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Permian rig count back above 200

By Trevor Hawes
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The Permian Basin has topped the 200-rig mark for the first time since the week ending Jan. 15. According to Baker Hughes rig count data, the Permian posted 202 rigs Friday, the same tally 33 weeks ago.

Midland County continued to lead the nation in rig count by county after adding one rig. Midland County, which sits in the heart of the Permian's Midland Basin, recorded 37 rigs this week. Reeves, which is in the Permian's Delaware Basin, was unchanged at 26.

District 8 as a whole saw one rig idled, lowering its count to 130. The top counties in the district were Midland, Reeves, Loving (13), Martin (11) and Howard (10).

For other districts operating in the Permian, District 7B rose one to five, a new year-high; District 7C held steady at 22 for the third straight week; District 8A jumped three to 15; and southeast New Mexico was unchanged at 30. Texas had 172 rigs in the Permian, up three.

Renewed activity was recorded in Garza, Sterling and Terry counties. Activity ceased in Dickens and Mitchell counties.

The Permian had 253 rigs a year ago this week.

Texas & New Mexico

Texas added four rigs this week, raising the statewide total to 241. The Eagle Ford in South Texas was up three to 38, while the Barnett in North Texas fell one to three. The Haynesville and Granite Wash were unchanged at 14 and nine, respectively.

The state was unchanged at one rig offshore, and there weren't any rigs in inland waters.

All of New Mexico's rigs were operating in the Permian.

At this time last year, there were 375 rigs in Texas and 48 in New Mexico.

United States

The rig count nationwide neared the 500 mark after seven new natural gas rigs and one new oil rig pushed the count to 497. There were 407 oil rigs and 88 natural gas rigs across the country. The nation's miscellaneous rig count was unchanged at two.

The U.S. recorded seven fewer rigs offshore, lowering the tally to 10. All offshore rigs were in the Gulf of Mexico. Rigs on land rose 14 to 482, while rigs in inland waters edged up one to five.

The number of horizontal drilling rigs jumped 16 to 395. There were 60 vertical rigs, down two. Directional rigs fell to 42 after six rigs were idled.

The U.S. had 864 rigs a year ago this week.

Most-active

Basins with the most activity this week were the Permian, the Eagle Ford, the Cana Woodford (32), the Williston (28)

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MORNING HAS BROKEN

Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

The sun rises Friday and begins to burn off some of the early morning fog around Midland. After some cooler days, the National Weather Service expects high temperatures to be closer to normal.

Week in oil: WTI drops nearly 7 percent

By Trevor Hawes
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It wasn't a very good week for oil prices.

West Texas Intermediate futures contracts for October delivery were up $1.28 (2.97 percent) Friday to $44.44 a barrel, but the settlement marked the only gain this week. WTI fell $3.20 (6.72 percent) on the week.

The price reached a low of $43.16 on Thursday before bouncing back a bit. The biggest one-day drop was Wednesday, when the price fell $1.65 (3.56 percent). WTI is still up for the year, however, having risen $7.68 (20.89 percent) since the year-opening $36.76 on Jan. 4.

WTI has been in the $40s for 23 straight days and has only fallen to the $30s twice in the past 100 days, with the price settling in the $50s four times in that span. WTI has closed in the $40s 99 times in 170 trading days. The year-high is $51.23, while the low is $26.21.

Plains Marketing posted prices generally rise and fall in lockstep, but the spread between WTI posted and West Texas sour widened a bit Thursday. The price difference grew to $4.40. Previously, it was $3.70, which held for 23 days. The lowest spread this year was $1.25 on Jan. 4, the first trading day of the year. It jumped to $3.65 the next day. The widest spread between WTI and sour was $5.05 on May 8, which dropped to $4.80 the following day. The average spread is $3.96.

On Friday, WTI posted fetched $41.00 a barrel, down $1.25 (3.14 percent). Sour also fell $1.25 (3.54 percent), putting the new price at $36.60. For the week, WTI is down $3.20 (6.72 percent) and sour fell $3.95 (9.74 percent).

Thursday's price of $39.75 interrupted 15 straight days of being in the $40s for WTI posted. Sour has spent five days in the $30s.

In other futures trading, November contracts rose $1.29 to $44.88, December was up $1.30 to $45.64 and January jumped $1.30 to $46.79. The nearest contract in the $50s is February 2018, which rose $1.21 to $50 even.

Oil trading will be closed Monday in observance of the Labor Day holiday.

Like Trevor on Facebook and follow him on Twitter at @HowdyHawes.

OPEC output rises to record before talks with Russia

By Grant Smith and Julian Lee
Bloomberg

OPEC's crude production climbed to a record last month as increased output from Gulf members made up for persisting losses in Nigeria and Libya, according to a Bloomberg survey.

Supplies from the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries rose by 120,000 barrels a day to average 33.69 million a day in August amid increases by Iran, Iraq and Kuwait, the survey of analysts, oil companies and ship-tracking data showed. The group is due to hold informal talks in three weeks in Algiers, where Russian President Vladimir Putin says an agreement can be reached to limit output.

Iraq led the increases, boosting supplies by 70,000 barrels a day to 4.48 million a day, after the government resumed flows from Kirkuk through a northern export pipeline controlled by the nation's Kurds, signaling progress in a long-standing dispute over payments. Iran raised production by 60,000 barrels a day to 3.62 million as it continues its return to global markets after the end of international sanctions in January.

Saudi Arabia, the group's biggest and most powerful member, raised output by 30,000 barrels a day to an all-time high of 10.69 million a day. The kingdom increased production to meet both domestic consumption — which peaks in the summer with surging air conditioning use — and demand from customers overseas, Energy Minister Khalid Al-Falih said in an interview with the Saudi Press Agency last month.

OPEC nations will meet Russian Energy Minister Alexander Novak for informal talks on the sidelines of an industry conference in Algiers scheduled for Sept. 26 to Sept. 28. Putin would like Russia and OPEC to reach a deal on freezing supply, he said in an interview on Thursday. Any dispute over Iran's participation which thwarted a previous effort can be resolved, he said.

Still, with OPEC members already producing at, or close to, their maximum capacity, any accord they

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Energy prices

WTI Futures	$44.44	▲ $1.28
WTI Posted	$41.00	▲ $1.25
WTS Posted	$36.60	▲ $1.25
Natural Gas	$2.792	– $0.000
Gasoline	$2.016	▼ $0.001

The big number
In the state of Florida,
325,000 people
were without power from Hurricane Hermine. Page 4A

Word of the Day: hoi polloi
Do you know what it means? Find out the definition on Page 3A.

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Obituaries

Martha Ann Price Smith

Martha Ann Price Smith, 95, of Higgins, died August 31, 2016 in Canadian.

Graveside services will be 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 3, 2016 at Higgins Cemetery.

Memorial services will be at 1:00 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Higgins, with Reverend Blake Durham, pastor, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Canadian.

Mrs. Smith was born on White Deer Creek in Hutchinson County to Margaret and Willis Price on May 28, 1921. She graduated from Pampa High School and Texas Technological College. At Tech, she met the love of her life and devoted partner of 71 years - Vester Smith. In 1950, they moved to Higgins with their three children where they quickly became involved in the Higgins Methodist Church and the community of Higgins. Martha's passion was her family, and she had a special gift of hospitality. She welcomed her family at holidays with each person's favorite culinary dish--from cherry pie and "Smith cookies" to frozen fruit salad and ice cream with creme de menthe--and always had an ample supply of Crispix mix cooked to perfection.

Martha was an active member of Higgins First United Methodist Church serving on numerous committees, actively involved in United Methodist Women, supporting Methodist Youth and overseeing the Memorial Fund for over 50 years. She supported Vester's service in Kairos Prison Ministry by preparing food and baking hundreds of dozens of cookies.

Martha was named "Mother of the Year" by the Top of Texas District of Texas Federated Women's Clubs in 1966. She later served as president of the Top of Texas District using as her motto "Bloom where you are planted;" she truly left a garden of glorious flowers. She was instrumental in the merger of Girlstown, U.S.A. with Cal Farley's Boys Ranch, which she considered one of her proudest accomplishments.

On the wall of her home hung the saying, "When life gives you lemons, make lemonade." All who knew her would agree that she served lemonade well! She will be remembered as a gracious lady, loving wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother and has left a legacy of love, kindness, loyalty, and honor.

Martha was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Vester; her parents; her sisters, Mary Price Patterson and Harriet Faudree Dublin of Midland; and her brother, Willis D. Price, Jr. of Pampa.

She is survived by her sons, Willis Smith and wife Joanie of Higgins, and Steve Smith and wife Janice of Chickasha, Oklahoma; and her daughter, Kay Guleke and husband Jim of Austin.

She is also survived by her beloved grandchildren and great-grandchildren who affectionately called her "Mom," Leslee Holliday and husband Matt, and their children Jackson, Ethan, Gracyn and Reed; Stephanie Brownback and husband Cody and their children Ella and Crew; Matt Smith and wife Kimberly, and their children Aven, Sutton and Levi; Martha Hansen and her husband Brendan, their daughters Charlotte and Annie; Cole Smith and his wife Miquela; Zac Smith and his wife Naomi; Elizabeth Newsom and her husband BK; Margaret Galton and her husband Noah; and James Guleke.

Other survivors are her sister, Margaret Price Cowden of Midland; sister-in-law, Ida Ruth Price of Pampa; and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family would like to express their heartfelt gratitude to Dr. Cody Culwell and the nurses and staff of Hemphill County Hospital for their compassionate and loving care.

Memorials may be made to Hemphill County Hospice, 1020 S. 4th Street, Canadian, Texas 79014; or Higgins United Methodist Church Helping Hand Fund, 220 N. Main, Higgins, Texas 79056.

Sign the online guest register at *www.carmichael-whatleyofcanadian.com*.

Harper Ann Keese

Harper Ann Keese, infant, was born into Heaven on Thursday, September 1, 2016 at Medical Center Hospital in Odessa.

Graveside services will be at 9:00 a.m. at Resthaven Memorial Park on Saturday, September 3, 2016.

Harper is survived by her parents, Amanda and Jerry Keese, Jr.; sisters, Paisley, Maycee, and Allison Keese; maternal grandparents, Nancy and Jimmy Forsyth and Doug and Pat Carrell; aunt, Tammy Ricks; and uncles, Brandon Carrell and Ben McGilvray.

She is preceded in death by her paternal grandparents, Pat and Jerry Keese, Sr.

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

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Death Notices

Juanice Elizabeth Buie

Juanice Elizabeth Buie, 87, of Midland, passed away on Friday, September 2, 2016.

The family will be accepting guests from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. on Monday, September 5, 2016 at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Funeral services will be at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, September 6, 2016 at First Christian Church, with interment following at Resthaven Memorial Park.

Juanice is survived by three sons, Phil, Mike, and Bob Petty; and by two stepdaughters, Donna Rhea Cox and Mary Margaret Atwater.

LeAnna Allison Darr

LeAnna Allison Darr, 43, of Midland passed away on Wednesday, August 31, 2016.

A celebration of her life will begin at 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 6, 2016 at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Chapel.

LeAnna is survived by her daughter, Raini Darr; mother, Leia Felix; father, Larry Allison; and by one sister.

Raul T. Granado

Raul T. Granado "Welo," 79, of Midland, Texas, passed away on Wednesday August 31, 2016.

Viewing will be held Tuesday, September 6, 2016 at Heavenly Gate Funeral Home and Chapel, 405 N. Terrell Street from 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.; service starts at 7:00 p.m.

Funeral service will be held Wednesday, September 7, 2016 at Amistad Christiana Church, 401 S. Main Street, open at 10:00 a.m. and service will begin at 2:00 p.m.

He is survived by his wife, Vicenta S. Granado; and their sons and daughters, Yolanda G. Rodriguez, Aurora Granado, Diana G. Reyes, Raul Granado, Jr, Joe Granado, and Christovas Granado.

Rigoberto Alvarez Nunez

Rigoberto Alvarez Nunez, 71, of Midland, passed away on Wednesday, August 31, 2016.

Viewing will be Saturday, September 3, 2016 and Sunday, September 4, 2016, both days from 10:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., with a rosary at 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, all at Lewallen-Garcia-Pipkin Funeral Home Chapel.

He is survived by two sons, Raul Alvarez and Rigoberto Alvarez; his daughter, Lourdes Alvarez; and by one brother.

President Islam Karimov of Uzbekistan dies at age 78

By Jim Heintz
Associated Press

MOSCOW — Islam Karimov, who crushed all opposition in the Central Asian country of Uzbekistan as its only president in a quarter-century of independence from the Soviet Union, has died of a stroke at age 78, the Uzbek government announced Friday.

Karimov will be buried Saturday in the ancient city of Samarkand, his birthplace, the government said in a statement.

His younger daughter, Lola Karimova-Tillyaeva, said in a social media post Monday that he had been hospitalized in the capital of Tashkent after a brain hemorrhage Aug. 27. On Friday, she posted again, saying: "He is gone."

Karimov

Little other information was available. Media freedom and human rights have been harshly repressed ever since he became leader in 1989 while it was still a republic of the Soviet Union.

One of the world's most authoritarian rulers, Karimov cultivated no apparent successor, and his death raised concerns that the predominantly Sunni Muslim country could face prolonged infighting among clans over its leadership, something its Islamic radical movement could exploit.

"The death of Islam Karimov may open a pretty dangerous period of unpredictability and uncertainty in Uzbekistan," Alexei Pushkov, head of the Russian parliament's foreign affairs committee, told the Tass news agency.

Given the lack of access to the strategic country, it's hard to judge how powerful the Islamic Movement of Uzbekistan might be. Over the years, the group has been affiliated with the Taliban, al-Qaida and the Islamic State group, and it has sent fighters abroad.

Under the Uzbek constitution, if the president dies his duties pass temporarily to the head of the senate until an election can be held within three months. However, the head of the Uzbek senate is regarded as unlikely to seek permanent power and Karimov's demise is expected to set off a period of jockeying for political influence.

Karimov was known as a tyrant with an explosive temper and a penchant for cruelty. His troops machine-gunned hundreds of unarmed demonstrators to death during a 2005 uprising, he jailed thousands of political opponents, and his henchmen reportedly boiled some dissidents to death.

He came under widespread international criticism from human rights groups, but because of Uzbekistan's location as a vital supply route for the war in neighboring Afghanistan, the West sometimes turned a blind eye to his worst abuses.

Noting Karimov's death, President Barack Obama said in a statement the U.S. "reaffirms its support for the people of Uzbekistan."

"This week, I congratulated President Karimov and the people of Uzbekistan on their country's 25 years of independence," Obama said in the statement. "As Uzbekistan begins a new chapter in its history, the United States remains committed to partnership with Uzbekistan, to its sovereignty, security, and to a future based on the rights of all its citizens.

U.N. Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon was "saddened" at Karimov's death and paid tribute to his efforts "to develop strong ties between Uzbekistan and the United Nations as well as strengthen regional and global peace and security," U.N. spokesman Stephane Dujarric said.

Ban singled out Karimov's promotion of the treaty to establish the Central Asian Nuclear Weapon-Free Zone which entered into force in 2009.

Uzbekistan, a country of 30 million people famous for its apricot orchards, cotton fields and ancient stone cities along the Silk Road, had been one of the Muslim world's paragons of art and learning.

But Karimov cracked down on any form of Islam that wasn't patently subservient to him. His leadership style was epitomized by propaganda posters often displayed in Uzbekistan that depicted him alongside Tamerlane, a 14th-century emperor who had conquered a vast region of West, South and Central Asia.

He was known to shout and swear at officials during meetings and it was widely rumored that in bursts of anger he would beat officials and throw ashtrays at them.

Under Karimov, the economy remained centralized, with a handful of officials controlling the most lucrative industries and trade. A 1996 ban on the free convertibility of the national currency, the som, blocked trade and foreign investment, while unemployment soared and poverty was widespread.

Endemic corruption stymied development, despite considerable resources of natural gas and gold, along with its cotton exports. Millions of Uzbeks have flooded into Russia and neighboring Kazakhstan to support their families with remittances that amount to a sizable part of the country's GDP.

Karimov was suspicious of the West and infuriated by its criticism of his human rights record, but he also dreaded Islamic militancy, fearing it could grow into a strong opposition.

He unleashed a harsh campaign against Muslims starting in 1997 and intensifying in 1999 after eight car bombs exploded near key government buildings in Tashkent. The explosions killed 16 people and wounded more than 100.

"I am ready to rip off the heads of 200 people, to sacrifice their lives, for the sake of peace and tranquility in the country," Karimov said afterward. "If a child of mine chose such a path, I myself would rip off his head."

In the next few years, thousands of Muslims who practiced their faith outside government-controlled mosques were rounded up and jailed for alleged links to banned Islamic groups.

In 2004, a series of bombings and attacks on police killed more than 50 people and sparked a new wave of arrests and convictions.

Following 9/11, the West overlooked Karimov's harsh policies and cut a deal with him in 2001 to use Uzbekistan's Karshi-Khanabad air base for combat missions in Afghanistan.

During a May 2005 uprising in the eastern city of Andijan, Uzbek troops fired on demonstrators, killing more than 700 people, according to witnesses and human rights groups. It was the world's worst massacre of protesters since the 1989 bloodbath in China's Tiananmen Square.

Angered by U.S. criticism of the crackdown, Karimov evicted U.S. forces from the base.

He later quietly softened his position, allowing Uzbekistan to be part of the Northern Distribution Network supply route for Afghanistan, whose utility declined when Russia dropped out of the network in 2015. The United States in turn agreed to start the sale of non-lethal military goods to his regime.

Islam Abduganiyevich Karimov was born on Jan. 30, 1938, and studied economics and engineering in what was then a Soviet republic, rising through the Communist Party bureaucracy.

In 1989, Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev made Karimov Uzbekistan's Communist Party chief in the wake of a huge corruption scandal that involved top Uzbek officials. At the time, Karimov was seen as a hard-working and uncorrupt Communist.

Karimov's death would "mark the end of an era in Uzbekistan, but almost certainly not the pattern of grave human rights abuses, said Denis Krivosheev, deputy director for Europe and Central Asia at Amnesty International. "His successor is likely to come from Karimov's closest circle, where dissenting minds have never been tolerated." Karimov was a distant leader. His annual New Year's address to the nation was always read by a TV anchor. His wife rarely appeared in public, and his vacations were never announced. His nephew, opposition journalist Jamshid Karimov, was forcibly committed to a psychiatric institution after a series of articles criticizing his uncle and other officials.

Word of Karimov's death began spreading even before the Uzbek government announced it Friday night, with officials in Kyrgyzstan and Afghanistan saying leaders from those countries would attend his funeral and the Turkish prime minister offering condolences. Uzbekistan celebrated its Independence Day on Thursday, which is perhaps why the government had delayed any news about Karimov.

Hundreds of Texas cases jeopardized after evidence destroyed

By David Warren
Associated Press

DALLAS — Hundreds of criminal cases in the Houston area are in jeopardy after a deputy constable destroyed more than 20,000 pieces of evidence while cleaning out a crammed property room, authorities said Friday.

Harris County District Attorney Devon Anderson said during a news conference that about 150 cases have been dismissed so far because of the loss of evidence. She says more than a 1,000 other cases are being reviewed, including at least one involving aggravated assault.

"It will make me sick if we have to dismiss a violent case because of this," Anderson said. "That's why we're asking the prosecutors to try to resurrect these cases as best they can."

In one instance, prosecutors are working with defense attorneys to hold a new trial for a defendant sentenced to 10 years in prison after pleading guilty to drug charges, the Houston Chronicle reports.

The deputy cleaned the property room at the Harris County Precinct 4 Constable's Office in January and authorities haven't explained how it was possible to destroy so much evidence, such as whether some was stored digitally and files were deleted. Anderson did not offer an explanation and a spokesman for the district attorney's office did not return a call seeking clarification.

The deputy's boss, Harris County Precinct 4 Constable Mark Herman, told the Chronicle he didn't learn about the loss of evidence until about two months later. He then notified the district attorney's office.

Anderson said prosecutors have spent hundreds of hours trying to sort out what evidence has been destroyed and which cases must be revisited or reviewed. But the effort is complicated by conflicting information provided by the constable's office as to how much evidence was lost and how many cases jeopardized, she said.

"The number of cases reported by Precinct 4 is ever-changing," she said. "Our team has already spent hundreds of hours evaluating the cases we currently know about, and until we get a final number we really have no idea how long it's going to take to sort this out."

Herman will have an independent audit done to determine with certainty how much evidence is lost, she said. Once the investigation is completed, authorities will determine whether criminal charges will be filed, Anderson said.

Herman has fired the deputy, identified by Anderson as Cpl. Christopher Hess.

But an attorney for Hess, Burt Springer, told the Chronicle that Hess was following orders when he cleaned out the property room and that others assisted.

"He was told to clean out the evidence room because there was massive amounts of what I would call old and useless evidence there," Springer said. "It needed to be cleaned out."

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MIDLAND

MPD releases more info on tie-wearing bank bandit

The Midland Police Department released more information on the person allegedly involved in the robbery of the Members Financial Federal Credit Union on North Big Spring Street on Thursday.

MPD reported the suspect is believed to drive an older model, navy blue or dark gray Nissan Pathfinder. The paint on the vehicle is fading or peeling, and the license plate number is unknown at this time.

The suspect entered the credit union at 3100 N. Big Spring St. at 2:34 Thursday and handed the bank teller a note demanding money, according to MPD. The suspect fled with a large amount of money and is described as a 5-foot-9 balding white male in his 30s with a medium build. In a picture released by MPD, the suspect is seen in the credit union in coat and tie.

Anyone with information about this case is urged to call MPD at 432-685-7108 or Midland Crime Stoppers at 432-694-TIPS. The Federal Bureau of Investigation has been notified and is in charge of the investigation of this case.

DENVER CITY

Accident at West Texas drilling rig leaves 2 workers dead

Authorities say two workers have died following a drilling rig accident in West Texas.

Yoakum County Sheriff Donald Corzine (KORZ'-eyen) said Friday that investigators are trying to determine if weather was a factor.

Corzine says the two men were at a Norton Energy Drilling site near Denver City on Wednesday when there was some type of mechanical accident. The sheriff had no additional details on what went wrong. He says recent heavy rain had left the site muddy.

The sheriff says one worker died at the scene. The other received medical attention but later died. Names of the victims weren't immediately released.

Federal investigators will review the accident.

An attorney for Lubbock-based Norton Energy Drilling didn't immediately return a message for comment.

Denver City is 75 miles southwest of Lubbock.

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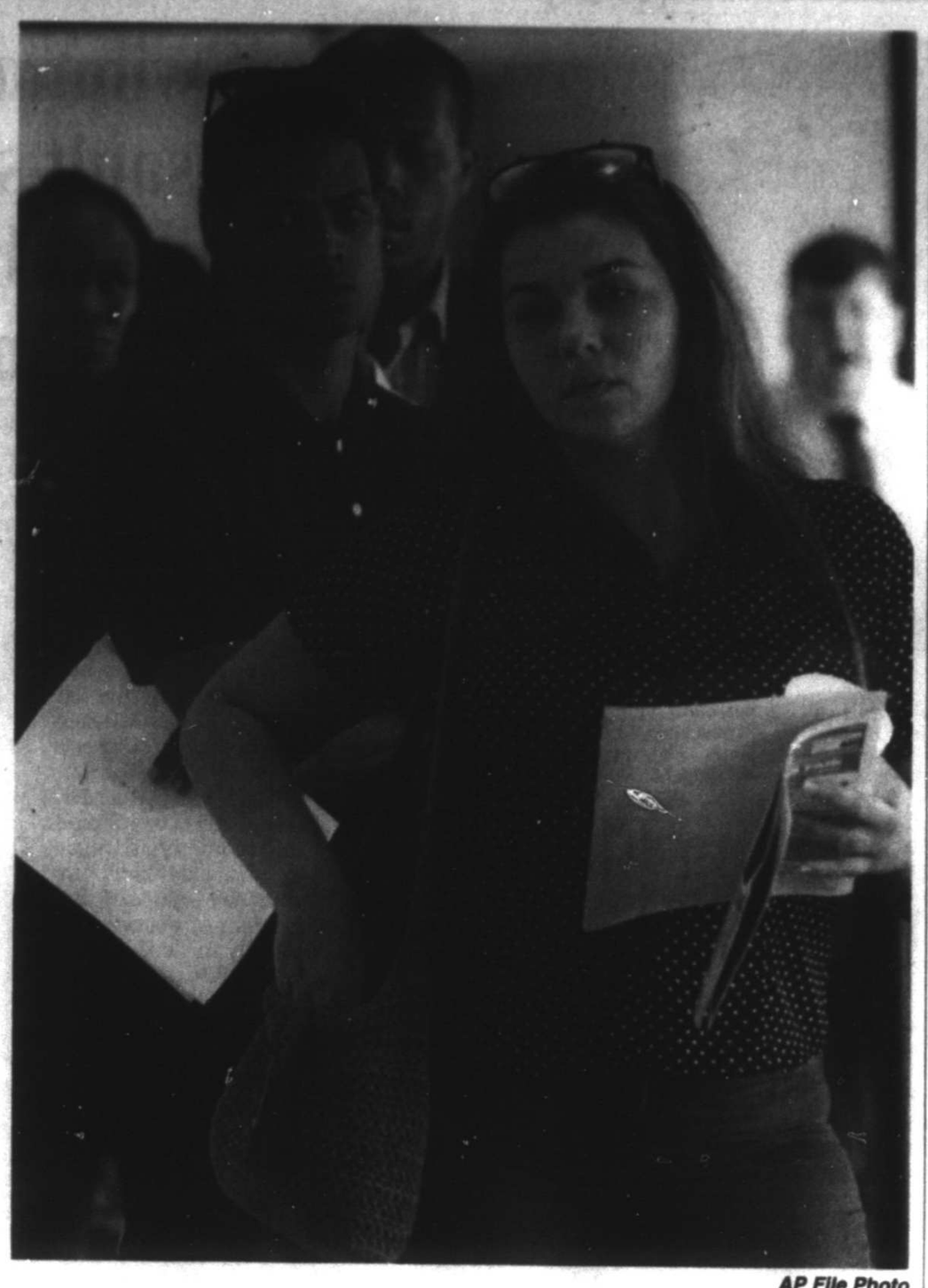

AP File Photo

Raisa Rickie waits in line to apply for a job with Aldi at a job fair in Miami Lakes, Fla. On Friday, the U.S. government issued the August jobs report.

US hiring slowed in August, yet Americans' outlook brightens

By Christopher S. Rugaber
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — U.S. employers slowed their hiring in August after two blockbuster months and barely raised their workers' pay, a pullback that may lead the Federal Reserve to leave interest rates alone until late this year.

But several surveys suggest that Americans are growing more optimistic about the job market, a trend that could boost spending and energize the economy in coming months.

Employers added 151,000 jobs in August, a modest gain after an increase of 275,000 in July, the most in eight months, and 271,000 in June. The unemployment rate remained at 4.9 percent for a third straight month, the Labor Department reported Friday.

Federal Reserve Chair Janet Yellen and other Fed officials highlighted the economy's improvement at a conference last month. Vice Chair Stanley Fischer suggested that the job market was close to full health, an assessment that typically might prompt a rate hike.

Yet, the August job figures may lead the Fed to hold off at its next meeting, Sept. 20-21, and await further economic data. Investors foresee only a 21 percent chance of a rate increase this month, according to futures markets, down from 24 percent on Thursday.

The Fed held its benchmark short-term rate at a record low near zero for seven years to support the economy after the financial crisis erupted in 2008. Its policymakers raised their key rate modestly in December but have stood pat since. Lower rates can encourage more borrowing and spending and thereby stimulate the economy.

Stock investors seemed pleased that Friday's modest jobs data might have lessened the likelihood of a September Fed rate increase. Higher borrowing rates tend to weigh down stock prices. The Dow Jones industrial average closed up about 73 points.

If a relatively tepid pace of hiring keeps the Fed on the sidelines, the continuation of ultra-low rates could sustain growth, some analysts suggested.

"This is a healthy thing if the (job) gains slow down a little bit, because that reduces the risk that the Fed will quickly raise rates and choke off the expansion," said Josh Wright, chief economist at iCIMS, a recruitment software company and former Fed staffer.

