14 14 0

Delgado, Langwell (6), Sipp (7), E.De La Rosa (8), Bell (8) and M.Montero; Kennedy, Thayer (8), Boxberger (9) and R.Rivera. C.Robinson. W—Kennedy 7-10. L—Delgado 5-7. HRs—San Diego, Medica (3), Gyorko (21), C.Robinson (1).

GIANTS 6, DODGERS 4

Los Angeles	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	—4 8 0
San Francisco	0	0	3	0	0	1	2	0	—6 8 2

Nolasco, League (6), Howell (7), Marmol (8) and A.Ellis; Zito, Kontos (6), Machi (7), S.Casilla (8), Romo (9) and Posey. W—Zito 5-11. L—Nolasco 13-11. Sv—Romo (37). HRs—San Francisco, Sandoval (14).

Calendar

Oct. 23 — World Series begins, city of American League champion

November TBA — Deadline for teams to make qualifying offers to their eligible former players who became free agents, fifth day after World Series.

November TBA — Deadline for free agents to accept qualifying offers, 12th day after World Series.

Nov. 11-13 — General managers meeting, Orlando, Fla.

Nov. 13-14 — Owners meeting, Orlando, Fla.

Dec. 2 — Last day for teams to offer 2014 contracts to unsigned players.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Thursday's Scores

SOUTHWEST
Iowa St. 38, Tulsa 21

SOUTH
NC A&T 27, Howard 19
Virginia Tech 17, Georgia Tech 10
West Alabama 71, Concordia-Selma 14

Schedule

TODAY

FAR WEST
Middle Tennessee (3-1) at BYU (1-2), 8 p.m.
Utah St. (2-2) at San Jose St. (1-2), 8 p.m.

SATURDAY

SOUTHWEST
SMU (1-2) at TCU (1-2), 11 a.m.
E. Washington (2-1) at Sam Houston St. (3-1), 2 p.m.
Army (1-3) vs. Louisiana Tech (1-3) at Dallas, 3 p.m.
Houston (3-0) at UTSA (2-2), 3 p.m.
Texas A&M (3-1) at Arkansas (3-1), 6 p.m.
FAU (1-3) at Rice (1-2), 6 p.m.
Prairie View (2-2) at Stephen F. Austin (2-2), 6 p.m.
Wyoming (3-1) at Texas St. (2-1), 6 p.m.

EAST
Fordham (4-0) at St. Francis (Pa.) (1-2), 11 a.m.
Oklahoma St. (3-0) at West Virginia (2-2), 11 a.m.
Cornell (1-0) at Yale (1-0), 11 a.m.
Monmouth (NJ) (1-3) at Columbia (0-1), 11:30 a.m.
New Hampshire (1-1) at Lehigh (3-0), 11:30 a.m.
Virginia (2-1) at Pittsburgh (2-1), 11:30 a.m.
CCSU (1-3) at Rhode Island (1-3), Noon
Bryant (2-1) at Wagner (1-3), Noon
Princeton (0-1) at Georgetown (1-3), 2 p.m.
Florida St. (3-0) at Boston College (2-1), 2:30 p.m.
UConn (0-3) at Buffalo (1-2), 2:30 p.m.
Penn (1-0) at Villanova (1-2), 4 p.m.
Sacred Heart (4-0) at Bucknell (1-1), 5 p.m.
Towson (4-0) at Stony Brook (1-2), 5 p.m.
Holy Cross (1-3) at Dartmouth (1-0), 6 p.m.
James Madison (3-1) at Delaware (3-1), 6 p.m.
Brown (1-0) at Harvard (1-0), 6:30 p.m.

SOUTH
Butler (2-2) at Jacksonville (2-2), 11 a.m.
Miami (3-0) at South Florida (0-3), 11 a.m.
South Carolina (2-1) at UCF (3-0), 11 a.m.
South Alabama (2-1) at Tennessee (2-2), 11:21 a.m.
East Carolina (2-1) at North Carolina (1-2), 11:30 a.m.
Drake (1-2) at Mercer (3-0), Noon
Davidson (0-3) at Morehead St. (0-4), Noon
Norfolk St. (0-3) at Morgan St. (0-4), Noon
San Diego (1-2) at Stetson (1-2), Noon
Coastal Carolina (4-0) at Elon (1-3), 12:30 p.m.
Robert Morris (1-2) at VMI (1-3), 12:30 p.m.
Charlotte (2-2) at Presbyterian (1-2), 1 p.m.
Hampton (0-4) at SC State (2-2), 1 p.m.
Navy (2-0) at W. Kentucky (2-2), 1 p.m.
Troy (2-2) at Duke (2-2), 2 p.m.
W. Carolina (1-3) at Samford (2-2), 2 p.m.
Charleston Southern (4-0) at Appalachian St. (1-2), 2:30 p.m.
Wake Forest (2-2) at Clemson (3-0), 2:30 p.m.
LSU (4-0) at Georgia (2-1), 2:30 p.m.
Cent. Michigan (1-3) at NC State (2-1), 2:30 p.m.
Murray St. (2-2) at Jacksonville St. (4-0), 3 p.m.
Maine (3-1) at Richmond (2-2), 3 p.m.
Alcorn St. (3-1) at Alabama St. (2-2), 5 p.m.
Point (Ga.) (2-1) at Gardner-Webb (3-1), 5 p.m.
Chattanooga (2-1) at Georgia Southern (2-1), 5 p.m.
Albany (NY) (1-3) at Old Dominion (2-2), 5 p.m.
Delaware St. (0-3) at Savannah St. (1-3), 5 p.m.
Furman (1-2) at The Citadel (1-3), 5 p.m.
Mississippi (3-0) at Alabama (3-0), 5:30 p.m.
Texas Southern (0-3) at Alabama A&M (1-3), 6 p.m.
Lamar (2-2) at Grambling St. (0-4), 6 p.m.
Florida (2-1) at Kentucky (1-2), 6 p.m.
Kentucky Wesleyan (0-3) at Liberty (2-2), 6 p.m.
Tulane (2-2) at Louisiana-Monroe (2-2), 6 p.m.
Arkansas Tech (2-1) at Nicholls St. (2-2), 6 p.m.
Langston (0-3) at Northwestern St. (2-2), 6 p.m.
Jackson St. (2-2) at Southern U. (2-2), 6 p.m.
UAB (1-2) at Vanderbilt (2-2), 6:30 p.m.
Indiana St. (1-2) at Tennessee Tech (2-2), 7 p.m.

MIDWEST
Miami (Ohio) (0-3) at Illinois (2-1), 11 a.m.
N. Illinois (3-0) at Purdue (1-3), 11 a.m.
Marist (1-2) at Dayton (2-1), Noon
Illinois St. (1-2) at Missouri St. (0-4), 1 p.m.
Campbell (1-2) at Valparaiso (0-3), 1 p.m.
Akron (1-3) at Bowling Green (3-1), 1:30 p.m.
E. Kentucky (2-2) at E. Illinois (3-1), 1:30 p.m.
Toledo (2-2) at Ball St. (3-1), 2 p.m.
Tennessee St. (3-1) vs. Central St. (Ohio) (0-3) at St. Louis, 2 p.m.
N. Dakota St. (3-0) at S. Dakota St. (3-1), 2 p.m.
Iowa (3-1) at Minnesota (4-0), 2:30 p.m.
Montana St. (2-2) at North Dakota (1-2), 2:30 p.m.
Oklahoma (3-0) at Notre Dame (3-1), 2:30 p.m.
South Dakota (1-2) at W. Illinois (2-2), 3 p.m.
McNeese St. (4-0) at N. Iowa (3-0), 4 p.m.
Youngstown St. (3-1) at S. Illinois (2-2), 6 p.m.
UT-Martin (2-1) at SE Missouri (0-3), 6 p.m.
Kent St. (1-3) at W. Michigan (0-4), 6 p.m.
Arkansas St. (2-2) at Missouri (3-0), 6:30 p.m.
Wisconsin (3-1) at Ohio St. (4-0), 7 p.m.

FAR WEST
Colorado (2-0) at Oregon St. (3-1), 2 p.m.
UTEP (1-2) at Colorado St. (1-3), 2:30 p.m.
S. Utah (3-1) at N. Colorado (1-3), 2:35 p.m.
Temple (0-3) at Idaho (0-4), 4 p.m.
Arizona (3-0) at Washington (3-0), 6 p.m.
UNLV (2-2) at New Mexico (1-2), 7 p.m.
San Diego St. (0-3) at New Mexico St. (0-4), 7 p.m.
Sacramento St. (1-3) at Weber St. (1-3), 7 p.m.
Air Force (1-3) at Nevada (2-2), 7:05 p.m.
Montana (3-0) at N. Arizona (2-1), 8 p.m.
Idaho St. (2-1) at UC Davis (0-4), 8 p.m.
Stanford (3-0) at Washington St. (3-1), 9 p.m.
Southern Miss. (0-3) at Boise St. (2-2), 9:15 p.m.
Southern Cal (3-1) at Arizona St. (2-1), 9:30 p.m.
California (1-2) at Oregon (3-0), 9:30 p.m.
Fresno State (3-0) at Hawaii (0-3), 11 p.m.

Top 25 Schedule

SATURDAY
No. 1 Alabama vs. No. 21 Mississippi, 5:30 p.m.
No. 2 Oregon vs. California, 9:30 p.m.
No. 3 Clemson vs. Wake Forest, 2:30 p.m.
No. 4 Ohio State vs. No. 23 Wisconsin, 7 p.m.
No. 5 Stanford at Washington State, 9 p.m.
No. 6 LSU at No. 9 Georgia, 2:30 p.m.
No. 8 Florida State at Boston College, 2:30 p.m.
No. 10 Texas A&M at Arkansas, 6 p.m.
No. 11 Oklahoma State at West Virginia, 11 a.m.
No. 12 South Carolina at UCF, 11 a.m.
No. 14 Oklahoma at No. 22 Notre Dame, 2:30 p.m.
No. 15 Miami at South Florida, 11 a.m.
No. 16 Washington vs. Arizona, 6 p.m.
No. 20 Florida at Kentucky, 6 p.m.
No. 25 Fresno State at Hawaii, 11 p.m.

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Thursday
At PPC Sawgrass, Dye's Valley Course
Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla.
Purse: $1 million
Yardage: 6,866; Par: 70 (35-35)
First Round

Ashley Hall	32-31 — 63
Robert Karlsson	31-32 — 63
Mark Anderson	32-32 — 64
Chesson Hadley	32-33 — 65
Shane Bertsch	33-32 — 65
Henrik Norlander	34-32 — 66
Billy Hurley III	33-33 — 66
Hudson Swafford	33-33 — 66
John Peterson	33-33 — 66
Matt Bettencourt	34-32 — 66
Peter Tomasulo	33-33 — 66
Joe Durant	33-33 — 66
Jonathan Vegas	33-33 — 66
Dicky Pride	29-37 — 66
Scott Gardiner	36-31 — 67
Andrew Svoboda	33-34 — 67
Russell Knox	33-34 — 67
Byron Smith	34-33 — 67
Casey Wittenberg	34-34 — 68
Robert Streb	35-33 — 68
Michael Putnam	35-33 — 68
Jaesh Gore	36-32 — 68
Marcel Siem	34-34 — 68
Andrew D. Putnam	33-35 — 68
Heath Slocum	35-33 — 68+
Blin Morris	33-35 — 68
Athit Canada	32-36 — 68
Tom Hoge	34-34 — 68
Darron Stiles	34-34 — 68
Andres Lopez	35-33 — 68
Leif Olson	35-34 — 69
Roland Thatcher	35-34 — 69
Matthew Gogel	36-33 — 69
Spencer Levin	35-34 — 69
Alistair Presnell	36-33 — 69
Tim Petrovic	34-35 — 69
Ricky Barnes	35-34 — 69
Peter Malnati	34-35 — 69
Brett Stegmaier	34-35 — 69
Aron Price	34-35 — 69
Lee Williams	33-36 — 69
Ryan Spaeth	35-34 — 69
Daniel Chopra	33-36 — 69
Bhavik Patel	35-34 — 69
Tyrone Van Aswegen	34-35 — 69
Chad Collins	34-35 — 69
Will Claxton	33-36 — 69
Will MacKenzie	35-34 — 69
Ryo Ishikawa	37-32 — 69
Jim Herman	34-35 — 69
Colt Knost	37-32 — 69
Jim Renner	35-34 — 69
Nick Flanagan	35-34 — 69
Fabian Gomez	34-35 — 69
Jeff Klauk	35-35 — 70
Rod Pampling	35-35 — 70
Bud Cauley	36-34 — 70
Tim Wilkinson	36-34 — 70
Sean O'Hair	33-37 — 70
Cameron Percy	34-36 — 70
Miguel Angel Carballo	35-35 — 70
Glen Day	35-35 — 70
Chad Campbell	32-38 — 70
Steve LeBrun	32-38 — 70
Andres Gonzales	32-38 — 70
Ben Kohles	36-34 — 70
Jamie Lovemark	33-37 — 70
Fernando Mechenelle	36-34 — 70
Brad Fritsch	35-35 — 70
Kelly Kraft	36-35 — 71
Camilo Benedett	35-36 — 71
Danny Lee	35-36 — 71
Trevor Immelman	36-35 — 71
Tag Ridings	34-37 — 71
Adam Hadwin	35-36 — 71
Steve Marino	36-35 — 71
Justin Bolli	36-35 — 71
Dawie van der Walt	35-36 — 71
Richard S. Johnson	36-35 — 71
Aaron Crawford	36-35 — 71
Nick O'Hern	37-34 — 71
Vaughn Taylor	35-36 — 71
Brendon Todd	34-37 — 71
David Mathis	35-36 — 71
Oscar Fraustro	33-38 — 71
Alejandro Rocha	37-35 — 72
Brice Garnett	37-35 — 72
Brendan La Cassie	35-37 — 72
Kevin Kisner	37-35 — 72
D.J. Brigman	36-36 — 72
Paul Goydos	35-37 — 72
Hunter Haas	37-35 —

DISTRICT2-5ACAPSULES

FROM STAFF REPORTS

DISTRICT 2-5A
SAN ANGELO CENTRAL AT ABILENE HIGH

When/where: 7:30 p.m. Shotwell Stadium, Abilene

Records: San Angelo Central 4-0, 2-0 in District 2-5A; Abilene High 1-3, 1-1

Last game: Odessa Permian 24, Abilene High 14; San Angelo Central 54, Odessa High 21

Last meeting: Abilene High 35, San Angelo Central 6 in 2012; the Eagles own a 43-34-5 record against the Bobcats

Weather forecast: Sunny with a game time temperature of 84 degrees expected and no chance of precipitation.

Three things you need to know

■ This long-running series, which dates back to 1922, has been dominated by the Eagles in recent years. The Eagles have won 10 straight games since 1995 with the series taking a break in 2002 and 2003, and from 2006 to 2011. The two teams returned to playing when they were realigned in the same district.

■ Central has one of the most prolific offenses in District 2-5A, averaging 582.6 yards a game this season and scoring 244 points. The Bobcats are the only team in the district to rush for 1,000 yards and pass for 1,000 yards so far this season.

■ Abilene High sustained its first district loss since 2010 with its 24-14 setback to Odessa Permian last Friday. In that game, the Eagles took a 14-0 lead in the first quarter but Permian scored 24 unanswered points to win.

Next: Midland High at San Angelo Central, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 4; Abilene Cooper vs. Abilene High, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 4

ABILENE COOPER AT ODESSA HIGH

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

On the air: KHKX 99.1 FM

Records: Cooper 2-2, 1-1 in 2-5A; Odessa High 2-2, 1-1

Last game: Cooper 56, Lubbock Coronado 28; San Angelo Central 54, Odessa High 21

Last meeting/series: Cooper 40, Odessa High 2 (2012); Cooper leads series, 32-16-2.

Weather forecast: Gam time temperature of 83 with a 30 percent chance of isolated thunderstorms persisting into the night. Strong winds around 20 miles per hour expected.

Three things you need to know

■ Cooper's defense made a good showing in the second half last week, shutting out Lubbock Coronado after allowing the Mustangs to score 28 points in the first half.

The Cougars got strong performances from senior quarterback Lorenzo Joe — a University of Texas commit — and senior running back Trey Dye — a BYU commit. Joe threw for 246 yards and two TDs, while rushing for two more scores. Dye had three TDs (two rushing, one passing) and 171 totals yards (92 receiving, 79 rushing).

■ Odessa High senior running back C.J. Eddison leads District 2-5A with 543 rushing yards on 97 carries. He has 30 more carries than any other player in 2-5A (Joe is second with 67), but is averaging 5.6 yards per attempt despite the heavy workload.

The Bronchos are passing the ball better than they did a year ago, but still rely heavily on Eddison to produce most of the offense. He has rushed for seven TDs this season.

■ Odessa High hasn't defeated Cooper since a 51-0 shutout victory in 2006. The Cougars have a four game win streak against Odessa High, outscoring the Bronchos, 36-9 in that span.

Next: Abilene Cooper vs. Abilene High, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 4; Odessa High at Lee, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 4.

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AREAFOOTBALLCAPSULES

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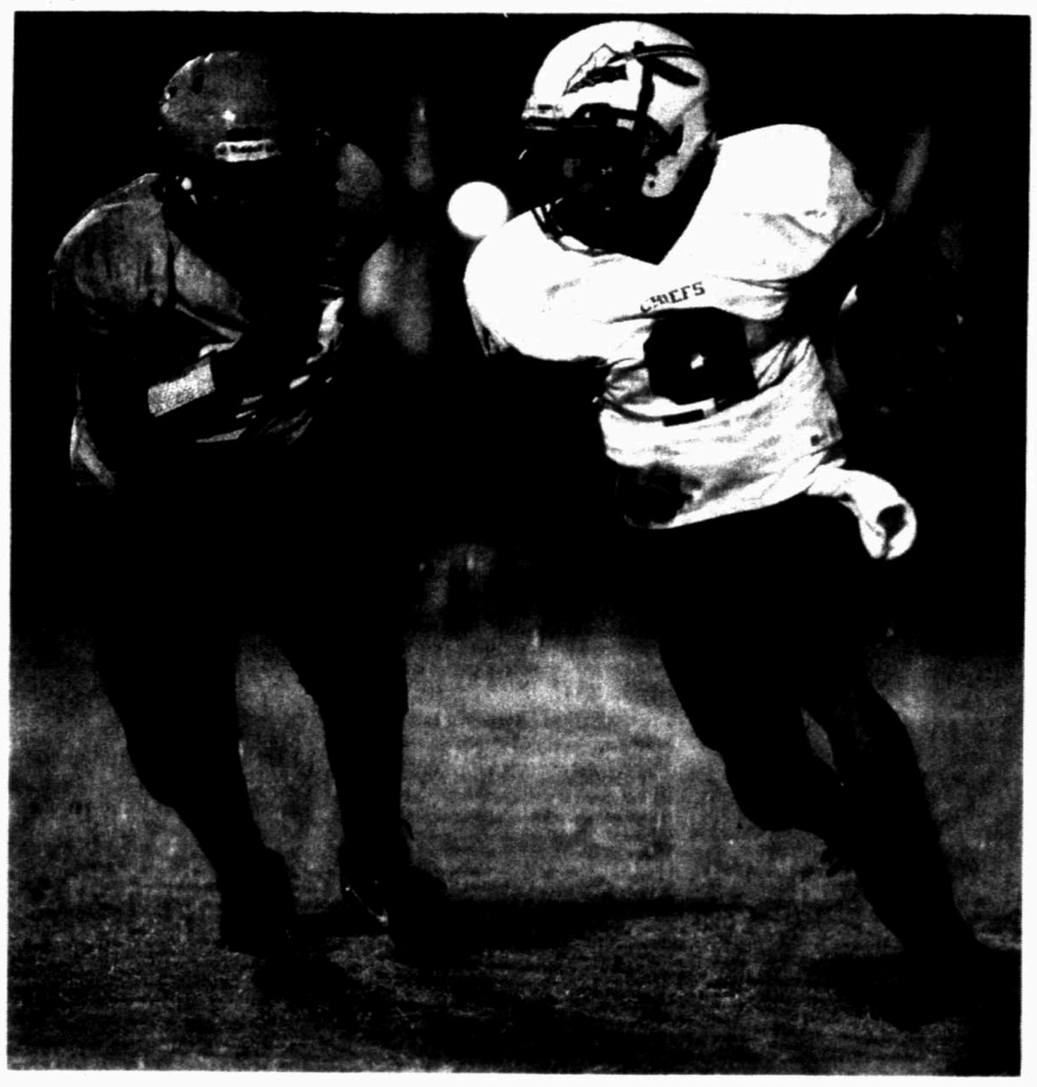

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Greenwood's Felix Rodriguez, left, chases San Angelo Lake View quarterback Nick Martinez out of the pocket on Sept. 20 in Greenwood.

GREENWOOD AT LAMESA

When/where: 7:30 p.m. today, Tornado Stadium, Lamesa

On the web: www.audiosportsonline.net or www.greenwood.esc18.net

Records: Greenwood 1-3; Lamesa 0-4

Last game: San Angelo Lake View 52, Greenwood 27; Clyde 49, Lamesa 12

Last meeting: Greenwood 77, Lamesa 34

Weather forecast: Temperatures in the lower 80s with a 30 percent chance of rain, getting down to the mid 70s at the end of the game.

Three things you need to know

■ Greenwood looks to break a three-game slide against a team it scored a school-record number of points against in last year's game at Grande Communications Stadium.

■ The Rangers have been running the ball more in order to allow the passing game to mature a little bit. RB Braydin Moreland (5-8, 165, Sr.) has rushed for 491 yards and four touchdowns this season.

■ Lamesa has struggled this year as the Golden Tornadoes have been outscored 223-57 this season, but Greenwood coach Shad Hanna said his team can't take them lightly.

"Just like we saw last year, they're capable of putting up points, so we're going to have to play great defense and get our offense going on all cylinders," Hanna said.

Next: Greenwood at Monahans, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 11; Lamesa at Slaton, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 11

BIG SPRING AT SEMINOLE

When/where: 7:30 p.m. today, Wigwam Stadium, Seminole

On the air: KBEST FM (95.7), KBYG FM (106.3), Big Spring

Records: Big Spring 3-1; Seminole 2-2

Last game: Big Spring 61, Andrews 48; Midland Christian 62, Seminole 0

Last meeting: Big Spring defeated Seminole, 29-19, in 2012, which was the teams' only previous meeting.

Weather forecast: Temperatures in the lower 80s with a 30 percent chance of rain at kickoff, getting down to the lower 70s at the end of the game.

Three things you need to know

■ Big Spring is coming off a win in which it scored its most points since the 1930s as the Steers had 590 yards of total offense.

■ RB Hunter Hill (Jr.) has emerged as a big weapon out of the backfield for Big Spring as he rushed for 151 yards and five touchdowns in last week's victory. Hill is taking some of the pressure off QB Tobyn Tannehill (Jr.), who added 258 yards passing, 124 yards rushing and accounted for three TDs last week.

■ Seminole became the latest team to get routed by Midland Christian as the Indians were held to 57 total yards by the Mustang defense. Even with the loss, Big Spring coach Phillip Ritchey is not taking them lightly.

"They have good sized kids on defense and play really aggressive up front with a lot of stunts," Ritchey said. "Offensively, they run a lot of formations so our defense is going to have to be diligent about how they align because Seminole has the ability to hurt you."

Next: Big Spring at Abilene Wylie, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 11; Seminole at Shallowater, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 11

STANTON AT SEAGRAVES

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

Records: Stanton 3-1; Seagraves 2-2

Last game: Stanton 42, McCamey 20; Wink 28, Seagraves 15

Last meeting: Stanton defeated Seagraves, 25-7 in 2012

Weather forecast: Temperatures in the lower 80s with a 30 percent chance of rain at kickoff, getting down to the mid 70s at the end of the game.

Three things you need to know

■ Stanton won its third straight game as the Buffaloes held off a late McCamey surge and then scored 21 straight points to close out the victory.

■ The Buffaloes were led once again by QB K.J. Glaspie (6-1, 175, Sr.), who passed for 139 yards and one TD to go with three rushing touchdowns. WR Austin Bird (5-9, 155, Sr.) had eight catches for 96 yards and one TD.

■ Seagraves, a Class A Division II opponent, was held to 202 total yards by the Wildcats and were led by Cory Kyle (5-11, 180, Sr.), who rushed for 76 yards and a touchdown to go with four catches for 69 yards and a TD.

"Seagraves has a new coach and they're still learning some things in that new offense (Wing-T)," Stanton coach John Peterson said. "We need to play consistent football and try to give ourselves the advantage and get away with (a win)."

Next: Coahoma at Stanton, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 11; Seagraves at Farwell, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 4

COAHOMA VS. BALLINGER

When/where: 7:30 p.m. today, Bearcat Stadium, Ballinger

On the air: KBST-AM (1490), Big Spring

Records: Coahoma 0-4, Ballinger 1-3

Last game: Denver City 47, Coahoma 0; Early 31, Ballinger 15

Last meeting: Ballinger defeated Coahoma, 21-0, in 2012

Weather forecast: Temperatures in the mid 80s, getting down to the upper 70s at the end of the game.

Three things you need to know

■ This is the last tune-up for the Bulldogs before beginning District 3-2A Division II play in two weeks.

■ The Bulldogs lost their fourth straight game with a shutout loss to Denver City as they were held to 144 total yards. Coahoma completed one pass for 2 yards, while RB Paul Cortez (5-4, 150, Soph.) rushed for 40 yards on nine carries to lead the Bulldogs.

■ The Bearcats have also struggled as they have scored just 22 combined points in their three losses and their only win coming against Class A Division II opponents Winter (34-14)

Next: Coahoma at Stanton, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 11; Colorado City at Ballinger, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 11

CRANE AT FORSAN

When/where: 7:30 p.m. El Ave Stadium, Crane

Records: Crane 4-0, Forsan 2-2

Last game: Crane 28, Pecos 13; Jim Ned 21, Forsan 14

Last meeting: Crane 47, Forsan 7 in 2012

Weather forecast: Mostly sunny with a game time temperature of 84 degrees expected, and winds of about 15 mph out of the south. The chance of precipitation will increase to about 30 percent during the game.

Three things you need to know

■ The Buffaloes struggled last week in a seven-point loss to the Indians on offense. Forsan totaled 50 yards passing, but Kolby Self rushed for 114 yards and two touchdowns in the loss.

■ Crane used a 14-point second quarter to break open a close game against Pecos for a victory. Gunner Tatum rushed for 201 yards on 21 carries and scored a touchdown in the game.

■ Forsan is 0-3 against the Golden Cranes as the two were in the same district in 2002 and 2003.

Next: Forsan at Sundown, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 4; Reagan County at Crane, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 11

NEW HOME AT GRADY

When/where: 7:30 p.m., Tunnell Field, Lenorah

Records: Grady 2-2, New Home 2-1

Last game: Grady 64, Trinity 16; Petersburg 34, New Home 13

Last meeting: Grady 60, New Home 15 in 2012

Weather forecast: Mostly sunny with a game time temperature of 84 degrees expected, and winds of about 15 mph out of the south. The chance of precipitation will increase to about 30 percent during the game.

Three things you need to know

■ Grady rebounded with a convincing victory last week at Trinity. The Wildcats rolled up 261 yards on the ground, and had 173 yards through the air. Beau Lucas and E.J. Rodriguez accounted for a combined nine touchdowns in the victory.

■ Wildcats coach Chris Kuykendall said that his squad should have an advantage in speed and quickness in this game, but added that New Home does have some size. "I think they are further along this year than they were last year," Kuykendall said. "Coach (J.K.) Hester has been doing a good job as far as getting those kids fundamental and ready to play."

■ The Leopards' two victories this season have come against Miami and Odessa Latter Rain. They will compete in Six-Man Division II District 4 this season.

Next: Grady at Sterling City, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 4; Whiteface at New Home, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 4

NO. 6 RANKIN AT SANDERSON

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

Records: Rankin 4-0; Sanderson 3-0

Last game: Rankin 64, Meadow 32; Sanderson 40, Fort Davis 23

Last meeting: Rankin 58, Sanderson 0 in 2012

Weather forecast: Temperatures in the mid 80s, getting into the 70s late in the game. Wind speeds should be 10-15 mph with gusts up to 30 mph. There is a 10 percent chance of rain increasing to 20 percent as the game progresses.

Three things you need to know

■ The Red Devils have started the season strong and it's been their running game that's carried them to the undefeated mark. Rankin rushed for 328 yards in its victory against Meadow last week at home. The Red Devils have rushed for more than 250 yards a game this season. Aaron Castillo and JR Rodriguez each rushed for 182 yards last week.

■ Tonight's game is the 51st meeting on the football field between these two schools. The game was renewed in 2006 when Rankin dropped to the six-man ranks. Rankin holds a 40-10 advantage. The first game was played in 1936 and Sanderson won, 14-0. The Red Devils have won five straight games since 2006.

■ Sanderson, which competes in Six-Man Division II District 6, has victories against two of Rankin's district rivals this season. Sanderson has beaten Marfa and Fort Davis.

Next: Rankin at Ropes, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 4; El Paso Home School at Sanderson, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 4

ROPES AT NO. 11 GARDEN CITY

When/where: 7:30 p.m. Bearkat Stadium, Garden City

Records: Garden City 3-1, Ropes 2-2

Last game: Ira 48, Garden City 28; Ropes 50, Nazareth 15

Last meeting: Ropes 42, Garden City 6 in 2012

Weather forecast: Partly cloudy and windy conditions are expected with winds out of the south-southeast at 21 mph. A game time temperature of 85 degrees is expected as the chance for isolated thunderstorms increases to 30 percent as the game progresses.

Three things you need to know

■ The Bearkats dropped their first game of the season last week to Ira, but still had a solid game offensively with 414 total yards. But the Bulldogs totaled 646 yards in the victory.

■ Garden City is 2-1 against Ropes as the two teams first started playing in 2010.

■ RB Juan Bustos had another big game for the Bearkats as he rushed for 176 yards on 15 carries.

Next: Garden City at Robert Lee, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 4; Rankin at Ropes, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 4

Compiled by Oscar LeRoy and Len Hayward

AREASTANDINGS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

District 2-5A
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Shallowater	4	0	221	88	1.000
Levelland	3	1	108	83	.750
Lub.Cooper	3	1	139	110	.750
Estacado	3	1	89	75	.667
Andrews	2	2	148	139	.500
Seminole	2	2	60	97	.500

Last week's scores

Big Spring 61, Andrews 48; Lubbock Cooper 39, Perryton 37; Lubbock Estacado 35, Snyder 31; Levelland 40, Brownfield 34, OT; Midland Christian 62, Seminole 0; Shallowater 46, Dalhart 7

This week's games

Lubbock Cooper at Hereford; Abilene Wylie at Lubbock Estacado; Levelland at Fort Stockton; Big Spring at Seminole; Shallowater at Idalou; Andrews at Lubbock High (Saturday)

District 4-3A
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Big Spring	3	1	101	86	.750
Sweetwater	2	2	148	152	.500
Monahans	2	1	88	54	.667
Greenwood	1	3	101	143	.250
Wylie	2	2	90	96	.500
Snyder	0	4	132	141	.000

Last week's scores

San Angelo Lake View 52, Greenwood 27; Big Spring 61, Andrews 48; Lubbock Estacado 35, Snyder 31; Wall 42, Sweetwater 28, Midland Christian 62, Seminole 0; Abilene Wylie 38, Brownwood 16; Monahans 27, Fort Stockton 0

This week's games

Greenwood at Lamesa; Big Spring at Seminole; Monahans at Kermit; Snyder at San Angelo Lake View; Wall at Sweetwater; Abilene Wylie at Lubbock Estacado

District 3-2A Division II
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Crane	4	0	150	35	1.000
Sonora	3	1	116	90	.750
Stanton	3	1	136	66	.750
Reagan Co.	2	2	61	88	.500
Alpine	2	2	110	53	.500
Coahoma	0	4	34	146	.000

Last week's scores

Stanton 42, McCamey 20; Denver City 47, Coahoma 0; Crane 28, Pecos 13; Alpine 60, Anthony 0; Sonora 35, Harper 7; Iraan 32, Reagan County 0

This week's games

Stanton at Seagraves; Ozona at Sonora; Crane at Forsan; Coahoma at Ballinger; Colorado City at Reagan County; Alpine vs. Muleshoe at Odessa (Saturday)

District 4-A Division I
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Anson	3	0	173	85	1.000
Stamford	3	0	135	33	1.000
Forsan	2	1	51	49	.667
Haskell	1	2	53	88	.333
Winters	1	2	63	95	.333

Last week's scores

Stanton 35, Forsan 6; Stamford 34, Merkel 20; Anson 61, Jim Ned 33; Haskell 26, Baird 25; Winters 42, Bronte 6

This week's games

Forsan at Jim Ned; Stamford at Colorado City; Hamlin at Winters; Miles at Anson; Electra at Haskell

District 5-A Division II
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Iraan	4	0	141	60	1.000
Wink	3	1	91	80	.750
McCamey	1	3	59	117	.250
Van Horn	0	4	18	141	.000

Last week's scores

Stanton 42, McCamey 20; Iraan 32, Reagan County 0; Tomball 18, Van Horn 0; Wink 28, Seagraves 15

This week's games

Wink at Iraan; Van Horn at McCamey

District 4 Six-man Division I
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Grady	2	2	104	102	.500
Klondike	2	2	107	99	.500
O'Donnell	2	2	187	223	.500
Borden Co.	1	3	114	228	.250

Last week's scores

Grady 64, Trinity 16; Borden County 50, Hermleigh 38; Klondike 54, Wellman-Union 6; O'Donnell 88, Odessa Latter Rain 53

This week's games

New Home at Grady; Klondike at Ira; Borden County at Dawson; Sands at O'Donnell

District 5 Six-man Division I
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Garden City	3	1	201	88	.750
Rankin	4	0	196	64	1.000
Fort Davis	0	3	37	164	.000
Marfa	0	4	105	231	.000

Last week's scores

Ira 48, Garden City 28; Sanderson 40, Fort Davis 23; Rankin 64, Meadow 32; Sierra Blanca 42, Marfa 36

This week's games

Ropes at Garden City; Rankin at Sanderson; Fort Davis at Balmorhea; Marfa at Imperial Buena Vista

TAPPS Division II District 1
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Mid. Christ.	4	0	198	171	.000
FWSW Christian	2	2	103	111	.500
Grapevine Faith	2	2	77	89	.500
FW Christian	1	2	59	88	.333
Waco Reicher	1	2	62	107	.333
Grace Prep	0	4	43	162	.000

Last week's scores

Midland Christian 62, Seminole 0; Fort Worth Christian 30, Gainesville State School 14; Argyle Liberty Christian 40, Arlington Grace Prep 0; Grapevine Faith Christian 33, Clarksville 6; Fort Worth Southwest Christian 52, Legacy Christian 21; Waco Reicher was open

This week's games

Midland Christian at Fort Worth Southwest Christian; Fort Worth Christian at Arlington Grace Prep; Arlington Pantego at Waco Reicher

TAPPS Six-man Division I District 1
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Dal. Lakehill	3	0	198	94	1.000
Canyon Creek	3	1	145	47	.750
Abilene Christ.	2	2	180	160	.500
Car.Christian	2	2	135	162	.500
Trinity	1	3	90	209	.250

Last week's scores

Gady 64, Trinity 16; Richardson Canyon Creek 27, Irving Universal Academy 7; Water Valley 60, Abilene Christian 24; Dallas Lakehill 109, Campbell 73; Rockwall Heritage 52; Carrollton Christian 18