Still, modest hiring means it could take longer to fully heal the scars of the Great Recession. The proportion of Americans who are either working or looking for work has been flat for about two years but is still near a 40-year low.

The nation's 4.9 percent unemployment rate also remains low. A broader barometer, which counts not only the officially unemployed but also part-time workers who want full-time work and people who have given up their job hunts, is 9.7 percent. That's down from a peak of 17.4 percent in 2009, just after the recession ended.

The steady hiring of the past six years appears to be imbuing Americans with a brighter outlook, a shift from the widespread gloom that long persisted even as the economy grew.

The Conference Board's consumer confidence survey this month found that the percentage of Americans who consider jobs "plentiful" has reached a nine-year high. And overall confidence has touched an 11-month high.

In addition, a survey released Friday by Rutgers University showed that Americans are more confident that they could find a job if necessary than they were two years ago.

Nearly 70 percent of respondents said they are very or somewhat confident they could land another good job. That figure barely rose in the first four years of the recovery but is now up from 53 percent in 2014.

"It's the best news from an attitude standpoint that we've seen in our workforce since the recession began," said Carl Van Horn, director of the Heldrich Center for Workforce Development at Rutgers. "As people become more confident, they will probably spend more."

A Gallup survey released last month reported that the percentage of Americans who say their employers are hiring has reached the highest level since Gallup began asking the question in 2008.

Still, worker pay hasn't accelerated nearly as much as in previous economic recoveries. Average hourly wages barely rose in August and has increased just 2.4 percent over the past 12 months.

That figure masks wide variations among industries and occupations. Recruiting firm Robert Half estimates that pay will grow much faster next year for in-demand technology professionals. Starting salaries should jump 6.4 percent for data scientists, 6.2 percent for web developers and 5.7 percent for network security engineers, the firm estimates based on surveys of recruiters.

Pay has lagged in the past year for shipping and warehouse workers, retail employees and factory workers, according to government data. But pay is rising for some lower-paying jobs, particularly at restaurants.

Scott Gittrich, CEO and Founder of Toppers Pizza, said his company has become so desperate to attract drivers in some cities that they've increased pay up to 15 percent. The company has 76 restaurants in 13 states and plans to open eight more within six months.

"Wages are getting pressured across the board," Gittrich said. "We're paying above minimums in most markets."

Ex-Stanford swimmer exits jail after serving half his term

By Paul Elias
Associated Press

SAN JOSE, Calif. — Brock Turner, whose six-month sentence for sexually assaulting an unconscious woman at Stanford University sparked a national outcry, was released from jail Friday morning after serving half his six-month sentence.

Turner

The one-time Olympic hopeful swimmer walked out the main entrance of the Santa Clara County jail shortly after 6 a.m. PDT. Turner, who kept his head down and didn't acknowledge the media, was carrying a large packet of hate mail sent to him during his incarceration. The tall and lanky Turner appeared to be wearing the same shirt and pants he wore during his June 2 sentencing hearing, carrying his suit jacket under an arm.

A local television station followed the rented SUV that picked him up to a nearby hotel where he checked in with his parents. He plans to head to his native Ohio to live with his parents. The 21-year-old must register as a sex offender for life and faces three years of supervised probation.

Turner's case exploded into the spotlight when a poignant statement from the victim swept through social media and critics decried the sentence as too lenient. It prompted California lawmakers to pass a tougher sexual assault law and led to an effort to remove the judge from the bench. The victim said it wasn't fair that Turner's loss of his athletic career was taken into consideration when sentencing him.

"How fast Brock swims does not lessen the severity of what happened to me, and should not lessen the severity of his punishment," the victim said. "The fact that Brock was an athlete at a private university should not be seen as an entitlement to leniency, but as an opportunity to send a message that sexual assault is against the law regardless of social class."

Santa Clara County Sheriff Laurie Smith said Turner received nonspecific threats in jail in addition to the packet of hate mail given to him as he left jail. She said he was held in "protective custody" during his incarceration but her department didn't receive any credible or serious threats.

Smith said she believed Turner's sentence was too light.

Smith urged Gov. Jerry Brown to sign a bill the Assembly passed 66-0 Monday that would require mandatory prison sentences for the same crime Turner committed. Brown hasn't said whether he will sign.

Turner was convicted of assaulting the young woman near a trash bin after they drank heavily at a fraternity party in January 2015. The victim had passed out and Turner was on top of her when confronted by two graduate students passing by on bicycles. They chased and tackled him when he tried to flee, holding him on the ground until police arrived.

Turner plans to appeal.

A few protesters jeered Turner as he left the jail and more began gathering in front of the nearby courthouse to advocate for the judge's ouster.

"His sentence was upsetting and unsettling," said Christy Heiskala, who said she flew from San Diego to attend the protest. Heiskala, 41, says her daughter is a high school senior planning on attending college next year.

"I'm concerned about her safety next year," Heiskala said. "That's why I'm here."

Heiskala was part of a demonstration organized by leaders of the campaign to recall the judge who sentenced Turner. It was held across the street from the San Jose jail.

Santa Clara County Judge Aaron Persky cited Turner's youth, clean criminal record and other considerations when he sentenced Turner. Persky followed the probation department's recommendation for a "moderate" jail sentence.

Following backlash and a push for a recall, Persky voluntarily removed himself from hearing criminal cases, starting next week.

Recall campaign leaders said Persky's transfer to civil court was not enough. They and others attending a demonstration outside the jail called for him to resign Friday.

"We need judges who understand sexual assault and violence against women," said Stanford law professor Michele Dauber, a friend of Turner's victim and the chair of the recall campaign. "Judge Persky does not."

California jail inmates with good behavior typically serve half their sentences. Ohio prison officials earlier this month agreed to take over supervision of Turner's probation. Turner must register as a sex offender when he gets to Ohio.

Greene County Sheriff Gene Fischer said Turner has five days to register with his office in Xenia, Ohio, 15 miles east of Dayton. He will have to report to a probation officer for three years and must avoid alcohol and drugs during that time.

Fischer said his department will notify Turner's neighbors informing them that a convicted sex offender is moving nearby. Turner will be required to register every three months in person at the sheriff's office, reaffirming that he is still living with his parents, the sheriff said.

Deputies also will check on Turner without warning to ensure he has not moved without permission from authorities.

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Things to do

■ Adult Kickball, 2 p.m. Visit facebook.com/groups/Midlandkickball for more information.

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

■ GloveBox, 5 p.m., The Bar, 606 W. Missouri Ave.

■ Chris Wayne Band, 8 p.m., Beer Garden, 7112 West Highway 80.

■ Jenni Dale Lord, 9 p.m., The Lone Star Bar, 621 W. Wall St.

■ DJ Wildman, 9 p.m., The Lift on 7th, 1401 E. 7th St. Odessa.

■ "Sweeney Todd: The Demon Barber of Fleet Street" at Midland Community Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave. mctmidland.org.

Final night of Summer Mummers

Summer Mummers 2016: "Midland's Master Munchie Maker or... Are You Going to Eat That?" 8 p.m., the Yucca Theatre, 208 N. Colorado Ave. summermummers.com.

When it's open today

U.S. Postal Service

■ Graves Station, 3304 W. Wadley Ave.
10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The Midland County Public Library is not open today.

Recycling container locations

Large 30-cubic yard open top containers:

Midland Citizens Collection Station

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

Midland College (Chaparral Center)

■ 3200 N. Garfield Road — Cardboard, paper, aluminum and No. 1 and 2 plastics

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

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

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

Kids invited to Punt, Pass Kick competition

■ Boys and girls ages 6-15 will have the opportunity to exhibit their football skills when the city of Midland Parks and Recreation Division hosts the National Football League's Punt, Pass & Kick competition on Wednesday.

This free event will take place from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Greater Midland Youth Football Fields located at C.J. Kelly Park behind Lowe's.

The NFL Punt, Pass & Kick football competition allows youngsters to showcase their talents in punting, passing and kicking with scores based on distance and accuracy.

The top finishers from each age group at the local competition will advance to a sectional competition in Lubbock. Winners at the sectional competition will have their scores compared with other sectional champions. The top four scorers from the pool of sectional champions advance to the team championship to be held at AT&T Stadium, home of the Dallas Cowboys.

For more information, visit www.nflppk.com or call the Midland Parks and Recreation Division at 432-685-7379.

Source: City of Midland

Registration open for Pee Wee hoops League

Registration is now open for Midland Parks and Recreation Department's Pee Wee Basketball League.

Designed to teach fundamentals to boys and girls ages 4-6, the Pee Wee Basketball League will begin in November. Registration for the league is $25 per child and open from now until Oct. 26 at the Martin Luther King Jr. Community Center, 2300 Butternut Lane. The league is limited to the first 60 registrants and hours of registration are 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Mondays through Fridays and 10 a.m.-5 p.m. on Saturdays.

Games will be held on Saturday mornings and practice will be one evening per week for an hour. Registration includes five guaranteed games, a T-shirt, a CD with pictures, and an award. Volunteer coaches are still needed and must be good with children and have basic basketball knowledge.

For more information or to sign up to be a coach, please call 432-685-7355 or email jajolly@midlandtexas.gov.

Source: City of Midland

Lottery

Pick 3 morning: 1-5-3
Pick 3 day: 1-1-2
Pick 3 evening: 1-0-2
Pick 3 night: 9-4-3
Daily 4 morning: 0-7-1-5
Daily 4 day: 1-6-2-2
Daily 4 evening: 7-1-3-1
Daily 4 night: 3-4-8-7
Cash Five: 1-4-19-21-28
Texas Triple chance: 2-7-16-21-27-28-29-34-41-42
Mega Millions: 22-28-41-46-60 MB: 3 Megaplier: 3
All or Nothing morning: 1-4-5-7-8-10-11-17-18-22-23-24
All or Nothing day: 4-6-7-9-10-12-14-17-20-21-23-24
All or Nothing evening: 2-4-6-9-10-11-12-13-14-17-22-23
All or Nothing night: 2-4-5-10-12-14-15-17-20-21-23-24

Associated Press

A hand painted sign on a boarded up bar is seen as Hurricane Hermine nears the Florida coast, Thursday in Cedar Key, Fla. Hurricane Hermine gained new strength Thursday evening and roared ever closer to Florida's Gulf Coast, where rough surf began smashing against docks and boathouses and people braced for the first direct hit on the state from a hurricane in over a decade.

After slamming Florida, Hermine threatens East Coast

By Jason Dearen
Associated Press

DEKLE BEACH, Fla. — The first hurricane to hit Florida in more than a decade wiped away beachside buildings and toppled trees onto homes Friday before plowing inland on a path that could send it rolling up the densely populated East Coast with heavy rain, high winds and flooding.

Hermine (her-MEEN) quickly weakened to a tropical storm as it spun through Georgia and the Carolinas. But the National Hurricane Center predicted it would regain hurricane strength after emerging over the Atlantic Ocean. The system could then lash coastal areas as far north as Connecticut and Rhode Island through Labor Day.

"Anyone along the U.S. East Coast needs to be paying close attention this weekend," said Dennis Feltgen, a spokesman for the National Hurricane Center.

In Florida, Hermine's main impact came in the form of power outages and damage from storm surges. A homeless man south of Gainesville died when a tree fell on him, Gov. Rick Scott said.

He later took to a Blackhawk helicopter to visit the coastal communities of Cedar Key and Steinhatchee hit hard by the damage from flooding and storm surge that crumpled docks and washed out homes and businesses.

Scott pledged that businesses would be eligible for help from the state. But it's unclear whether Florida will get any federal disaster assistance as the state begins to clean up from the storm.

An estimated 325,000 people were without power statewide and more than 107,000 in neighboring Georgia, officials said.

At 8 p.m., the hurricane center said the tropical storm was approaching the tourist resort of Myrtle Beach, South Carolina amid warnings the storm threatens a dangerous storm surge up to southeast Virginia. Hermine had top sustained winds of 50 mph and was moving northeast at 20 mph.

Forecasters said the system could strengthen back into a hurricane by Monday morning off the Maryland-Delaware coast before weakening again as it moves north. Tropical storm watches and warnings were posted up and down the coastline.

Amtrak says it has cancelled or altered some service on the East Coast as the storm approaches.

Back in Florida, a storm surge at Dekle Beach damaged numerous homes and destroyed storage buildings and a 100-yard fishing pier. The area is about 60 miles southeast of St. Marks, where Hermine made landfall at 1:30 a.m. in the Big Bend area, where Florida's peninsula and panhandle meet.

Nancy Geohagen walked around collecting photos and other items for her neighbors after the storm scattered them.

"I know who this baseball bat belongs to," she said plucking it from a pile of debris.

An unnamed spring storm that hit the beach in 1993 killed 10 people who refused to evacuate. This time, only three residents stayed behind. All escaped injury.

In nearby Steinhatchee, a storm surge crashed into Bobbi Pattison's home. She wore galoshes and was covered in black muck as she stood in her living room amid overturned furniture and an acrid smell. Tiny crabs darted around her floor.

"I had a hurricane cocktail party last night and God got even with me," she said with a chuckle. Where her bar once stood was now only wet sand and rubble. Pattison and two neighbors managed to set upright a large wooden statue of a sea captain she had carved from wood that washed ashore in the 1993 storm.

In Keaton Beach, about two dozen people waited on a road just after sunrise Friday, trying to get to their homes. Police blocked the road because of flooding.

Dustin Beach, 31, rushed there from a hospital in Tallahassee where his wife gave birth to a girl Thursday night to see if his home still stood.

"When my wife got up this morning, she said, 'Go home and check on the house. I need to know where we're going after we leave the hospital,'" Beach said.

Cindy Simpson was waiting near her car, hoping her beach home and boats survived. "It's a home on stilts so I put everything upstairs. We have two boats in the boat house, and I hope they're still there," she said.

High winds knocked trees onto several houses in Tallahassee, injuring people inside.

It was sometime after midnight when Alan Autry, 48, started hearing the large pines in his Tallahassee neighborhood start to crack and fall to the ground.

Then he heard one come down on the top floor of his house. The tree didn't initially crash through the roof, and Autry and his wife went to a neighbor's house. Sometime before dawn, the corner of his house collapsed from the weight of the tree.

"We've been married 13 years and this is our fifth hurricane," said Autry who moved from central Florida six years ago. "By far, this is the worst damage we've ever had."

Tampa and St. Petersburg escaped major damage. Up to 17 inches of rain fell in the area over the last two days.

The last hurricane to strike Florida was Wilma, a powerful Category 3 storm that arrived on Oct. 24, 2005. It swept across the Everglades and struck heavily populated south Florida, causing five deaths in the state and an estimated $23 billion in damage.

The Florida governor declared an emergency in 51 counties and said about 6,000 National Guardsmen stood ready to mobilize for the storm's aftermath. The governors of Georgia and North Carolina also declared emergencies.

US, China expected to join climate deal during Obama visit

By Josh Lederman
Associated Press

HONOLULU — Opening his final trip to Asia, President Barack Obama is expected to join Chinese leader Xi Jinping in announcing their countries are formally taking part in a historic global climate deal. Yet thornier issues like maritime disputes and cybersecurity shadow Obama's visit.

The president departed Friday for Hangzhou, China, where he will meet on Saturday with Xi ahead of a summit of the Group of 20, a collection of industrial and emerging-market nations. Environmental groups and experts tracking global climate policy said they expected the two leaders would jointly enter the sweeping emissions-cutting deal reached last year in Paris. Unlikely partners on addressing global warming, the U.S. and China have sought to use their collaboration to ramp up pressure on other countries to take concrete action as well.

Entering the climate agreement has been an intricate exercise in diplomatic choreography. As Obama crossed the Pacific, the state-run Xinhua News Agency reported China's legislature had voted to formally enter the agreement. The White House announced Obama would speak about climate change shortly after landing in the eastern city. The deal was reached in December, and the U.S., China and many others signed it in April, on Earth Day. Even the third step — formally participating in the deal — doesn't bring it into force in the U.S. or China. That won't happen until a critical mass of polluting countries joins. Aiming to build on previous cooperation, the U.S. and China have also been discussing a global agreement on aviation emissions, though there's some disagreement about what obligations developing countries should face in the first years. The aviation issue is expected to be on the agenda for Obama's meeting with Xi, along with ongoing efforts to phase out hydrofluorocarbons, another greenhouse gas. The alliance on climate has been a rare bright spot between the U.S. and China in recent years, a relationship otherwise characterized by tensions over China's emergence as a key global power. Washington has been deeply concerned about China's territorial ambitions in waters far off its coast, while Beijing looks warily at Obama's efforts to expand U.S. influence in Asia, viewing it as an attempt to contain China's rise.

Swimmer's sex assault sentence spurs debate over prison plan

By Don Thompson
Associated Press

SACRAMENTO, Calif. — A November ballot measure backed by Gov. Jerry Brown would allow earlier parole for thousands of California inmates, but critics say it could result in the very situation that led to public outrage in the case of former Stanford University swimmer Brock Turner.

The proposal is aimed at controlling overcrowding in state prisons and reining in costs, and is limited to nonviolent offenders. But in California, "nonviolent" is broadly defined.

It applies to certain rapes and sexual assaults, such as Turner's conviction, along with vehicular and involuntary manslaughter, assault with a deadly weapon, domestic violence, exploding a bomb with intent to injure and other crimes.

Because of that, the ballot measure could mean less time in prison for people like Turner, prosecutors say. The one-time Olympic hopeful swimmer was released Friday after completing half of a six-month jail sentence for sexually assaulting an unconscious woman behind a trash bin near a fraternity house hosting a party

Many already were upset that the law allowed him to avoid hard time.

But under Brown's initiative, Turner would have been eligible for earlier parole consideration even if he had been sentenced to prison, said Ventura County District Attorney Greg Totten, speaking on behalf of the California District Attorneys Association, which opposes the Democratic governor's plan.

"It's being represented as something that applies only to nonviolent offenders, and really nothing could be further from the truth," Totten said.

Turner's brief jail term sparked an outcry from numerous politicians, sexual assault survivors and others who are now seeking to recall Santa Clara County Superior Court Judge Aaron Persky.

"I think that this really raises the same concern that's at the heart of the recall campaign, which is how the legal system treats sexual assault and violence against women," said recall campaign chairwoman Michele Dauber, a Stanford University law professor who is friends with the woman Turner assaulted. "Treating any kind of sexual assault of an unconscious person as a nonviolent offense, that's an injustice to women everywhere."

Turner originally was charged with raping an intoxicated or unconscious person, which also is considered a nonviolent crime because, according to California law, it does not involve force.

State law considers 23 crimes to be violent, including murder and kidnapping. But Dan Newman, a spokesman for the campaign in favor of the ballot measure, called the list "merely a starting point."

Under Proposition 57, the state corrections department could administratively rule out registered sex offenders like Turner for early release, and parole officials could reject anyone with a dangerous history, Newman said. He noted the violent crimes list includes any felony in which a gun is used or that causes great bodily injury.

Other crimes are considered nonviolent, including solicitation to commit murder, injuring a child, human trafficking involving a minor, criminal threats, hate crimes and shooting at an occupied building, vehicle or aircraft.

Turner faced a minimum two-year prison sentence, and prosecutors sought six years. Persky cited "extraordinary circumstances" in following a probation department recommendation and sentencing him to jail.

The judge is stepping aside from hearing criminal cases. The outcry also prompted legislation sent to Brown last week that would effectively require prison for anyone convicted of raping or sexually assaulting an unconscious or intoxicated person.

National organizations representing lawmakers and law enforcement could not say if other states consider such crimes nonviolent. What constitutes a violent crime varies widely across the nation and even within states, according to the Washington, D.C.-based Justice Policy Institute, a nonprofit group that advocates for reducing incarceration.

Nearly a quarter of California's 130,000 prison inmates could be eligible for earlier parole if the measure passes, according to the nonpartisan Legislative Analyst's Office.

The initiative expands on an existing federal court order requiring earlier parole consideration for some offenders convicted of nonviolent and nonsexual crimes. Brown's administration calculates that the initiative would require immediate parole hearings for 1,300 inmates, about half of whom are likely to be released earlier.

Additionally, the legislative analyst projects that about 7,500 new convicts each year could seek reduced sentences. They could be considered for release about 18 months into a typical two-year sentence.

Newman referred to San Diego County District Attorney Bonnie Dumanis to counter criticism from other prosecutors. But she, too, expressed reservations in a statement, after declining an interview.

"Nothing is perfect, and there are clearly some issues and language that need to be addressed," Dumanis said.

Dumanis, a Republican and the sole district attorney to publicly support the governor's plan, praised another part of the ballot measure that would give corrections officials broad authority to award sentencing credits, including to inmates convicted of violent crimes, if they complete rehabilitation programs. The initiative would require judges instead of prosecutors to decide if juveniles should be tried in adult court.

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reach on a freeze will have little relevance for actual supplies, according to Mike Coleman, founder of Singapore-based hedge fund, RCMA Asset Management Pte Ltd.

"It's more symbolic," Coleman said. "The production freeze doesn't do anything. To have a meaningful impact on prices, you need a production cut."

Nigeria suffered the biggest production decline among OPEC's 14 members last month, sliding by 130,000 barrels a day to 1.44 million a day. Companies are struggling to repair pipelines in the oil-rich Niger Delta following attacks claimed by militant groups.

Libya experienced the next-biggest losses, sliding 40,000 barrels a day to 260,000 a day as the country's political factions continued to feud over the control of oil export terminals. Output restarted at the Sarir oil field, Arabian Gulf Oil Co. said Thursday, following the receipt of payment from the state-run oil company.

Last month's production figure exceeds last year's level even when adjusted to exclude Gabon and Indonesia, which joined the group this year. Estimates for most members' production in July were revised from the previous survey.

Halt and catch fire: Battery woes go well beyond Samsung

By Mae Anderson
Associated Press

NEW YORK — Samsung's Note 7 isn't the only gadget to catch fire thanks to lithium-battery problems, which have afflicted everything from iPhones to Tesla cars to Boeing jetliners. Blame chemistry and the fact that the batteries we rely on for everyday life are prone to leaking and even bursting into flame if damaged, defective or exposed to excessive heat.

That's because lithium-ion batteries store a lot of energy in a tiny space, with combustible components separated by ultra-thin walls. If something happens to those separators, a chemical reaction can quickly escalate out of control.

Samsung hasn't specified exactly what caused the fires that led to the recall of 2.5 million Galaxy Note 7's on Thursday beyond calling it a "battery cell issue."

Still, lithium batteries are so ubiquitous that ordinary users of phones and computers shouldn't worry. Research suggests that you're more likely to get hurt by a kitchen grease fire or a drunk driver than the battery powering your iPhone, Kindle or laptop.

"It's not like we live in a world where people's smartphones spontaneously combust," said Ramon Llamas, research manager of research firm IDC's mobile phones team. He said owners of Galaxy Note 7s should err on the side of caution and contact Samsung for a replacement that doesn't run the same risk.

Here's a look at other notable incidents when lithium batteries by themselves or in electronics have caused problems.

On airplanes

There have been dozens of aircraft fires caused by lithium batteries, so many that the batteries are no longer welcome as cargo on passenger flights. In one of the most recent incidents, a Fiji Airways Boeing 737 was preparing for takeoff from Melbourne, Australia, when smoke was discovered coming from the cargo bay. The plane was evacuated and the cargo unloaded. The source of the fire turned out to be lithium-ion batteries in a passenger's checked bags. Hoverboards and e-cigarettes are banned from flights for the same reason.

Hoverboards

Hoverboards, or self-balancing scooters, have been linked with at least 99 electrical fires in the U.S., according to the the Consumer Product Safety Commission. Hoverboards might be more susceptible than other products to battery fires because they come under more duress than other electronic devices like computers. Amazon, Best Buy and other retailers dumped the products after videos of burning hoverboards went viral. But they reopened sales this year after passing new fire-safety tests.

Computer batteries

In June, HP recalled nearly 50,000 HP, Compaq, HP ProBook, HP ENVY, Compaq Presario, and HP Pavilion computers after seven reports of battery packs overheating, melting or charring, including four reports of property damage totaling about $4,000.

FDA bans antiseptic chemicals from soaps; no proof they work

By Matthew Perrone
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The federal government Friday banned more than a dozen chemicals long-used in antibacterial soaps, saying manufacturers failed to show they are safe and kill germs.

"We have no scientific evidence that they are any better than plain soap and water," said Dr. Janet Woodcock, the Food and Drug Administration' drug center director, in a statement.

Friday's decision primarily targets two once-ubiquitous ingredients — triclosan and triclocarban — that some limited research in animals suggests can interfere with hormone levels and spur drug-resistant bacteria.

The 19 banned chemicals have long been under scrutiny, and a cleaning industry spokesman said most companies have already removed them from their soaps and washes.

The FDA said it will allow companies more time to provide data on three additional chemicals, which are used in most antibacterial soaps sold today.

The agency told manufacturers nearly three years ago that they must show their products are safe and effective. Regulators said Friday that they either did not receive any data from industry supporting a chemical's use, or the data did not meet federal standards for proving safety and effectiveness. In the case of triclosan, regulators said they didn't receive either human or animal studies showing the drug is safe or effective.

"Consumers may think antibacterial washes are more effective at preventing the spread of germs," Woodcock said in a statement. "In fact, some data suggests that antibacterial ingredients may do more harm than good over the long-term."

Most of the research surrounding triclosan's safety involves laboratory animals, including studies in rats that showed changes in testosterone, estrogen and thyroid hormones. Some scientists worry that if it causes such changes in humans it could raise the risk of infertility, early puberty and even cancer — though no connection has been established.

Because the chemicals are known to kill some bacteria, even if they are no better than soap, experts also worry that routine use will help allow drug-resistant germs known a superbugs to emerge that cannot be killed by antibiotics.

FDA division chief Dr. Theresa Michele said these potential risks outweighed the potential benefits of the chemicals, since manufacturers were unable to document any.

The FDA ban comes more than 40 years after Congress asked the agency to evaluate triclosan and dozens of other antiseptic ingredients. Ultimately, the government agreed to publish its findings only after a three-year legal battle with an environmental group, the Natural Resources Defense Council, which accused the FDA of delaying a decision on the safety of triclosan.

RIG COUNT

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and the Marcellus (27).

The most-active states were Texas, Oklahoma (66), Louisiana (35), New Mexico and North Dakota (28).

Canada & North America

Canada's rig count fell nine this week to 137, 50 fewer than last year's tally. There were 77 oil rigs, down seven. Natural gas rigs fell two to 60.

The total number of rigs in the North America region fell one to 634. At this time last year, there were 1,051 rigs in North America

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Rig count, county by county

DISTRICT 7B	
Nolan	2 (+1)
Stonewall	3
Total	**5 (+1)**
DISTRICT 7C	
Irion	2
Reagan	10
Upton	10
Total	**22**
DISTRICT 8	
Andrews	4 (-2)
Culberson	4
Ector	3 (+1)
Glasscock	6
Howard	10 (+1)
Loving	13
Martin	11 (-1)
Midland	37 (+1)
Mitchell	0 (-1)
Pecos	4 (-1)
Reeves	26
Sterling	4 (+1)
Ward	7
Winkler	4
Total	**130 (-1)**
DISTRICT 8A	
Borden	2
Crosby	1
Dickens	0 (-1)
Gaines	2 (+1)
Garza	1 (+1)
Hockley	1
Scurry	3
Terry	1 (+1)
Yoakum	4 (+1)
Total	**15 (+3)**
NEW MEXICO	
Eddy	10
Lea	20
Total	**30**

Aeropostale auction won by Simon Property, General Growth Group

By Andrew Dunn
Bloomberg

A consortium led by Simon Property Group Inc. and General Growth Properties Inc. won an auction for the assets of Aeropostale Inc., with a plan to keep open 229 of the the bankrupt teen retailer's stores.

Simon owns Midland Park Mall.

The bidding group will also keep the chain's online business and licensing operation up and running, according to a statement late Thursday. A Manhattan bankruptcy judge must still approve the deal after reviewing the terms and any objections. A hearing on the matter has been set for Sept. 12. Terms of the deal weren't included in the statement.

"Aeropostale looks forward to closing the sale and emerging from bankruptcy with new ownership as a financially stronger company positioned to compete and succeed in an evolving retail landscape," the New York-based company said in the statement.

"We are pleased with the outcome of the Aeropostale Inc. bankruptcy auction, which will result in the repayment of our debt while enabling the company to keep open more than 200 stores, preserve thousands of jobs and continue to serve customers," Sycamore said through a spokesman.

Canada's small-cap energy stocks set to outpace US in catch-up

By Jeremy van Loon
Bloomberg

Canadian small-cap oil and gas stocks are poised to outperform U.S. peers as their moves to cut costs and lower debt begin to gain traction with analysts and investors.

Analysts have increased their price targets for Canadian producers with market valuations of up to C$2 billion ($1.5 billion) more than equivalent U.S. peers. Canadian companies are expected to gain 21 percent over the next 12 months, compared with 13 percent for U.S. competitors, according to data compiled by Bloomberg.

That valuation gap has made Canadian companies including Bonterra Energy Corp., Torc Oil & Gas and Vermilion Energy attractive buys relative to U.S. peers, said Swanzy Quarshie, a money manager at Sentry Investments in Toronto.

"There's a lot more value in Canada because Canadian businesses' capital requirements have gone down significantly," said Quarshie, who helps oversee C$18 billion in assets. "The stocks are really well priced."

The higher price targets suggest the Canadian energy stocks may reverse six months of lagging returns. U.S. stocks have gained 34 percent more than their Canadian peers in the six months to Aug. 31, according to the data, which analyzed 59 Canadian companies.

Two years into a commodity-price downturn, executives in Canada's oil and gas hub have sold assets, raised equity and looked for ways to scale back costs. Investment since the slump began in 2014 has been slashed the most since 1947, according to the Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers.

Canadian companies remember the importance of controlling debt and keeping costs low from the collapse of petroleum prices after 2008 and the recession that followed, said Robert Mark, director of research at MacDougall, MacDougall, McTier in Toronto, which oversees C$6 billion in assets.

Investors gave a boost to U.S. shale producers over the past two quarters as crude almost doubled from a 12-year low in February to almost $50 a barrel in June. That encouraged some companies including Oklahoma City-based Continental Resources Inc. to return crews to finish wells left uncompleted when prices began to tumble two years ago.

Continental's shares have more than doubled over the past six months, while Oasis Petroleum Inc. of Houston has gained 69 percent. Canadian share gains have been modest in comparison.

Vermilion has risen 26 percent over the past six months. The company, while posting a loss in the second quarter, has targeted as much as C$50 million in cost reductions and has lowered per unit expenses by 18 percent. Vermilion has exposure to global prices and "flexibility to allocate capital," said Kyle Preston, a company spokesman. The producer expects a "modest" increase in spending next year, he added.

Torc Oil & Gas has gained 21 percent over the same period. The Calgary-based producer arranged financing worth C$75 million as part of a bought deal, has a bank facility of C$400 million and has hedged as much of 60 percent of its production against commodity price fluctuation. Chief Financial Officer Jason Zabinsky wasn't available to comment.

"The Canadian oil and gas space continues to look more attractive than the U.S. space on most 2017 metrics," Chris Feltin, an analyst at Macquarie in Calgary, wrote in a note. "Many companies have taken dramatic steps over the last year to address their leverage issues, including asset sales, more focused capex programs, and opportunistic hedging."

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Associated Press

A Donald Trump pinata stands with other paper mache figures at a shop in San Antonio. Many House Republican incumbents worry that blowback from Republican presidential nominee Donald Trump's anti-Hispanic rhetoric and promises to build a towering wall the length of the U.S.-Mexico border could hurt their re-election chances, a problem especially acute for those in heavily Latino districts like that of Rep. Will Hurd, whose territory encompasses 820 miles of the U.S.-Mexico border.

Republicans in Hispanic House districts fear Trump blowback

By Will Weissert
Associated Press

SAN ANTONIO — Donald Trump pinatas, with dark suits, oversized pink lips and unruly yellow manes in paper mache, are top sellers across South Texas — a potential sign of trouble for one of its Republican congressmen and some colleagues representing predominantly Hispanic districts across the country.

First-term Rep. Will Hurd is seeking re-election from a constituency that's nearly 70 percent Hispanic while representing 820 miles of the U.S.-Mexico border, more than any other congressional district.

Trump made a whirlwind trip Wednesday to Mexico, heightening speculation that he might back off promises to build a wall along the 1,989-mile southern border and force Mexico to pay for it. But in a fiery speech in Arizona hours later, Trump insisted again that Mexico would finance the wall and declared that millions of people in the country illegally were violent criminals who strained U.S. government services.

After he doubled down on the issue, some of Trump's top Latino supporters abandoned their support — including Houston attorney Jacob Monty, a member of his National Hispanic Advisory Council. Trump's standing with many other Hispanics cratered when he opened his campaign last summer by suggesting that some Mexican immigrants were rapists and drug smugglers.

That was the case in parts of Hurd's district, which extends from San Antonio across two time zones of sparsely populated countryside to El Paso, a land area of 59,000-plus square miles — larger than 29 states.

"He insulted Hispanics," said Sylvia Arriola, a 59-year-old administrator for a San Antonio company providing services to adults with special needs. She said much of the district was territory Mexico relinquished at the end of the Mexican-American War in 1848. "We've always been here. This was part of Mexico. We didn't 'come' from anywhere."

Hurd's is Texas' only competitive congressional district. Since 2008, a Democrat has won the seat during high-turnout presidential elections, only to lose it back to a Republican in the midterms. Hurd beat then-Rep. Pete Gallego two years ago by just 2,422 votes.

Gallego says he has no greater rematch weapon than Trump who "has succeeded at making himself a local issue like no other candidate I've ever seen."

A 39-year-old former CIA agent who once managed undercover operations in Pakistan, Hurd hasn't endorsed Trump, though he says the billionaire businessman still has about two months to win his vote.

"The reality is, when people are going in to make a decision about this race, they're making a decision about THIS race," said Hurd, Texas' first black Republican in Congress since Reconstruction.

Hurd isn't alone in seeking to dodge Trump's electoral shadow. Miami Republican Rep. Carlos Curbelo has vowed not to vote for Trump and suggested his party's nominee is deliberately trying to blow the presidential election. California Republican Rep. Jeff Denham, whose district is more than 40 percent Hispanic, wrote in August that he often finds Trump's words "disturbing, inappropriate and outlandish" but also suggested that he'd still vote for him.

Republican Rep. David Valadao represents a California Central Valley district that's nearly three-fourths Hispanic and says he can't support Trump because the candidate "denigrates people based on their ethnicity, religion, or disabilities." Colorado Republican Rep. Mike Coffman even produced an ad promising to stand up to Trump. "Honestly, I don't care for him much," Coffman says in it.

Other House Republicans have refused to endorse Trump but should coast to re-election, such as veteran Miami Rep. Ileana Ros-Lehtinen and Hurd's fellow Texas Rep. Kay Granger of Fort Worth.

"This is a disaster for the party," Rosario Marin, a prominent Florida Republican and former treasury secretary under President George W. Bush who immigrated to the U.S. from Mexico at 14, said of Trump. "If he thinks that saying all these nasty things will help get him to the White House, he'll say them. He doesn't care if other Republicans are left dead on the battlefield."

Hurd says he can overcome that. While campaigning last weekend on San Antonio's western outskirts, he knocked on the door of Michael Bell, a high school world history teacher and golf coach who called Trump "a crazy person."

Hurd responded: "The second name down on the ballot is going to be mine, so you have a chance to feel good about pulling that lever."

Bell conceded he still planned to vote straight-ticket Republican, saying of Trump, "I'm maybe going to have to accept some of his ..." Then he trailed off, shrugging.

Darryl Dillard, a retired 20-year military veteran, also said he's voting for Hurd and Trump. But he acknowledged "it's very hard now to be Republican."

"They're saying that Republicans are biased and prejudiced and don't look at the global picture," Dillard said.

Gallego said that when he campaigns in Hispanic neighborhoods, he's surprised people don't say they dislike Trump.

"What they tell me is far more significant. It's, 'He doesn't like us,'" Gallego said. "Their view is that the only way they can defend their families is to make sure Donald Trump doesn't get elected."

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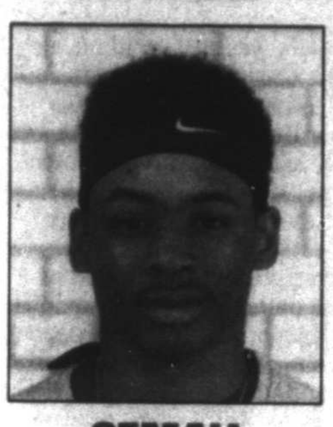
LATE START

Due to the late start of Midland High's game against El Paso Montwood in El Paso, the story on MHS' 38-28 win could not make today's print edition. For the game story, go to mrt.com or read Sunday's edition of the Reporter-Telegram.

WEEK 2 ALL★STARS

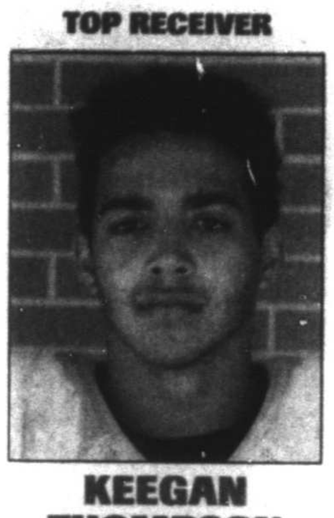
TOP PASSER



SEMA'J DAVIS
Lee

The Rebels' senior completed 21 of 39 passes for 239 yards and two touchdowns in his team's 48-14 loss to Abilene High. Davis added 91 yards rushing.

TOP RECEIVER



KEEGAN THOMPSON
Andrews

The Mustangs wideout caught three passes for 142 yards and two touchdowns, including a 99-yard TD reception, in Thursday's 28-16 win over Lubbock High.

TOP RUSHER

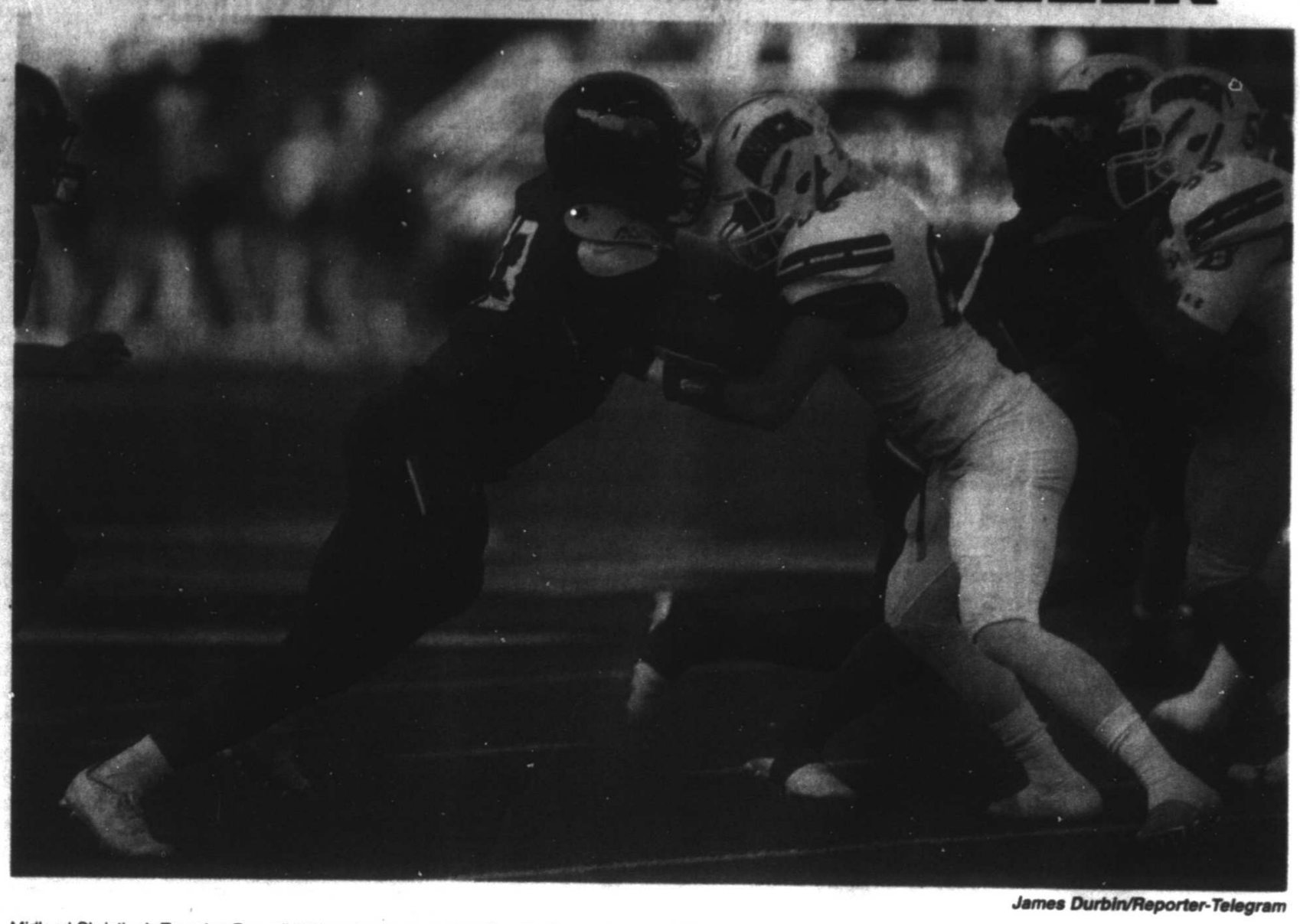
PEYTON POWELL
Midland Christian

The sophomore quarterback for the Mustangs had a monster effort in a 57-41 loss to Brock. He rushed for 418 yards and six touchdowns on 28 carries.

FOOTBALL SCOREBOARD

Abilene High	**48**
Lee	14
Odessa Permian	**61**
El Paso Franklin	0
Amarillo High	**57**
Odessa High	0
Amarillo Tascosa	**48**
Planview	28
Wolfforth Frenship	**42**
El Paso El Dorado	28
San Angelo Central	**75**
Trophy Club Byron Nelson	35
Greenwood	**63**
Brownfield	37
Brock	**57**
Midland Christian	41
Sweetwater	**60**
Big Spring	22
Wink	**38**
Stanton	8
Coahoma	**40**
McCamey	26
Forsan	**33**
Eldorado	0
Trinity	**38**
Rankin	0
Garden City	**52**
Santa Anna	6
Robert Lee	**62**
Grady	14
THURSDAY	
Andrews	**28**
Lubbock High	16

MCS FALLS IN THRILLER



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Midland Christian's Tyvavian Russell (13) matches up against Brock's Carson Langen (88) on Friday at Mustang Field.

Brock spoils huge effort by Midland Christian's Powell in shootout win

Eagles	**57**
Mustangs	4[illegible]

By Christopher Hadorn
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The Midland Christian football team faced quite the challenge Friday when it welcomed Class 3A Division I state champion Brock to Mustang Field.

At times, the Mustangs looked like the better team.

But down the stretch, the No. 1-ranked Eagles scored 29 unanswered points to outlast MCS, 57-41 in a game that was dominated by both teams' rushing games.

The Mustangs' loss put a slight damper on a splendid performance by quarterback Peyton Powell, who rushed 28 times for 418 yards and six touchdowns.

Despite falling short on the scoreboard, MCS head coach Greg McClendon had nothing but good things to say about his team.

"They did some good things against us, but the bottom line is this, our kids played their guts out," McClendon said. "We gave a great effort. We made some mistakes. We were 20 times better than we were a week before. I couldn't be more proud of these kids. If we improve the next week the same way, we have a chance to win the next 12 ballgames on our schedule, and they're doing all the right things. I will go to war with these suckers anytime."

The Mustangs (0-2) appeared poised to end Brock's 17-game winning streak after they scored two touchdowns to take a 41-28 lead with 9:28 to play in the third quarter.

On MCS' opening drive of the second half, Powell raced to the outside, displayed some breathtaking jukes and moves to baffle Brock defenders en route to a 72-yard touchdown run.

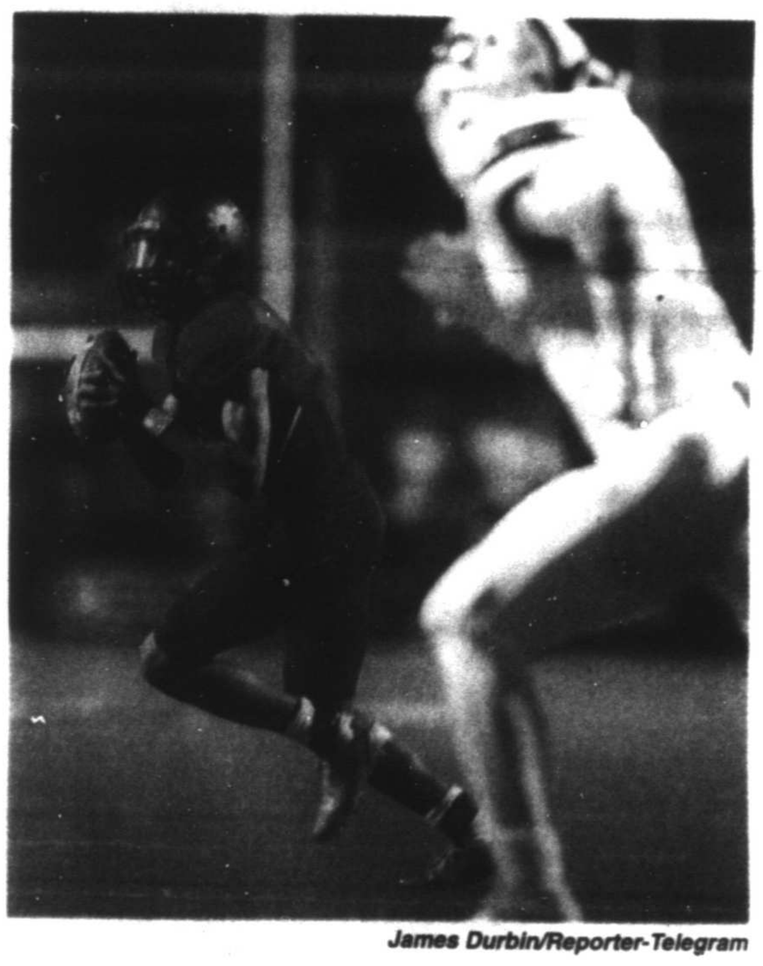
Following a fumble recovery by Mustang defensive back Tristen Davis, Powell — on the fourth play of the ensuing possession — broke multiple tackles on his way to a 24-yard touchdown run.

According to a MCS staffer in the press box, Powell's 418 yards set a single-game school record.

Brock put an end to the Mustangs' momentum when quarterback Trey Corcorran heaved an improbable 43-yard touchdown pass to Hayden Waller on a fourth-and-9 situation.

From that point on, the Eagles (2-0) went on a roll, following with

Please see **MCS**/4B



James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Midland Christian's Peyton Powell runs the ball against Brock.

Abilene High gashes Lee with big plays in rout

Eagles	**48**
Rebels	14

By Will Korn
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ABILENE — The Lee offense seemed to pick up right where it left off in last week's 42-12 demolition of El Paso Coronado. The Rebels gained 429 yards of offense and picked up 23 first downs.

But facing the balanced offense of former District 3-6A rival Abilene High, the Rebel defense faltered and surrendered a parade of explosive plays in a 48-14 rout on Friday at Shotwell Stadium.

After the game, Lee (1-1) head coach Clint Hartman shouldered the blame for the loss.

"We played as badly as we could," Hartman said. "When we lose a game like this, it's on me first. I take full responsibility."

The Eagles (1-1), who were coming off a 63-26 road thrashing at the hands of San Angelo Central last week, scored just 20 seconds into the game thanks in part to a 69-yard kickoff return to start the evening. AHS needed just four plays from scrimmage to take a 14-0 lead, less than six minutes into the first quarter.

Overall, three of AHS' seven touchdowns went for more than 50 yards. Eagles quarterback Peyton Killam finished 15-for-18 with 332 yards passing, four touchdowns and two interceptions, as he connected on scores of 22, 78, 60 and 54 yards to three different AHS receivers.

AHS running back Abram Smith also scored on a powerful 30-yard run early in the second quarter to give the Eagles a 20-7 advantage. Smith, a University of Tulsa commit who piled up 343 yards in last season's 28-27 loss to Lee, totaled 106 yards and a pair of TDs on 15 touches.

Hartman said preventing big-yardage gashes was a major issue for his defense in the loss.

"Hats off to them, they made some plays," Hartman said. "It was really some things we hadn't seen this year and they kind of tweaked some stuff. But we've got to stop the big play. We just have to work on our technique and get better."

Lee senior linebacker Dustin Hunt was disappointed in the Rebels' defensive effort Friday but was confident that the unit will come back stronger next week.

"We were just not keyed up," Hunt said. "We weren't looking at our keys (assignments). (It's)

Please see **LEE**/4B

Nellie Doneva/Abilene Reporter-News

Lee's Grant Brown (3) catches a long pass before being tackled by Abilene's Isaac Buenrrostro in a game at Shotwell Stadium in Abilene on Friday.

'HOUNDSWATCH

FRIDAY'S SCORE
San Antonio 8, Midland 5, 11 innings

TODAY'S GAME
Midland at Frisco, 7:05 p.m.

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San Antonio 36-31

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San Antonio 8, Midland 5, 11 innings	Midland at Frisco, 7:05 p.m.	Midland at Frisco, 6:05 p.m.	Midland at Frisco, 4:05 p.m	Midland at Corpus Christi, 7 p.m.

DAILYRUNDOWN

FROM STAFF AND WIRE REPORTS

ON THE AIR

ON TV

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Oklahoma vs. Houston, 11 a.m., ABC

Hawaii at Michigan, 11 a.m., ESPN

Missouri at West Virginia, 11 a.m., FS1

South Alabama at Mississippi State, 11 a.m., SEC

Fordham at Navy, 11 a.m., CBSSN

Bowling Green at Ohio State, 11 a.m., BTN

Abilene Christian at Air Force, 1 p.m., Campus Insiders

LSU vs. Wisconsin, 2:30 p.m., ABC

UCLA at Texas A&M, 2:30 p.m., CBS

Southeastern Louisiana at Oklahoma State, 2:30 p.m., FSN (FSSW+)

Kent State at Penn State, 2:30 p.m.,BTN

Louisiana Tech at Arkansas, 3 p.m., SEC

North Carolina vs. Georgia, 4:30 p.m., ESPN

San Jose State at Tulsa, 6 p.m., CBSSN

Southern Miss at Kentucky, 6:30 p.m., ESPNU

UMass at Florida, 6:30 p.m., SEC

USC vs. Alabama, 7 p.m., ABC

South Dakota State at TCU, 7 p.m., FSN (FSSW)

Stephen F. Austin at Texas Tech, 7 p.m., FSN (FSSW+)

Clemson at Auburn, 8 p.m., ESPN

Northern Arizona at Arizona State, 10 p.m., P12, P12 AZ

GOLF

PGA: Deutsche Bank Championship, 2nd Round, 1:30 p.m., GOLF

MLB

San Francisco at Chicago Cubs, 1:15 p.m., MLB

Houston at Texas, 3 p.m., FS1, ROOT, FSSW, FXDEP

Detroit at Kansas City, 6 p.m., FS1

Boston at Oakland, 9 p.m., MLB

MEN'S SOCCER

NASL: Ft. Lauderdale Strikers vs. New York Cosmos, 8 p.m., OWSPN

NASL: Puerto Rico FC vs. Miami FC, 7 p.m., GoTV

NASL: Minnesota United vs. Rayo OKC, 9:30 p.m., beIN

MOTORSPORTS

Moto GP: British Grand Prix, Qualification, 6 a.m., beIN, beIN2

F1: Italian Grand Prix, Qualifying, 7 a.m., NBCSN, UDN

Sprint Cup: Bojangles' Southern 500, Practice, 10:30 a.m., NBCSN

Sprint Cup: Bojangles' Southern 500, Final Practice, 12:30 p.m., NBCSN

XFINITY: VFW Sport Clips Help a Hero 200, 2:30 p.m., NBC

Camping World Truck Series: Mosport, Qualifying, 4:30 p.m., FS2

IndyCar: Grand Prix at the Glen, Qualifying, 5 p.m., NBCSN

TENNIS

US Open, 10 a.m., ESPN2

ON RADIO

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

UCLA at Texas A&M, 2:30 p.m., KACT 1360 AM (Andrews), KBST 1490 AM (Big Spring)

South Dakota State at TCU, 7 p.m., KXCS 105.5 FM (Big Spring)

Stephen F. Austin at Texas Tech, 7 p.m., KCRS 95.5 FM/550 AM, KBEST 95.7 FM (Big Spring), KPET 105.1 FM/690 AM (Lamesa), KACT 105.5 FM (Andrews), KSEM 106.3 FM (Seminole)

Sul Ross at UTPB, 7 p.m., KVLF 1240 AM (Alpine), bigbendradio.com

MLB

Houston at Texas, 3 p.m., KBEST 95.7 FM (Big Spring), KPET 105.1 FM/690 AM (Lamesa), KBYG 106.1 FM/1400 AM (Big Spring)

TEXAS LEAGUE BASEBALL

Midland at Frisco, 7 p.m., KFZX 102.1 FM

WHAT'S ON DECK

High school

VOLLEYBALL

Seminole at Lee, 11 a.m.

Midland Christian at Carrolton Prince of Peace Tournament, TBA

Junior college

VOLLEYBALL

Midland College at Temple College Tournament

LOCAL SPORTS

INTER-CLUB CHALLENGE TOURNAMENT
at Ranchland Hills Golf Club

1. Midland Country Club, 711.0 Low gross winner: Beth Brimer 87; Low net winner: Janet Garrett 66

2. Ranchland Hills Golf Club, 75.7. Low gross winner: Barbara Hester 88; Low net winner, Janell Burnett 69

3. Odessa Country Club, 75.9. Low gross winner: Judy Duncan 87; Low net winner: Pat Wickson 66

4. Green Tree Country Club, 76.8. Low gross winner: Lacy Gasser 90; Low net winner: Michelle Bradford 74

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
American League

BALTIMORE ORIOLES — Recalled LHP Jayson Aquino, C Caleb Joseph and RHP Tyler Wilson from Norfolk (IL). Activated OFs Michael Bourn and OF Drew Stubbs.

BOSTON RED SOX — Activated C Ryan Hanigan from the 15-day disabled list. Recalled RHP Joe Kelly and INF Deven Marrero from Pawtucket (IL). Selected the contract of LHP Robby Scott from Pawtucket and INF Yoan Moncada from Portland (EL). Designated RHP William Cuevas for assignment.

KANSAS CITY ROYALS — Reinstated RHP Wade Davis from the 15-day DL. Recalled C Tony Cruz, OF Terrance Gore, INF-OF Whit Merrifield from Omaha (PCL). Selected the contract of INF Hunter Dozier from Omaha. Transferred RHP Luke Hochevar to the 60-day DL.

HOUSTON ASTROS — Recalled RHPs Jandel Gustave and James Hoyt and INF Tyler White from Fresno (PCL). Selected the contract of RHP Brady Rodgers from Fresno.

LOS ANGELES ANGELS — Activated 3B Yunel Escobar activated from the 7-day DL.

MINNESOTA TWINS — Reinstated LHP Buddy Boshers from the 15-day DL.

NEW YORK YANKEES — Recalled RHPs Luis Severino and Nick Goody and INF Rob Refsnyder from Scranton/Wilkes-Barre (IL). Recalled RHP Kirby Yates from Pulaski (Appalachian). Selected the contracts of OF Eric Young Jr. and RHP Jonathan Holder from Scranton/Wilkes-Barre. Recalled RHP Nick Rumbelow from Scranton/Wilkes-Barre and placed him on the 60-day DL.

OAKLAND ATHLETICS — Reinstated LHP Sean Doolittle from the 15-day DL. Recalled C Matt McBride from Nashville (PCL). Reinstated RHP Jesse Hahn from the 15-day DL and optioned him to Nashville.

SEATTLE MARINERS — Promoted Tom McNamara to special assistant to the general manager.

TEXAS RANGERS — Recalled INF Hanser Alberto, RHP Nick Martinez, LHP Yohander Mendez and C Brett Nicholas from Round Rock (PCL).