This week's games

Watauga Harvest at Abilene Christian; Dallas Lakehill at Lakeland Christian; Carrollton Christian at Lucas Christian (Saturday) Trinity and Richardson Canyon Creek are open

SCORES

FROM WIRE REPORTS

HS Top 10

Class 5A

1. Allen (4-0) vs. Coppell. Friday
2. Katy (5-0) beat Katy Morton Ranch 28-3
3. DeSoto (4-0) at South Grand Prairie. Friday
4. Galena Park North Shore (4-0) vs. Channelview. Friday
5. Houston Lamar (3-0) vs. Houston Westbury. Friday
6. Coppell (3-0) at Allen. Friday
7. Cibolo Steele (4-1) beat San Marcos 51-7
8. Smithson Valley (4-0) at CC King. Friday
9. Southlake Carroll (2-1) vs. Keller Central. Friday
10. Pflugerville Hendrickson (4-0) vs. Round Rock Cedar Ridge. Friday

Class 4A

1. Aledo (3-0) at FW Arlington Heights. Friday
2. SA Northside Brennan (4-0) at SA Edison. Saturday
3. Whitehouse (4-0) vs. Carthage. Friday
4. Humble Summer Creek (3-0) vs. Crosby. Friday
5. Denton Guyer (1-2) at Azle. Friday
6. Texas City (4-0) beat Baytown Goose Creek 42-16
7. Cedar Park (3-1) at Leander. Friday
8. Elgin (4-0) vs. Hutto. Friday
9. Pearland Dawson (3-0) vs. Santa Fe. Friday
10. Manor (4-0) vs. Georgetown. Friday

Class 3A

1. Carthage (4-0) at Whitehouse. Friday
2. Gilmer (4-0) vs. Gladewater. Friday
3. Navasota (4-0) vs. Fairfield. Friday
4. Argyle (4-0) at Wilmer-Hutchins. Friday
5. Kilgore (3-0) at Longview Spring Hill. Friday
6. Graham (4-0) at Springtown. Friday
7. Stephenville (3-1) at Amarillo. Saturday
8. Celina (4-0) at Perryton. Friday
9. Port Isabel (4-0) vs. Rio Grande City Grulla. Friday
10. El Campo (3-0) idle

Class 2A

1. Cameron Yoe (3-0) at Salado. Friday
2. Newton (3-0) vs. Warren. Friday
3. East Bernard (3-0) at El Maton Tidehaven. Friday
4. New Boston (4-0) vs. Queen City. Friday
5. Wall (4-0) vs Brady. Friday
6. Tatum (3-0) at Center. Friday
7. Cisco (4-0) vs. Stamford. Friday
8. Franklin (4-0) vs. Austin St Michael. Friday
9. Hallettsville (4-0) vs. Weimar. Friday
10. Refugio (2-1) at Riviera Kaufer. Friday

Class 1A

1. Stamford (4-0) at Cisco. Friday
2. Wellington (4-0) vs. Stinnett West Texas. Friday
3. Stratford (4-0) idle
4. Chilton (4-0) at Milano. Friday
5. Tenaha (2-1) vs. Gladewater Sabine. Friday
6. Anson (4-0) at Coleman. Friday
7. Mason (2-1) at San Saba. Friday
8. Falls City (4-0) at Three Rivers. Friday
9. Pineland West Sabine (3-0) idle
10. Mart (2-2) vs. Goldthwaite. Friday

Thursday's Scores

CLASS 5A

Arlington Bowie 55, Weatherford 6
Austin Akins 25, Del Valle 23
Cibolo Steele 51, San Marcos 7
Cypress Ridge 20, Cypress Fairbanks 0
Edinburg Vela 14, La Joya Juarez-Lincoln 3
Fort Bend Austin 42, Fort Bend Dulles 20
Garland Sachse 35, North Garland 0
Houston Bellaire 82, Houston Sam Houston 20
Irving MacArthur 63, Carrollton Turner 7
Katy 28, Katy Morton Ranch 3
Katy Cinco Ranch 31, Houston Memorial 28, 2OT
Keller Fossil Ridge 42, N. Richland Hills 22
Lake Travis 51, Austin High 12
Laredo Alexander 42, Eagle Pass 14
Pasadena Dobie 39, Pasadena South Houston 14

CLASS 4A

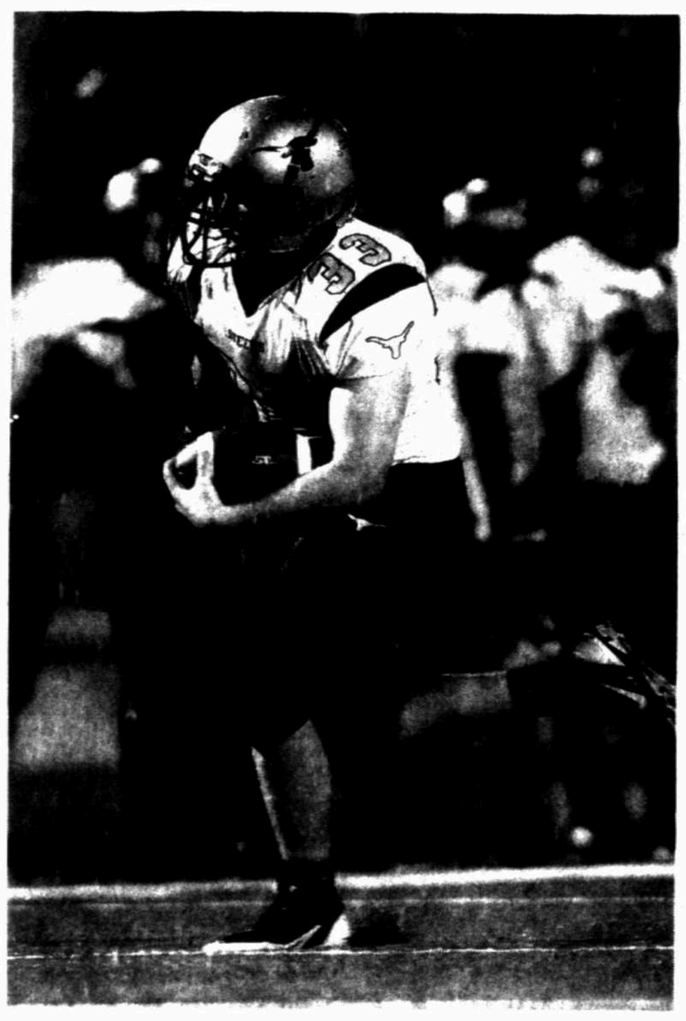
Amarillo Caprock 35, Lubbock Monterey 34
Dallas Adams 41, Dallas Jefferson 14
Dallas Highland Park 52, Forney 17
Dallas Molina 34, Dallas Pinkston 22
Dallas Wilson 29, Dallas Spruce 0
EP Bowie 40, EP Austin 7
Fort Bend Ridge Point 27, Tomball Memorial 7
FW Dunbar 67, FW Polytechnic 7
FW Trimble Tech 9, FW Western Hills 7
Laredo Martin 28, CC Miller 10
Mansfield Legacy 44, Lancaster 30
Mercedes 36, Mission Memorial 35
N. Richland Hills Birdville 72, FW Carter-Riverside 7
Richmond George Ranch 45, Richmond Foster 21
Rio Grande City 34, PSJA Southwest 0
SA Burbank 43, SA Highlands 21
Sherman 53, McKinney North 44
Texas City 42, Baytown Goose Creek 16
Tyler 51, Autonoma de Nuevo Leon, Mexico 14

CLASS 3A

Dallas Roosevelt 42, Venus 28
Houston Furr 42, Houston Jones 18
Houston Kashmere 72, Houston Scarborough 0

PRIVATE SCHOOLS

Houston St. Pius X 17, La Marque 14



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Big Spring's Garrett Wigington runs the ball during a Sept. 20 game against Andrews on at Mustang Bowl in Andrews.

FELDT

From 1C

during the 1976, 1977 and 1978 seasons. Feldt went on to play at Texas Tech and was a starter and team captain for the Red Raiders for three seasons.

He later returned to Midland High in the late 1990s as an offensive line coach before beginning his head coaching career at Breckenridge in 2000. He tabulated a 91-57 record in 13 years as a head coach, winning a state title in 2009 with Class 2A Pilot Point, before coming to Permian after going 18-6 with back-to-back district titles in two years at Buda Hays.

For Feldt, the decision to coach at Permian was a simple one.

"This is my 30th year in the profession and I've learned your career takes you where it takes you," Feldt said. "In both my college and high school coaching career, I've been all over. But one of the things I've always wanted to do is have an opportunity to come back and coach in this district."

It hasn't been the most enjoyable start in Feldt's first year with the Panthers. They opened the season with three straight losses, including a 31-28 defeat at the hands of rival Odessa High to open district play.

But the Panthers seemed to turn a corner last week, knocking off perennial district favorite Abilene High, 24-14, at Ratliff Stadium. It's a performance that has caught the eye of Feldt's peers.

"I didn't really know Blake when he was hired, but obviously he's been successful as a head coach," MHS coach Craig Yenzer said. "And then you look at the body of work they put in last week against Abilene High. He took a team that was down and out after the first three games and somehow (beat Abilene High). That job he and his staff did last week

impresses me."

Feldt has just as much appreciation for the job Yenzer is doing at his alma mater. While Feldt was playing at Midland High, he never experienced what it was like to have a winning record, let alone make a playoff appearance in a time when only the district champion qualified for the postseason.

He returns to the Permian Basin to find Midland High a perennial playoff contender under Yenzer — an accomplishment he can't help but respect.

"I think it's great what coach Yenzer has done," said Feldt, whose younger brother, Michael, was the Bulldogs' starting quarterback from 1978 to 1980 and went on to play defensive back at the University of Texas. "Coach Yenzer and his entire staff have done a fantastic job there. Really what coach Yenzer was able to do, if you look at it all the way back to the 60s, it was a revolving door at head coach at Midland High.

"He has really brought some stability to the program and have made it one of the best 5A programs in West Texas. I'm proud of what he's done."

Yet while there are still some obvious affections for his hometown and his alma mater, at the end of the day, Feldt still has a job to do and he's not going to be wearing the Bulldogs' purple and gold Friday night.

Instead, he'll be donning Permian black and white.

"Right now, I'm worried about the Permian Panthers," Feldt said. "I'm worried about our football team first and foremost. It's an opportunity for us to go 2-1 in district play and that's most important right now. This is a big district game. I'm not concerned with anything else."

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ODESSA PERMIAN AT MIDLAND HIGH

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

On the air: KCRS 550 AM

Records: Permian 1-3, 1-1 in 2-5A; Midland High 2-1, 1-0

Last game: Permian 24, Abilene High 14; Midland High 37, Amarillo Tascosa 27

Last meeting/series: Midland High 17, Permian 6 (2012); Permian leads series, 43-11.

Weather forecast: Gam time temperature of 84 with a 30 percent chance of isolated thunderstorms persisting throughout the night. Strong winds around 20 miles per hour expected.

Five things you need to know

■ One area Permian has excelled at this season is forcing and recovering fumbles. The Panthers have forced 12 fumbles and recovered 10 this season. This total includes recovering four of the five fumbles the Panthers caused against Abilene High last week — a key factor in their victory.

"They're really attacking on defense," MHS coach Craig Yenzer said of Permian. "They kind of play with their safeties up and get after you a bit. It looks like the traditional Permian defenses. They can create some problems."

■ The Panthers have struggled to find consistency at quarterback, although sophomore Trey Potter is coming off his best performance of the year, completing 18 of 25 passes for 188 yards and a TD against Abilene High.

Still, the Panthers have been more productive running the ball with three different players with at least 233 yards this season. Sophomore Brandon Bailey leads the Panthers with 296 yards on 54 carries, while junior Justin Hall has 295 yards on 40 carries. Senior Mikorban Fields has 233 yards on 49 carries.

All three players have rushed for more than 100 hundred yards in a game at least once this season.

■ Last week was the first time this season, Midland High failed to win the turnover battle. The Bulldogs were minus-1 in turnovers against Amarillo Tascosa after quarterbacks Sam Grimes and Preston Howey combined to throw three interceptions.

Grimes and Howey will rotate at the quarterback position tonight.

The Bulldogs recovered two Tascosa fumbles to close the gap, however. It could also be argued the Bulldogs did force a third turnover of sorts as Tascosa had a bad snap go over punter Tucker Davidson's head and out of the end zone for a safety, which essentially played out like a turnover.

Midland High is plus-3 in turnover differential this season.

■ Last season, the Bulldogs and Panthers played in a torrential downpour which practically took the air out of the ball for both teams. Midland High ended up dominating a physical game, rushing for 242 yards on 59 carries. The Bulldogs didn't complete a pass, but also held Permian to 130 total yards of offense.

There is a 30 percent chance of rain tonight.

■ Midland High is going to be without three players for certain tonight, including senior defensive end Brady Watson, who injured his knee against Amarillo Tascosa last week. The Bulldogs are hopeful to have Watson back within a month. Senior Thomas Woods will start in Watson's place.

Also missing will be senior offensive lineman Michael Estrada (knee) and senior defensive back Juan Losoya (elbow) who are both out indefinitely. Senior defensive tackle Phillip Wright is questionable with a high ankle sprain. Wright sat out last week's victory against Tascosa.

The Panthers have been without junior quarterback Heath Wood for two weeks, and his availability remains in question this week. Potter is set to remain the starter even if Wood, who started the Panthers' first two games, is available.

Next: Amarillo Tascosa at Odessa Permian, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 4; Midland High at San Angelo Central, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 4.

REBELS

From 1C

for the pair both in preparation and during the game. But now, the two are so confident in how well they know the position and the schemes the Rebels are running, there is no apprehension.

"Last year, I just remember being real, real nervous before every game and freaking out," said Vitello, who is second on the team in tackles with 31 and three pass break-ups. "This year, it's like let's go out have some fun and hit somebody."

The confidence the two have in each other is evident in practice as well.

Safeties coach Jeff Pair said the two know things so well now, for him it's just a matter of fine-tuning each day in practice and adjusting during the game.

Adjusting is a big part of what the defense has to do each week, but especially the safeties as they are playing in a district that features nearly a different type of offense every week.

"It is difficult and there's a mental aspect that goes into that with film study, formations and we do change each week," Pair said. "Monday is a big mental day for them and seeing what we are doing for the week. They've handled it real well."

Sanchez said what makes it all work is how well the two get along. The two are there for each other both on good plays and bad, and Vitello said that growth in their relationship off the field has been important on how well they've been playing.

"Last year we were just kind of acquaintances, but this year there is more of a friendship," Vitello said. "There's a bond back there."

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LEE AT LUBBOCK CORONADO

When/where: 8 p.m. today, Lowrey Field, Lubbock

On the air: KNFM 92.3 FM

Records: Lee 2-1, 1-0 in District 2-5A; Lubbock Coronado 2-2, 0-2

Last game: Lee 42, Abilene Cooper 35; Abilene Cooper 56, Lubbock Coronado 28

Last meeting/series: Lee 28, Lubbock Coronado 10 in 2012; Lee leads series 11-1

Weather forecast: Temperature of 80 degrees expected at game time with a south wind at 15 mph. There is also a 30 percent chance of isolated thunderstorms as well.

Five things you need to know

■ This is the 13th meeting between these two schools, but fourth in district play. Lee is 3-0 against the Mustangs when the two teams are in the same district. Coronado's lone victory was in a 2007 Class 5A Division I regional round playoff game.

■ Lee coach James Morton said that senior wide receiver Alex Bell was still questionable for today's game with a hamstring injury. Bell participated in workouts this week, but Morton said he was still unsure if he will play.

■ For Coronado, coach Kent Jackson said that running back Robert Lee was expected to play in today's game but it will still likely be a game-time decision. Lee is one of the district's top rushers, but missed last week's game against Abilene Cooper. Lee has rushed for 430 yards this season, and is averaging 9.1 yards a carry.

■ Jackson said that playing against this Lee team is different than in the past because of the Rebels emphasis on passing the ball. But Jackson said he can tell the players have bought into the system. "Like everyone in this district, anybody you play is going to be awfully good," Jackson said. "It's change so much for them and they are going to sling it around. You've got to credit them for getting that put and getting the kids to believe in it."

■ Coronado's two wins this season have been against Hub City rivals Lubbock Monterey and Lubbock High. This will be the third time in five games the Mustangs have played at Lowrey Field.

Next: Odessa High at Lee, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 4; Lubbock Coronado at Odessa High, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 11

MCS

From 1C

TAPPS Division II district play against the Eagles at 7:30 p.m. today at Eagle Stadium in Fort Worth.

"I look at number of attempts versus number of rushes, and don't look at yards," McClendon said. "And that depends on the team you play because some are going to take the pass away and give us the run. But then I do go back and see how many yards we rushed and passed for and we want those numbers to be close."

Quarterback Mason McClendon has completed 66 passes in four games and five players have at least 10 catches this season. And all five of those players are averaging more than 14 yards a catch and all have at least one touchdown.

Senior Elias Aguirre leads the team with 18 catches for 352 yards and six touchdowns, and fellow senior Jarrod Koym has 14 catches for 225 yards and 17 TDs.

McClendon said how much they run or throw depends on the defense they are playing, but McClendon does admit that he rarely knows how many times they throw or run during a game. But he said that the success of his passing game has been something that's pleased him this year.

"Right now I have so much confidence in our passing game that I look up sometimes and I think I've got to run the football more," McClendon said. "I used to do the same thing the other way. But it's so easy and comfortable in a five-wide set and just take the mismatches."

MIDLAND CHRISTIAN AT FW SOUTHWEST CHRISTIAN

When/where: 7:30 p.m. today, Eagle Stadium, Fort Worth

On the web: www.midlandchristianschool.org and www.bit.ly/mustangslive

Records: Midland Christian 4-0, 0-0 in TAPPS Division II, District 1; FW SW Christian 2-2, 0-0

Last game: Midland Christian 62, Seminole 0; FW SW Christian 52, Legacy Christian 21

Last meeting/series: Midland Christian won 44-12 in 2012

Weather forecast: Sunny skies with a temperature of 87 degrees expected at game time. There is no chance of precipitation.

Five things you need to know

■ The Mustangs enter this year's District 1 campaign riding a four game winning streak and have been dominant in winning those games. Midland Christian has outscored its opponents 198-17 in those games, with its lone shutout last week against Seminole.

■ Mustang quarterback Mason McClendon has already broken one school career passing, and will likely break another one tonight. McClendon has thrown for 1,090 yards this season and has 6,355 for his career, which is six yards behind the career mark set by Jamie Beeghley. McClendon already holds the mark for career touchdowns with 76 and counting.

■ The Mustangs had their first 100-yard rusher last week as Justin Fender rushed for 118 yards against the Indians.

■ Coach Greg McClendon said that Southwest Christian is much improved over previous years, and runs a balanced offense. "Southwest Christian has been one of the bottom teams in our district for a long time, and last year they made a move," McClendon said. "(Coach) Joe Hamstra and his staff have got some consistency going now, and they've got some quality athletes."

■ RB Sam Cooper and QB Lee Thompson lead the Eagles rushing attack. Cooper has rushed for 175 yards and a touchdown, and Thompson has 119 yards and three touchdowns.

Next: Arlington Grace Prep at Midland Christian, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 4; FW SW Christian at Arlington Pantego Christian, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 4

Nick Wass

Houston running back Arian Foster, right, is tackled by Baltimore strong safety James Ihedigbo in the second half of Sunday's game in Baltimore. (AP Photo/Nick Wass)

Houston offense looks to rebound against Seattle

By Kristie Rieken
Associated Press

HOUSTON — The Houston Texans know their offense has to improve after scoring just nine points in their first loss of the season last week.

The unit has plenty of problems, but perhaps the biggest one is the recent play of quarterback Matt Schaub. Offensive coordinator Rick Dennison was blunt when asked about Schaub.

"He's got to get better," Dennison said.

Schaub has thrown four interceptions this season and two of those have been returned for touchdowns. Dennison couldn't put his finger on exactly why Schaub, who had 12 interceptions last season, has been so mistake-prone this year.

"I don't know," Dennison said. "He's made bad decisions. That's about as far as I can tell you. He made a bad decision with the ball and he's learning from them. We can't make those bad decisions."

Dennison said the coaching staff asks Schaub, who is in his 10th season, to explain his mistakes and together they try to figure out how he can avoid making the same miscues in the future.

Schaub knows that he has to clean up his play, but he believes that the biggest key to improving is to forget the bad plays he's made and move forward.

"You can't dwell on things that have happened," Schaub said. "You can't change the past. Just go look to the next play to be better and put yourself and your team in a better position. That's where my focus is, is to be better for my team this week. They depend on me and need me to be that."

This week, he'll face the NFL's top defense in Seattle, a team which has forced 10 turnovers this season and is allowing a league-best nine points a game. The unit features a secondary with three of the four starters that 6-foot-3 or taller.

"They do everything," coach Gary Kubiak said. "They can run, physical, they're all long. Even if you get a step on them or so, they find a way to make plays with their length. They've just been exceptional."

Despite his recent problems, the Seahawks know that dealing with him and the rest of Houston's offense won't be an easy task.

"He's really good, he's really accurate, he has a tremendous group to throw to, they have a style of getting the ball down field," Seattle coach Pete Carroll said. "It's really effective."

"You can be all over a guy and he can put the ball where the receivers and the only guy who can get it and he does that a lot," Carroll continued. "So we think a lot of him."

The Texans are also hoping to get back to running the ball the way they have in the past. The success of the offense is predicated on being able to run the ball, but they haven't been able to run as much as they'd like after trailing for large chunks of each of their games this season.

"We definitely would like to get our running game going more," Kubiak said. "We've actually run the ball pretty decent, but we just have not stayed on the field to run it."

The Texans also struggled with penalties on Sunday against the Ravens, committing 14 for 113 yards. Houston's offensive line was flagged three times as it adjusted to playing without veteran left tackle Duane Brown, who missed the game with a toe injury.

Brown is feeling better this week, but the Texans aren't sure if he'll be ready to play on Sunday. Like Schaub, the line aims to turn in a better performance this week.

"Matt (Schaub) got hit too much," left guard Wade Smith said of Sunday's game. "We definitely want to get it back on track and get us doing what we do around here, running the ball, controlling the clock and dictating defenses."

PROTECTION

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loss at Tennessee with a concussion.

"They play with a lot of energy and have a passion for getting to the quarterback," San Diego coach Mike McCoy said of Dallas' defensive line.

Romo, who has completed 72.2 percent of his passes for 771 yards and a fifth-ranked 103.9 passer rating, has been sacked only six times, putting Dallas on pace for yielding 31 sacks. Last season, he was sacked 39 times and finished with a passer rating of 90.5, which ranked 10th in the NFL.

The difference: He's receiving that extra "half-second" Jerry Jones promised after the team drafted center Travis Frederick in the first round. In addition to Frederick, Dallas has news faces in guards Ron Leary and Brian Waters.

"That's an important aspect for a quarterback," Romo said of his increased time to set his feet and scan the field. "It's a tough game as it is."

If they continue to protect Romo well, he could have a field day against San Diego, which ranks 24th in sacks with just six and has given up a league-worst 1,022 passing yards.

"We're as strong as we've been on the interior of our offensive line in about three years," Garrett said. "We've made some personnel moves to help make that happen. We've been healthier and that's helped make that happen. We're just a stronger team."

Injury report: Receivers Miles Austin (hamstring) and Dwayne Harris (hip) sat out practice for a second straight day… Defensive end DeMarcus Ware (neck) was limited.

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UT baseball coach Garrido seeks to build his team's character

By Mike Finger
San Antonio Express-News

AUSTIN — Across the highway from the football complex where one group of Texas Longhorns fell into recent habits this month, Augie Garrido spent much of September trying to prevent the same thing from happening at UFCU Disch-Falk Field.

UT's home baseball locker room, with its plush chairs, flat-screen TVs and spacious dressing areas, sat empty. For fall practice, Garrido had his team set up shop in the sparsely accommodated visitor's room.

His message wasn't subtle. After missing the NCAA tournament in each of the last two seasons, his players had earned nothing.

"There's no secret about the idea of entitlement around here," Garrido said Thursday. "The things that are provided for players can spoil their attitude. We're turning entitlement into a character and trying to kick its butt."

But Garrido, who at 74 will lead the Longhorns into home exhibition games against Lamar on Saturday at 1 p.m. and against Texas State on Sunday at 3 p.m., didn't absolve himself from blame, either.

After 13 consecutive NCAA tournaments, seven College World Series berths and two national titles from 1999-2011, the last two years have been the most disappointing of Garrido's UT tenure. And he acknowledged that he has to answer for them.

Garrido

"I'm not really a martyr, and I'm not really modest," Garrido said. "But if I don't take responsibility when it's my turn, I'd be pretty hypocritical."

Some of the problems that have plagued the Longhorns in recent years have been beyond his control. Of the nine top hitting prospects who committed to Garrido in 2011 and 2012, eight signed pro contracts instead of attending UT. The result was a dismal offense that couldn't score enough runs to help one of the nation's best pitching rotations.

But Garrido said he was just as disappointed by the lack of mental discipline from the players he did have.

"We were very balanced, between not being very talented and not having the right attitude," Garrido said.

This fall, he sees signs that both areas will improve. UT's latest recruiting class was ranked sixth in the country by Collegiate Baseball, and five players who were MLB draft picks are on the roster. The pitching staff, which had the nation's seventh-best ERA, returns all three of its top starters.

So with the talent in place, Garrido said the Longhorns have spent the past month "developing the proper attitude."

"We're putting more of an emphasis on that than on how to field a ground ball or how to hit," Garrido said.

Of course, it's only natural that Garrido will hear questions about his job future heading into next season. But he said he wants to keep coaching as long as he's healthy, and he said his health is "better than a lot of people would like it to be."

Still, he knows better than to make any guarantees.

"I'm not as well-rounded as some other guys," Garrido said. "I don't have a dog. I don't have a yard to mow. I don't go boating. This is what I do.

"But in this business, when we win, it buys us 24 hours apiece. And I like that."

Longhorns' big picture: Is the running game revving up?

Mark Rosner
Austin American-Statesman

AUSTIN — Something we've learned during the Longhorns' post-apocalypse era is that they are good dancers, adept at taking steps forward and back.

Nowhere is consistency written on their resume from these last three seasons of working under Mack Brown at trying to restore the program. Even so, there's nothing wrong with extending them credit where it is due, and they deserve some for producing a running game — 227 rushing yards, their second-highest output since last year's Baylor game — during last Saturday's 31-21 victory over Kansas State.

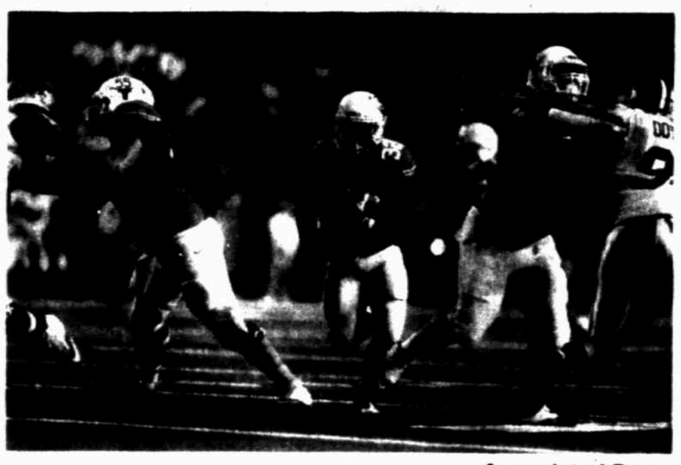
Granted, this wasn't Kansas State from a year ago. The Wildcats (2-2, 0-1) lost eight starters on defense from a team that was the Big 12 champion.

But they weren't New Mexico State, either. The Longhorns (2-2, 1-0) ran through those Aggies for 359 yards and four touchdowns before they were dragged back to earth — literally — by BYU and Mississippi.

Texas gained a total of 256 yards in those two losses, averaging 3.9 a carry.

But the Longhorns were more efficient against Kansas State, averaging 4.8 yards a pop -- 6.5 in the first half, when David Ash's passes to Kendall Sanders, Jaxon Shipley and Marcus Johnson created a balance that aided the running game.

Sophomore Johnathan Gray rushed for 81 yards on 11 carries in the first half before gaining 60 more on 17 tries after Ash — who was taken out at halftime after showing symptoms of a possible concussion — left the game. That added up to a career-best 141 yards for Gray, who reached the 100-yard mark for the first time this season.


Associated Press

Texas' Johnathan Gray runs the ball during Saturday's game against Kansas State in Austin.

Gray reached 100 yards twice as a freshman, against Kansas and Texas Tech in consecutive games. His 106 yards at Texas Tech on Nov. 3 remained the last time a Longhorn had broken 100 until last Saturday.

Texas finished with 225 yards passing Saturday, two fewer than the running game produced.

"That's who we need to be," Brown said. "We did not think that we could just line up and run it. We thought we had to do both."

Gray ran with authority and, it appeared, a degree of anger. Malcolm Brown, who gained 40 yards on nine carries, showed some quick bursts. Brown had gained 15 yards on 11 carries in the Longhorns' first three games.

Gray seemed to enjoy the workload. His 28 carries were a career-high, too.

"Backs have to get in a rhythm," he said.

Gray carried 12 times for only 29 yards during a defeat at Kansas State last season. But Wildcat safety Ty Zimmerman said he saw enough of Gray to know he was good.

"He's a big, physical guy that runs hard," Zimmerman said after the defeat Saturday. "All the credit goes to Texas and how hard they played."

Longhorns coaches and tailbacks paid homage to a collective effort.

"I thought we did a good job up front blocking," said co-offensive coordinator Major Applewhite, also handing praise to the wide receivers for their blocking. "I thought our backs did a great job in breaking tackles. When you run the ball, the backs get a lot of credit. It's the other 10 guys putting you in that position."

Guard Trey Hopkins said the offensive line had a good week of practice before facing Kansas State.

"We made sure we were perfect on our technique and knew how to handle the movements we would see from Kansas State," Hopkins said.

Though skeptics might disagree, Malcolm Brown said the Longhorns are capable of running like that every week.

"Obviously, you saw tonight that the offensive line was opening up those holes," Brown said. "We can find them if they're out there."

Howard makes a believable racing film with 'Rush'

By Jenna Fryer
Associated Press

Ron Howard admits he was no racing aficionado when he set out to make the Formula One thriller "Rush," chronicling the tense 1976 world championship battle between playboy James Hunt and calculating Niki Lauda.

Racing movies don't have the best track record, after all. The driving has usually been unrealistic and too many directors cheated on details that insiders found offensive.

"I love sports, too, and I don't know much about Formula One, but I just kept thinking, 'If somebody made a baseball movie and if they cut to the center fielder and the center fielder was standing there with a catcher's glove on, I'd feel disrespected,'" Howard said in a recent phone interview with The Associated Press. "I didn't want those kinds of gaffes. When talking to people who really love motorsports, they'd talk about movies that weren't documentaries and they'd cite mistakes, the kind of mistakes that would really just take them out of the movie.

"While you can never be 1,000 percent authentic, it was important that we get it right."

Howard was understandably nervous when he screened "Rush" for the F1 community, with Lauda himself in the audience, during the German Grand Prix weekend in July.

"It was tense for me, and I think they were gracious but skeptical going into the screening," Howard said. "When it was over, I think they were surprised at how much care had been given. People who had lived through it were palpably moved."

Howard's understating the response he received: Lauda led the room in a standing ovation and the overwhelming reaction so far has been that Howard has made one of the most realistic and true racing movies to date.

"Everybody says that the racing scenes are really incredibly filmed and done. So you have to ask normal people, not us. Normal people, they really liked the whole thing," Lauda told AP. "I can only judge the way the public is judging. The public seems to like it, in America, here, everywhere."

Lauda has praised the Peter Morgan script, Howard's directing and Daniel Bruhl, who plays Lauda in the film. Although Lauda did not spend many days on set, Howard said the former racer was available in preproduction and gracious with his time. Bruhl had the Austrian on speed dial during filming.

"When something came up with the language or expressions, or a question in sequence like did Niki put his gloves on first or his helmet on first, Daniel would just take a moment and go over and be on the phone, and I'd know he'd be on the phone with Niki," Howard recalled.

It's a complicated story featuring two very different heroes. Hunt, the hard-partying, womanizing Englishman who succeeds despite himself, and the cold and socially inept Lauda, who has no time or patience for anything but winning.

They race during a dangerous period in Formula One, when technology rapidly outpaced safety advancements, and each driver faces it differently.

"The closer you are to death, the more alive you feel," Hunt says. "The risk of death turns people on."

Settlement in lawsuit with college athletes

By Steve Eder
New York Times News Service

Two of the three targets of a high-profile lawsuit seeking payment for student-athletes settled the closely watched case Thursday, leaving the NCAA as the lone remaining defendant.

The terms of the settlement between the athletes and two of their targets, EA Sports and the Collegiate Licensing Co., were not disclosed in a federal court filing in Oakland, Calif.

The lawsuit, which was filed by former UCLA basketball player Ed O'Bannon, could have broad implications for the future of college athletics, opening the possibility that student-athletes could share in the profits of big-time university sports.

The case, which began more than four years ago, is focused on the rights of colleges athletes, how their likenesses are used - particularly in video games and broadcasts - and whether they should be paid.

The settlement by the other parties, if approved by the judge, indicates that the NCAA will probably be alone in defending itself.

"We have asked for, but have not yet received, the terms" of the settlement, said Donald Remy, the NCAA's chief legal officer, "so we cannot comment further."

Michael Hausfeld, a lawyer for the athletes, declined to discuss the settlement terms but said it would not be an "unreasonable inference" to conclude that the student-athletes might now have the support of EA Sports and the Collegiate Licensing Co., which handles rights licensing for many universities.

Hausfeld also said he did not believe the settlement "changes the mindset of the NCAA."

Legal analysts said the lawsuit had been particularly important to the NCAA.

"The NCAA has a lot more at stake in terms of what this is going to be to their organization than EA Sports did going forward," said Justin Sievert, a lawyer with the Michael L. Buckner Law Firm, a sports law firm in Pompano Beach, Fla.

He added, "If the NCAA settles or loses at trial, that will change the whole amateurism system."

EA Sports' interest in the case stems from its role as the maker of the college football video game series. The plaintiffs in the case had said that the characteristics of the players in the video games essentially mirrored those of actual college athletes, violating their rights.

On Thursday, just before the settlement, which was first reported online by The Birmingham News, EA Sports announced on its website that it would not publish its college football video game in 2014 and that it was working to settle the case with the athletes.

Aggies benefit from Askew sticking with program

By Brent Zwerneman
San Antonio Express-News

COLLEGE STATION — Rovinda Coe, as steadfast, loving mothers do, had offered her son pep talks and inspirational messages over his first three years of college.

But a phone call last spring to San Antonio from a distressed Nate Askew was markedly different than his previous appeals for his mother's guidance. Texas A&M coaches were asking the seldom-used receiver to move from offense to defense for his senior season. And on top of that line up at a position, linebacker, he'd never even played in youth ball.

"He was down," Coe recalled of her son reaching out following the coaches' request. "Going over to the defensive side was such an unknown, but I also know the Lord works in mysterious ways. So I told him, 'Sweetie, the only thing you can do is pray about it. Don't quit. Try it out and see what happens.'"

The answer didn't come in days, but when it finally did months later, when the son had pressed on at his mother's urging and with both showing the patience of Job, Coe believed their prayers had been answered.