National League

CINCINNATI REDS — Recalled LHP Cody Reed and RHPs Kyle Barraclough and Robert Stephenson from Louisville (IL). Selected the contract of LHP Wandy Peralta from Louisville. Designated OF Kyle Waldrop for assignment.

COLORADO ROCKIES — Reinstated RHPs Tyler Chatwood and Justin Miller from the 15-day DL. Recalled RHP Christian Bergman, C Tommy Murphy and OF Raimel Tapia from Albuquerque (PCL). Reinstated INF Daniel Descalso from the paternity list.

LOS ANGELES DODGERS — Recalled C/INF Austin Barnes, RHP Josh Fields and OF Yasiel Puig from Oklahoma City (PCL). Reinstated RHPs Louis Coleman and Josh Ravin from the 15-day DL.

PITTSBURGH PIRATES — Recalled RHP Jameson Taillon, INF Adam Frazier and LHP Steven Brault from Bristol (Appalachian) and INF Jason Rogers from Indianapolis (IL). Reinstated C Chris Stewart from the 15-day DL.

ST. LOUIS CARDINALS — Activated 1B Matt Adams from the 15-day DL.

SAN DIEGO PADRES — Reinstated INF-OF Alexi Amarista from the 15-day DL. Recalled RHP Leonel Campos from El Paso (PCL). Announced the renewal of their Player Development Contract with Lake Elsinore (Calif.) through the 2018 season.

SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS — Activated RHP Matt Cain from the 15-day DL.

WASHINGTON NATIONALS — Recalled C Pedro Severino, OF Brian Goodwin, RHPs Trevor Gott and Rafael Martin, and LHP Matt Grace from Syracuse (IL). Selected the contracts of LHP Sean Burnett and RHP Aaron Barrett also from Syracuse. Designated OF Matt den Dekker for assignment. Transferred RHP Joe Ross to the 60-day DL.

BASKETBALL
Women's National Basketball Association

CONNECTICUT SUN — Announced coach Curt Miller will also become general manager at the end of the season.

FOOTBALL
National Football League

NFL — Suspended New England DE Rob Ninkovich for the first four games of the 2016 regular season for violating the NFL policy on performance enhancing substances.

ARIZONA CARDINALS — Released C Tyler Boggs, CB Cariel Brooks, WR Marquis Bundy, RB Kerwynn Williams, G Antoine McClain, T Robert Crisp, LB Drew Butler and S Chris Clemons.

ATLANTA FALCONS — Released K Shayne Graham and OT Bryce Harris. Waived DE Malkolah Goodman, OL Laurence Gibson, OL Collin Rahrig, DE Nondy Ellis, OT Cory Johnson, CB Devonte Johnson, S Damian Parms, WR Corey Washington and LB Matt Wells.

BUFFALO BILLS — Released LB Manny Lawson, FB Jerome Felton, LB Kroy Biermann, WR Dez Lewis, TE Blake Annen, WR Jarrett Boykin, CB Mario Butler, WR Kain Colter, DT Brandon Diederick, DE Lawer Edwards, RB Boom Herron, LB Randall Johnson, OT Marquis Lucas, OT Chris Martin, CB Sterling Moore, G Cyril Richardson, CB Sammy Seamster, DE Max Valles, C Fernando Velasco, DT Casey Walker and RB James Wilder Jr.

CINCINNATI BENGALS — Terminated the contract of S Jimmy Wilson.

CLEVELAND BROWNS — Signed DL Stephen Paea. Waived/injured RB Rajion Neal.

INDIANAPOLIS COLTS — Waived-injured CB D'Joun Smith.

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS — Traded CB Marcus Cooper to Arizona for an undisclosed draft pick.

TENNESSEE TITANS — Released RB Bishop Sankey, WR Justin Hunter, RB Dexter McCluster, FB Sam Bergen, OL Jeremiah Poutasi, OL Will Pohlnis, WR Andrew Turzilli, LB J.R. Tavai, LB Curtis Grant, CB B.W. Webb, DB Marqueston Huff, K Aldrick Rosas, RB David Fluellen, OL Tyler Marz, OL Ronald Patrick, WR Ben Roberts, TE Jerome Cunningham, TE Alex Ellis, LB Justin Staples, NT Antwaun Woods, CB Kalan Reed and DB Curtis Riley.

HOCKEY
National Hockey League

NEW YORK RANGERS — Promoted Chris Drury to assistant general manager.

SOCCER
Major League Soccer

MLS — Announced the Independent Review Panel rescinded the fine and one-game suspension for the red card issued to Montreal M Calvin Mallace for violent conduct during an Aug. 27 match against Toronto FC.

COLLEGE

TEXAS A&M — Agreed to terms with baseball coach Rob Childress on a contract extension through the 2021 season.

XAVIER — Suspended men's senior basketball G Myles Davis indefinitely after misdemeanor criminal damaging charges were filed against him.

Hoping Kaepernick gets another chance to take a knee

PAUL NEWBERRY
Associated Press

No matter what happens when the final cuts are made, Colin Kaepernick already had the best preseason of anyone in the NFL.

He sparked vehement outrage.

He drew steadfast support.

He got us talking.

That is America — and its athletes — at their very best.

We're not putting Kaepernick in the same league as Muhammad Ali, whose decision to not fight in Vietnam cost him more than three years in the prime of his career. Or mentioning the San Francisco 49ers quarterback in the same breath with Tommie Smith and John Carlos, who were sent home in disgrace from the 1968 Mexico City Olympics for giving a black power salute on the medal stand.

But Kaepernick is certainly following in the footsteps of those giants, who bravely protested this country's injustices even when they knew it would come at enormous personal cost.

For the past week, we've debated — in coffee shops, at work, on talk radio shows, around the dinner table — the merits of Kaepernick's decision not to stand for the national anthem before games, his way of protesting the centuries-long short end of the stick that people of color have been getting in America, especially at the hands of the so-called justice system.

Maybe you don't like his tactics, feel he is being disrespectful to what this country stands for — or, at least, is supposed to stand for.

That's fine.

This is America. You're free to express your opinions.

So is Kaepernick, who, it should be noted, wasn't up in anyone's face or being disruptive — not that there's anything wrong with those tactics, either.

The biracial quarterback simply refused to stand for "The Star-Spangled Banner," a gesture that actually went unnoticed for a couple of preseason games before someone finally realized what was up.

Kaepernick, to his credit, didn't back down when called out. He explained his motives thoughtfully, saying he wanted to draw attention to the discrimination that undeniably still exists in this country and continues to hold back so many of our fellow citizens.

"We have a lot of people that are oppressed," he said after Thursday's final preseason game in San Diego. "We have a lot of people that aren't treated equally, that aren't given equal opportunities. Police brutality is a huge thing that needs to be addressed. There are a lot of issues that need to be talked about, that need to be brought to life, and we need to fix those things."

He's no longer alone, either.

In San Diego, Kaepernick took a knee along with teammate Eric Reid, who decided this was a cause worth following. So did Seattle Seahawks cornerback Jeremy Lane, who sat on the bench while the anthem was played before another preseason game in Oakland.

Once we get to the regular season, look for more and more players to follow Kaepernick's lead — even if he's only there in spirit.

You see, Kaepernick's future with the 49ers was still up in the air Friday. The once-dynamic quarterback who led San Francisco to the 2013 Super Bowl lost his starting job a year ago, and there's no guarantee that he'll get it back.

Or even make the team, for that matter.

New 49ers coach Chip Kelly has been vague on his intentions, saying only that Kaepernick will be judged like everyone else when the 53-man roster is set Saturday. Of course, it's foolish to think Kelly won't at least consider how much of a distraction it would be to keep a quarterback who has made it clear that he intends to keep pressing ahead with his off-the-field grievances.

That, in a way, makes Kaepernick's stance even more admirable. He decided to take on a much greater cause than football with his professional future in doubt, fully aware that it might affect his chances of staying with the team or, should he be cut, catching on with someone else.

HIGHSCHOOLVOLLEYBALLROUNDUP

FROM STAFF REPORTS

MCS ADVANCES TO GOLD BRACKET

CARROLLTON — No.3-ranked Midland Christian went 2-1 during pool play of the Carrollton Prince of Peace Tournament on Friday and will advance to the Gold Bracket today.

MCS (16-4) defeated PT Warriors 25-15, 25-16; defeated Wichita Falls Notre Dame 25-23, 25-10; and lost to host Prince of Peace 27-25, 25-18

Shayla Ellison had 17 kills on the day, Kenzie Pullen had 15 kills, Megaan Thomason had 13 kills, and Savana Walker had 49 assists and 16 digs to lead the Lady Mustangs.

MCS DEF. PT WARRIORS 25-15, 25-16
MCS DEF. WICHITA FALLS NOTRE DAME 25-23, 25-10
CARROLLTON PRINCE OF PEACE DEF. MCS, 27-25, 25-18

Midland Christian cumulative statistics

Kills — Savana Walker 3, Megan Ashton 7, Kenzie Pullen 15, Meagan Thomason13, Shayla Ellison 17, Lauren Danley 5

Assists — Savana Walker 49, Megan Ashton 7, Sydney Wilson 1, Whitney Newman 1

Digs —Walker 16, Ashton 23, Pullen 11, Thomason 4, Ellison 2, Sydney Wilson 28, Whitney Newman 5

Aces — Walker 1, Ashton 1, Ellison 2, Pullen 1

Blocks — Savana Walker 3, Ashton 1, Pullen 4, Meagan Thomason 1, Ellison 6, Danley-3

Sock of US overwhelms 2014 Open champ Cilic to reach 4th Rd

By Howard Fendrich
Associated Press

NEW YORK — Before Jack Sock took on 2014 U.S. Open champion Marin Cilic in the third round, the 23-year-old American acknowledged that, as of a couple of years ago, simply making it that far would have made him, to use two of his words, "satisfied" and "excited."

Now Sock wants more. He thinks his game and his mindset are ready for deep Grand Slam runs. And the way he overwhelmed the No. 7-seeded Cilic 6-4, 6-3, 6-3 in a little more than 1 1/2 hours on Friday to reach the fourth round at Flushing Meadows for the first time, who would doubt Sock?

"Just all around, I think I'm putting things together, better and better," said the 26th-seeded Sock, who celebrated his victory with a racket-as-foil jousting move in tribute to his friend and fellow U.S. Olympian, bronze medalist fencer Miles Chamley-Watson. "I definitely feel more confident out there in everything I'm doing."

Rightly so.

Against Cilic, who followed up his title with a semifinal appearance a year ago, Sock won all 14 of his service games, never facing so much as one break point. Not much of a surprise there on a hard court for a guy whose game is best known for two parts — "'serving and forehand' is what I hear all the time," he said with a hint of a smirk.

But on this windy afternoon, Sock showed off other improving parts of his repertoire. Sure, he delivered 10 forehand winners, but he also produced four on the backhand side (Cilic only had two). And as good as his serving was, with a top speed of 138 mph and 86 percent of first-serve points won, Sock's returns were in fine form, too: He broke Cilic four times.

Sock's second career appearance in the fourth round at a Grand Slam tournament — the other came at the 2015 French Open on clay — will come against No. 9 Jo-Wilfried Tsonga of France. Tsonga, the runner-up at the 2008 Australian Open, moved on Friday with a 6-3, 6-4, 7-6 (4) victory over No. 23 Kevin Anderson.

US OPEN RESULTS

Friday
At The USTA Billie Jean King National Tennis Center
New York
Purse: $46.3 million (Grand Slam)
Surface: Hard-Outdoor

Singles
Men
Third Round

Jo-Wilfried Tsonga (9), France, def. Kevin Anderson (23), South Africa, 6-3, 6-4, 7-6 (4).

Jack Sock (26), United States, def. Marin Cilic (7), Croatia, 6-4, 6-3, 6-3.

Marcos Baghdatis, Cyprus, def. Ryan Harrison, United States, 6-3, 7-6 (4), 1-6, 6-1.

Novak Djokovic (1), Serbia, def. Mikhail Youzhny, Russia, 4-2, retired.

Gael Monfils (10), France, def. Nicolas Almagro, Spain, 6-4, 6-2, 6-4.

Lucas Pouille (24), France, def. Roberto Bautista Agut (15), Spain, 3-6, 7-5, 2-6, 7-5, 6-1.

Women
Third Round

Anastasija Sevastova, Latvia, def. Kateryna Bondarenko, Ukraine, 6-4, 6-1.

Carolina Wozniacki, Denmark, def. Monica Niculescu, Romania, 6-3, 6-1.

Roberta Vinci (7), Italy, def. Carina Witthoeft, Germany, 6-0, 5-7, 6-3.

Lesia Tsurenko, Ukraine, def. Dominika Cibulkova (12), Slovakia, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4.

Johanna Konta (13), Britain, def. Belinda Bencic (24), Switzerland, 6-2, 6-1.

Madison Keys (8), United States, def. Naomi Osaka, Japan, 7-6, 4-6, 7-6 (3).

Petra Kvitova (14), Czech Republic, def. Elina Svitolina (22), Ukraine, 6-3, 6-4.

Doubles
Men
First Round

Stephane Robert, France, and Dudi Sela, Israel, def. Andre Begemann, Germany, and Leander Paes, India, 2-6, 7-5, 6-4.

David Marrero and Fernando Verdasco, Spain, def. Pablo Cuevas, Uruguay, and Marcel Granollers (14), Spain, 2-6, 7-5, 6-3.

Dominic Thiem and Tristan-Samuel Weissborn, Austria, def. Colin Fleming, Britain, and Markusz Fyrstenberg, Poland, 6-4, 6-7 (3), 6-2.

Feliciano Lopez and Marc Lopez (8), Spain, def. Ryan Harrison and Austin Krajicek, United States, 6-4, 6-4.

Marcos Baghdatis, Cyprus, and Gilles Muller, Luxembourg, def. Dustin Brown, Germany, and Benoit Paire, France, 6-3, 6-7 (2), 7-6 (3).

Second Round

Pierre-Hugues Herbert and Nicolas Mahut (1), France, def. Robin Haase, Netherlands, and Artem Sitak, New Zealand, 6-3, 6-4.

Brian Baker, United States, and Marcus Daniell, New Zealand, def. Rohan Bopanna, India, and Frederik Nielsen, Denmark, 6-2, 7-6 (5).

Pablo Carreno Busta and Guillermo Garcia-Lopez, Spain, def. Oliver Marach, Austria, and Fabrice Martin (15), France, 7-5, 6-7 (2), 6-3.

Thomaz Bellucci and Marcelo Demoliner, Brazil, def. Yen-hsun Lu, Taiwan, and Janko Tipsarevic, Serbia, 3-6, 7-6 (5), 7-6 (4).

Nicholas Monroe and Donald Young, United States, def. Dusan Lajovic and Viktor Troicki, Serbia, 7-6 (4), 3-6, 7-5.

Daniel Evans, Britain, and Nick Kyrgios, Australia, def. Taylor Fritz and Tommy Paul, United States, 6-4, 6-2.

Bob and Mike Bryan (3), United States, def. Jonathan Erlich, Israel, and Santiago Gonzalez, Mexico, 6-4, 6-4.

Women
First Round

Michaella Krajicek, Netherlands, and Heather Watson, Britain, def. Raquel Atawo and Abigail Spears (9), United States, 6-2, 7-5.

Danka Kovinic, Montenegro, and Alicja Rosolska, Poland, def. Cagla Buyukakcay, Turkey, and Anastasija Sevastova, Latvia, 2-6, 6-4, 7-5.

Naomi Broady, Britain, and Shelby Rogers, United States, def. Kateryna Bondarenko, Ukraine, and Chuang Chia-jung, Taiwan, 6-0, 6-7 (6), 6-3.

Caroline Garcia and Kristina Mladenovic (1), France, def. Kurumi Nara and Naomi Osaka, Japan, 6-3, 6-3.

Second Round

Eri Hozumi and Miyu Kato, Japan, def. Darija Jurak, Croatia, and Anastasia Rodionova (14), Australia, 6-4, 6-3.

Bethanie Mattek-Sands, United States, and Lucie Safarova (12), Czech Republic, def. Lara Arruabarrena, Spain, and Olga Savchuk, Ukraine, 6-4, 6-1.

Julia Goerges, Germany, and Karolina Pliskova (6), Czech Republic, def. Louisa Chirico and Alison Riske, United States, 6-1, 6-3.

Andreja Klepac and Katarina Srebotnik (13), Slovenia, def. Daria Gavrilova, Australia, and Daria Kasatkina, Russia, 6-1, 2-6, 7-5.

Asia Muhammad and Taylor Townsend, United States, def. Kiki Bertens, Netherlands, and Johanna Larsson (15), Sweden, 6-4, 6-4.

Alla Kudryavtseva, Russia, and Sabine Lisicki, Germany, def. Chan Hao-ching and Yung-jan (2), Taiwan, 6-2, 0-6, 6-3.

Xu Yifan and Zheng Saisai (11), China, def. Marina Erakovic, New Zealand, and Arantxa Parra Santonja, Spain, 6-3, 7-6 (5).

Ekaterina Makarova and Elena Vesnina (5), Russia, def. Sam Stosur, Australia, and Zhang Shuai, China, 3-6, 7-6 (6), 6-4.

Mixed
First Round

Timea Babos, Hungary, and Eric Butorac, United States, def. Emina Bektas and Evan King, United States, 7-6 (5), 6-1.

CoCo Vandeweghe and Rajeev Ram (7), United States, def. Anastasia Rodionova, Australia, and Juan Sebastian Cabal, Colombia, 6-3, 2-6, 10-8.

Barbora Krejcikova, Czech Republic, and Marin Draganja, Croatia, def. Jelena Ostapenko, Latvia, and Oliver Marach, Austria, 6-1, 6-4.

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AREA HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL ROUNDUP

Odessa Permian 61 El Paso Franklin 0

EL PASO — Quarterback Steve Steen ran for three touchdowns and threw for three more as Odessa Permian rolled over El Paso Franklin in non-district action.

Steen totaled 344 yards in total offense (127 rushing and 217 passing) and led the Panthers to 41 points in the first half. Hunter Hawkins caught two TD passes for the 2-0 Panthers.

For the game, Mojo gained 601 yards in total offense, compared to 52 for Franklin, which actually ended the game with negative 16 yards on the ground. Franklin lost to Midland High 56-28 last week.

ODESSA PERMIAN 61, EL PASO FRANKLIN 0

Permian	21	20	13	7	–7
Franklin	0	0	0	0	–0

First Quarter
Permian: Brother Miller 74 pass from Steve Steen (Jacob James kick), 10:19
Permian: Steve Steen 13 run (Jacob James kick), 8:10
Permian: Steve Steen 7 run (Jacob James kick), 2:50

Second Quarter
Permian: Hunter Hawkins 26 pass from Steve Steen (run failed), 7:17
Permian: Steve Steen 62 run (Jacob James kick), 1:27
Permian: Hunter Hawkins 12 pass from Steve Steen (Jacob James)
Third Quarter
Permian: Kobe Robinson 25 run (kick failed), 9:51
Permian: Justin Hammond 5 run (Jacob James kick), 3:56
Fourth Quarter
Permian: Cody Wood 1 run (Jacob James), 4:55

	Permian	Franklin
First Downs	30	8
Rushes-yards	56-384	23-(-16)
Passing Yards	217	68
Comp.-Att.-Int.	7-10-0	10-22-0
Punts-Avg.	0-0	6-35.7
Fumbles-lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-yds.	7-77	5-38

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING — Permian: Steve Steen 13-127, Ed Williams 13-69, Jaime Gacya 9-62, Kobe Robinson 4-41, Justin Hammond 5-37, Aaron Vasquez 5-14, Brother Miller 1-12, Cody Wood 4-11, Tyler Marquez 1-7, Jayden Alaria 1-4. Franklin: Seth Dominguez 12-14, Khalib Lyles 1-11, Eric Phillips 2-3, Kaleb Hatch 7-(-21), Chris Kelley 2-(-23).
PASSING — Permian: Steve Steen 7-10-0—217; Franklin: Kaleb Hatch 10-21-0—68, Chris Kelley 0-1-0—0
RECEIVING — Permian: Kobe Robinson 3-80, Brother Miller 1-74, Hunter Hawkins 3-63. Franklin: Matthew Lewis-Jewell 5-48, Eric Phillips 3-14, Khalib Lyles 1-6, Seth Dominguez 1-0

Amarillo High 57 Odessa High 0

AMARILLO — Amarillo High won against Odessa High in an impressive fashion in a non-district game at Dick Bivins Stadium.

The game was close at the start of the second quarter, but Amarillo High pulled away from Odessa High by scoring 29 points in the second quarter.

Amarillo High's 308 rushing yards, led by David Vasquez, was just too much for Odessa High's defense.

With only three first downs by Odessa High, the Bronchos could not move the ball down the field.

Amarillo High (1-1) gets its first win of the season, while Odessa High falls to 0-2.

AMARILLO HIGH 57, ODESSA HIGH 0

Odessa	0	0	0	0	–0
Amarillo	7	29	14	7	–57

First Quarter
AHS: Reagan Hill 1 run (Sam Burka kick), 4:54
Second Quarter
AHS: Stetler Wolfcale 9 run (kick failed), 11:19
AHS: Sam Burka 37 field goal, 4:02
AHS: Reagan Hill 1 run (Sam Burka kick), 2:36
AHS: Antaon Tinner 4 run (Sam Burka), 0:47
AHS: Andrew Parkhill 16 pass from Reagan Hill (kick failed), 0:27
Third Quarter
AHS: Renich Hill 10 pass from Reagan Hill (Sam Burka kick), 6:45
AHS: Trevor Andrus 2 run (Michael Chancia kick), 5:08
Fourth Quarter
* AHS: Keaton Sturgeon 16 run (Michael Chancia kick), 4:52

First Downs	Odessa	Amarillo
	3	17
Rushes-yards	24-69	55-308
Passing Yards	22	60
Comp.-Att.-Int.	6-22-4	6-7-0
Punts-Avg.	0-0	0-0
Fumbles-lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties-yds.	4-45	7-65

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING — Odessa, Kelve Robinson 12-63, Nathan Levario 6-16, Chase Webster 2-15, Trey Smith 1-(-2), Caesar Ramon 1-(-2), Julian Galindo 1-(-1). Amarillo, David Vasquez 17-141, Rhett Maynard 10-63, Antaon Tinner 5-59, Braxton Blandford 7-28, Keaton Sturgeon 4-27, Stetler Wolfcale 2-8, Trevor Andrus 2-4, Team (+1-5). Nathan Betts 3-(-7), Reagan Hill 3-(-11)
PASSING — Odessa, Chase Webster 6-17-3-22, Trey Smith 0-5-1-0. Amarillo, Reagan Hill 3-4-0-70, Nathan Betts 3-3-0-12.
RECEIVING — Odessa, Jacob Flos 2-10, Aaron Contreras 1-7, John Franco 2-6, Kelve Robinson 1-(-1). Amarillo, Renich Hill 2-54, Andrew Parkhill 2-15, Trevor Andrus 1-10, Keaton Sturgeon.

Frenship 42 EP El Dorado 28

EL PASO — Wolfforth Frenship scored two late touchdowns to beat El Paso El Dorado in a non-district game at the Socorro ISD Student Activities Complex.

The game was tied at 28 early in the fourth quarter before Chandler Brand scored on a 1-yard run, followed by a 7-yard TD run by Garrison Johnson for the Tigers (2-0).

Johnson finished with four TDs on the night.

The game was tied at 21-21 at the half.

El Dorado (1-1) next hosts Lee at 8 p.m. (CDT) on Sept. 9.

San Angelo Central 72 Trophy Club Byron Nelson 35

JUSTIN — San Angelo Central posted another dominant win Friday night, shredding Trophy Club Byron Nelson, 72-35, Friday night in non-district action at Northwest ISD Stadium.

Cal Vincent threw for 198 yards and five touchdowns. Daven Manning added 230 yards rushing and four touchdowns, and Aaron Wooten contributed 100 yards receiving and three TD catches, including the final score of the first half as Central rolled to a 42-7 halftime lead. Central actually led 55-7 at one point.

Central, which has outscored its first two opponents 135-61, totaled 596 yards in total offense. The Bobcat defense forced five turnovers and held Byron Nelson (0-2) to 53 yards on the ground.

Northwest ISD is the home of former Midland ISD Superintendent Ryder Warren.

SAN ANGELO CENTRAL 72, BYRON NELSON 35

Central	14	28	13	17	–72
Byron Nelson	7	0	14	14	–35

First Quarter
Central — Aaron Wooten 39 pass from Cal Vincent (Walter Thomas kick), 9:49 remaining
Byron Nelson — Bryson Davis 2 run (Tanner Keough kick), 4:12
Central — Wooten 23 pass from Vincent (Thomas kick), 2:16
Second Quarter
Central — Adam West 44 pass from Vincent (Thomas kick), 10:41
Central — Wooten 16 pass from Vincent (Thomas kick), 6:57
Central — Daven Manning 16 run (Thomas kick), 3:18
Central — Wooten 26 pass from Vincent (Thomas kick), 0:07
Third Quarter
Central — Manning 53 run (Thomas kick), 11:03
Central — Tyrone Smith 1 run (kick failed), 6:57
Byron Nelson — Tyler Millikan 42 pass from Eli Ruschle (Keough kick), 2:06
Byron Nelson — Adam Turbeville 15 interception return (Keough kick), 1:05
Fourth Quarter
Central — Manning 3 run (Keough kick), 11:34
Byron Nelson — Millikan 42 pass from Ruschle (Keough kick), 10:11
Byron Nelson — D.J. Robinson 9 pass from Ruschle (Keough kick), 8:30
Central — Manning 75 run (Thomas kick), 8:19
Central — Thomas 26 FG, 1:54

First Downs	Central	BN
	23	11
Rushes-yards	36-360	23-53
Passing Yards	236	192
Comp.-Att.-Int.	15-22-1	15-29-3
Punts-Avg.	2-11	5-37.6
Fumbles-lost	1-1	4-2
Penalties-yds.	10-80	5-36

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
Rushing — Central: Daven Manning 14-230, Maverick McIvor 7-35, Tyrone Smith 4-35, Cal Vincent 7-34, Jason Franklin 3-15, Cody Parker 1-11. Byron Nelson: Bryson Davis 9-38, Jordan Joiner 8-23, Eli Ruschle 6-(-8).
Passing — Central: Cal Vincent 13-18-0 for 198, Maverick McIvor 2-4-1 for 38. Byron Nelson: Eli Ruschle 14-28-3 for 187, Nick Santini 1-1-0 for 5.
Receiving — Central: Aaron Wooten 6-100, Adam West 4-75, Daven Manning 1-11, Henry Teeter 2-12, Oscar Nino 1-35, A.J. Ramirez 1-3.

Sweetwater 60 Big Spring 22

Sweetwater rolled to a non-district victory over Big Spring at Memorial Stadium.

The Steers fell to 0-2, while Sweetwater improved to 2-0.

No other details were reported before press time.

Big Spring next hosts Monahans next Friday.

Wink 38 Stanton 6

WINK — A strong second half propelled Wink over Stanton in a non-district game at Wildcat Field

The first half was a close one that ended in a 6-0 lead by Wink. But Wink (2-0) took the game over in the third quarter by scoring 26 points.

Stanton (0-2) only scored eight points in the third quarter, and was shut down offensively the rest of the game. The Wink defense just proved to be too much for the Stanton offense. The Stanton offense only had a total of 160 yards, while Wink had 382 total yards.

Stanton had four turnovers while Wink only had two.