"He tried playing linebacker, and he liked it," a beaming mother said this week. "And he told me, 'You know what? I'm pretty good at it.'"

Askew has made believers of his coaches, too, who brim with satisfaction at his abrupt – and so-far successful – transition through the first third of the season.

"He's got so much talent, and I hated him standing next to me during the game (last year)," A&M coach Kevin Sumlin said. "As a coach my philosophy has always been, 'Let's not give up on a guy, let's try and find something for him.' He's 235 pounds, 6 foot 4 with a 42-inch vertical jump – we want to (recruit) a guy like that every year."

Despite his tangibles, Askew had become lost in the mix at receiver, a position the Aggies have recruited superbly under both Sumlin and previous coach Mike Sherman. Meanwhile A&M needed big-time help at linebacker, after losing senior leaders Sean Porter (of Schertz Clemens High) and Jonathan Stewart from last season's 11-2 squad.

As for Askew's early practices at linebacker during spring drills and preseason camp?

"I didn't miss a lot of tackles, I just didn't know how to tackle," he said, smiling. "I got the job done, but my form was terrible. (Linebackers) coach (Mark) Hagen told me I was powerful in my legs, that being able to jump high and run fast comes from your lower body. He told me I was more of an upper-body guy when I tackled, so he's getting me to use my legs in delivering hits."

Askew, a touted high school receiver who snared 91 passes over his final two seasons at Madison, has discovered the position switch liberating on two fronts: The aforementioned "delivering hits," and simply the chance to be between the lines in doing so.

"On offense, you don't know where the hits are coming from," Askew said, grinning. "Now, you're doing the hitting. It's definitely better."

Askew caught all of six passes over 13 games last season in limited playing time, but this year he's become a regular on the field on defense.

"It had (felt) like forever since I had been on the field," he said. "Now, I'm out there contributing to the team, and trying to win games."

Askew also will go down in A&M annals as one of the few players in the modern era to have scored a touchdown on each side of the ball (the last to do it was Larry Horton in 1990). Askew snagged a touchdown pass from then-quarterback Ryan Tannehill in 2011 against Kansas, and this season he returned an interception 30 yards for a score against Sam Houston State.

IOC satisfied charter respected for Sochi

By Laura Mills
Associated Press

SOCHI, Russia — The International Olympic Committee doesn't have the authority to intervene in Russia's law banning gay propaganda and is convinced there will be no discrimination against athletes or spectators at the Winter Games in Sochi, a top Olympic official said Thursday.

Jean-Claude Killy, chairman of the IOC Coordination Commission, gave his stamp of approval of Russian preparations for the games during a news conference at the conclusion of the commission's 10th and final visit to Sochi before the Olympics, which begin on Feb. 7.

Russia has come under scrutiny as the next host of the Olympics because of the law passed this summer outlawing "propaganda of nontraditional sexual relations among minors," which many worry may apply to gay athletes and visitors to the games.

Killy said the commission considered the issue carefully and in the end was fully convinced that Russia will respect the Olympic charter, which prohibits discrimination of any kind. He said the IOC had received written assurances from Russian officials there would be no discrimination.

"The Olympic Charter states that all segregation is completely prohibited, whether it be on the grounds of race, religion, color or other, on the Olympic territory," he said in French.

"That will be the case, we are convinced. Another thing I must add: the IOC doesn't really have the right to discuss the laws in the country where the Olympic Games are organized. As long as the Olympic Charter is respected, we are satisfied, and that is the case."

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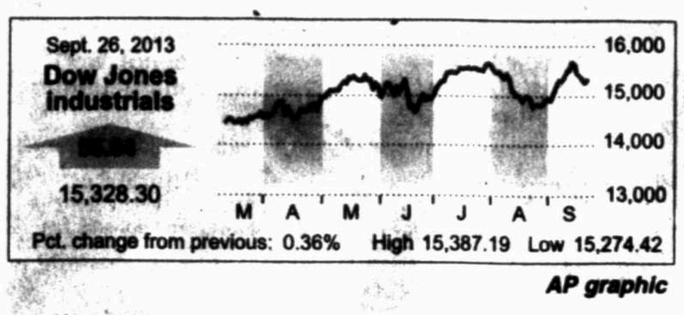

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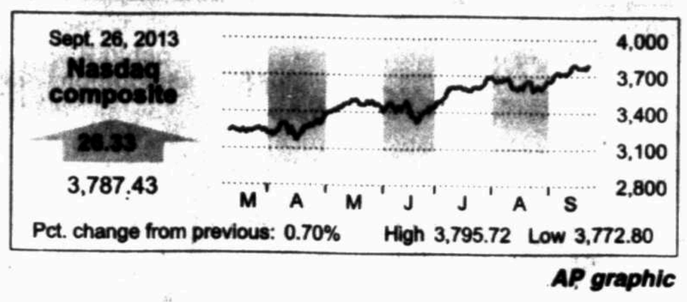

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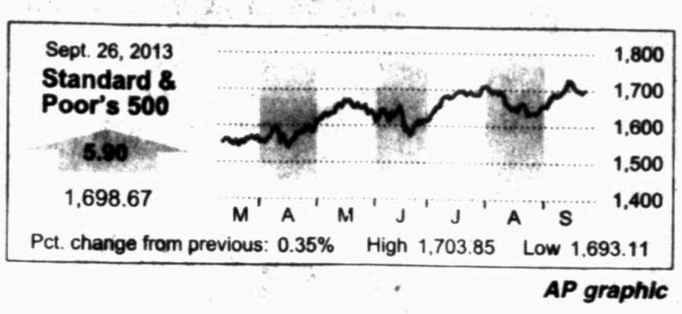

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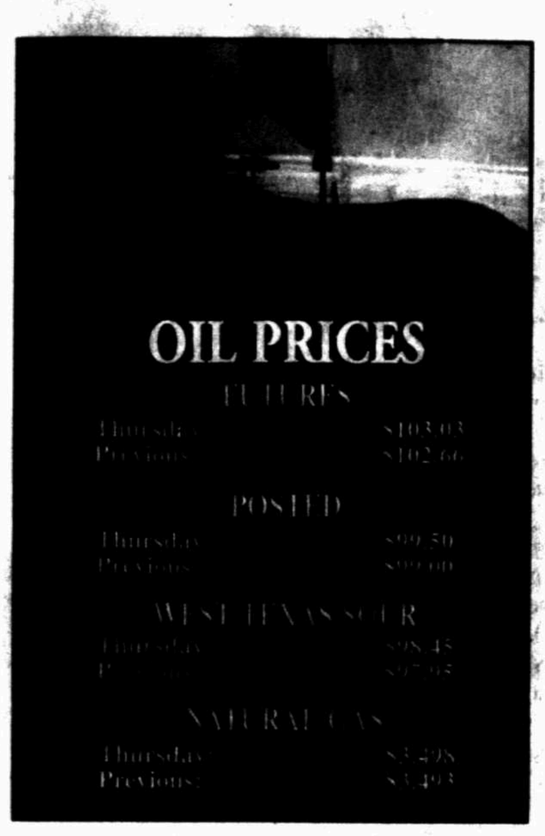

Japan car parts makers to plea in price-fixing case

New York Times News Service

In an expanding global antitrust investigation, nine Japanese automotive suppliers, along with two former executives, have agreed to plead guilty to conspiracy and pay more than $740 million in criminal fines for fixing the price of auto parts sold in the United States and abroad, the Justice Department said Thursday.

The pleas were the latest in what the Justice Department said was its largest criminal antitrust investigation, one that has involved the authorities from Asia to North America to Europe and has now resulted in $1.6 billion in fines since 2011.

More than a dozen conspiracies involving more than 30 kinds of parts affected sales to Chrysler, Ford and General Motors, as well as the U.S. subsidiaries of Honda, Mazda, Mitsubishi, Nissan, Subaru and Toyota.

"These international price-fixing conspiracies affected more than $5 billion in automobile parts sold to U.S. car manufacturers," Attorney General Eric H. Holder Jr. said in a statement. "In total, more than 25 million cars purchased by American consumers were affected by the illegal conduct."

Hitachi Automotive Systems and Mitsubishi Electric paid the biggest fines, $195 million and $190 million. The Justice Department said the two companies' price-fixing schemes lasted from at least January 2000 through February 2010.

The parts included seat belts, radiators, windshield wipers and air-conditioning systems, Holder said. The Justice Department said that while the price fixing increased the cost of cars for consumers, there was no way to determine exactly how much.

The two former executives — Gary Walker, an American, and Tetsuya Kunida, a Japanese national working for U.S. subsidiaries of Japanese companies — also pleaded guilty for their involvement in the scheme, in which executives met in person and colluded on the phone to rig bids, fix prices and allocate the supply of parts, the Justice Department said.

Kunida was sentenced to 12 months and a day in a U.S. prison. He pleaded guilty to a felony charge of fixing the price of products sold to Toyota and other automakers from at least November 2001 until May 2012.

Walker was sentenced to 14 months. The Justice Department said he engaged in a conspiracy to fix the prices of seat belts sold to Honda, Mazda, Nissan, Subaru and Toyota from at least Jan. 1, 2003, through February 2010.

Each man will pay a $20,000 fine.

Twenty companies and 21 executives have been charged in the Justice Department's investigation. Each company has pleaded guilty or agreed to do so, the Justice Department said. All but four of the 21 executives have been sentenced to prison or have entered into plea agreements that call for prison sentences.

The actions Thursday underscored a willingness of countries to cooperate as business relationships become more international.

NYSE

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
Penney	1098313	10.42	+.30
BkofAm	873983	14.08	-.06
Hertz	704151	21.63	-4.15
S&P500ETF	692127	169.69	+.65
iShEMkts	464302	41.72	+.17

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Fabrinet	16.33	+1.54	+10.4
SciAppl wi	34.00	+3.00	+9.7
RCS Cap n	17.24	+1.30	+8.2
E-CDang	10.40	+.78	+8.1
DB LgUSD	20.91	+1.56	+8.1

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Hertz	21.63	-4.15	-16.1
Jabil	21.62	-2.38	-9.9
GencoShip	4.12	-.32	-7.2
EnduroRT	13.85	-1.02	-6.9
ChanAdv n	37.26	-2.63	-6.6

Diary

Advanced	1,925
Declined	1,107
Unchanged	137
Total issues	3,169
New Highs	118
New Lows	23
Volume	2,736,952,122

Amex

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
FAB Univ	89844	8.67	-1.03
AltdNevG	36261	4.35	-.18
NwGold g	31226	6.09	-.14
InovioPhm	30599	2.22	+.04
Fibrocell rs	23796	4.20	-.79

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
SwedLC22	19.72	+6.19	+45.8
AmpioPhm	7.54	+.93	+14.1
Neuralstem	2.79	+.29	+11.6
GlobT&T	5.20	+.45	+9.5
EmrldO rs	7.12	+.57	+8.7

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Fibrocell rs	4.20	-.79	-15.8
FAB Univ	8.67	-1.03	-10.6
NanoVric	5.70	-.65	-10.2
TanzRy g	2.63	-.22	-7.7
FstWV	16.03	-.91	-5.4

Diary

Advanced	196
Declined	221
Unchanged	20
Total issues	437
New Highs	12
New Lows	4
Volume	86,162,054

Nasdaq

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
Facebook	941975	50.39	+.93
Cisco	538219	23.77	-.66
Zynga	527413	3.61	-.18
MicronT	484656	17.47	+.50
Yahoo	388905	32.75	+1.41

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
KIOR	2.89	+1.06	+57.9
USA Trk	8.80	+2.34	+36.2
SinoGlob	3.04	+.45	+17.4
CancerGen	16.25	+2.39	+17.2
OpexaTh rs	2.34	+.34	+17.0

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
CorpRes$v	2.38	-.61	-20.4
AnalogTT n	15.33	-3.29	-17.7
PropGR rs	3.36	-.85	-16.1
AstaMed n	2.68	-.35	-11.6
DatMedia n	8.85	-.94	-9.8

Diary

Advanced	1,508
Declined	998
Unchanged	119
Total issues	2,625
New Highs	141
New Lows	16
Volume	1,756,886,413

Government sells more GM shares, cuts stake to 7 percent

Associated Press

NEW YORK — The U.S. government is starting another phase of selling off its General Motors stock after cutting its stake in the automaker to just over 7 percent.

The Treasury Department said it still owns 101.3 million GM shares. It got 912 million shares, a 60.8 percent stake in the company, in exchange for a $49.5 billion bailout of GM in 2009. So far taxpayers have recovered about $36 billion. That means they're still around $13.5 billion in the hole.

To break even, the remaining shares would have to sell for about $133 each. At Thursday's price of $36.95, the government would get about $3.7 billion more. So taxpayers are likely to lose around $10 billion on the deal.

The Treasury plans to sell all of its shares by April 1.

The bailout was authorized under both the Bush and Obama administrations during the financial crisis in 2008 and 2009. At the time GM's sales had plummeted and it nearly ran out of cash to make payroll and service billions of dollars in debt.

The government said at the time that the bailout was necessary to save the American auto industry and stop the industrial Midwest from sliding into a depression. The Obama administration said bailing out GM and Chrysler saved more than a million American jobs.

The Treasury Department said it finished the second phase of selling GM stock on Sept. 13.

"The third trading plan will allow us to continue exiting the investment in accordance with our previously announced timetable while maximizing the taxpayer's return," Tim Massad, assistant treasury secretary for financial stability, said in a statement.

Oil rises

The price of oil rose for the first time in six days on upbeat news about the U.S. economy.

Benchmark oil for November delivery gained 37 cents Thursday to close at $103.03 a barrel on the New York Mercantile Exchange. Oil had dropped $5.41, or 5 percent, over the five previous trading sessions.

Oil prices rose as data showed that the number of Americans seeking unemployment benefits fell 5,000 last week to a seasonally adjusted 305,000, the second-lowest level in six years. The U.S. economy, meanwhile, was confirmed to have grown an annualized 2.5 percent in the April-June period.

Oil has fallen nearly 7 percent since closing at a two-year high of $110.53 on Sept. 6. Since then, diplomatic efforts have averted a U.S. military strike against Syria, and tense relations between the U.S. and Iran have shown signs of a thaw. As a result, the market has removed the so-called political risk premium from the price of oil. Some analysts put this premium at about $5 to $6 a barrel.

Price of gold falls

Gold for December fell $12.10, or 0.9 percent, to $1,324.10 an ounce. Silver for the same month dropped 12 cents, or 0.5 percent, to $21.77 an ounce. Platinum for October dropped $18.10, or 1.3 percent, to $1,410.70. Palladium for the same month fell $2.25, or 0.3 percent, to $723.45 an ounce.

Copper bucked the trend and advanced. Copper for December gained 3.5 cents, or 1.1 percent, to $3.31 a pound.