STANTON 6, WINK 38

Stanton	0	6	0	0	–6
Wink	6	0	26	6	–38

First Quarter
Wink-Riley 45 pass from Hincir (Two point conversion failed), 8:40
Third Quarter
Wink-Hincir 92 run (Ramirez two point run good), 11:38
Wink-Carrillo 31 pass from Hincir (Two point conversion failed), 8:32
Wink- Mercier 10 run (Two point conversion failed), 4:11
Stanton- Adrian Rodriguez 40 run (Tanner Luxton two point run good), 3:09
Wink- Hincir 11 run (Two point conversion failed), 0:32
Fourth Quarter
Wink- Holcomb 1 run (kick failed), 4:49

First Downs	Stanton	Wink
	9	15
Rushes-yards	36-108	32-182
Passing Yards	52	200
Comp.-Att.-Int.	7-17-4	10-21-2
Punts-Avg.	6-26.3	3-24.7
Fumbles-lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-yds.	7-60	8-70

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING — Stanton, Adrian Rodriguez 21-100, Connor Sales 6-30, Reagan Nicholes 9—22; Wink, Hincir 8-114, Mercier 20-50, Holcomb 3-9, Riley 1-9.
PASSING — Stanton, Reagan Nichols 7-17-52—0; Wink, Hincir 10-21-200—2
RECEIVING — Stanton,Tanner Luxton 2-49, Colby Gordon 2-4, Austin Frye 1-2, Justin Rifle 0-0, Dante Dahl 0-0, Adrian Rodriguez 2- -3 ;Wink, Carrio 2-70, Riley 4-63, Foster 2-57, Mercier 2-10, Hatterman 0-0 MCCAMEY 40

McCamey 40 Coahoma 26

COAHOMA — McCamey kept Coahoma winless as the Badgers defeated the Bulldogs in a non-district game at Bulldog Stadium.

Coahoma fell to 0-2, while McCamey improved to 1-1.

No other details were reported before press time.

Coahoma heads to Reagan County next Friday.

Forsan 33 Eldorado 0

FORSAN — Forsan had no trouble in its non-district game against Eldorado as it shut out the Eagles at Buffalo Stadium.

No other details were reported before press time.

Forsan improved to 2-0, while Eldorado fell to 0-2.

The Buffaloes host Stanton next Friday.

Trinity 38 Rankin 30

RANKIN — Trinity came back from an early deficit to defeat Rankin in a non-district close game at Red Devil Stadium.

Rankin (0-2) jumped out to a 12-0 lead before Trinity responded with a 14-point second quarter. It was back and forth from then on.

Logan Ramsey rushed for 137 yards and two touchdowns on 11 carries for Trinity (2-0). Jackson Pinnow added two TD receptions for the Chargers.

Jonathan Storie had four catches for 85 yards and two TDs to lead the Red Devils.

TRINITY 38, RANKIN 30

Trinity	0	14	14	10	–38
Rankin	6	6	12	6	–30

First Quarter
Rankin — Jonathan Storie 50 pass from Marcus Black (kick blocked), 8:00
Rankin — Black 2 run (Black kick), 0:00
Second Quarter
Rankin — Angel Martinez 11 pass from Black (kick failed), 6:19
Trinity — Logan Ramsey 46 run Lohrs (Stevens kick), 0:35
Trinity - Chris Picciano 6 pass from Daniel Webb (kick blocked), 0:36
Third Quarter
Rankin — Black 28 run (kick blocked), 7:35
Trinity — Ramsey 5 run (kick failed), 5:06
Rankin — Martinez 34 pass from Black (pass failed), 2:33
Trinity — Jackson Pinnow 19 run (Stevens kick), 0:04
Fourth Quarter
Rankin — Storie 33 pass from Black, 7:07
Trinity — Pinnow 19 pass from Webb (Chesley McDonald kick), 5:49
Rankin — Safety, 0:00

First Downs	Trinity	Rankin
	8	12
Rushes-yards	23-197	36-126
Passing Yards	93	177
Comp.-Att.-Int.	8-14-3	11-16-0
Punts-Avg.	0-0	0-0
Fumbles-lost	2-1	2-1
Penalties-yds.	8-70	6-70

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS
RUSHING — Trinity, Logan Ramsey 11-137, Jackson Pinnow 1-60; Rankin, Markus Black 11-67, Jonathan Storie 1-26.
PASSING — Trinity, Daniel Webb 8-10-3—66. Chesley McDonald 2-4-0—27, Rankin, Markus Black 10-15-0—157, Storie 1-1-0—20
RECEIVING — Trinity, Pinnow 3-43, Lewis Ohlman 2-26, Jude Garcia 1-4, Chris Picciano 1-6. Rankin, Storie 4-85, Angel Martinez 4-67, Jacob Sanchez 1-19

Garden City 52 Santa Anna 6

GARDEN CITY — No. 9-ranked Garden City only needed a half to roll past Santa Anna in a non-district game at Bearkat Stadium thanks to the 45-point mercy rule.

A dominant performace from the Garden City running backs who rushed for 239 yards, led by Jose Gallegos's 133 yards, led the way for the blowout against Santa Anna. The total offense of 63 yards for Santa Anna was outshined by the 286 yards of total offense by Garden City (2-0).

The two first downs by Santa Anna (0-2) really showed the effectiveness of the Garden City defense, which also came up with two interceptions.

GARDEN CITY 52, SANTA ANNA 6

Santa Anna	0	6	x	x	–6
Garden City	38	14	x	x	–52

First Quarter
GCHS- Riley Eggemeyer 4 pass from Trent McMillian (Jesus Gutierrez kick), 9:20
GCHS- Jose Gallegos 32 run (kick failed), 7:47
GCHS- Ethan Goodwin 17 pass from McMillian (Gutierrez kick), 6:43
GCHS- JD Rodriguez 1 run (Gutierrez kick), 3:42
GCHS- Rodriguez 2 run (Gutierrez kick), 0:17
Second Quarter
GCHS- Cade Braden 1 run (Gutierrez kick), 7:35
SAHS- NO. 26 2 run (kick failed), 4:58
GCHS- Eggemeyer 6 pass from McMillian (kick failed), 4:10

	SAHS	GCHS
First Downs	2	10
Rushes-yards	13-18	21-239
Passing Yards	45	47
Comp.-Att.-Int.	8-15-2	4-6-1
Punts-Avg.	2-33.0	0-0.0
Fumbles-lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-yds.	1-5	1-10

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING —Santa Anna, No. 5 4-17, No. 10 6-10, No.11 1-8, No. 28 1-2, No 7 1—14; Garden City, Jose Gallegos 6-133, Riley Eggemeyer 8-54, Cesar Chavez 2-33, JD Rodriguez 4-18, Cade Braden 1-1.
PASSING — Santa Anna, No 10 5-8-0—17, No 5 2-4-0—8, No 2 1-3-0—4 ; Garden City, Trent McMillian 4-6-3—47
RECEIVING — Santa Anna,No. 5 2-16, No 7 3-11, No 28 1-9, No 11-7, No 50 0-0, No 2 1-0 ; Garden City,Riley Eggemeyer 3-30, Ethan Goodwin 1-17, Raul Almazan 0-0

Robert Lee 62 Grady14

ROBERT LEE — Robert Lee coasted to a 62-14 victory over visiting Grady in non-district play, Friday at Griffith Stadium.

Robert Lee improved to 1-1, while the Wildcats fell to 0-2.

Grady will shoot for its first win at Water Valley at 7:30 p.m. next Friday.

No other statistics or information was available at press time.

Greenwood 63 Brownfield 37

BROWNFIELD — Greenwood had a big offensive night and it raced past Brownfield in a non-district game at Cub Stadium.

Greenwood (2-0) had a 35-24 lead at the half and then held the dangerous Cubs (0-2) to 13 points in the second quarter.

Greenwood Shad Hanna said the offensive line did a great job of helping the Rangers sustaining drives and the defense did a good job of containing dangerous quarterback Jaelyn Nolan.

No other details were reported before press time.

Greenwood hosts Shallowater next Friday at J.M. King Memorial Stadium.

STATEWIDE SCORES

How the AP top 10 fared

Class 6A

1. Austin Westlake (1-1) lost to Liberty, Nev. 21-14.
2. Allen (2-0) beat Evangel Christian Academy, La. 45-10.
3. DeSoto (2-0) beat Denton Guyer 51-17.
4. Converse Judson (2-0) beat SA Northside Brennan 55-13.
5. Katy (0-1) vs. Klein Collins, Saturday.
6. Galena Park North Shore (1-1) lost to Manvel 26-13.
7. Cibolo Steele (1-1) lost to Lake Travis 59-56.
8. Lake Travis (1-1) beat Cibolo Steele 59-56.
9. Cedar Hill (1-1) beat Mansfield 42-41.
10. Euless Trinity (2-0) beat Spring Westfield 28-27.

Class 5A

1. Cedar Park (2-0) beat Austin Vandegrift 13-0.
2. Aledo (2-0) beat Westlake, Calif. 65-7.
3. Denton Ryan (2-0) beat Mesquite Poteet 24-13.
4. Manvel (2-0) beat Galena Park North Shore 26-13.
5. Temple (2-0) beat Round Rock 39-25.
6. Frisco Lone Star (2-0) beat Mansfield Timberview 20-14.
7. Dallas Highland Park (2-0) beat Waxahachie 40-37.
8. CC Calallen (1-1) lost to SA Johnson 17-12.
9. Richmond Foster (2-0) beat A&M Consolidated 34-28.
10. Angleton (1-0) at El Campo, Friday.

Class 4A

1. Argyle (2-0) beat La Grange 14-8.
2. West Orange-Stark (2-0) beat Little Cypress-Mauriceville 45-0.
3. Waco La Vega (2-0) beat Lorena 27-12.
4. Gilmer (2-0) beat Center 70-21.
5. Carthage (1-0) beat Texarkana Liberty-Eylau 34-20.
6. Abilene Wylie (1-1) lost to Lubbock Monterey 37-23.
7. Kennedale (1-0) beat Terrell 21-20.
8. Cuero (2-0) beat Yoakum 14-7.
9. Navasota (0-2) lost to Magnolia West 23-22.
10. China Spring (2-0) beat Huntsville 55-8.

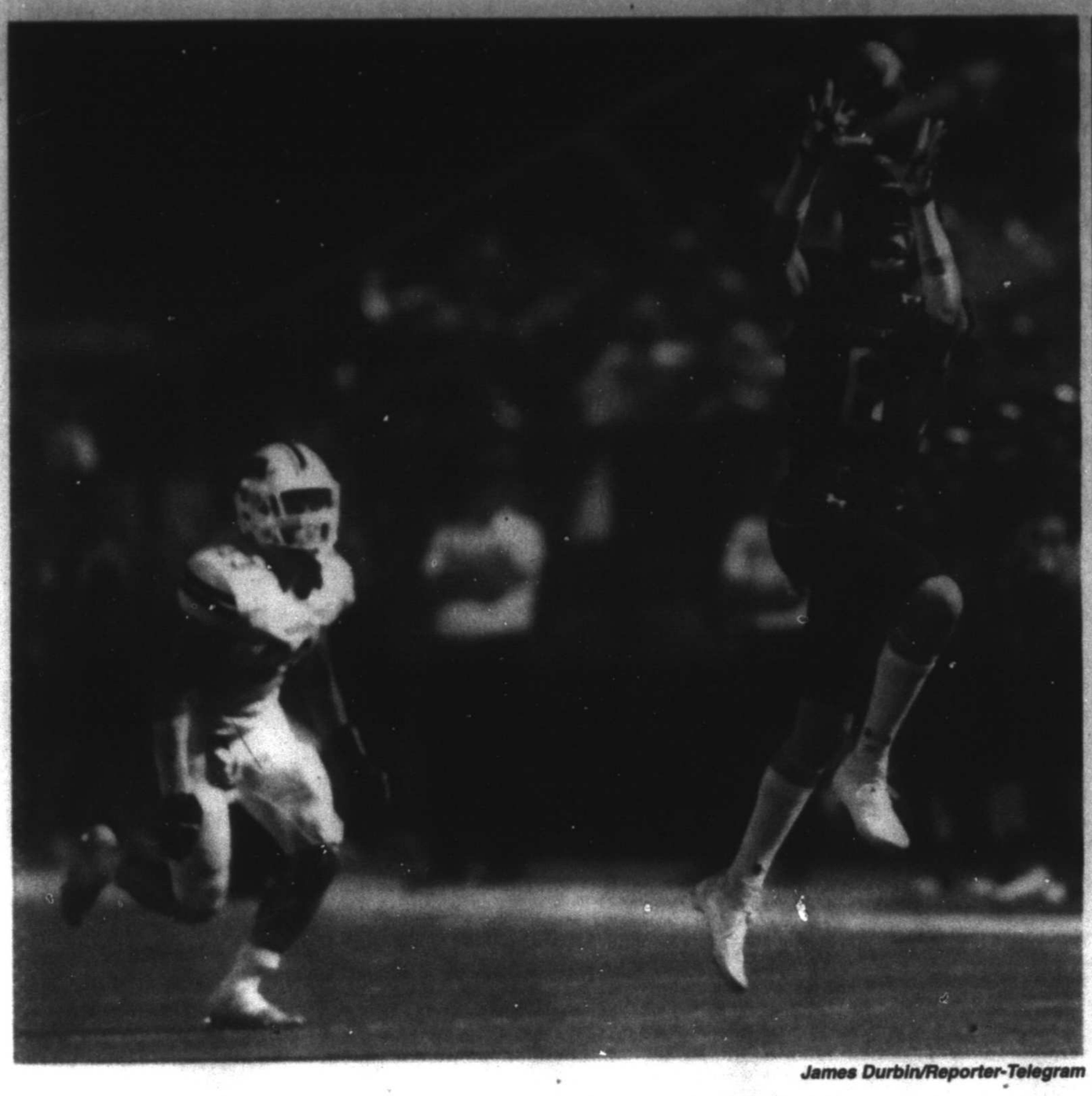
Class 3A

1. Brock (2-0) beat Midland Christian 57-41.
2. Cameron Yoe (2-0) beat Gatesville 69-31.
3. Newton (2-0) beat Silsbee 49-33.
4. Franklin (2-0) beat Caldwell 52-13.
5. Waskom (1-0) at Big Sandy Harmony (Gilmer), Saturday.
6. Malakoff (2-0) beat Rusk 45-19.
7. East Bernard (1-1) lost to Hitchcock 24-19.
8. Mineola (0-2) lost to Kaufman 41-31.
9. Canadian (1-1) beat Amarillo River Road 44-7.
10. Crockett (1-1) lost to Diboll 39-6.

Class 2A

1. Refugio (2-0) beat Goliad 44-13.
2. Bremond (2-0) beaf Iola 42-0.
3. Shiner (1-1) lost to Hallettsville 35-21.
4. Iraan (2-0) beat Ozona 47-0.
5. Stratford (2-0) beat Guymon , Okla. 56-10.
6. Albany (2-0) beat Dublin 32-0.
7. Mart (2-0) beat West 26-13.
8. Tenaha (2-0) beat Kerens 43-12.
9. Muenster (2-0) beat Pilot Point 35-12.
10. Lovelady (1-0) beat Anderson-Shiro 48-20.

CLASS 6A
Abilene 48, Midland Lee 14
Alief Taylor 25, Cypress Fells 0
Allen 45, Evangel Christian Academy, La. 10
Ame^ho Tascosa 48, Plainview 28
Arlington Bowie 34, Grand Prairie 28
Arlington Lamar 37, South Grand Prairie 7
Austin Akins 39, Austin High 27
Austin Bowie 28, Austin LBJ 16
Baytown Sterling 30, Baytown Lee 9
Beaumont West Brook 41, Beaumont Ozen 8
Belton 55, Pflugerville Hendrickson 27
Cedar Hill 42, Mansfield 41
Clute Brazoswood 16, Galveston Ball 13
Conroe 30, Klein Forest 23
Conroe Oak Ridge 21, Fort Bend Elkins 13
Converse Judson 55, SA Northside Brennan 13
Coppell 31, McKinney Boyd 21
Copperas Cove 27, Autonoma de Nuevo Leon, Mexico 14
Cypress Ridge 35, Katy Morton Ranch 30
De Soto 51, Denton Guyer 17
Del Rio 14, Kerrville Tivy 7
Dickinson 28, Richmond George Ranch 14
Eagle Pass 49, Laredo Cigarroa 0
Edinburg Economedes 43, La Joya Palmview 13
EP Eastwood 51, EP Bel Air 20
Euless Trinity 28, Spring Westfield 27
FW Paschal 38, Burleson 28
Houston Lamar 51, Fort Bend Hightower 0
Houston Northbrook 32, Houston Milby 12
Houston Stake Jesuit 20, Houston St. Thomas 10
Katy Taylor 43, Fort Bend Travis 40
Keller Fossil Ridge 23, Lewisville Flower Mound 16
Keller Timber Creek 39, Azle 21
Klein 49, The Woodlands College Park 28
Lake Travis 59, Cibolo Steele 56, 2OT
Laredo United 27, SA Reagan 24
Laredo United South 30, Harlingen 13
League City Clear Creek 34, Channelview 7
Lewisville 28, Richardson Lake Highlands 24
Lewisville Hebron 34, Wylie 28
Lewisville Marcus 50, Arlington 35
Longview 56, Marshall 7
Lufkin 42, Nacogdoches 28
Manor 35, Bastrop 18
McAllen Rowe 34, Mercedes 21
Mesquite Horn 34, Garland Naaman 6
Montgomery 26, Aldine Eisenhower 21
New Braunfels 55, Seguin 26
Odessa Permian 61, EP Franklin 0
Pearland Dawson 41, Deer Park 17
Pflugerville 28, Leander 20
Plano 48, Irving MacArthur 24
Plano East 51, Dallas Jesuit 27
Richardson Berkner 21, Garland Naaman Forest 15
Round Rock Cedar Ridge 52, Hewitt Midway 3
Round Rock Westwood 52, Leander Rouse 38
SA Johnson 17, CC Calallen 12
SA Madison 27, SA Northside Warren 3
SA Northside Holmes 33, SA Highlands 22
SA Northside O'Connor 49, SA Churchill 12
San Angelo Central 72, Byron Nelson 25
San Benito 49, SA East Central 28
San Marcos 27, New Braunfels Canyon 20
Schertz Clemens 47, SA MacArthur 6
Smithson Valley 60, Austin Anderson 20
Southlake Carroll 37, Arlington Martin 14
Tyler 30, Ennis 14
Tyler Lee 34, Corsicana 20
Weslaco 48, SA Northside Marshall 20
Weslaco East 37, McAllen Memorial 29
Wolfforth Frenship 42, EP El Dorado 28
CLASS 5A
Aledo 65, Westlake, Calif. 7
Alice 47, Kingsville King 29
Amarillo 57, Odessa 0
Barbers Hill 54, Santa Fe 13
Bastrop Cedar Creek 28, Smithville 26
Brenham 21, Elgin 20
Brownsville Memorial 35, Brownsville Rivera 16
Bryan 42, Waller 37
Burleson Centennial 35, N. Richland Hills Birdville 14
Canutillo 15, EP Coronado 3
Canyon 54, Monahans 34
CC King 42, CC Miller 6
CC Moody 46, SA Burbank 7
CC Ray 21, CC Flour Bluff 0
Cedar Park 13, Austin Vandegrift 0
Clint Horizon 42, Fabens 6
College Station 61, Kaufman Rhemarker 14
Colleyville Heritage 38, Frisco Heritage 34
Corpus Christi Veterans Memorial High 31, PSJA Southwest 24
Dallas Highland Park 40, Waxahachie 37
Dallas Spruce 28, North Dallas 3
Dallas Wilson 61, South Garland 20
Dayton 24, Huntsville 23
Denton 31, Sanger 27
Denton Ryan 24, Mesquite Poteet 13
Donna North 27, Laredo Martin 13
Dripping Springs 45, Cedar Park Vista Ridge 7
Dumas 56, Lubbock Estacado 0
Eagle Pass Winn 21, Laredo Johnson 0
Edgewood-Elsa 34, Edinburg Vela 20
EP Andrews 35, EP Pebble Hills 27
EP Chapin 14, El Paso Eastlake 0
EP Parkland 27, EP Socorro 14
EP Riverside 35, EP Jefferson 6
EP Valle 47, EP Irvin 14
Everman 41, Lewisville The Colony 19
Forney 28, Lindale 21
Frisco 34, Denison 21
Frisco Independence 57, Denton Braswell 0
Frisco Lone Star 20, Mansfield Timberview 14
Henderson 45, Tatum 13
Huffman Hargrave 35, Humble 28
Huntington 24, Hardin 16
Iowa Park 53, Gainesville 26
Kaufman 41, Mineola 31
Kennedale 21, Terrell 20
La Feria 41, Raymondville 20
Levelland 49, Shallowater 7
Liberty , Nev. 21, Austin Westlake 14
Liberty 28, Cleveland 6
Liberty Hill 30, La Vernia 0
Melissa 55, Lake Worth 7
Mesia 41, Teague 28
Midland Greenwood 63, Brownfield 37
Mineral Wells 44, Breckenridge 13
Needville 28, Brookshire Royal 14
Orange Grove 52, Aransas Pass 0
Palestine 49, Jacksonville 40
Pampa 65, Elk City, Okla. 51
Paris 23, Texarkana Pleasant Grove 22
Paris North Lamar 38, Mount Pleasant 14
Pecos 47, Kermit 6
Perryton 30, Weatherford, Okla. 0
Pittsburg 51, Longview Pine Tree 26
Pleasanton 35, SA Lanier 21
Port Isabel 34, Tomball Homeschool 7
Poteet 30, SA Cole 12
Rio Hondo 27, La Joya Juarez-Lincoln 14
Robinson 56, Lampasas 55
Seminole 29, Idalou 0
Tarkington 35, Rockport-Fulton 15
Somerset 37, SA Houston 14
Springtown 30, Stephenville 28
Southwest 63, Big Spring 20
Van 56, Princeton 38
Waco Connally 34, Glen Rose 22
Waco La Vega 27, Lorena 12
West Orange-Stark 45, Little Cypress-Mauriceville 0
CLASS 3A
Alba-Golden 44, Mount Enterprise 36
Alpine 25, Van Horn 6
Bishop 28, Riviera Kaufer 0
Boling 42, KIPP Sunnyside 0
Brock 57, Midland Christian 41
Bruceville-Eddy 35, Anna 0
Buffalo 31, Normangee 8
Cameron Yoe 69, Gatesville 31
Canadian 44, Amarillo River Road 7
CC London 41, CC John Paul 0
Clyde 20, Eastland 15
Coahoma 40, McCamey 26
Coleman 24, Comanche 10
Comfort 20, Salado 0
Crane 14, Goldsmith City 13
Danbury 18, Anahuac 13
Dimmitt 50, Hale Center 49
Edgewood 41, Caddo Mills 7
Eustace 62, Quitman 0
Fermersville 24, Nevada Community 13
Florence 34, Jarrell 27
Franklin 32, Caldwell 13
Frankston 14, Gladewater Sabine 7
George West 38, Dilley 0
Grand Saline 47, New Diana 28
Grandview 59, Hillsboro 31
Gunter 37, Pottsboro 21
Hallettsville 35, Shiner 21
Hearne 28, Trinity 14
Hitchcock 24, East Bernard 19
Jacksboro 54, Windthorst 47
Jefferson 59, Omaha Pewitt 33
Jewett Leon 49, Elkhart 7
Kirbyville 28, Orangefield 7
Kountze 34, Beaumont Kelly 7
Lago Vista 42, Brady 32
Leonard 49, Commerce 14
Lexington 67, Thorndale 7
Little River Academy 29, Whitney 20
Littlefield 42, Denver City 10
Malakoff 45, Rusk 19
Muleshoe 54, Snyder 21
Nashville 34, Lytle 21
New Boston 18, De Kalb 15
New London West Rusk 37, Tyler All Saints 14
New Waverly 34, Somerville 6
Newton 49, Silsbee 33
Nixon-Smiley 28, Three Rivers 6
Nocona 44, Archer City 16
Odem 42, Mathis 21
Paradise 37, Henrietta 27
Ponder 32, WF City View 28
Rice 49, Itasca 14
San Angelo Grape Creek 48, Ballinger 30
Santa Rosa 45, La Villa 14
Skidmore-Tynan 18, Woodsboro 7
Slaton 29, Lubbock Roosevelt 23
Sonora 28, Llano 14
Spearman 14, Dalhart 12
Stockdale 25, Bloomington 7
Sunnyvale 24, McGregor 14
Tol^-47, Hico 13
Troy 34, Marlin 7
Wall 19, Cisco 18
Wallis Brazos 46, Burton 38
White Oak 49, Tyler Gorman 36
Whitesboro 28, Aubrey 20
Whitewright 27, Blue Ridge 14
Winnsboro 28, Quitman Ford 12
Woodville 28, Madisonville 14
CLASS 2A
Abernathy 26, Tulia 7
Albany 32, Dublin 0
Alto 44, Big Sandy 21
Anson 38, Haskell 10
Anthony 35, Lordsburg, N.M. 6
Baird 40, Menard 13
Banfield 8, Dawson 0
Bells 54, Chico 18
Benavides 39, Harlingen Marine Military 0
Brackettville 14, Rogers 7
Bremond 42, Iola 0
Bronte 20, San Angelo Texas Leadership 0
Cayuga 40, Wortham 7
Center Point 33, SA Brooks 0
Cerbat-Alto 41, Corrigan-Camden 22
Charlotte 12, Agua Dulce 7
Christoval 26, Junction 0
Clarendon 28, Springlake-Earth 7
Cloudcroft 26, Santa Rosa 0
Collinsville 49, Era 0
Crawford 48, Clifton 21
D'Hanis 41, Schertz John Paul II 0
De Leon 49, Winters 0
Deweyville 27, Burkeville 0
Eldorado 33, Forsan 0
Electra 20, Frederick, Okla. 7
Eskdale 34, Warren 14
Farwell 54, Crosbyton 6
Frost 55, Runge 13
Fruitland 42, Cherokee 14
Gladewater Union Grove 18, Harleton 12
Goldthwaite 24, Tuscola Jim Ned 20
Gorman 56, Throckmorton 48
Granger 30, Holland 24, OT
Groveton 64, Grapeland 42
Hamilton 15, Milano 0
Hamlin 36, Merkel 12
Harper 21, San Saba 6
Hawley 58, Bangs 7
Hubbard 21, Blooming Grove 18
Hull-Daisetta 44, Hardin-Jones 14
Iraan 47, Ozona 0
Joaquin 54, Maud 18
Leakey 38, Sabinal 14
Linden-Kildare 58, Clarksville 20
Lindsay 15, Valley View 6
Lovelady 48, Anderson-Shiro 20
Lubbock Christian 28, Johnson City 14
Memphis 44, Wheeler 6
Meridian 24, Riesel 20
Miles 28, Rocksprings 26
Moody 45, Waco Reicher 7
Muenster 35, Pilot Point 12
Munday 36, Stamford 8
New Deal 55, Lamesa 12
Olton 48, Ralls 6
Overton 14, Simms Bowie 0
Perrin-Whitt 56, Cross Plains 16
Petrolia 62, Olney 6
Pettus 44, SA St. Gerard 0
Plains 33, Smyer 0
Post 74, Textoma 28
Quitman Boles 33, Celeste 25
Refugio 44, Goliad 13
Roscoe 41, Early 20
Rosebud-Lott 35, Chilton 14
Sabine Pass 16, Galveston O'Connell 14
Santo 25, Rio Vista 20
Seagraves 28, Floydada 14
Seymour 33, Quanah 15
Shelbyville 20, Hemphill 6
Stratford 56, Guymon, Okla. 10
Sundown 51, Morton 0
Sunray 37, Gruver 27
Tenaha 43, Kerens 12
Thrall 27, Milano 0
Valley Mills 16, Palmer 6
Vega 19, Boys Ranch 14
Weimar 27, Austin St. Michael 16
Wellington 38, Stinnett West Texas 32
Wink 38, Stanton 6
Yorktown 23, Universal City Randolph 22
CLASS 1A
Briscoe Fort Elliott 58, Miami 12
Ackerly Sands 26, Westbrook 22
Archer City 54, Southland 8
Apple Springs 56, Enst Home/School 0
Aquilla 22, Walnut Springs 14
Balmorhea 52, Fort Davis 0
Blackwell 52, Brookesmith 6
Blum 60, Cooldge 58
Borden County 58, Lingleville 20
Bryson 68, WF Notre Dame 24
Calvert 58, Austin Veritas 8
Cherokee 72, Lometa 22
Chillicothe 51, Higgins 6
Crowell 70, Gordon 36
Garden City 52, Santa Anna 6
Guthrie 50, Newcastle 30
High Island 48, Katy Faith West 0
Ira 60, New Home 14
Iredell 60, Koppell 12
Jayton 65, Roby 20
Jonesboro 34, Milford 16
Knox City 69, Rule 22
Lebos 56, Hedley 0
Loraine 32, Luders-Avoca 24
Lorenzo 62, Amarillo Holy Cross 16
Marfa 81, Sanderson 36
May 64, Eden 12
McLean 79, Groom 34
Medina 29, Rochelle 21
Mason 59, Harper 0
Mullin 46, Rising Star 0
Nazareth 74, Ripponville Ropes 57
Oakwood 52, Covington 6
Penelope 70, Morgan 21
Petersburg 44, Mackay 43
Robert Lee 62, Lenorah Grady 11
Roscoe Highland 96, Hermleigh 20
Rotan 55, Haskell Paint Creek 0
Silverton 70, Kress 44
Sterling City 55, Imperial Buena Vista 8
Stinnett 62, Forestburg 14
Trinidad 51, Johnson County 6
Turkey Valley 54, Follett 0
Water Valley 36, Lenorah Klondike 21
Welch Dawson 67, Anton 60
Wellman-Union 48, Cotton Center 18
White Deer 42, Hart 12
Whiteface 75, O'Donnell 74
Whitharral 65, Abilene Christian 20
Woodson 52, Vernon Northside 0
Zephyr 72, Granger North Central 26
PRIVATE SLHOOLS
Addison Trinity 54, PW All Saints 39
Arlington Oakridge 49, Austin St. Stephen 16
Austin Hill Country and, Fredericksburg Heritage 43
Austin Hyde Park 51, Ingram Moore 17
Austin Regents 43, Fort Bend Christian 13
Austin St. Dominic 17, SA Cornerstone 13
Baytown Christian 46, Gustine 0
Beaumont Legacy Chr. 7, Hou Lutheran North 0
Bellaire Episcopal 70, Plano Prestonwood 21
Brownsville St. Joseph 30, Lyford 7
Bullard Brook Hill 27, Mount Vernon 14
Bulverde



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Midland Christian's Anderson Needham (6) makes a reception against Brock on Friday at Mustang Field.