MIDLAND STOCKS

Midland-Headquartered Publicly Traded Companies

Clayton Williams Energy (CWEI)
Closing Price $53.89 Up 1.25

Concho Resources (CXO)
Closing Price $109.29 Up 1.79

Dawson Geophysical (DWSN)
Closing Price $33.21 Down 0.10

Diamondback Energy (FANG)
Closing Price $43.98 Up 0.22

Legacy Reserves (LGCY)
Closing Price $27.27 Up 0.21

Mexco Energy (MXC)
Closing Price $6.80 Down 0.20

Natural Gas Services Group (NGS)
Closing Price $27.24 Up 0.04

Ring Energy (REI)
Closing Price $14.60 Unchanged

HOW STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST FARED

Name	Div	PE	Last	Chg	YTD %Chg
AT&T Inc	1.80	26	34.23	+.18	+1.5
Abraxas	...	...	2.56	-.01	+16.9
AdamsEx	.67e	...	12.46	+.03	+17.7
AMD	...	...	3.89	-.02	+62.1
AlcatelLuc	...	...	3.64	+.06	+161.9
Alcoa	.12	31	8.27	-.06	-4.7
AlonUSA	.24a	5	10.53	-.13	-41.8
Amgen	1.88	19	112.85	+.37	+30.9
Anadarko	.72f	28	94.48	-.35	+27.1
Annaly	1.65e	4	12.05	-.05	-14.2
Apache	.80	14	86.49	-.14	+10.2
ApldMatl	.40	...	17.77	-.07	+55.3
ATMOS	1.40	16	42.58	+.26	+21.2
AutoData	1.74	25	72.92	+.40	+28.1
BP PLC	2.16	10	42.66	+.27	+2.4
BabsCClrv	1.20a	...	15.16	-.35	-.8
BakrHu	.60	21	49.47	+.05	+21.1
BkofAm	.04	25	14.08	-.06	+21.3
BarPVix rs	...	...	13.62	-.27	-57.2
BarrickG	.20m	...	18.53	-.14	-47.1
BasicEnSv	...	...	12.99	+.19	+13.8
BerkHis A	...	10	173000.00	+232.00	+29.5
BerryPet	.32	10	43.30	+.13	+29.1
BlkHillsCp	1.52	18	50.06	+.66	+37.8
BlackBerry	...	...	7.95	-.06	-33.0
BostonSci	...	...	11.67	+.22	+103.7
BrillyEq	1.40	57	46.03	+.32	+45.6
BrownFA	1.02a	25	67.31	-.06	+9.4
BrownFB	1.02a	25	68.11	+.32	+9.3
CVS Care	.90	17	58.17	+.39	+20.3
CabotOG n	.04	65	37.12	+1.55	+49.3
Cameron	...	19	59.02	-.27	+4.5
Caterpillar	2.40f	14	84.20	-.30	-6.0
Celestic g	...	25	11.27	+.04	+38.3
Cemex	.45t	...	11.33	-.07	+19.4
CntryLink	2.16	19	32.11	+.11	-17.9
ChesEng	.35	...	26.41	-.09	+58.9
Chevron	4.00	9	123.40	-.58	+14.2
Chicos	.22	16	16.65	-.24	-9.8
Cimarex	.56	20	95.79	+.56	+65.9
Cisco	.68	13	23.77	-.66	+21.0
Citigroup	.04	13	48.93	-.33	+23.7
ClayEng	...	...	53.89	+1.25	+34.7
CocaCola	1.12	20	38.74	+.41	+6.9
ColeREI n	.72f	...	12.20	+.08	+11.9
ColgPalm s	1.36	25	60.39	+1.05	+15.5
ConAgra	1.00	17	30.48	+.03	+3.3
ConchoRes	...	58	109.29	+1.79	+35.7
ConocoPhil	2.76f	12	70.23	-.09	+21.1
Corning	.40	11	14.94	+.02	+18.4
CrackerB	3.00	21	103.90	+1.53	+61.7
CrosTim	2.15e	14	29.99	+.05	+11.4
DCP Mid	2.84f	22	49.54	+.68	+18.7
DTE	2.62	18	66.56	+.01	+10.8
Dataram rs	...	...	2.90	+.07	+46.5
Dawson	...	19	33.21	-.10	+25.9
Dell Inc	.32	18	13.86	...	+36.7
DeltaAir	.24	10	24.01	+.20	+102.3
DevonE	.88	...	59.47	-.03	+14.3
Disney	.75f	20	65.24	+.79	+31.0
DowChm	1.28	44	39.99	+.45	+23.7
DryShips	...	...	3.86	-.07	+141.3
eBay	...	28	56.64	+2.43	+11.1
EMC Cp	.40	21	26.28	+.08	+3.9
EOG Res	.76	47	172.09	+.71	+42.5
EmpDist	1.00	16	21.75	-.04	+8.7
Energen	.58	23	77.48	+1.36	+71.8
EngyTsfr	3.50	12	52.07	+.47	+21.3
EnPro	...	32	60.35	+.42	+47.8
EntPrPt	2.72f	22	61.41	+.62	+22.6
Ericsson	.43e	...	13.64	-.01	+35.0
ExxonMbil	2.92	9	87.07	-.07	+.6
Facebook	...	...	50.39	+.93	+69.3
FibrNet	...	...	3.99	+.23	+13.1
FordM	.40	12	17.27	+.08	+33.4
ForestOil	...	19	6.30	+.06	-5.8
FrSea rsh	...	...	.89	+.30	+1.3
GATX	1.24	18	47.81	-.14	+10.4
GbMultT	.80	...	9.84	-.03	+25.4
GAInv	2.00e	...	34.55	+.19	+24.2
GenElec	.76	18	24.25	+.02	+15.5
GenMotors	...	13	36.95	-.23	+26.2
Genworth	...	11	12.99	+.26	+73.0
GlPlatinEn	.87	14	22.49	+.09	+10.7
Groupon	...	...	12.11	+.41	+149.2
HalconRes	...	33	4.64	-.04	-32.9
Halliburtn	.50	18	48.71	-.17	+40.4
Hertz	...	28	21.63	-4.15	+32.9
HewlettP	.58	...	21.30	-.10	+49.5
iShJapan	.15e	...	12.11	+.19	+24.2
iShChinaLC	.93e	...	37.90	-.01	-6.3
iShEMkts	.77e	...	41.72	+.17	-5.9
iS Eafe	1.76e	...	64.49	+.27	+13.4
iShR2K	1.70e	...	107.06	+.59	+27.0
IntegrysE	2.72	14	56.19	+.50	+7.6
Intel	.90	13	23.41	-.29	+13.5
InterDig	.40a	6	37.91	+.30	-7.7
JPMorgCh	1.52	9	51.89	+.19	+18.8
Jabil	.32	12	21.62	-2.38	+12.1
JohnJn	2.64	19	87.07	-.01	+24.2
KimbClk	3.24	20	95.46	+.77	+13.1
KindME	5.28f	29	80.17	+.28	+.5
KindMM	5.28f	48	75.54	+.07	+.1
LegacyRes	2.32f	...	27.27	+.21	+14.6
LillyEli	1.96	11	51.04	-1.57	+3.5
Ladyss	...	32	7.32	...	+9.4
MktVGold	.40e	...	25.11	-.41	-45.9
McDnlds	3.24f	18	98.19	+.57	+11.3
Merck	1.72	26	47.68	+.01	+16.5
MetLife wi	...	44	12.86	+.02	-8.9
MexcoEn	...	...	6.80	-.20	+5.6
MicronT	...	...	17.47	+.50	+175.6
Microsoft	1.12f	13	32.77	+.26	+22.7
MorgStan	.20	32	27.15	-.07	+42.0
Nabors	.16	38	16.43	+.07	+13.7
NatGrid	3.16e	...	56.43	-.02	+3.5
NOVarco	1.04	15	79.12	+.02	+15.8
NwLead hf	...	...	.19	+.09	-51.5
NewmCpA n	...	19	16.29	-.51	+3.1
NokiaCp	...	...	6.64	+.01	+68.1
NvMAd	.80e	...	12.61	-.05	-17.1
NvPSII	.88	...	13.00	+.15	-12.9
NuvPI	.86	...	12.92	+.07	-13.7
NSTFR	.63e	...	12.83	-.02	-12.2
NTXQI	.70	...	13.60	+.09	-14.1
OcciPet	2.56	17	93.59	+.67	+22.2
OfficeDpt	...	...	4.72	...	+43.9
Oracle	.48f	15	33.81	-.06	+1.5
ParTech	...	...	8.60	-.06	+2.0
ParkDrl	...	...	5.89	+.03	+29.0
PatUTI	.20	16	22.05	+.23	+18.4
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PennaRE	.72	...	18.91	+.10	+7.2
Petrobras	.27e	...	15.61	...	-19.8
Pfizer	.96	15	28.52	+.03	+13.7
PioNtrl	.08	53	188.23	+2.14	+76.6
PlainsAA s	2.36f	19	53.24	+.43	+17.7
PwShs QQQ	.98e	...	79.17	+.61	+21.6
Praxair	2.40	21	120.19	+.67	+9.8
Premier n	...	...	30.65	...	-.3
PrmEgy	...	11	51.70	+1.58	+124.8
ProctGam	2.41	20	78.05	+.33	+15.0
RangeRs	.16	...	78.09	+2.33	+24.3
RiteAid	...	80	4.78	-.11	+251.5
Rowan	...	22	36.99	-.33	+18.3
RoyDShllA	3.60	9	65.81	+.18	-4.6
SpdrDJIA	3.54e	...	152.95	+.53	+17.1
S&P500ETF	3.39e	...	169.69	+.65	+19.2
SabnR	3.69e	15	51.51	-.22	+29.5
SanderFm	.80f	16	66.86	-.99	+38.9
SandRidge	...	...	5.99	+.16	-5.7
Sapient	...	32	15.95	+.20	+51.0
Schlmbrg	1.25	18	88.83	+.26	+28.2
SigmaAld	.86	22	85.90	+.35	+16.7
SiriusXM	.05e	56	3.93	+.10	+36.0
SmithF	...	30	33.97	-.01	+57.5
Smucker	2.32f	20	105.69	-.17	+22.6
Sprint n	...	...	6.30	+.11	+13.5
SPDR Fncl	.32e	...	20.12	...	+22.8
SunocoLog	2.40f	16	67.93	+.83	+36.6
TeleflEsp	...	...	15.45	+.25	+14.5
Tesoro	1.00f	10	44.53	-.94	+1.1
3M Co	2.54	19	120.66	+.46	+30.0
Torchmark	.68	14	72.98	+.33	+41.7
TrContl	.70e	...	18.53	+.05	+16.5
TylerTech	...	78	87.79	+.54	+81.2
UBWV	1.24	18	28.88	-.24	+18.7
Vale SA	.78e	...	16.12	+.07	-23.1
ValeroE	.90f	8	34.31	-.57	+.6
VangEmg	1.38e	...	41.10	+.12	-7.7
Vodafone	1.57e	...	35.05	+.28	+39.1
VulcanM	.04	...	52.08	-.10	+.1
Walgrn	1.26f	24	54.73	-.12	+47.9
WalterEn	.04m	...	14.55	+.80	-59.4
WellsFargo	1.20	11	41.61	-.20	+21.7
WstnRefin	.72f	6	30.19	-.36	+7.1
WhitingPet	...	18	59.82	+.96	+37.9
WmsCos	1.47f	40	36.33	+.10	+11.0
XcelEngy	1.12	14	27.86	+.02	+4.4
Xerox	.23	11	10.38	+.02	+52.2
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15,709.58	12,471.49	Dow Jones Industrials	15,328.30	+55.04	+.36	+16.97	+13.66
6,754.81	4,838.10	Dow Jones Transportation	6,637.51	+26.18	+.40	+25.08	+34.33
537.86	435.57	Dow Jones Utilities	485.37	-1.09	-.22	+7.12	+2.42
9,906.32	7,841.76	NYSE Composite	9,726.25	+27.29	+.28	+15.19	+17.13
2,509.57	2,186.97	Amex Index	2,385.75	+18.27	+.69	+1.28	-3.08
3,798.76	2,810.80	Nasdaq Composite	3,787.43	+26.33	+.70	+25.43	+20.75
1,729.86	1,349.35	S&P 500	1,698.67	+5.90	+.35	+19.11	+17.38
18,409.85	14,036.94	Wilshire 5000	18,142.66	+74.47	+.41	+20.99	+20.06
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Complete the grid so each row, column and 3-by-3 box (in bold borders) contains every digit, 1 to 9. For strategies on how to solve Sudoku, visit www.sudoku.org.uk

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SOLUTION TO THURSDAY'S PUZZLE

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ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE

Accounts Payable
Acid Specialists, LLC FT
Well Established Oil Well Servicing Company seeking to fill an Accounts Payable position. Candidate must have prior accounts payable history and knowledge. Must be proficient in latest releases of Quickbooks (this is a must), great customer service skills, and telephone skills.
Bilingual is a plus, but not required. Benefits after 30 days with two weeks' vacation a year, (after one year of employment), sick leave and paid holidays. Competitive pay DOE. Qualified candidates should email resume with references to: hracf123@yahoo.com

AEROSPACE & AVIATION

Welders, Operators, and Mechanics
Madron Services Inc is seeking experienced Rig Welders, Operators and Mechanics this is not a part time job, lots of hours, it is oilfield. Competitive wages. Call Rickey @ 575-725-9383 or send resume to fax 575-234-9547 or mail to P O Box 1928 Carlsbad NM 88220.

CLERICAL & ADMINISTRATIVE

Admin Assistant
Horizon Transportation FT
Is seeking experience admin assistant for full time employment. Excellent wage and full benefits. Call 432-210-4172.

Administrative Assistant
Immediate opening with a Midland Architectural firm. Good communicator with good computer skills a must. Permanent position with growth potential. Responsibilities include heavy e-mail, word processing, phone, mail, and filing. Send resume to: vga@vandergriff-group.com

Clerical Assistant
Full Time
General office duties. Good computer and people skills. Experience in A/R, Peachtree or Open invoice a plus. Greenwood area. Fax resume 432-458-3235,Attn: Karla or bring to 4204 FM 1208 ask for Karla 432-458-3675.

Office Administrator
Confidential FT
Midland, TX 79701
Office Administrator for oil and gas, excellent quick books, MS Office, and phone skills. Send resumes to job@transwaterenergy.com

Receptionist
Natural Gas Services Group FT
NGSG has an immediate opening for a Receptionist. Must have experience answering multi-line phone while providing administrative support. This individual must be detail oriented and have intermediate to advance skill in Microsoft Excel and Word. Excellent Salary and Benefit package. For more information or to submit resume contact employment@ngsgi.com or call 432-262-2700.

CONSTRUCTION & FACILITIES

Heavy Equipment Operators
Fretco, Inc. FT
Experienced Heavy Equipment Operators needed immediately for excavation contractor. Dozers, excavators, off-road articulated haul trucks. Experienced Oilers and diesel mechanics also needed for CAT heavy equipment. Call 660-656-9506. EOE

ENERGY & UTILITIES

Plant Operator
West Texas Gas, Inc. FT
Plant operator needed immediately. Experience preferred but not required. Location near Rankin, TX. Fax resume to (432) 693-2132 or mail to Benedum Gas Plant, HC 34, Box 63, Midkiff, TX 79755.

PRODUCTION FOREMAN and OPERATOR II
BreitBurn Energy, an independent oil and gas company focused on acquisition, exploitation, and development of oil and gas properties, is looking for talented people to join its expanding Team. We are currently looking for a **Production Foreman** and an **Operator II**. For full descriptions of these positions, please visit our website at www.BreitBurn.com. All positions are located 30 miles northeast of Midland. All interested candidates, please send your resume to the Human Resources Department at **HR@breitburn.com** or at **515 S. Flower Street, Suite 4800, Los Angeles, CA 90071**.

Roustabout & Pumper
MLC Operating FT
Iraan area.
MLC Operation is looking for experienced Roustabout & Pumper in the Iraan area. Pay based on experience with company benefits. Send resume to: m4jconsulting2013@gmail.com

Swab Rig Operator
Swabbing Services, Inc FT
Local oilfield service company seeking Swab Rig Operator. Full benefits. Must have a CDL license and pass drug test. Apply at 14 East Industrial Loop, Midland, TX 79701. Call 432-699-1200

Warehousemen & CDL Drivers
WadeCo Specialties, LLC FT
WadeCo Specialties, LLC is now Hiring Warehousemen and Class A CDL Drivers With HazMat and Tanker Endorsements. Competitive Wages. Please call Human Resources, 432-563-4340 or email your resume to: HR@wadecospecialties.com.

HEALTHCARE

Chairside Dental Assistant Wanted
Part-time for general dental office in Midland. Please respond to P-117 C/O Midland Reporter-Telegram 201 E. Illinois Ave. Midland, Tx 79701.

CNA
Confidential FT
Need a well experienced CNA for sitting with elderly woman. References required. Non-smoking environment. Call Yadira: 432-741-9091 from 8am-8p

Experienced MA
Pediatric Office looking for Experienced MA. Please fax resumes to 682-2284 or mail to Attn: Arita Routh, P.O. Box 5291, Midland, Texas 79704
PO#7160

Front Desk
Ingram Eye Center
Front Desk needed for phones, scheduling appointments, check-in/check-out, filing and miscellaneous duties. Approximately 30-35 hours a week. Bring resume by: 2706 West Cuthbert, Suite A, or fax to 432-694-7414.

Medical Assistant & Receptionist
Urgent Care clinic looking for MA & Receptionist. Please fax resumes to 682-2284 or mail to Attn: Arita Routh, P.O. Box 5291, Midland, Texas 79704
PO#UC-7066

Medical Assistant
Texas Oncology FT
Texas Oncology, P.A., an affiliate of US Oncology, the largest oncology network in the nation, has the following openings at the Allison Cancer Center and the West Texas Cancer Center:

Midland
Medical Assistant – Full Time
Certification of graduation from an accredited program preferred

Odessa
Medical Assistant – Full Time
Certification of graduation from an accredited program preferred.

US Oncology offers competitive salaries and an excellent benefits package, including 401(k) and tuition reimbursement. Interested candidates should forward resume to:
Attn: Carmen Cross, Allison Cancer Center, 400 Rosalind Redfern Grover Pkwy, Suite 100, Midland, TX 79701, fax (432) 687-4251 or email Carmen.cross@usoncology.com. We are an equal opportunity employer.

Office Manger
Card Dental FT/PT
Office manager needed for a thriving dental practice in Odessa Area. Ideal candidate would have minimum 3 years exp. in dental mgmt. Apply at http://www.recruitondental.com/careers for immediate consideration.

Medical Receptionist
Medical exp. 1 yrs experience in medical billing and accounts receivable. Must have good customer service skills with patients. Please fax resume to 682-2284 or mail to Premier Plastic Surgery, Attn: Arita Routh, PO Box 5291, Midland, Texas 79704. No phone calls please.
PO#7167

Receptionist
Experienced Receptionist needed for busy Medical office. Attractive salary and benefits. Please mail resume to: PO Box 8728, Midland, Tx 79708.

Midland Reporter-Telegram HAS IMMEDIATE OPENINGS IN IT'S DISTRIBUTION DEPARTMENT FOR PART TIME DAY ASSOCIATE

Part Time Day Associate - MUST BE DEPENDABLE

Must be able to [illegible] later, till about 8 pm [illegible]. Need to be able to work on [illegible]. Will work a night occasionally. Will [illegible]

Pay 10.00 per hour paid every 2 weeks

These positions require some physical lifting of 5-15 lbs. Must be able to bend and stand for at least a 6 hr. shift. No experience required we will train you. Work performed in this department includes processing and handling of newspaper bundles. Applicants must be dependable, be over 18, and have a valid ID card and social security card with dependable transportation.

Apply in person at:

[illegible]

Receptionist
Preferred Medical Center FT
Midland, TX 79701
Full time receptionist with billing and collection experience needed for Urgent Care. Dependable person with pleasant personality required. Please fax your resume to fax number (432)520-3684 or call 520-5678 or Email to doctormidland@gmail.com

HOSPITALITY & TRAVEL

Front Desk
Holiday Inn Express FT
5309 N. Loop 250 W. **Apply in person**
Midland, TX 79707 **No phone calls**
Now hiring Front Desk AM and PM shift. Professional appearance required. Will train the right person. Competitive pay. Apply in person only. No phone calls.

Management and Area Director of Sales
Insignia Hospitality Group FT
We are now accepting resume for energetic management and area director of sales in Midland for Marriott Springhill Suites and Holiday Inn Express. Please submit resume to careers@insigniamgmt.com

MANAGEMENT & EXECUTIVE

Warehouse Person
The Fireplace FT
Warehouse person and installer help needed. Mon - Fri 8-5...few weekends. Full time. Apply at The Fireplace 4928 N. Lamesa Rd. or call 620-0200

OTHER JOBS

Assistant Mgr. & Sales Associate
Wood's Boots FT
Midland, TX 79701
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Carpenters
AJ Construction FT
Hiring experienced carpenters overtime weekly plus benefits. Apply in person: 1809 West County Rd. 114, Midland, or call for directions 432-617-0163.