Russell gets 4 TD passes; No. 23 Baylor rolls 55-7 over Demons

By Stephen Hawkins
Associated Press

WACO — Seth Russell threw four touchdown passes in less than a half and No. 23 Baylor beat FCS team Northwestern State 55-7 on Friday night in its first game since the sudden dismissal of coach Art Briles.

Russell was the top-rated FBS passer when he suffered a season-ending neck injury in the seventh game last season. He completed 14 of 20 passes for 163 yards with TDs to four receivers, including two tight ends. The Bears led 41-0 when he threw his last pass, a 10-yard TD pass to Pooh Stricklin with 5 minutes left in the first half.

Baylor's offense looked very similar to what it has in recent years under two-time Big 12 Conference champion coach Art Briles, who lost his job in the wake of a May report from an external investigation into allegations the university mishandled complaints of sexual assault, including some against football players.

Acting head coach Jim Grobe retained the rest of the coaching staff, including offensive coordinator Kendal Briles, the former coach's son.

Baylor had 498 total yards, 275 rushing and 223 passing.

The Bears scored on their first nine possessions, seven touchdowns and two field goals by Chris Callahan, and were up 55-0 before their first punt with 5 minutes left in the third quarter. Northwestern State finally scored on their ensuing possession.

Baylor led 48-0 at the half, when the Demons had 3 total yards and eight punts.

The takeaway

NORTHWESTERN STATE: Really, the outcome should have been no surprise. Northwestern State had lost its previous four meetings against Baylor by an average margin of 50 points, including 70-6 two years ago. Brooks Haack, the second graduate transfer in a row to start for the Demons, was under constant pressure and completed only 3 of 13 passes for 14 yards, but did run 3 yards for their only score.

BAYLOR: The Bears, who are down to about 70 scholarship players, got some valuable playing time for true freshman quarterback Zach Smith and plenty of other non-starters, including third-teamers on offense and defense after halftime. Smith went through spring practice after graduating high school early, and was thrust into the role as backup when Jarrett Stidham left Baylor this summer.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL SCORES

SOUTHWEST
Baylor 55, Northwestern St. 7
SOUTH
Ball St. 31, Georgia St. 21
FAR WEST
Colorado 44, Colorado St. 7
Stanford 26, Kansas St. 13
MIDWEST
E. Michigan 61, MVSU 14
Michigan St. 28, Furman 13
EAST
Albany (NY) 22, Buffalo 16
Army 28, Temple 13
Lafayette 24, CCSU 10
Syracuse 33, Colgate 7
W. New England 26, Springfield 10

MCS

From 1B

an 80-yard by Dawson Littlepage on their next offensive possession.

The string of 29 unanswered points was ended when Corcorran intercepted Powell with a 51-yard interception return with 1:17 to play.

Tyler Grey was Brock's leading rusher, as he carried the ball 26 times for 206 yards and two touchdowns.

"We got beat by a very good football team," McClendon said. "We had chances to put them away. You mark it down, we will put their butt away next time."

The Eagles showed their potent rushing attack from the very beginning, as Gray broke loose on a 72-yard toss to the outside on the third play of the game, pushing Brock to a 7-0 lead only 66 seconds into the affair.

However, the Mustangs answered back in similar fashion as Powell raced past the Eagles defense with a 72-yard scoring run of his own during MCS' third offensive play, tying the game at 7-all at the 10:07 mark in the first quarter.

From that point, the game turned into a track meet for three quarters.

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NO. 1 BROCK 57, MIDLAND CHRISTIAN 41

Brock	14	14	14	15	—57
MCS	14	13	14	0	—41

First Quarter
Brock - Tyler Gray 72 run (Bryce Nye kick), 10:54
MCS - Peyton Powell 72 run (Joe Rawicki kick), 10:07
Brock - Hayden Waller 14 pass from Tren Corcorran (Nye kick), 5:11
MCS -Powell 42 run (Rawicki kick) 0:03
Second Quarter
MCS - Powell 13 run (kick failed), 10:26
MCS - Powell 10 run (Rawicki kick), 3:39
Brock - Dawson Littlepage 82 kickoff return (Nye kick), 3:23
Brock - Zane Young 6 pass from Corcorran (Nye kick), 0:14
Third Quarter
MCS - Powell 72 run (Powell run), 11:05
MCS - Powell 24 run (kick failed), 9:25
Brock - Waller 43 pass from Corcorran (Nye kick), 5:36
Brock - Littlepage 80 run (Nye kick), 4:23
Fourth Quarter
Brock - Gray 55 run (kick failed), 11:22
Brock - FG Nye 24, 2:33
Brock - Corcorran 51 interception return (kick failed), 1:17

	Brock	MCS
First downs	18	28
Rushes-yards	48-330	37-446
Passing yards	222	130
Comp.-Att.-Int.	11-14-1	9-26-1
Punts-Avg.	2-36.5	3-46.7
Fumbles-lost	2-1	3-1
Penalties-yds.	6-35	4-30

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING: Brock, Tyler Gray 26-206, Dawson Littlepage 4-66, Tren Corcorran 9-28, Kyle Thiel 2-9, Tripp Jones 1-5, Trent Patino 5-(-3), Tanner Patino 1-(-1); MCS, Peyton Powell 28-418, Luke Sheppard 2-23, Bryson Harper 2-4, Anderson Needham 4-1.
PASSING: Brock, Corcorran 9-12-1—143, Jones 1-1-0—16, Littlepage 1-1-0—63; MCS, Powell 6-21-1—86, Needham 3-5-0—44.
RECEIVING: Brock, Hayden Waller 4-131, Carson Langen 1-29, Matthew Gray 2-21, Thiel 1-16, Tanner Patino 1-11, Littlepage 1-8, Zane Young 1-8; MCS, Needham 4-50, Blake Ray 2-41, Luke Watson 2-24, Cody Wolfe 1-15.
INTERCEPTIONS: Brock, Corcorran 1-51; MCS, Garrett Eddison 1-32.

LEE

From 1B

nothing big, nothing we can't fix in practice. We'll be back."

Meanwhile, Eagles head coach Del Van Cox was impressed with the way his players responded to last week's ugly defeat. He said his offense sparked the defense early and soon after, everyone was on the same page and locked in.

"Our guys responded real well," Van Cox said. "They didn't enjoy the taste they had in their mouth last week of how we played and how we executed. They responded and figured out what it takes to be successful on Friday nights.

"When you hit things early, execute early, it kind of changes the tempo of the game. I was definitely proud of our guys and the way they prepared themselves all week."

After Lee went down 14-0 in the game's opening minutes, senior quarterback Sema'J Davis got the Rebels on the board with a 7-yard strike to Julian Stricklin. Smith's 30-yard run extended the AHS lead to 20-7 before Davis connected Nicco Sorianello for a 19-yard catch and run score that cut the Eagles' lead to 20-14 with 4:45 left in the first half.

Then, despite interceptions by Lee's Isaiah Ramirez and Trey Jacobo, the Eagles reeled off 28 unanswered points.

Davis went 21-for-39 with 239 yards, two touchdowns and his first interception this season. He also accounted for 91 yards rushing on 12 carries. Lee sophomore running back Josh Traylor produced a breakout game with 82 yards on a team-high 16 touches. Payton Tranum led the Rebel receivers with 98 yards on eight catches. Qua'Shawn Washington paced the Eagles' receiving corps with 93 yards and two scores on three receptions.

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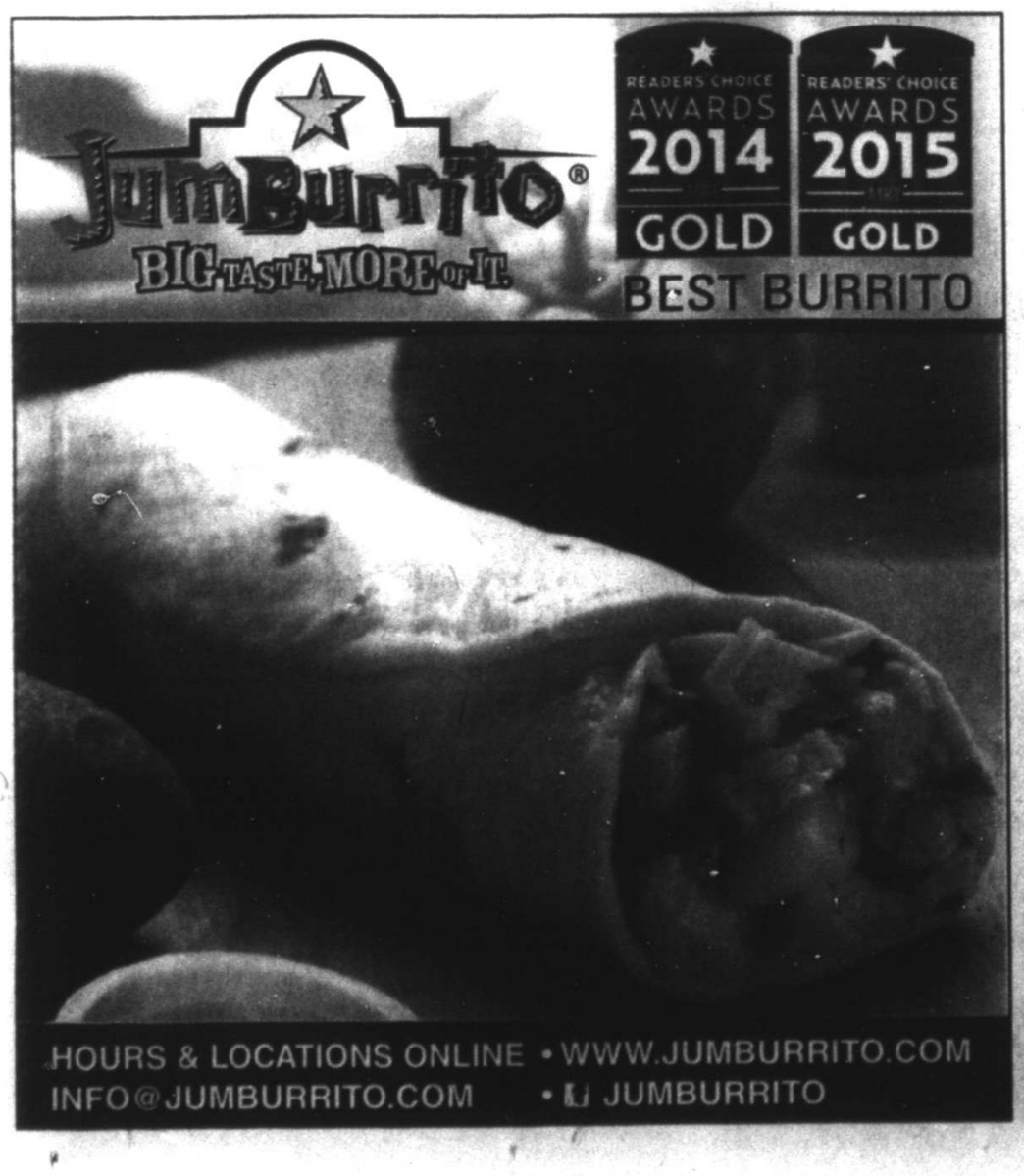
ABILENE HIGH 48, LEE 14

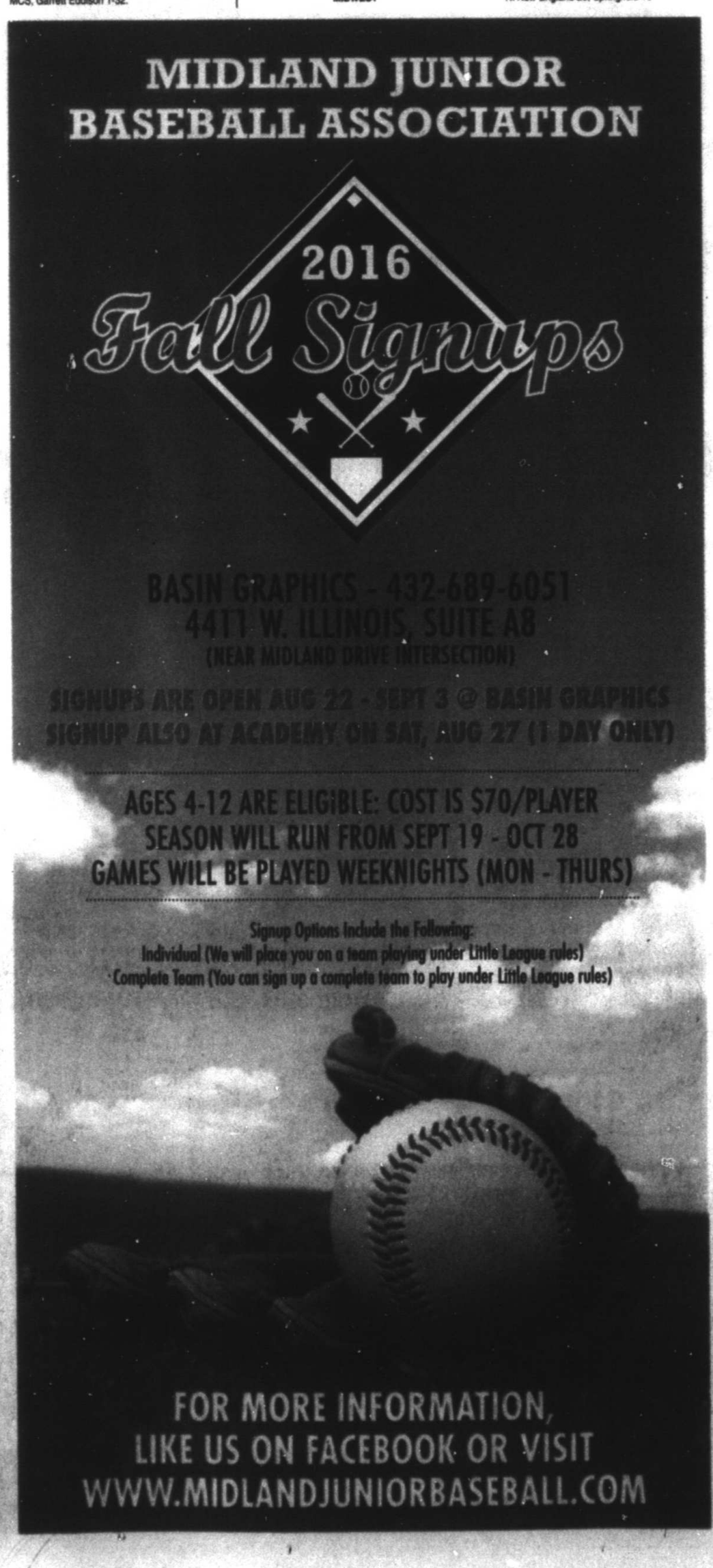
Lee	0	14	0	0	—14
AHS	14	14	14	6	—48

First Quarter
AHS - Qua'Shawn Washington 21 pass from Peyton Killam (Jonathan Manny kick), 11:40
AHS - Xavier Bradley 78 pass from Killam (Manny kick), 6:52
Second Quarter
Lee - Julian Stricklin 7 pass from Sema'J Davis (Christian Alvidrez kick), 11:56
AHS - Abram Smith 30 run (Manny kick blocked), 9:39
Lee - Nicco Sorianello 19 pass from Davis (Alvidrez kick), 4:45
AHS - Smith 1 run (pass good), 1:31
Third Quarter
AHS - Washington 60 pass from Killam (Manny kick), 6:40
AHS - Raekwon Millsap 54 pass from Killam (Manny kick), 4:45
Fourth Quarter
AHS - R.J. Mirelez 5 pass from Andrew Ezzell (Manny kick blocked), 4:08

	Lee	AHS
First downs	23	19
Rushes-yards	43-190	28-124
Passing yards	239	332
Comp.-Att.-Int.	21-39-1	16-19-2
Punts-Avg.	5-33.0	1-46.0
Fumbles-lost	2-1	1-1
Penalties-yards	11-83	9-95

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING - Lee, Sema'J Davis 12-91, Josh Traylor 16-82, Connor Friel 8-30, Nicco Sorianello 4-7, Elijah Prince 2-(-5), David Jones 1-3. Team 2-(-15); AHS, Abram Smith 15-106, Peyton Killam 9-30, Vicquon Baxter-Smith 3-(-7). Team 1-(-9).
PASSING - Lee, Davis 21-39-1-239; AHS - Peyton Killam 15-18-2-332. Andrew Ezzell 1-1-0-5
RECEIVING - Lee, Payton Tranum 8-98, Grant Brown 4-57, Sorianello 4-38, Julian Stricklin 2-39, Taye Britt 1-8, Sheldon Bass 1-(-2); AHS, Qua'Shawn Washington 3-93, Xavier Bradley 1-78, Raekwon Millsap 2-73, Bryce McGough 5-52, David Russell 3-28, Wes Berry 1-11, R.J. Mirelez 1-5.
INTERCEPTIONS - Lee, Isaiah Ramirez 1-2, Trey Jacobo 1-1





Moore, Hahn share lead in Boston

By Doug Ferguson
Associated Press

NORTON, Mass. — Ryan Moore changed his schedule to pile up tournaments at the end of the year with hopes of getting into a rhythm going into the FedEx Cup playoffs.

He has no complaints with the results.

Moore backed up a good start to the playoffs with a 6-under 65 on Friday to share the first-round lead with James Hahn on a day when hardly anyone seemed too far away. After one round at the TPC Boston, 37 players were separated by three shots.

Phil Mickelson would be an exception.

Mickelson, who leads the PGA Tour in adjusted scoring average and said he wanted to win the Vardon Trophy for the first time in his career, took two swipes out of high grass in a water hazard to no avail, finally took a drop and made a quadruple-bogey 8 on the sixth hole. That sent him to 75 and in third-to-last place.

Moore and Hahn played bogey-free on a breezy day that allowed for good scoring, even though no one went terribly low. They were one shot ahead of Paul Casey and Fabian Gomez. The average score was 69.67 as 80 of the 97 players in the field were at par or better.

As usual, there were Ryder Cup implications.

Jim Furyk, J.B. Holmes and Daniel Berger were in the group at 67, all of them to make an impression before Ryder Cup captain Davis Love III starts filling out the U.S. team with three picks in 10 days. Holmes finished 10th in the standings, while Furyk was at No. 15 even though he four months recovering from wrist surgery.

Love has said every American in the Deutsche Bank Championship would be on his radar, though Moore isn't even thinking about it. His main goal is to get to the Tour Championship for the FedEx Cup finale, and this stacked schedule at the end of the year is working in his favor.

DEUTSCHE BANK SCORES

Friday
At TPC Boston
Norton, Mass.
Purse: $8.5 million
Yardage: 7,214; Par 71 (36-35)
First Round

James Hahn	32-33—65
Ryan Moore	33-32—65
Paul Casey	36-30—66
Fabian Gomez	32-34—66
Brian Stuard	34-32—66
Jhonattan Vegas	33-33—66
Kevin Chappell	36-31—67
Jim Furyk	33-34—67
Steve Stricker	33-34—67
Roberto Castro	33-34—67
Harris English	33-34—67
J.B. Holmes	34-33—67
Tony Finau	35-32—67
Daniel Berger	34-33—67
Adam Scott	32-35—67
Emiliano Grillo	34-33—67
Si Woo Kim	34-33—67
Billy Hurley III	33-34—67
Chad Campbell	35-32—67
Jerry Kelly	35-33—68
Marc Leishman	30-38—68
Justin Rose	35-33—68
Jimmy Walker	34-34—68
Henrik Stenson	34-34—68
Patrick Reed	37-31—68
Dustin Johnson	34-34—68
Brian Harman	37-31—68
Zach Johnson	37-31—68
Kevin Streelman	33-35—68
Jamie Lovemark	35-33—68
Jim Herman	33-35—68
Smylie Kaufman	34-34—68
Sergio Garcia	33-35—68
Jordan Spieth	34-34—68
Vaughn Taylor	32-36—68
David Hearn	34-34—68
Adam Hadwin	33-35—68
Hudson Swafford	34-35—69
Spencer Levin	34-35—69
Johnson Wagner	35-34—69
Aaron Baddeley	34-35—69
Rickie Fowler	36-33—69
Hideki Matsuyama	34-35—69
Bill Haas	35-34—69
Gary Woodland	34-35—69
John Senden	37-32—69
Derek Fathauer	34-35—69
Kyle Reifers	34-36—70
Ryan Palmer	38-32—70
Billy Horschel	35-35—70
Jason Kokrak	36-34—70
Brendan Steele	38-32—70
Charl Schwartzel	35-35—70
Justin Thomas	37-33—70
Jason Day	35-35—70
Chris Kirk	35-35—70
Danny Lee	35-35—70
Vijay Singh	36-34—70
Ricky Barnes	33-37—70
Colt Knost	36-34—70
Luke Donald	34-36—70
Ben Martin	34-36—70
Kevin Kisner	34-36—70
Matt Kuchar	37-33—70
Russell Henley	34-36—70
Bryce Molder	35-35—70

Earnhardt to miss rest of NASCAR season with concussion

Associated Press

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — Dale Earnhardt Jr. will miss the rest of the NASCAR season — 18 races total — as he continues to recover from a concussion.

NASCAR's most popular driver first began experiencing concussion-like symptoms in late July. He has been undergoing treatment from Dr. Micky Collins at the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center Sports Medicine Concussion Program. He's also being treated by Charlotte neurosurgeon Dr. Jerry Petty.

"To say I'm disappointed doesn't begin to describe how I feel, but I know this is the right thing for my long-term health and career," Earnhardt said in a statement Friday. "I'm 100 percent focused on my recovery, and I will continue to follow everything the doctors tell me."

Earnhardt said doctors have seen progress in his recovery, and he plans to be back in the car next February for the season-opening Daytona 500.

Joey Logano said he understands how difficult this choice was to make for Earnhardt.

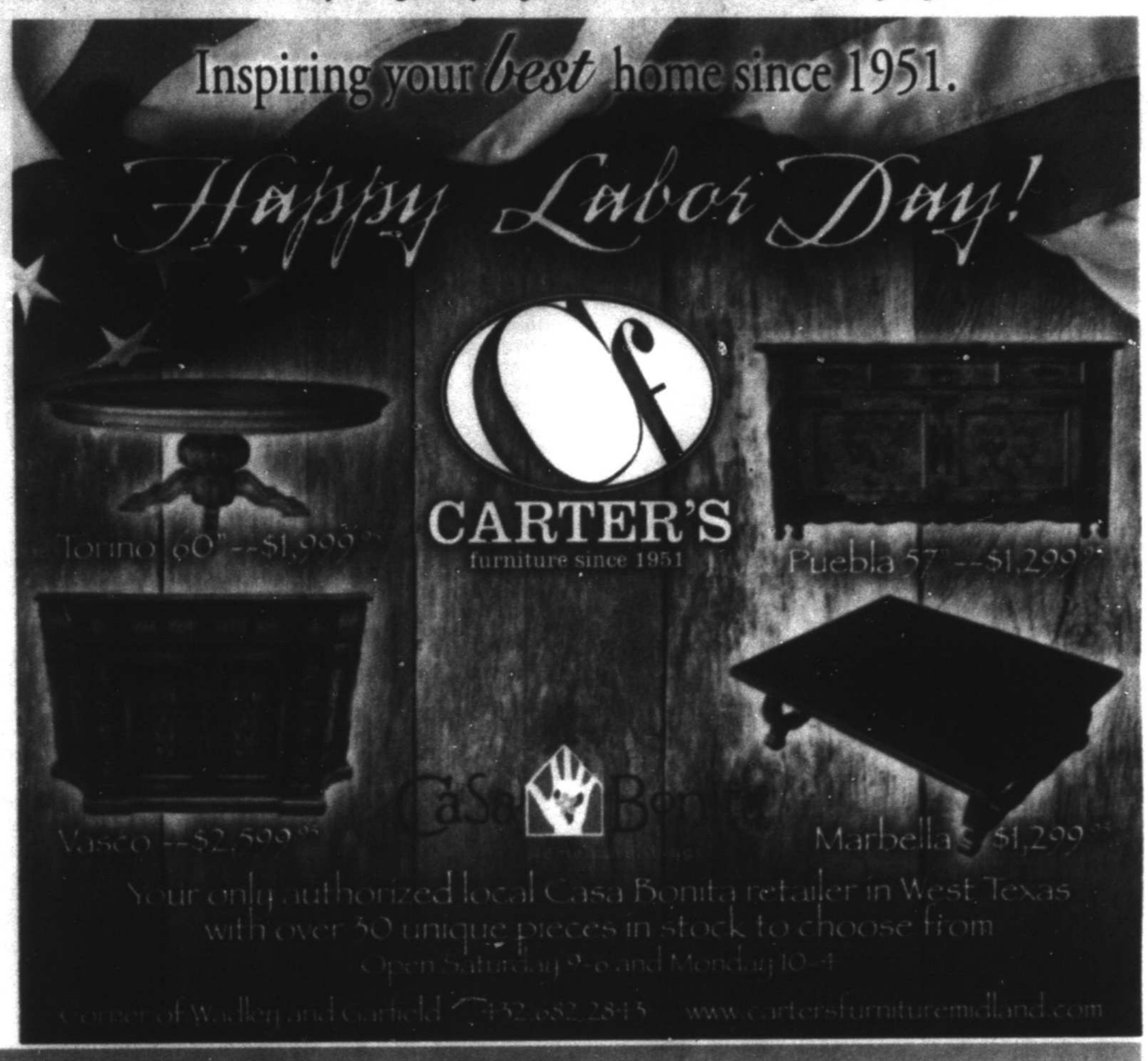
"I look up to him for what he's doing. I know how hard that is to look out and want to be inside that racecar," Logano said. "Your life and your health is not worth risking for the sport."