Certified Fitness/Personal Trainers
Green Tree Country Club FT/PT
CERTIFIED FITNESS/PERSONAL TRAINERS SEND RESUME TO: mail@gttennis.com

Position
Confidential FT
Midland, TX 79705
Housekeeper needed, 12 hours weekly $15 per hour, non smoker. Call 432-262-2479

JOB FAIR!!
Great career opportunities, over 60 businesses will be recruiting, Monday September 30th from 10 am to 3 pm at the Midland Center, 105 N. Main Street, Midland TX 79701. Meet hiring managers in person and be ready to start immediately. Attendance and parking is free. Call 687-8814 for more information.

Multiple Positions
Legacy Ranch FT
Midland, TX
Now Hiring Housekeeping, Care Givers, Cook and Activigy Assistant. Apply in person at 4800 Briarwood Ave. Midland, Tx 79707

Nursery Attendant
First Assembly Of God PT
Growing church in Midland is needing a mature person with childcare experience to care for ages 0-3 years of age. Hours are Sunday, 9am-1pm and 5:30pm-8:30pm. Wednesday, 6:30pm-8:30pm. Contact Midland First Assembly of God, 432-684-4613 or email resume: midlandfirstag@sbcglobal.net

Office Clerk, Grounds Tech & AC Tech
QSN Realty: Needs Office Clerk for corporate office, Grounds Technician & AC Technician. Please apply in person at 5010 W. Loop 250 N. or fax resume to 432-520-6434

Resident Monitor, Cook & Social Service Coordinator
Dismas Charities FT/PT
Midland, TX 79701
Dismas Charities is hiring Full, Part-time & relief staff for the positions of Resident Monitor, Cook & Full-time Social Service Coordinator. Walk-in applicants are welcome at: 24 W. Industrial Loop.

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John Maddox, Production Director
c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram
201 E. Illinois St., Midland, TX
Email: [illegible]
or
come by 201 E. Illinois St. [illegible]
and fill out an application.

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Restaurant Positions
Osaka Japanese Steakhouse FT
Would you like to make $15-$20 an hour? Now hiring Hibachi Chef. Will train. Also need all positions: Waitress, Hostess, Cashier, Bartenders, Bus Help, Dishwasher & Kitchen Help. Apply in person: 1207 Tradewinds Blvd. 79706.

Warehouse Manager
Natural Gas Service Group FT
NGSG, Inc. has an immediate opening for a Warehouse Manager. This position is responsible for materials, equipment, and supplies by directing, receiving, warehousing, inventory control, budget, distribution services and supervising staff. The ideal candidate must have the 5 years + as Warehouse Manager Excellent Salary and Benefit package for the right person. For more information or to submit your resume contact employment@ngsgi.com or call (432) 262-2700.

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FINANCIAL ACCOUNTANT
Clayton Williams Energy, Inc., a publicly-traded oil and gas company in Midland, Texas is seeking a Financial Accountant. Qualified applicants should possess an Accounting degree, and 3 years experience in the oil and gas industry or public accounting. This position demands an energetic individual with advanced computer experience and effective written/verbal communication skills. We are an equal opportunity employer and offer competitive salary with an excellent benefit package.

Please direct your resume and salary history to: hr@claytonwilliams.com

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All Positions
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OTHER JOBS

Midland Reporter-Telegram HAS IMMEDIATE OPENINGS IN IT'S DISTRIBUTION DEPARTMENT FOR NIGHT TIME ASSOCIATE

Night time associate - MUST BE DEPENDABLE

Must be able to count at a fast pace. Be able to work late, [illegible] the hours of 12 a.m. Sunday night thru Friday night and [illegible] Saturday night 8pm-4am. Will be [illegible] outside and must be dependable on the days you are going that night. Will be 5-6 nights per week. [illegible] per night.

Pay 10.00 per hour paid every 2 weeks

These positions require some physical lifting of 5-15 lbs. Must be able to bend and stand for at least a 6 hr. shift. No experience required we will train you. Work performed in this department includes processing and handling of newspaper bundles. Applicants must be dependable, be over 18, and have a valid ID card and social security card with dependable transportation.

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Midland, TX
The Wayfield Truck Stop & Restaurant is now hiring for all positions! Cashiers, Janitors, Food Service, Wait Staff, Cooks- full & part-time, all shifts available. Apply today at 10400 I-20 @ FM 1788, Midland

Store Manager
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Odessa, TX Exp. Required
Kelly Moore Paints in Odessa has immediate opening for Store Manager. Apply online at: www.kellymoorepaints.com

SALES JOBS

Come be a part of the superior customer service at **The Car Store of Midland**. Work in a facility with an exciting atmosphere! Multiple sales positions available! We offer a sign on bonus, a high commission structure with no cap, and benefits. Please apply at 4030 W Wall St Midland, TX 432.694.1500

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Smoker's Outlet is looking for Store Managers and Cashiers in the Midland area. We offer competitive wages and a good work environment. Paid weekly. Go by your nearest Smoker's Outlet to apply.

SKILLED LABOR

Accountant
Requirements:

Bachelor's Degree in Accounting
5 yrs Accounting Experience including General Ledger experience Required
Oilfield Accounting experience preferred

Send Resume to:
310 W Wall St Suite 706
Midland TX 79705

AutoCAD
An established environmental consulting company is currently looking to fill an AutoCAD position. The position is fulltime with benefits and may require some field work. Pay is DOE. Please send resumes to Becky via email to rha skill@novatraining.cc or by mail to 2057 Commerce Drive, Midland, Texas 79703.

Diesel Mechanic
South Environmental Services, Inc. FT
Diesel Mechanic Needed: South Environmental Services is looking to hire Diesel Mechanic. Please send resume to joanna@southenv.com or apply in person at 2400 S. loop 250W Midland Texas. Across the loop from the DPS.

Technicians
Immediate Openings For Automotive and Fuel Injection Technicians. Must furnish own tool and have a mechanical background. Call for Appointment 432-368-4232 Diesel Testers Inc

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Equipment Tech
Air Drill Solutions FT
Equipment Technician: Responsible for assembly and maintenance of products in support of services. Rebuild used or faulty surface equipment. Operate crane and forklift. HS diploma or equivalent is preferred. Must be mechanically inclined and a team player. Please contact 432-218-4700 or apply with at Air Drilling 4914 WCR 114 1/2, Midland, Tx 79706

Estimator/Project Coordinator & Superintendent
Mid-Tex of Midland, Inc. FT
Estimator/Project Coordinator/Project Superintendent. Please send cover letter with resume to alan@midtexofmidland.com

Quality Control
Quality Control Field Technician needed in Midland/Odessa area for nations leading tank truck company. Responsible for the implementation, application, and continual improvement of the measurements and safety Quality System and Quality Guidelines as related to operations and its customers. Salary based on experience, excellent benefits package & company car. Email resume: Billy.Bird@martinmlp.com

SALES JOBS

Multi-Media Sales Consultant

The Midland Reporter-Telegram and mywesttexas.com advertising department is looking for a Multi-Media Sales Consultant. The ideal candidate will have a proven track record of personal sales successes, preferably in a newspaper/media environment. Some knowledge of the advertising industry would be helpful, but not required.

Duties for this position will include, but are not limited to selling advertising in all print publications of the Midland Reporter-Telegram and all online products, including mywesttexas.com.

Qualifications & Skills:

- *Ability to work in a fast-paced, deadline oriented environment*
- *Excellent customer service and time management skills*
- *Highly organized with the ability to work independently with minimal supervision*
- *Detail-oriented with good communication, spelling and math skills*

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If you are the one we are looking for, please send current resume to:

Jeri Houston, Advertising Sales Manager
Midland Reporter-Telegram, 201 E. Illinois Avenue, Midland, TX 79701
or email to: jhouston@mrt.com

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SKILLED LABOR

REBUILD TECHNICIAN
Natural Gas Services Group FT
NGSG has an immediate opening for a **Rebuild Technician** in our Rebuild Department. This position is responsible for the inspection, cleaning, processing, repair and paperwork processing for all items in Rebuild Services, including tools, parts and upgrades. The ideal candidate will have mechanical and engine rebuild experience, with technical school training preferred. Excellent Salary and Benefit package for the right person. For more information or to submit your resume contact

employment@ngsgl.com or call (432) 262-2700.

Roustabout, S/B Coater, Pushers & Mechanic
We are looking for experienced roustabout, s/b,coater, (pushers). a mechanic in diesel and gas. if you are interested please call 432-563-8018 or come buy to fill out a application at 8215 west county rd. 115 .

Tank Shop Foreman
Smith Pipe of Abilene
Experienced, clean-cut individual with knowledge of steel storage tank manufacturing and welding needed. Must have good people skills and be able to motivate shop to perform efficient, quality work. Medical insurance, 401K. Pay DOE. Relocation assistance available. Apply in person at Smith Pipe of Abilene, 7435 Hwy 277 South, Abilene, Texas, email employment@smithpipe.net, or call Cliff Smith at 325-669-0912 (leave message).

Vessel Shop Floor Manager
Smith Pipe of Abilene
Experienced, clean-cut person with knowledge of ASME Code vessel manufacturing needed. Must have good people skills and be able to motivate shop to perform efficient, quality work. Medical insurance, 401K. Pay DOE. Apply in person at Smith Pipe of Abilene, 7435 Hwy 277 South, Abilene, Texas, email employment@smithpipe.net, or call Cliff Smith at 325-669-0912 (leave message).

Welder
Fab Tech Drilling FT
Now hiring Field Welders. Minimum 3 years experience. Must have 1 million general liability. Apply in person 2228 Stevens Rd. Odessa, Tx. 79764 or Call Ricky Sessions at 432-254-8773

TRANSPORTATION & LOGISTICS

Class A CDL Driver
Service Seal, LLC FT
$5,000.00 Sign On Bonus – Stable company with competitive hourly wage and excellent benefits located in Midland, TX is looking for a full time Class A CDL Driver with Hazmat endorsement. Position requires a minimum 3 to 5 years verifiable professional driving experience with a clean driving and background record. Ideal candidates need to be dependable, reliable, and trustworthy. If you meet these qualifications, please contact Hope at 432-570-9414.

TRANSPORTATION & LOGISTICS

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Recycle Midland is now hiring a DOT Certified driver.
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Passenger Cars

BMW of the Permian Basin
5175 Andrews Hwy • Midland
432 522 3900

2009 BMW 528i Alpine/ Cream Beige Prem , Xenon, Assist & Bluetooth, 98k miles

2011 BMW X5 50i Jet Black / Blk Sport Activity, Cold, Tech, Spare saver, Head up Active seats. 13k miles, CPO

2013 BMW 335i Convertible Jet Blk/Blk Conv, Prem, Nav, SaT, Though Loading System heated seats 4k miles, DEMO

2013 BMW 535i Dark Graphite / Blk M sport , Tech, Prem , heated , head up display 6k miles, Service loaner

2013 BMW 528xi Space Gray/Oyster Prem, Heated seats, rear view camera , Nav. 4k miles, Demo

2007 GMC Yukon Gray/Blk Sat, Rear Seat Ent, 3rd row, 125k Super Clean

2012 BMW 535i Space Gray/Oyster Prem sound, Sport , Prem 11k miles, CPO

2012 Mercedes CL550 Blk/Blk Harman Kardon, Nav., 20k miles

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HARLEY DAVIDSON 2007 Softail Custom, Black, 96CU", 13K miles, Great condition. Quick release windshield, custom rim, Cams, $15,000. Call or text 432-661-2786

HONDA 2007 VLX Shadow, silver blue, lots of chrome, 2800 miles, great cruiser, NADA $3,963. Sale price $2,650. 432-664-8411

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TOY HAULER 2005 CrossRoads 40' 5th Wheel. 1 slideout, Onan generator, large shower, self contained 432-967-1243

Watercraft

2009 SUN Tracker 21' Pontoon Boat on tandem trailer, 75HP Mercury with tilt/trim and deluxe cover, many extras, hardly used. 432-813-2483

Recreational Vehicles

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2007 KEYSTONE Montana 3475 very good condition 3 slides 37ft washer/dryer connection built in desk dinette. $28,995. 972-880-9199

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This wonderful home is PACKED with beautiful quality items including...Guns including Colt Frontier Scout .22, Winchester Pre-64 Model 70 Featherweight .243, Remington M700 long range tactical rifle .300 mag, Weatherby AccuMark .30-378 w/Nikon scope, Browning .22 auto rifle, SIG Mosquito .22 pistol, Winchester 62A pump .22, Winchester Model 1894 and others, knives, Dept. 56, Keepsake ornaments, crystal, porcelain figurines, Italian pottery, china, artwork including G Harvey prints/ Match Box/Hot Wheels collectibles, sports cards, picture frames, records/DVD's/cd's, microscopes/telescopes/scales, camera/binoculars/spotting scopes/DVD players/flat screen TV's/lg. plasma TV, computers/printers/etc., book shelves, office furniture/desks/file cabinets/chairs, leather sofas/love seats/over sized chair, dining room table/chairs/china cabinet, display cabinet, piano, Mayo sofa, entry table, mirrors, Janome embroiderer, sewing machine, cutting table/fabric/sewing items, crib & other children's furniture, antique wardrobe, wing back chairs, table/floor lamps, black and stainless fridges, washer/dryer, counter high kitchen table/chairs, bar stools, coffee/lamp tables, king sleep number bed, Thomasville lingerie chest/chest & mirror/night stands, king headboard, chaise lounge, luggage, leather /cammo jackets, holiday decorations, outdoor fire place, electric mobile scooter, patio furniture, children's bikes/scooters, shop vacs, Christmas trees, power washer, Cannondale racing bike/riding gear including clothes/helmet, etc., bike accessories ie. tires/wheels/gears/bike lift/brakes etc., fishing poles/lures, Browning compound bow/long bow/arrows, fountain, yard décor, yard tools, hand/power tools, shelving, much much more, and the usual household misc. For pictures go to... http://www.estatesales.net/estate-sales/508557.aspx

Moving / Estate Sale 1108 ECR 126 Thurs - Sat 9-2

Drexel Dresser, lingerie cabinet & end tables, 2 dining table and chairs, 4 maple dining chairs, sofas, love seats, hide-a-bed, twin beds, leather recliners, barstools, costume jewelry, dinner ring, vintage engagement ring, full bed, misc. tables, chairs & lamps, core lamp, framed art, TV, TV stand, brass & glass coffee table, bench, rocker, stereos, console record player, refrigerator, Miller pool table light, rugs, desk, metal detector, power tools, yard tools, ceiling fans, exerciser, Christmas trees & decor, books, Green Prane Frankhoma, Wedgwood dishes, file cabinets, linens, pots & pans, pyrex, kitchen appliances, florals, two households combined in this sale.

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Yard & Garage Sales

79701

3226 SYCAMORE Ave. (corner of Midkiff) Saturday only, 8am-? FIVE Family Sale! Genesis game, new and used kitchen items & appliances, motorcycle leathers, fishing boat & motor, clothes, baby stroller, walker & much more, Ropers, cowboy hats, shoes, household decor, furniture, DVDs, Christmas decorations. Simply too much to list!

1100 W Indiana Ave. YARD SALE Saturday 8-1pm. Baby girl and boy toddler clothing. Baby bouncer, swing, bassinet, round crib, maternity wear, home decor

711 S. Terrell behind Community National Bank. "Don't miss this one" Thursday & Friday 9am-3pm Lots of Craftman tools, plumbing, household items, vacs, clothes, 2004 Chevy Silverado pickup, very good running condition, very clean! Collectables too much to mention! Come See.

INSIDE SALE furniture baby girl and toddler clothes tons of accessories. 501 W Louisiana #101 Thursday & Friday 8am-?.

79703

4006 ANETTA Dr. Friday 8am-?. Rocking Chair, vacuum, lamp, tables, tools, custom jewelry.

4510 MERCEDES DR Friday and Saturday 8am-2pm. Men, women plus and girls clothes and shoes. Bob stroller, cobra CB, tv, trailer tires and other miscellaneous items.

Yard & Garage Sales

79703

4709 Thomason Dr., Friday 7am-3pm and Saturday 8am-Noon. Multi-Family-Moving sale. Absolutely everything goes! Clothes, pots, pans, TV's, lamps, dishes, furniture, toys, yard tools, appliances, kitchenware, patio furniture, fridge, freezer, washer, dryer and lots of miscellaneous.

FIVE FAMILY Garage Sale in Culdesac 1508 Manor Ct. Saturday September 28th 8am-2pm. No early birds.

TEACHERS SUPPLIES galore.K-4 resource materials learning centers containers student books misc. 1601 Manor Court Saturday 8am-2pm.

79705

103 EAST SHANDON, Thurs & Fri 7:30am-? Ladies & children's clothing & shoes, twin bed, name brand purses & lots of household items.

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79705

2821 WEST DENGAR Saturday from 7:30am. Multi-family sale. Furniture, vintage items, clothes, decorative items and lots of miscellaneous items.

3536 HYDE PARK Estate Sale. Saturday 8am-6pm. Some items 1/2 price after 2PM

4908 WHITMAN DR Saturday September 28th 8am-? Lots of home decor, kids clothes youth sizes lots of cute stuff, women clothes. Must See!

5109 Daventry Place, Saturday, opens at 8am, furniture, grills, clothes, and other knick knacks

FAMOUS GARAGE SALE 3110 Seaboard Saturday only Art glass crystal, houseware, women's clothing, books, miscellaneous. Priced to sell.

MOVING SALE 2822 Metz Dr. Friday and Saturday from 8am-3pm. 8'x20' trailer. True Treadmill, soccer table, office furniture, bedroom furniture, kitchen table and living room furniture, pictures, Blue Ray and Video games. Small appliances, electronics, toy's, collectible and lots more. Please park in front.