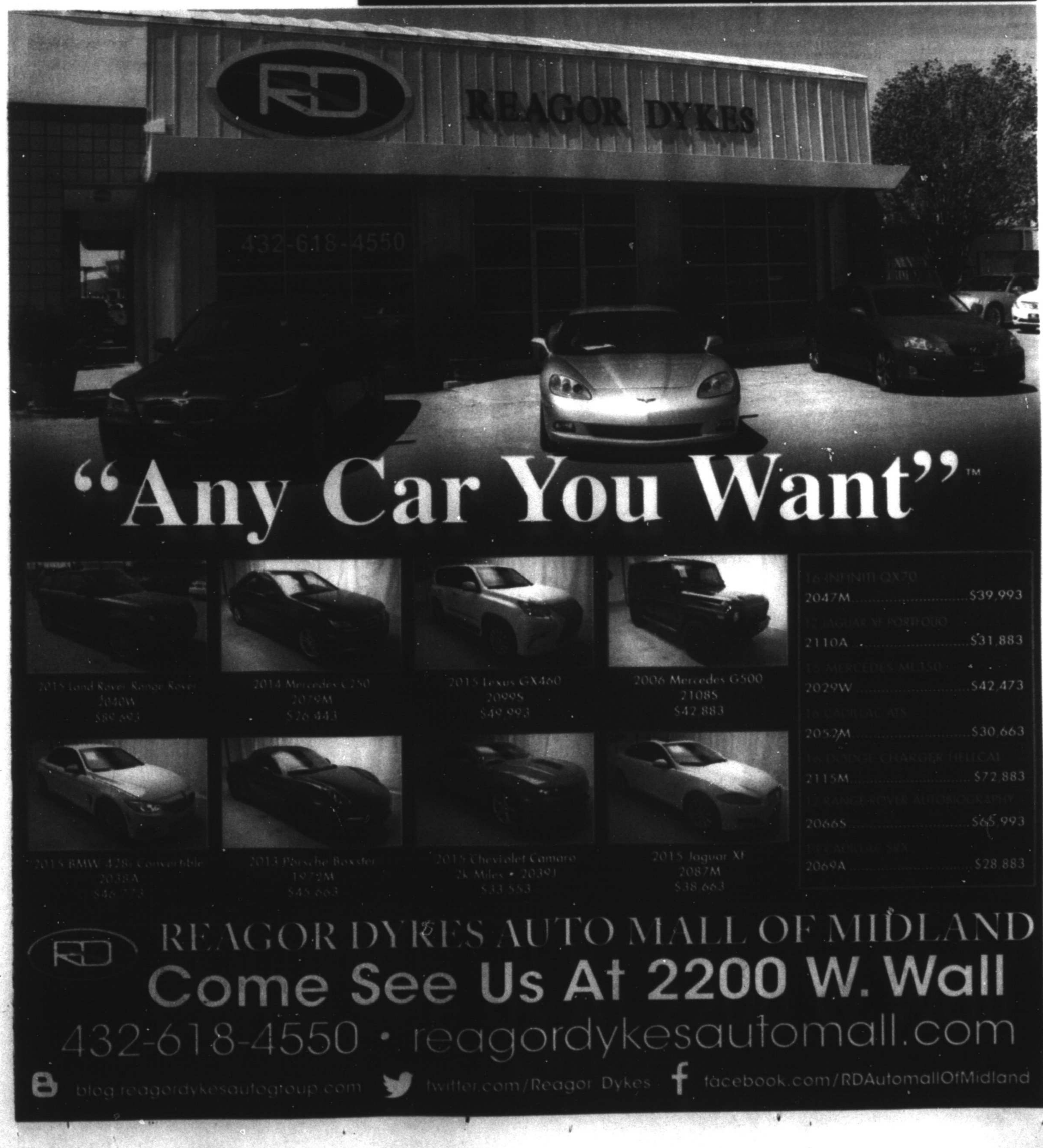
Elliott Sadler, who drives for Earnhardt's Xfinity program, said he had mixed feelings about his friend's absence. He knows how desperately Earnhardt wanted to return this season.

"The flip side is I'm happy and proud of him to take a step back and get everything in line from the medical side," Sadler said.

Jeff Gordon and Alex Bowman will continue to share seat time in the No. 88 Chevrolet for Hendrick Motorsports. Gordon will drive four races, including Sunday at Darlington Raceway for the Southern 500, as well as Richmond, Dover and Martinsville. Bowman will finish the year with eight more starts.

"Jeff and Alex will give us a great opportunity over the rest of the season," team owner Rick Hendrick said. "Jeff is one of the best of all time and knows our system. He brings things to the table that no one else can. Alex is a young driver with a lot of talent, and he will give us a fresh perspective. We know they're not only capable of running up front and giving us a chance to win, but they'll help us get better."





Richard W. Rodriguez/Fort Worth Star-Telegram

Texas Rangers' Rougned Odor (12) greets Jonathan Lucroy, right, at the dugout after a solo home run in the fourth inning against the Houston Astros at Globe Life Park in Arlington on Friday.

ROCKHOUNDSREPORT

FROM STAFF REPORTS

MISSIONS 6, ROCKHOUNDS 5
at Security Bank Ballpark

TOP HITTERS: Nelson Ward was 2-for-4 with a home run, four RBI and three runs scored to lead the Missions. ... RockHound Viosergy Rosa was 3-for-5 with two home runs, five RBI and two runs scored. ... Midland teammate Max Schrock was 3-for-5.

TOP PITCHER: Michael Dimock got the win for the Missions as he pitched two perfect innings and struck out one to get the win.

HIGHLIGHTS: The RockHounds had a 5-3 lead going into the ninth inning before Ward hit a two-out, two run home run off Jake Sanchez to tie the game and send it to extra innings. ... In the 11th Ward highlighted a three-run frame with a two-run single.

NOTES: RockHounds RHP Heath Fillmyer has been placed on the seven-day disabled list and RHP Kris Hall has been transferred to the AZL Athletics. Added to the roster up from Advanced-A Stockton is infielder Richie Martin, a 2015 first-round draft pick by the Oakland A's from the University of Florida. ... Midland and San Antonio ended up with a four-game split in the series. ... The RockHounds head to Frisco for a four-game series to end the regular season. The first game is at 7:04 p.m. today.

TL standings

Second Half
North Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Northwest Arkansas (Royals)	34	29	.537	—
Arkansas (Angels)	34	33	.507	2
Springfield (Cardinals)	31	30	.463	3
Tulsa (Dodgers)	31	30	.463	3

South Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Midland (Athletics)	43	23	.646	—
San Antonio (Padres)	35	31	.530	7½
Corpus Christi (Astros)	35	32	.522	8
Frisco (Rangers)	24	42	.364	18½

Friday's Scores
San Antonio 6, Midland 5, 11 innings
Frisco 7, Corpus Christi 6
Northwest Arkansas 7, Tulsa 1
Springfield 5, Arkansas 0

Today's Games
Arkansas at Northwest Arkansas, 6:05 p.m.
Corpus Christi at San Antonio, 7:05 p.m.
Midland at Frisco, 7:05 p.m.
Springfield at Tulsa, 7:05 p.m.

San Antonio	ab	r	h	bi	Midland	ab	r	h	bi
Busfield cf	6	0	1	0	Vertigan cf	5	0	0	0
Gale c	5	0	2	1	Sportman lf	5	0	0	0
Miller dh	5	0	2	2	Taylor dh	5	0	0	0
Quintana lf	6	1	1	0	Marincov c	5	1	2	0
Stevens ss	5	0	0	0	Paz c	5	1	1	0
Tejeda rf	5	2	2	0	Munoz 3b	3	1	2	0
Lindsay 1b	4	0	1	1	Ross 1b	5	2	4	5
Blanco 3b	5	2	0	0	Schrock 2b	5	0	3	0
Ward 2b	4	3	2	3	Martin ss	3	0	0	0
Totals	45	8	11	7	Totals	43	5	11	5

San Antonio	000	021	002	03—6
Midland	000	003	020	00—5

E — Martin 4 (4). LOB — San Antonio 8, Midland 7. 2B — Gale (8), Quintana (28), Lindsay (11), Tejeda (13). HR - Ward (6), Ross (6). SB — Busfield (9), Sportman 2 (17), Martin (1). CS — Marincov (6), Schrock 1.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
San Antonio						
McCutchen	6.0	6	3	3	2	5
Wieck	1.0	0	0	0	0	2
Brasoban	1.0	3	2	2	0	1
McNutt	1.0	0	0	0	0	2
Dimock W, 1-0	2.0	0	0	0	0	1
Midland						
Walter	4.1	2	2	0	1	3
Avila	1.2	3	1	1	1	2
Cochran-Gill	2.0	0	0	0	0	1
Sanchez	2.0	3	2	2	0	2
Bragg L, 3-4	0.2	3	3	1	1	1
Oh	0.1	0	0	0	0	1

WP — McCutchen, Balk — Brasoban. HBP — Avila (Gale)
T — 3:24. A — 3,797.

MLBROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

American League

ORIOLES 8
YANKEES 0

BALTIMORE — Mark Trumbo hit his major league-leading 41st homer to cap a six-run second inning, and Baltimore peppered New York with four long balls.

Pedro Alvarez and Chris Davis hit two-run homers in the second inning and Manny Machado added a two-run shot in the fourth. Baltimore leads the majors with 213 home runs, including 117 at home.

When Alvarez went deep, the Orioles became the 19th team in big league history to have six players hit at least 20 in the same season. Alvarez joins Trumbo, Machado (33), Davis (33), Adam Jones (24) and Jonathan Schoop (21).

Dylan Bundy (8-5) allowed two hits and four walks over 5 2/3 innings. Rookie Chad Green (2-4) yielded four runs and five hits in 1 2/3 innings before leaving with right elbow pain.

RAYS 8
BLUE JAYS 3.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — Alex Cobb went five solid innings during his first start in two years, Logan Morrison hit a go-ahead two-run homer, and Tampa Bay beat AL East-leading Toronto.

Cobb, coming back from Tommy John surgery, allowed two runs and four hits in his first appearance since Sept 28, 2014, at Cleveland. He struck out seven, walked one and retired his final 10 batters.

Morrison put the Rays up 4-2 in sixth on his 12th homer off Marcus Stroman (9-6).

National League

CUBS 2
GIANTS 1

CHICAGO — Jon Lester pitched 6 2/3 innings of no-hit ball and settled for his second complete game of the season, helping the sizzling Chicago Cubs beat the San Francisco Giants 2-1 on Friday to move a season-high 40 games over .500.

Hunter Pence ended Lester's bid for a second no-hitter with a homer to left on a 1-2 cutter. Brandon Crawford followed with a double, and Lester (15-4) got Eduardo Nunez to line to third and worked around Trevor Brown's one-out double in the eighth.

Lester allowed three hits and walked two. The Cubs have won five straight to improve to 87-47.

NATIONALS 4
METS 1

NEW YORK — Bryce Harper hit two doubles and became the latest player to steal a base against Noah Syndergaard, helping A.J. Cole post his first major league win as Washington beat New York.

Washington won its fourth in a row and increased its NL East bulge over the wild card-contending Mets to 10 1/2 games.

Like a lot of teams, the Nationals came out running on Syndergaard (12-8), swiping four bases in the early innings. Tall and slow to the plate, he's had 45 runners steal with him on the mound — the most against any pitcher since Hideo Nomo in 2001, ESPN Stats & Info said.

REDS 3
CARDINALS 2

CINCINNATI — Eugenio Suarez singled up the middle with the bases loaded in the ninth inning, rallying Cincinnati past St. Louis.

Seung Hwan Oh (4-3) walked Zack Cozart on four pitches to open the ninth, and Brandon Phillips followed with a single. After Scott Schebler singled one out later to load the bases, Suarez got his first career game-ending hit. The Reds had loaded the bases in the seventh and eighth and failed to score.

BRAVES 8
PHILLIES 4

PHILADELPHIA — Freddie Freeman hit a tiebreaking RBI double in the ninth, Matt Kemp had four RBIs and Atlanta beat Philadelphia.

Ender Inciarte and Adonis Garcia started the ninth with consecutive singles off closer Jeanmar Gomez (3-3). Freeman then lined a double to left to put the Braves up 5-4. Kemp followed with an RBI single past a drawn-in infield. Kemp's three-run homer in the fifth tied it at 4.

Nick Markakis added an RBI double in the ninth and Tyler Flowers had a sacrifice fly.

A.J. Ellis hit a three-run homer for the Phillies.

Braves starter Joel De La Cruz allowed four runs and six hits in five innings and remained 0-7. Mauricio Cabrera (3-0) struck out three straight batters in the eighth.

BREWERS 1
PIRATES 0

PITTSBURGH — Six Milwaukee relievers picked up the slack when starter Junior Guerra's return from the disabled list lasted less than four innings, leading the Brewers past Pittsburgh.

Guerra left after 70 pitches over 3 1/3 innings in his first start since going to the disabled list with right elbow inflammation on Aug. 8. Milwaukee's bullpen limited Pittsburgh to just two hits the rest of the way as the Brewers dealt the Pirates their fourth consecutive loss.

Blaine Boyer (2-3) pitched a scoreless fifth to pick up the win. Tyler Thornburg worked the ninth for his seventh save. Scooter Gennett drove in Milwaukee's only run with an RBI-double in the sixth off Pittsburgh's Jameson Taillon (3-4).

Interleague

INDIANS 6
MARLINS 2

CLEVELAND — Carlos Carrasco struck out 11 while pitching scoreless ball into the eighth inning, and Cleveland beat Miami.

Carrasco (10-7) had the 10th double-digit strikeout game of his career and the third this season. The right-hander allowed six hits and walked one in 7 1/3 innings, leading AL Central-leading Cleveland to its fourth straight victory.

Cleveland scored three times in the first and once in the second off Andrew Cashner (4-11). Abraham Almonte's two-run double pushed the lead to 6-0 in the fifth.

Odor homers again, Rangers beat Astros to pad AL West lead

By Schulyer Dixon
Associated Press

ARLINGTON — Rougned Odor homered for the third straight game in a seven-run fourth inning, Carlos Gomez had two hits in his first game against his former team and the Texas Rangers held on for a 10-8 victory over the Houston Astros on Friday night.

The Rangers nearly squandered a seven-run lead but won their sixth straight to push their AL West advantage to 9 1/2 games over the second-place Astros. Houston lost the first of 13 straight games against division leaders to start September, six of those against Texas.

Odor's team-leading 28th home run was one of three in the fourth inning against Doug Fister (12-10), who came out after Jonathan Lucroy followed Odor's shot to right with a line drive just over the 14-foot wall in left for a 9-2 lead.

Alex Bregman had a solo homer and a two-run triple but popped out to end the eighth with two runners on after the Astros had pulled within two.

A.J. Griffin (7-3) improved to 5-0 in his career against Houston, allowing three hits and three runs in 5 2/3 innings. Sam Dyson pitched a perfect ninth for his 31st save.

Carlos Beltran also homered in the fourth, his 26th overall and fourth since coming to the Rangers from the New York Yankees at the Aug. 1 trade deadline.

Fister allowed season highs in hits (10), runs (eight) and earned runs (seven).

Gomez, dumped by the Astros early last month barely a year after they acquired the underperforming two-time All-Star, reached in his first three plate appearances on a double, single and walk and scored three runs.

Where's the ball?

The Rangers pulled even at 2 in the second by scoring two runs on a bouncer to third by Elvis Andrus. First baseman A.J. Reed caught Bregman's high throw as Lucroy scored but didn't realize the ball was knocked out of his glove on the tag as Andrus ran by him, allowing Gomez to score.

Trainer's room

Astros: 1B Marwin Gonzalez was day to day after leaving the previous game with discomfort in his right hamstring. A similar problem sidelined him for several games a month ago.

Rangers: RHP Colby Lewis (right lat strain) will make the trip to Seattle and pitch Monday for Class A Spokane at Everett, near Seattle.

MLB GLANCE

Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Toronto	76	58	.567	—
Boston	74	59	.556	1½
Baltimore	73	61	.545	3
New York	69	64	.519	6½
Tampa Bay	57	76	.429	18½

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Cleveland	77	56	.579	—
Detroit	72	61	.541	5
Kansas City	69	64	.519	8
Chicago	64	70	.478	13½
Minnesota	52	85	.370	28

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Texas	81	54	.600	—
Houston	71	63	.530	9½
Seattle	68	65	.511	12
Los Angeles	59	74	.444	21
Oakland	57	76	.429	23

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Washington	79	55	.590	—
New York	69	66	.511	10½
Miami	68	67	.504	11½
Philadelphia	60	74	.448	19
Atlanta	52	83	.385	27½

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Chicago	87	47	.649	—
St. Louis	70	63	.526	16½
Pittsburgh	67	65	.508	19
Milwaukee	58	76	.433	29
Cincinnati	56	77	.421	30½

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Los Angeles	74	59	.556	—
San Francisco	72	62	.537	2½
Colorado	64	69	.481	10
Arizona	56	77	.421	18
San Diego	55	78	.414	19

Scores & schedules

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Friday's Scores
Baltimore 8, N.Y. Yankees 0
Cleveland 6, Miami 2
Tampa Bay 8, Toronto 3
Texas 10, Houston 8
Chicago White Sox 11, Minnesota 4
Detroit at Kansas City, late
Boston at Oakland, late
L.A. Angels at Seattle, late

Today's Games
Houston (Keuchel 9-12) at Texas (Holland 6-6), 4:05 p.m.
Toronto (Stroman 9-5) at Tampa Bay (Archer 6-17), 6:10 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees (Sabathia 8-11) at Baltimore (Gausman 6-10), 7:05 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Shields 5-16) at Minnesota (Santiago 10-8), 7:10 p.m.
Miami (Fernandez 13-7) at Cleveland (Bauer 9-6), 7:10 p.m.
Detroit (Fulmer 10-5) at Kansas City (Ventura 9-9), 7:15 p.m.
Boston (Porcello 18-3) at Oakland (Neal 2-3), 9:05 p.m.
L.A. Angels (Skaggs 2-3) at Seattle (Walker 4-9), 9:10 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Friday's Scores
Chicago Cubs 2, San Francisco 1
Atlanta 8, Philadelphia 4
Milwaukee 1, Pittsburgh 0
Cincinnati 3, St. Louis 2
Cleveland 6, Miami 2
Washington 4, N.Y. Mets 1
Arizona at Colorado, late
San Diego at L.A. Dodgers, late

Today's Games
San Francisco (Bumgarner 13-8) at Chicago Cubs (Arrieta 16-5), 1:20 p.m.
St. Louis (Garcia 10-10) at Cincinnati (Straily 10-7), 3:10 p.m.
Atlanta (Gant 1-3) at Philadelphia (Velasquez 8-6), 6:05 p.m.
Milwaukee (Nelson 7-13) at Pittsburgh (Nova 11-6), 6:05 p.m.
Miami (Fernandez 13-7) at Cleveland (Bauer 9-6), 6:10 p.m.
Washington (Roark 14-7) at N.Y. Mets (Gsellman 1-1), 6:10 p.m.
Arizona (Shipley 2-3) at Colorado (Bettis 11-7), 7:10 p.m.
San Diego (Perdomo 7-7) at L.A. Dodgers (Maeda 13-8), 8:10 p.m.

Texas boxes

RANGERS 10, ASTROS 8

Houston	ab	r	h	bi	Texas	ab	r	h	bi
Springer rf	4	0	0	0	Mazara rf	4	0	1	1
Bregman 3b	5	2	2	3	Desmond cf	4	0	1	0
Altuve 2b	4	1	0	0	Beltran dh	4	1	1	3
Correa ss	5	0	1	0	Beltre 3b	4	1	0	0
Gattis dh-c	3	0	0	1	Odor 2b	4	1	2	2
Rasmus f-cf-lf	4	0	0	0	Lucroy c	4	2	2	1
A. Reed 1b	2	0	0	0	Mireland 1b	4	1	2	0
Gurriel 1b	2	2	2	0	C.Gomez lf	3	3	2	0
J.Castro c	2	2	1	1	Andrus ss	3	1	2	2
T.Imrhof ph-rf-0	1	0	0	-					
Mrsnick cf	1	0	0	0					
T.Kemp ph-lf	1	0	0	0					
White ph	1	0	1	2					
Dvorski p	0	0	0	0					
Totals	34	8	7	7	Totals	34	10	13	9

Houston	200	010320—	8
Texas	020	7100bx—	10

E—Mazara (2), Bregman (9). DP—Houston 3. LOB—Houston 6, Texas 7. 2B—White (12), Desmond (27), Odor (28), C.Gomez (17), Andrus (23). 3B—Bregman (1). HR—Bregman (8), J.Castro (10), Beltran (26), Odor (28), Lucroy (21). SB—Andrus (21). CS—Andrus (8). SF—Gattis (4), Mazara (7).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Houston						
Fister L,12-10	3 2-3	10	8	7	1	0
Feliz	2-3	2	2	2	3	0
Hoyt	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
Sipp	1	1	0	0	1	1
Gustave	1	0	0	0	1	2
Devenski	1	0	0	0	0	0
Texas						
Griffin W,7-3	5 2-3	3	3	3	3	5
Claudio	1-3	1	2	2	1	0
Barnette	2-3	1	1	0	0	1
Bush	1	1	1	1	0	1
Diekman	0	1	1	1	1	0
Keis	1-3	0	0	0	1	0
Dyson S,31-35	1	0	0	0	0	1

Claudio pitched to 2 batters in the 7th
Diekman pitched to 2 batters in the 8th
T—3:15. A—35,102 (48,114).

Linescores

AMERICAN LEAGUE

ORIOLES 8, YANKEES 0

New York	000 000 000	—0 2 0
Baltimore	000 200 00x	—8 10 0

Green, Goody (2), Yates (4), Holder (6), Severinnl (7), Parker (8) and G.Sanchez, Romine; Bundy, Hart (6), Worley (8), Hunter (9) and Wieters, Joseph. W—Bundy 8-5. L—Green 2-4. HRs—Baltimore, Machado (33), Trumbo (41), Alvarez (20), Davis (33).

RAYS 8, BLUE JAYS 3

Toronto	200 000 010	—3 6 2
Tampa Bay	011 002 40x	—8 8 0

Stroman, Liriano (7), Tepera (7), D.Barnes (8) and Martin; Cobb, Farquhar (6), Jepsen (7), Gamboa (8), Boxberger (8), Garton (9) and Maile. W—Farquhar 1-0. L—Stroman 9-6. HRs—Tampa Bay, Morrison (12), Miller (26). Maile (3).

WHITE SOX 11, TWINS 4

Chicago	100 211 033	—11 16 1
Minnesota	003 010 000	—4 8 1

Rodon, N.Jones (8), Ynoa (9) and Narvarez; Gibson, O'Rourke (6), Light (7), Wimmers (8), Chargois (8) and K.Suzuki. W—Rodon 6-8. L—Gibson 5-9. HRs—Chicago, Frazier (35). Minnesota, Dozier (33).

INTERLEAGUE

INDIANS 6, MARLINS 2

Miami	000 000 020	—2 8 0
Cleveland	310 020 00x	—6 7 0

Cashner, Brice (6), Ogando (8) and Realmuto; Carrasco, Miranda (8), Allen (9) and R.Perez. W—Carrasco 10-7. L—Cashner 4-11. HRs—Miami, Realmuto (8)

NATIONAL LEAGUE

CUBS 2, GIANTS 1

San Francisco	000 000 100	—1 3 0
Chicago	002 000 00x	—2 5 0

A.Suarez, Okert (6), Gearrin (8), Romo (8), Osich (8) and Crown; Lester and Ross. W—Lester 15-4. L—A.Suarez 3-3. HRs—San Francisco, Pence (10).

BREWERS 1, PIRATES 0

Milwaukee	000 001 000	—1 3 1
Pittsburgh	000 000 000	—0 7 1

Guerra, J.Barnes (4), Boyer (5), Maximes (6), Torres (7), Knebel (8), Thornburg (9) and Maldonado; Taillon, Rivero (7), Bastardo (8), Nicasio (9) and Cervelli. W—Boyer 2-3. L—Taillon 3-4. Sv—Thornburg (7).

REDS 3, CARDINALS 2

St. Louis	010 010 000	—2 6 1
Cincinnati	000 002 001	—3 11 0

A.Reyes, Duke (7), Bowman (7), Siegrist (8), Oh (9) and Molina; DeSclafani, Lorenzen (8), Iglesias (9) and Barnhart. W—Iglesias 2-1. L—Oh 4-3. HRs—St. Louis, Grichuk (20), Molina (6).

NATIONALS 4, METS 1

Washington	100 100 002	—4 6 0
New York	000 100 000	—1 4 0

Cole, Rzepczynski (7), Glover (7), O.Perez (8), Melancon (9) and Ramos; Syndergaard, Soles (8), Blevins (9), Robles (9) and Rivera, T.d'Arnaud. W—Cole 1-1. L—Syndergaard 12-8. Sv—Melancon (38). HRs—New York, Cabrera (19).

BRAVES 8, PHILLIES 4

Atlanta	000 040 004	—8 13 0
Philadelphia	100 000 000	—4 9 1

De La Cruz, Withrow (6), Jose Ramirez (7), Ma.Cabrera (8), J.Johnson (9) and Flowers; Hellickson, D.Hernandez (7), Marlot (8), Gomez (9), Murray (9) and Ellis. W—Ma.Cabrera 3-0. L—Gomez 3-3. HRs—Atlanta, Kemp (4). Philadelphia, Ellis (1).