79765

4509 E. Hwy 80. Friday & Saturday 9AM-5PM next to Big D. China hutch, house hold.

620 DIMAGGIO, Saturday 8AM-2PM Second Street off of Legend Dr. across from the new stadium. Moving sale everything must go! Furniture, Baby items, Home decor, Kitchen items & more.

6715 ECR 102, Greenwood in Reata Ranch Subdivision , south of the new Dollar General store. MOVING SALE -SATURDAY ONLY, Love seat, oversize chair, new vanity tops, fax machine, 4x2 Cub Cadet Utility Vehicle, baby bassinet, baby girl clothes, 36' motorhome, lots of misc

GARAGE & YARD SALE: Multi Family. 3403 South Hwy 349. Friday, Saturday and Sunday, 8am-? Too much to list.

79707

2504 HOYA dr. beautiful grandfather clock, couch, chair, entertainment center, beautiful glass ware, blue jean(women), bedding and etc. sat and sun from 8am to 1 pm, no early sell

3700 EDGEMONT DR Sat. 8am-1pm Garage full of 5 families Must Sell All car seats, strollers, baby items, exercise equipment, tv's, stereos, designer clothing and shoes, for men, women and children, purses, furniture, decor, all priced to sell much more to list.

4502 NEELY Ave. Saturday 8-1pm. Sofa, king sleigh bed, freezer, desk and lots of stuff

4606 TEAKWOOD TRACE Saturday only, 8am - 12noon. Lots of maternity clothes, baby clothing and childrens clothing for boys and girls, childrens books, toys, baby gear, crib, exersaucer, swing, and much more. Price reduction at 10am

4617 WOODHOLLOW 8am-noon Saturday. Multiple family garage sale. Beverage frig, lawn tools, clothes, kids items & household items.

5116 RIO GRANDE, Sat. only, 8am-? Women, men & teens clothing & shoes, Gymboree & Gap girls clothes up to 5T, furniture, toys, electronics, household goods, framed art, purses & picture frames.

Area Sales

GREENWOOD GARAGE SALE - BENEFITING GHS DRAMA BOOSTER CLUB Saturday Sept 28 9 am to 1 pm at Greenwood Baptist Church 10909 FM 307

2012 HOLIDAY Rambler Alumite 29' 5th Wheel, 1 floorplan bunkhouse. Air, electric awning, sleeps 6. Color TV. Lots of extras! $27,500. x 806-208-4064

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TRIUMPH 2010 Bonneville, low mileage, single owner, like new. Priced to sell, 432-288-1885.

Auto Services and Parts

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Real Estate Rentals & Sales

Residential Rentals

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Apartments for Rent Unfurnished

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BEAUTIFUL 3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, 2 living, 2 car garage. This is a corporate model home. Absolutely beautiful! Located at 2606 East 21st, Odessa, Tx., off of Tanglewood, $2,850 a month. For more information contact Debi Harris with Realty Unlimited, 432-552-7777.

Houses for Rent Unfurnished

1202 COLLEGE Lovely 2 Bdrm, 1 Bath, fireplace, private courtyard & garage. $1295 432-212-7849

1401 SOUTH County Rd. 1083, 3/2, Greenwood Schools, NEW kitchen and baths. Smoke Free, Pet Free property. $1,850 a month / $1,850 deposit. Sandy J. Hanson, Owner/ Agent. Legacy Real Estate 432-638-3819 cell.

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3 BED, 2 bath, 2 living, nice location, $2,000 mo. + $1,800 dep. Se habla espanol. Call 432-889-3432

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, near Midland Christian School. 2 car garage, pool. Newly remodeled, 2211 Culver $2900/ month $1000 dep. 432-266-0341

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, newly remodeled. Near Dennis The Menace Park, fenced yard, $1800/mth, $900/dep., 684-7535.

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U12552	12 CHEV AVALANCHE 2WD CREW CAB LS	$28,981
U12555	10 CHEV CAMARO 2DR CPE 2SS YELLOW	$29,995
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U12569	11 CHEV SILVERADO 2WD CREW CAB LS	$22,881
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U12564	12 CHRY 300 4DR SDN V6 LIMITED	$22,881
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U12602	11 DODG CHALLENGER 2DR CPE	$24,881
U12571	13 DODG GRAND CARA 4DR WGN SXT	$19,881
FIAT		
U12547	12 FIAT 500 2DR HB POP WHITE	$14,881
GMC		
U12585	11 GMC SIERRA 250 4WD CREW CAB DENALI	$49,886
U12596	11 GMC SIERRA 350 4WD CREW CAB DENALI	$46,981
U12526	07 GMC YUKON 4WD 4DR 1500 SLE	$18,991
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U12533	12 MAZD CX-7 FWD 4DR I SPORT SILVER	$19,881
U12565	11 MAZD CX-9 FWD 4DR TOURING GRAY	$23,881
2430MA	09 MAZD CX7 SILVER 2.3L	$9,995
U12546	12 MAZD MAZDA3 4DR SDN AUTO I TOURING	$16,881
U12587	13 MAZD MAZDA5 4DR WGN AUTO SPORT	$18,881
U12576A	10 MAZD MZ3H BLACK	$17,884
2007TA	11 MAZD MZ3H BLACK	$16,771
2053TA	08 MAZD MZ6 4D SEDAN BLACK 2.3L	$8,400
M2389MB	09 MAZD RX-8 4DR CPE AUTO GRAND TO	$16,781
MERCEDES		
U12605	10 MERC C-CLASS 4DR SDN 5.0L LUXURY	$23,881
M12474	10 MERC E-CLASS 4DR SDN E350 LUXURY	$34,884
M12519	11 MERC GLK-CLASS RWD 4DR GLK350	$26,995
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U12513A	07 PONT SOLSTICE 2DR CONVERTIBLE	$11,881
PORSCHE		
U12604	07 PORSCHE BOXSTER 2DR ROADSTER BLACK	$28,400
TOYOTA		
U12595	11 TOYO TUNDRA 4WD CREWMAX 5.7L	$36,890
U12557	12 TOYO TUNDRA 4WD CREWMAX 5.7L SR5	$31,885
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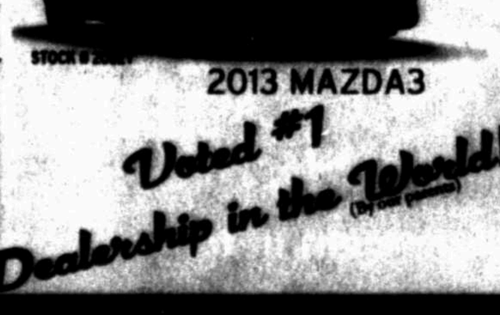

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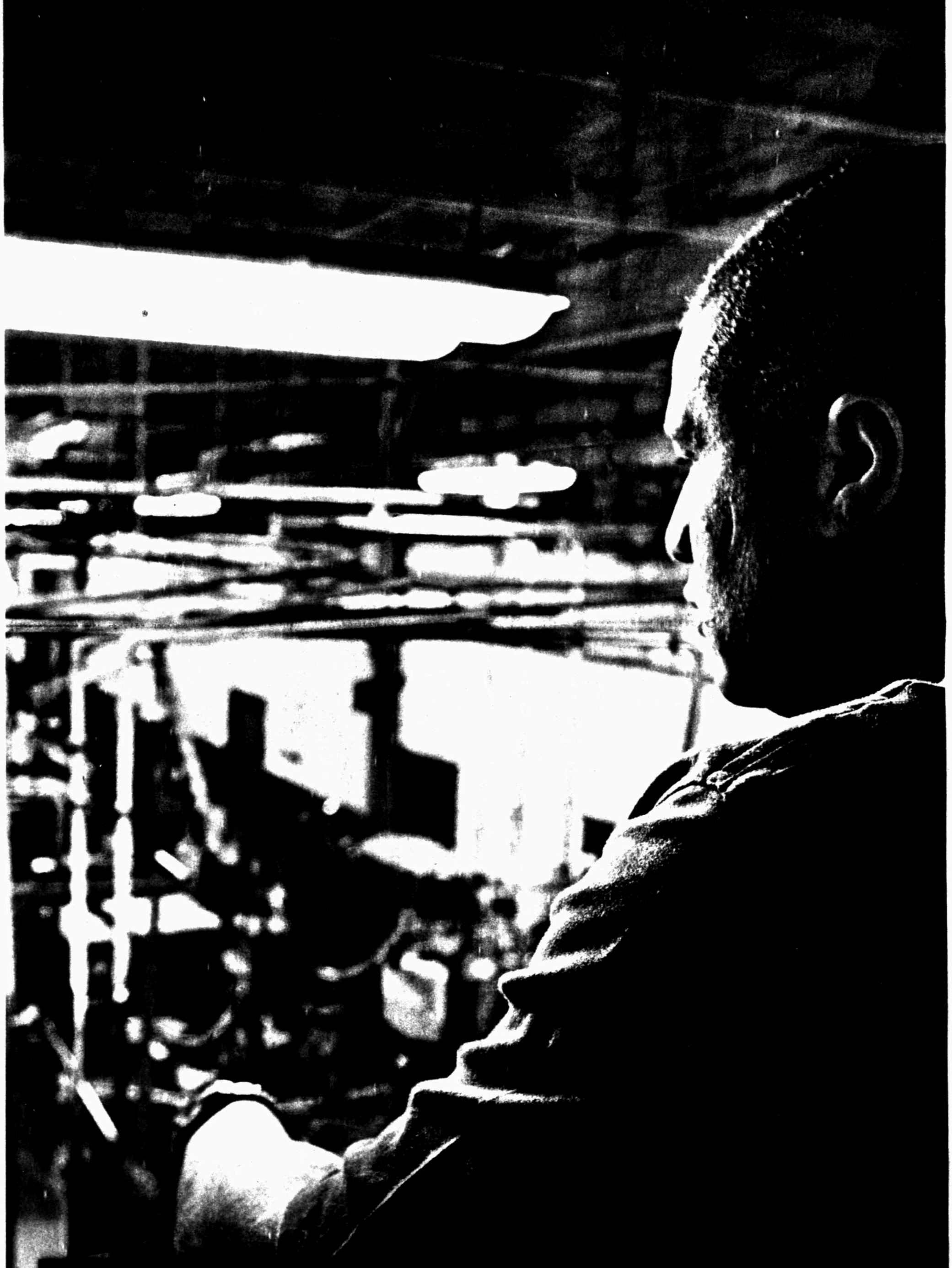

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Furniture

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Residential Sales

Homes for Sale

1000 SINCLAIR - beautiful 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 living areas, huge kitchen. 2400sqft. $223,000. OPEN HOUSE @ 1pm-2:30pm every Saturday/ Sunday until sold. 432-683-2243

2516 HUMBLE Avenue 3bed/2bath, beautifully updated, great neighborhood. $275,000. 2281 sq ft. Features eat-in kitchen, tons of cabinet space, 2 living areas, wood floors. A must see! For appt. call 432-230-9800

3011 VIRGINIA, 3bd/2ba. 1700 sq.ft., vaulted ceiling, fireplace, sprinkler system, fenced backyard plantation shutters, double car garage, $200,000. Price is nego. Can be seen by appointment. Call 432-290-1374.

3611 BAUMANN Ave. Well Maintained 3/2/2. Large living with lava rock fireplace with gas logs. Nice kitchen, dining with breakfast bar, dbl closets, walk in closet in master. large back yard with storage. $195K 432-218-8869

3 BEDROOM, 1 Bath, northeast in Odessa. $115,000 No owner finance. 432-559-3149

3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2136 sq ft, in Greathouse asking $295,000 4903 Woodhollow 432-634-3158

Spacious remodeled 1600 +/- sf. 2/2 w/garage & fenced patio. $1,950. 432-631-8100 or 432-266-1212

Residential Sales

Homes for Sale

4 BEDROOM, House, Mobile home with 10' addition, living room plus 2 rooms, inground pool, shop on 1 acre. SW Midland. $110,000. No owner finance. Call Pedro 432-325-8251

BEAUTIFUL 2 story brikc home, 5 bedroom, 3 bath, 2 car garage, also has an office, inground pool & ottub, 2 backyards, poolhouse, $315,000, 432-210-6567. 432-250-0045.

BY OWNER, 3303 Trinity Meadows Dr 4 bedrooms + study, 3 1/2 baths, 2 living areas, large windows overlooking pool, plantation shutters, 3 car garage, + additional single garage, 1 year warranty, lot and a half, water well, alarm system. 3200 Sf. $434,000 349-3131 (office) 853-4357.

OWNER FINANCING Very nice 3/2 on 3906 Bedford & 2605 Cimmaron. Call for details. 432-631-8100 or 432-266-1212

COMPLETELY REMODELED - 313 S. Bentwood, cute 4bd, 2ba, 1 living area + great room, $149,900. OPEN HOUSE 2:30pm-4pm every Saturday/Sunday until sold. 432-683-2243

COUNTRY LIVING Four bedroom, three bath, two living areas, two car garage brick home on five fenced acres, horse pens, tack room, round pen, no restrictions $300,000 6105 SCR 1178 432-528-1607

Cute Starter Home 309 S. Glenwood. 3 bedroom 1 bath. All appliances come with home. $110,000. Call Margie for appointment at 230-1331 or Prudential Cooper Realty at 689-7700

FOR SALE by owner 2 bedroom 1 bath, with water well. $50,000 432-272-9757.

Residential Sales

Homes for Sale

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HOUSE FOR Sale by Owner. $150,000. 3/2/2, great location, selling as is. 1/3 acre lot on corner of "C" Street and Scharbauer Dr. Located at 2000 N C Street. Call for Appt. 214-546-2988 Please no realtors!

HOUSE FOR SALE by owner. 1812 Dukes Dr., in Polo Park. 4500 sqft., 5bd/4.5 ba/ 3 car garage plus 3 living areas & study, $535,000 Based on current appraisal. Superb Mark Payne built, mature trees, new A/C, fencing, granite, paint & carpet. By appointment only. Call 432-312-1753.

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4.17 ACRES WITHIN STANTON CITY LIMITS. Water well, electricity. Will need to install septic tank. $50,000. 432-894-6015. Serious inquiries only.

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Residential Sales

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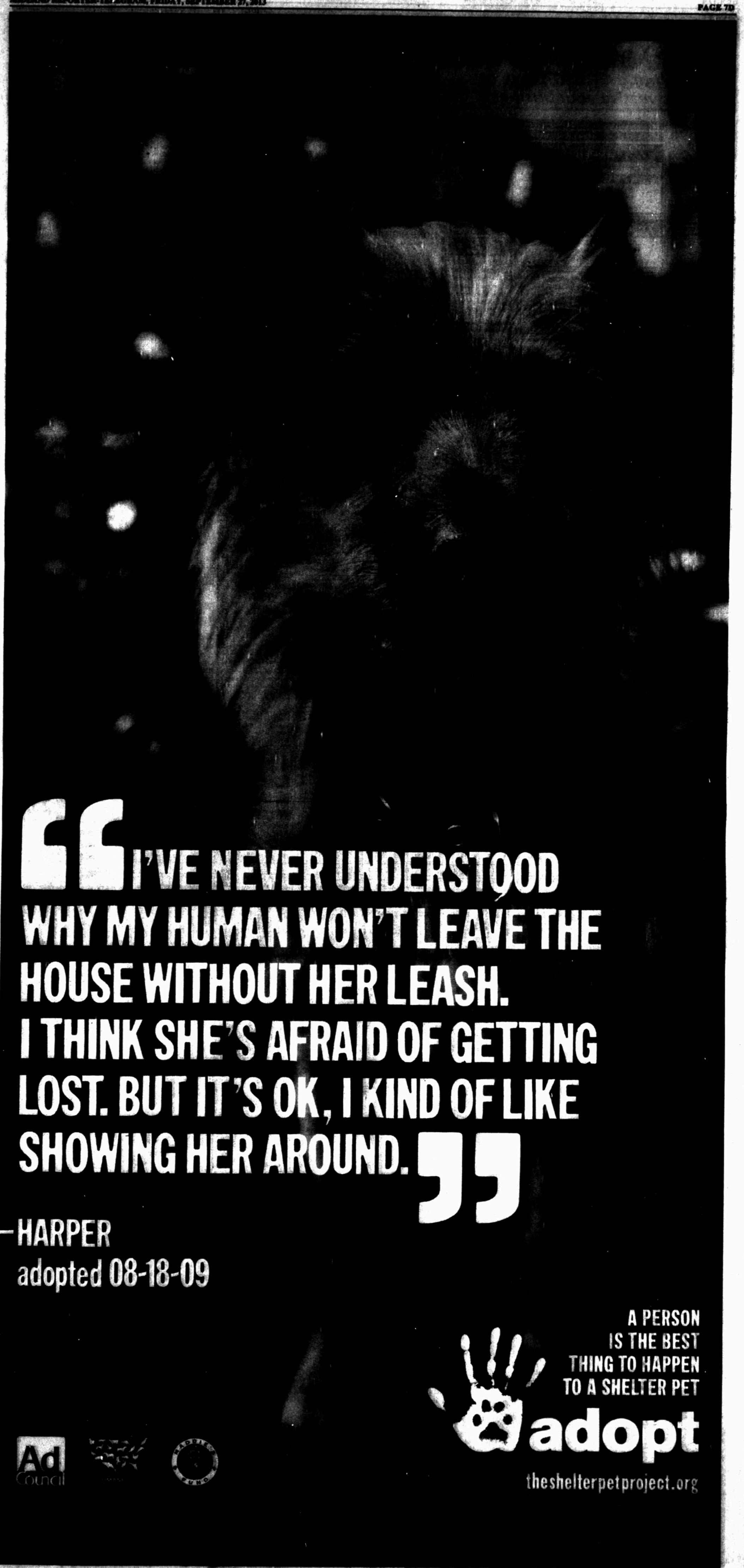

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