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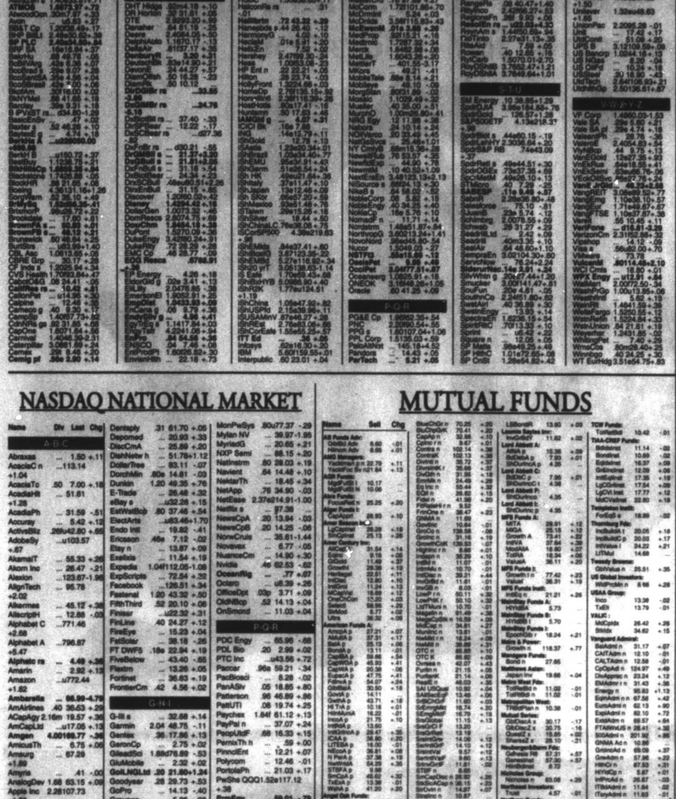

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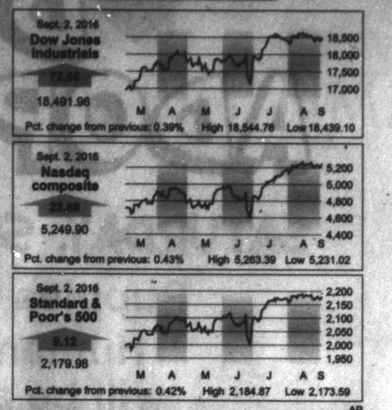

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NYSE

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
BkofAm	970350	16.00	+.02
VanEGold	936768	27.35	+.55
iShEMMkt	836386	37.41	+.80
S&P500ETF	702997	218.37	+.98
SPDR Fncl	540546	24.57	+.11

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Acourate	2.58	+.92	+55.4
PerfSports	3.56	+.85	+31.4
ResolEn rs	22.03	+4.33	+24.5
HthStm wt	2.63	+.38	+18.9
SunCokeEn	14.47	+1.45	+11.1

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
DxGlMBr rs	24.76	-5.16	-17.2
VertFone	16.81	-3.29	-16.4
DirDGBr rs	33.55	-3.89	-10.4
PUVixST rs	18.27	-1.36	-6.9
PrSUhGM rs	15.57	-1.13	-6.8

Diary

Advanced	2,408
Declined	592
Unchanged	102
Total issues	3,105
New Highs	208
New Lows	11
Volume	3,008,937,244

AMEX

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
Silgold g	77116	2.81	+.15
NwGold g	51419	5.29	+.23
Globalstar	43287	1.49	+.07
MGT Cap	38458	3.33	+.12
iShindia bt	34334	30.15	+.43

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
AskanaG g	4.54	+.44	+10.7
YumeE pfA	2.65	+.23	+9.5
GoldResrc	5.94	+.51	+9.4
Avino$0 g	2.28	+.19	+9.1
MAG Slv g	16.72	+1.36	+8.9

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
MilestnSci	2.18	-.17	-7.2
AllarcAst	13.47	-.96	-6.8
GeeGroup	5.38	-.34	-5.9
CKX Lands	10.30	-.63	-5.8
RxWmxWk	12.74	-.71	-5.3

Diary

Advanced	246
Declined	119
Unchanged	16
Total issues	381
New Highs	16
New Lows	4
Volume	104,830,089

NASDAQ

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
SiriusXM	568175	4.16	+.03
Apple Inc	255826	107.73	+1.96
Microsoft	187107	57.67	+.08
Cisco	179744	31.83	+.25
IsMemr gs	174865	68.57	-8.09

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Impinj rs	32.67	+5.10	+18.5
KingtoneW	7.98	+1.22	+18.0
AccVtXdr rs	4.42	+.57	+14.8
Harmonic	5.10	+.65	+14.6
OceanTher	2.28	+.23	+11.2

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
DynavaxT	10.91	-5.03	-31.6
ChemoCntrx	4.22	-1.07	-20.2
WillisLFn	22.32	-3.84	-14.7
AccVtXup rs	4.30	-.58	-11.9
Neovet n	3.60	-.43	-10.7

Diary

Advanced	1,901
Declined	856
Unchanged	221
Total issues	2,978
New Highs	173
New Lows	22
Volume	1,435,791,832

INDEXES

52-Week High	52-Week Low	Name	Last	Chg	% Chg	Net % Chg	YTD % Chg	52-wk % Chg
18,668.44	15,450.56	Dow Jones Industrials	18,491.96	+72.66	+.39	+6.12	+14.84	
8,358.20	6,403.31	Dow Jones Transportation	7,946.79	+29.23	+.37	+5.83	+1.96	
723.63	539.96	Dow Jones Utilities	573.11	+8.36	+1.26	+16.49	+24.20	
10,891.66	8,857.99	NYSE Composite	10,856.91	+94.90	+.79	+7.03	+9.98	
5,275.74	4,209.76	Nasdaq Composite	5,249.90	+22.69	+.43	+4.94	+12.08	
2,193.81	1,810.10	S&P 500	2,179.98	+9.12	+.42	+6.66	+13.47	
1,575.67	1,215.14	S&P Midcap	1,578.68	+15.10	+.97	+12.88	+13.88	
22,785.41	18,462.43	Wilshire 5000	22,686.70	+123.22	+.55	+7.18	+11.73	
1,251.32	943.09	Russell 2000	1,251.83	+12.03	+.97	+10.21	+10.18	

PERMIAN BASIN STOCKS

How stocks of local interest fared

Name	Div	PE	Last	Chg	YTD %Chg
AT&T Inc	1.92	16	40.95	-.01	+19.0
Abraxas	...	...	1.80	+.11	+41.5
AdaExvsEq	.92e	...	13.19	+.07	+2.8
AMD	...	...	7.51	+.16	+161.7
Alcoa	.12	31	10.13	...	+2.6
Alibaba	...	35	99.25	+1.83	+22.1
AlonUSA	.60	...	8.16	+.16	+45.0
Amdvr	.19e	...	6.13	-.04	+37.4
Amgen	4.00	16	169.77	-.36	+4.6
Anadarko	.20	...	56.49	+2.95	+16.3
Apache	1.00	...	51.29	+1.50	+15.3
Apple Inc	2.28	13	107.73	+1.00	+2.3
ApkMdpt	.40	23	33.02	-.27	+60.8
ArcelorMit	...	...	6.04	+.07	+87.9
Archrock	.36	...	11.51	+.30	+53.1
ATMOS	1.68	22	73.97	+.72	+17.3
AutoData	2.12	27	90.39	-.24	+6.7
BP PLC	2.40e	...	34.50	+.84	+10.4
BakerCOrtn	1.20	...	15.14	+.14	+11.0
BakrHu	.68	...	49.78	-.05	+7.9
BkofAm	.30f	13	16.00	+.02	-4.9
B JPVxST rs	...	...	34.80	-1.29	...
BarrickG	.08	41	18.16	+.36	+146.1
BeaconEnSv	...	...	.47	+.02	+9.8
BerkHa A	...	...	152280.00	+899.90	+14.3
BillHillsCp	1.68	20	59.35	+.94	+27.8
BrityStg	1.52	39	56.35	-.41	+18.1
BrownFA s	...	32	50.93	+.91	...
BrownFB e	...	...	48.12	+.21	-4.5
CVS Health	1.70f	18	93.44	+.07	+5.0
CaterpPLar	3.08	23	81.69	+.24	+20.2
Celestic g	...	11	10.92	+.18	-1.0
CntryLink	2.16	12	27.94	+.20	+11.0
CheeEng	...	...	6.60	+.35	+46.7
Chevron	4.28	...	106.93	+.72	+18.2
Chicos	.32	74	12.83	+.28	+18.4
Cimarex	.32	...	134.92	+.30	+51.0
Cisco	1.04	15	31.83	+.25	+18.1
Citigroup	.20	13	47.51	+.15	-6.2
ClayEng	...	...	66.89	+2.30	+136.2
CocaCola	1.40	26	43.66	+.31	+1.5
ColgPalm	1.56	27	74.89	+.52	+12.4
ConAgra	1.00	26	46.64	+.62	+10.6
ConchoRes	...	78	131.49	+.99	+41.6
ConocoPhil	1.00	...	49.92	+.32	+12.4
CrackerB	4.60f	21	150.86	-.41	+18.9
CSVelVST	...	...	36.58	+1.00	+45.6
CSVLgCrd rs	...	...	20.48	+.90	...
CrosTim	1.11e	12	18.75	+.20	+44.1
CypSemi	.44	25	12.19	+.12	+24.3
DCP Mid	3.12	19	33.56	+.65	+30.0
DTE	2.92	21	93.20	+.99	+16.2
Dataram rs	...	...	1.42	...	-28.3
DenburyR	...	...	3.20	+.31	+58.4
DevonE	.24	...	44.27	+.57	+38.3
DrJMBil s	...	...	21.37	+3.20	...
DxGlBull s	...	...	21.81	+2.05	...
Disney	1.42	16	94.42	+.16	+10.1
DowChm	1.84	18	54.18	+.39	+5.2
DynavaxT	...	...	10.91	-5.03	-54.8
EMC Cp	.46	19	28.77	-.09	+12.0
EOG Resrc	.87	...	88.91	+.35	+25.6
EmpDist	1.04	23	33.93	+.09	+20.9
Energen	.06	...	59.46	+.98	+45.1
EngyTstr	4.22	...	41.06	+.94	+21.7
EnPro	.84	39	54.56	+.36	+24.5
EnteroM rs	...	...	.15	-.01	-92.1
EstPrcePt	1.60f	21	26.62	+.30	+40.4
Ericsson	.40e	...	7.12	-.02	-25.9
ExxonMbl	3.00	35	87.42	+.59	+12.1
FordM	.60a	6	12.50	+.06	-11.3
FrptMcM	...	...	10.49	+.13	+54.8
FrontierCm	.42	65	5.45	+.02	-2.4
GATX	1.60	7	43.25	+.16	+1.6
GeoMetR	.84e	...	7.78	+.09	+3.7
GlAirw	1.15e	...	33.07	+.11	+3.5
GenElec	.92	30	31.29	+.09	+.4
Gerdau	.02e	...	2.89	+.19	+140.8
GoPetrolite	1.08	16	27.80	+.82	+1.1
HalconRes rs	...	...	.31	-.01	-75.4
Halliburtn	.72	...	43.32	+.29	+27.3
IAMGold g	...	11	4.07	+.31	+186.5
IShBrazil	1.03e	...	34.40	+.77	+68.3
IShJapan	.13e	...	12.46	+.09	+2.8
IShChinaLC	.76e	...	38.08	+.75	+7.9
IShSilMin	.84e	...	37.41	+.60	+16.2
IS Eafe	1.70e	...	59.43	+.88	+12.1
IShBnHYB	5.09	...	86.90	+.40	+7.8
IShR2K	1.77e	...	124.51	+1.19	+10.6
ITT Ed	...	...	.36	+.05	-40.4
Intel	1.04	17	36.08	+.06	+4.7
InterDig	.80	20	71.96	+.43	+46.7
ItauUnibH	.14e	...	11.31	+.17	+74.0
JPMorgCh	1.76	12	67.49	+.28	+2.9
JohnJn	3.20	19	119.32	+.24	+16.2
JohnsnCtl	1.16	14	45.45	+.41	+15.1
Keycorp	.34	12	12.55	+.11	-4.9
KlmbCla	3.68	22	128.82	+.70	+1.2
Kinross g	...	...	4.41	+.23	+142.3
LegacyRes	.60m	...	1.40	+.03	-20.0
Lubys	...	...	4.48	-.02	+.2
lululemn gs	...	35	68.57	-8.09	+30.7
MaxwhTO	.20	...	15.49	+.38	+23.0
McDnld	3.59	21	153.65	+.43	-2.0
Merck	1.84	19	62.98	+.08	+19.2
MerMMed	...	40	24.49	+.09	+31.7
MexcoEn	...	...	4.05	+.05	+25.4
MicronT	...	54	16.70	+.06	+17.9
Microsoft	1.44	26	57.67	+.08	+3.9
Molycorpn	.80f	15	31.89	-.02	+.3
Mylan NV	...	10	39.97	-1.95	-26.1
Nabors	.24	...	10.14	+.24	+19.2
NatGrid	3.35e	...	71.65	+1.80	+3.0
NOILVarco	.20	18	33.49	+.45	...
NvRdS	.75e	...	19.51	+.69	+9.9
NuvPI	.52a	...	15.37	+.02	+9.0
NSTFR	.55a	...	15.69	-.12	+7.9
NTXGI	.65	...	15.66	...	+8.5
OcciPet	3.04f	...	77.51	+.57	+14.6
ParTech	...	40	5.21	+.05	-22.5
ParkDrl	.60	...	3.81	+.05	-21.4
PattUTI	.08	...	19.74	+.25	+30.9
Penney	...	...	9.49	+.05	+42.5
PennaRE	.84	...	24.80	+.10	+13.4
Pmian	.31e	19	6.74	+.01	+33.2
PetroBras	...	...	8.30	+.34	+144.1
Petrobras	...	...	9.58	+.36	+122.8
Pfizer	1.20	16	34.77	+.09	+7.7
PlnNtrl	.06	55	183.71	+3.49	+46.5
PlainsAAP	2.80	29	35.41	+.36	+23.0
PwShs QQQ	1.52e	...	117.12	+.39	+4.7
Prasair	3.00	24	123.44	+.89	+20.5
PrmEgy	...	...	59.01	-.79	+11.3
PUVixST rs	...	...	18.27	-1.36	...
ProctGam	2.68	25	88.20	-.11	+11.1
RangeRs	.08	...	40.47	+1.40	+64.4
RegionsFn	.28f	14	9.93	+.06	+3.4
Rowan	.40	4	12.65	+.16	-25.4
RoyDShllA	3.76	75	49.64	+1.01	+8.4
SpdrDJIA	3.98e	...	184.86	+.76	+6.2
S&P500ETF	4.13e	...	218.37	+.98	+7.1
SabnR	2.28e	14	36.80	+.48	+40.1
SandstnFn	.88a	16	66.88	+1.38	+24.9
Schlmbrg	2.00	38	78.55	+.09	+12.6
SiriusXM	...	38	4.18	+.03	+2.7
SkylineMd h	...	...	.18	+.02	-93.8
Smucker	3.00f	19	141.47	+.81	+14.7
Sprint	...	...	6.42	+.22	+77.3
SPDR Fncl	.49a	...	24.57	+.11	+3.1
SP UIil	1.55e	...	49.63	+.65	+14.7
SuncocLog	2.00f	...	29.74	+.19	+15.7
TelotEsp	1.03e	...	10.20	-.09	-7.8
Tesoro	2.20f	6	74.55	+1.24	-29.2
TexInst	1.04	23	180.51	+.83	+20.0
ThrshPh h	...	...	2.	+.16	+152.1
Torchmark	.56	15	65.09	+.44	+14.1
TriContl	.92a	...	21.57	+.08	+7.7
Twitter	...	...	19.55	+.05	-15.5
Tyconint	.92f	33	45.59	+.58	+43.0
UbiSoft	...	60	168.88	+2.31	-3.1
UBSI	1.32	20	39.23	+.29	+6.1
US OilFd	...	...	10.24	+.18	-6.9
USSteel	.20	...	18.90	-.43	+136.8
Vale SA	.29e	...	5.60	+.21	+70.2
ValeantPh	...	...	28.76	-.36	-71.7
ValueE	2.40	9	54.83	+.54	-22.5
VanEGold	.12e	...	27.35	+.93	+99.3
VanE JrGld	...	...	46.33	+2.58	+141.2
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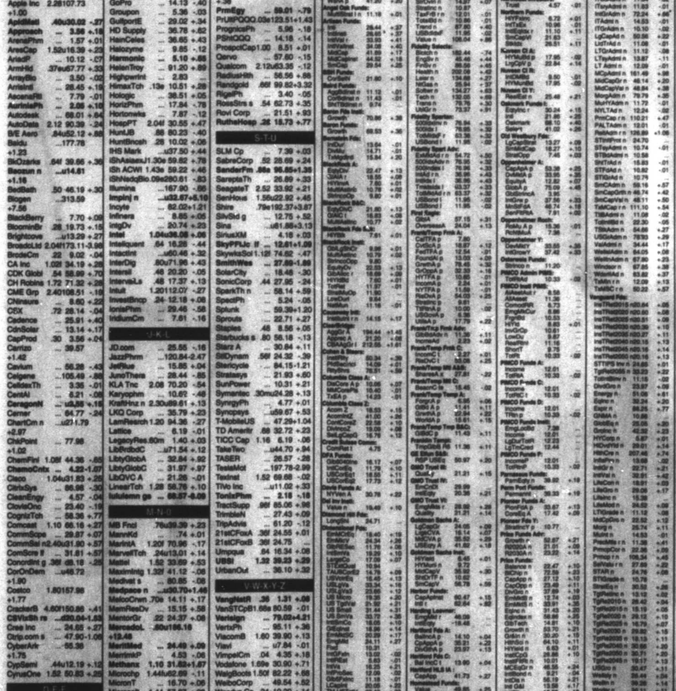

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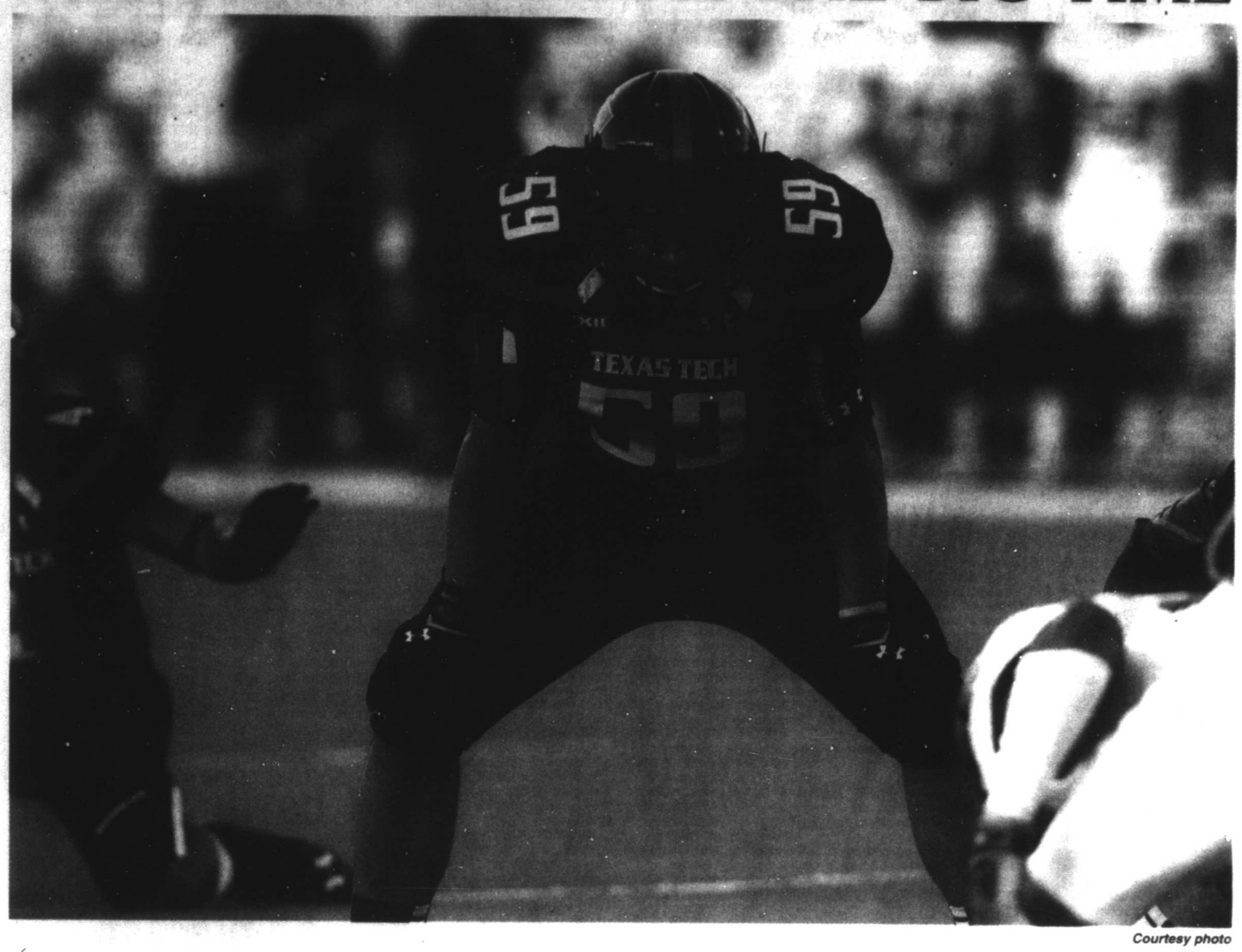

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Talor Nunez, a Lee grad, is seen here blocking during an extra point attempt for Texas Tech during a game in 2014.

Lee grad Nunez overcomes obstacles to earn spot with Tech

By Oscar LeRoy
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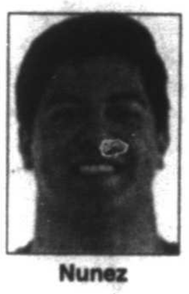
Talor Nunez went through a roller coaster of emotions last season with the Texas Tech football team.

Just prior to starting the 2015 season, the former walk-on and Lee grad was awarded a scholarship by head coach Kliff Kingsbury.



Nunez

The defensive lineman was emotional and cried because he knew how much that would help his parents, financially.

Then right before the third game of the season at Arkansas, Nunez tore the ACL in his right knee when he cut in a non-contact drill. And just like that his season was over.

But Nunez, who is a very spiritual person, didn't let that injury or the adversity get to him. He embraced the challenge of working to get back on the field.

"The whole ACL was a blessing in disguise," he said. "I had a lot of time to focus on things that I normally don't get to focus on. The trainers did a great job of getting me back on the field. I was able to grow as a person. I read all the New Testament, I really had time to do that. The setback really helped me focus on what I needed to focus on to make the team better.

"There's nothing I could have done to prevent it and it was just kind of meant to be," he added. "That's why I say it was a blessing in disguise because there was nothing I could have done to stop it. And there's nothing I could do to stop it in the future. I just have to trust God every single play, give it all I've got and not take a single play for granted."

Nunez, a junior, is back healthy and is expected to provide quality depth on the Red Raider defensive line.

The game

When: Today at 7 p.m.
Where: Jones AT&T Stadium, Lubbock
Where to watch: FSN
Updates: Can be found on mrt.com

Texas Tech begins its season at 7 p.m. today when it hosts Stephen F. Austin at Lubbock's Jones AT&T Stadium.

Prior to last season, Nunez was having a great camp as he was showing that he could be used at either end or inside. Defensive coordinator David Gibbs said losing Nunez for the year was a big loss.

"Talor, obviously, is one of my favorite players, because he's so versatile, he knows every position, and is a really hard worker," Gibbs said. "It made me sick when he got hurt last year because I think he could have made a difference for us going into the back half of the season when we had some injuries. I look for him having a really good year."

The journey

Just looking at how far Nunez has come and developed since his days as a Rebel is remarkable.

Nunez was a starting quarterback at Lee and a good athlete but couldn't get the attention from FBS schools he was looking at the time.

Smaller programs offered but Nunez never lost faith that he could play at the Division I level. Like current Tech teammate and another ex Rebel Luke Stice, who is a graduate transfer from Houston, they never took "no" for an answer.

"Many coaches told me, 'You definitely won't be a D-1 athlete but I can see you playing D-2 or D-3,'" he said. "For me and Stice, we were always dreaming big, knowing that people can't tell us what we can or can't do."

Nunez also credits that can-do attitude both players have as part of their West Texas mentality.

"If you're from West Texas you completely understand that it's hard-nosed," he said. "You wake up early morning, you get your job done, you do it the right way and you do it the right way the first time. For me, that's how my dad brought me up, and for Stice he grew up on a ranch and that's how he grew up. That's how we know what it takes to give it all we've got on the football field because the way we were brought up in West Texas. That's a tribute to where we're from and how great

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QB Coots excited for UTPB's inaugural season

By Christopher Hadorn
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The wait is over for quarterback Caden Coots and the UT-Permian Basin football team.

The Division II Falcons will finally kick off their inaugural football season when they host Sul Ross State at 7 p.m. today at Ratliff Stadium in Odessa.

It will be an exciting time for Coots, who hasn't taken a snap in a regular game since quarterbacking Lee to the district championship during his 2013 senior season of high school.

Coots spent a redshirt season at NAIA program Wayland Baptist in Plainview in 2014 and then sat out another season during UTPB's practice-only year of 2015.

Coots has had to exert patience along the way since his Rebel days. However, the wait was worth it as the opportunity to play for the Falcons was too enticing for Coots to pass up.

"It's a chance to be home," Coots said. "It's a chance to be in front of the people that I grew up with, in front of the community I grew up in, in front of my family. To me, that's a priceless opportunity to play college football in."

Coots is listed as No. 2 at quarterback on the UTPB depth chart after being engaged in a competitive preseason position battle with Kameron Mathis, a freshman from Bushland.

Prior to August practice, Coots wasn't overly concerned about his playing status even though he was the designated starter coming out of spring football.

"Whether or not who is starting, it doesn't matter because we're all going to be that first inaugural team and we're looking forward to it," Coots said. "I can tell you that much."

On a Falcons roster with only one senior and four juniors, the team needed younger players to step up and fill leadership roles.

UTPB head coach Justin Carrigan said Coots emerged as a leader during times when team growth depended on players taking the initiative.

Carrigan said Coots' leadership qualities have been an added bonus.

"He's a tremendous extension of

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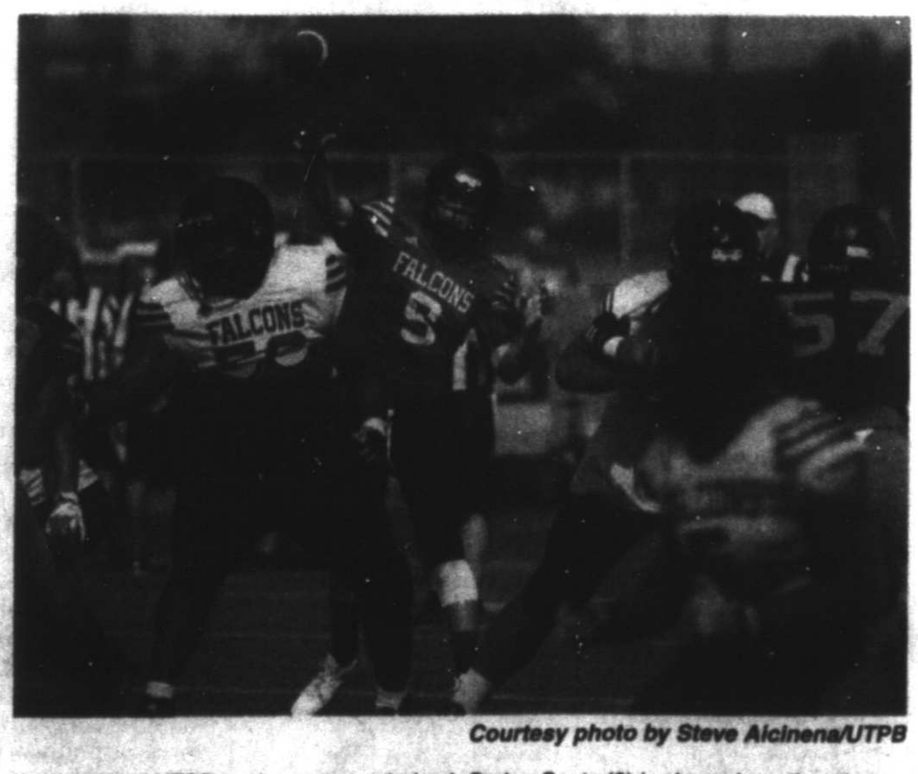

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Lee grad and UTPB sophomore quarterback Caden Coots (9) is shown here throwing a football during one of the Falcons' recent practices.

No. 15 Houston opens against No. 3 Oklahoma with stakes high

By Ralph D. Russo
Associated Press

Houston coach Tom Herman has spent all offseason downplaying the importance of the Cougars' opener against No. 3 Oklahoma.

The high-profile matchup at NRG Stadium, the home of the NFL's Texans, on Saturday won't decide a conference championship nor will it pave the way to a spot in the College Football Playoff for the winner.

"Just going in with the mindset that it's just another game that we will be prepared for," said Houston cornerback Brandon Wilson, toeing the company line.

So, yes, there is still almost a whole season to play and the opener only counts for one. All the cliches apply. But a victory by 15th-ranked Houston unquestionably opens up a world of playoff possibilities for the much-hyped Cougars, the American Athletic Conference and maybe the Group of Five conferences in general. A loss by the Cougars and they can focus on defending that league title.

The Cougars capped a 13-1 season with a 38-24 victory against Florida State in the Peach Bowl in January. The buzz in Houston for the Coogs hasn't been this high since the late 1980s and early '90s. Back then it was star quarterbacks Andre Ware and David Klingler run-and-shooting their way into the

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TOP25CAPSULES

FROM WIRE REPORTS

No. 16 UCLA (9-5 last season) at Texas A&M (8-5), 2:30 p.m. (CBS)

Line: Texas A&M by 3.

Series Record: Series tied 2-2.

WHAT'S AT STAKE: The Aggies enter the season unranked after offseason upheaval at quarterback, and a win over UCLA in the first meeting between these teams since 1998 would be an early boost to the program. A big road win would do the same for a UCLA team that stumbled last season as injuries wore down its defense.

KEY MATCHUP: UCLA sophomore QB Josh Rosen vs. Texas A&M DE's Myles Garrett and Daeshon Hall. Rosen threw for 3,668 yards with 23 touchdowns and 11 interceptions as a freshman last season. Today he'll have to deal with perhaps the nation's toughest pair of defensive ends in Myles Garrett and Daeshon Hall. Garrett led the Southeastern Conference with 12 1/2 sacks and five forced fumbles. Hall added 14 1/2 tackles for losses.

PLAYERS TO WATCH:

UCLA: WR Ishmael Adams. An All-Pac-12 cornerback in 2014, Adams moved to offense in the spring to give Rosen another speedy target. He played in 10 games with eight starts in the secondary last year and in 2014 he returned both of his interceptions for touchdowns.

Texas A&M: QB Trevor Knight. He'll make his Texas A&M debut as a graduate transfer after leaving Oklahoma following his benching last season with the Sooners. Knight has threw for 2,300 yards and 15 touchdowns in 2014.

No. 3 Oklahoma (11-2) at Houston (13-1) in NRG Stadium, 11 a.m. (ABC)

Line: Oklahoma State by 10 1/2.

Series Record: Oklahoma leads 2-0.

WHAT'S AT STAKE: So, so much for Houston. A victory by the Cougars sets up coach Tom Herman's team to possibly make a push to become the first team outside the Power Five conferences to reach the College Football Playoff. It would also be a huge win for the American Athletic Conference as a whole and it could sting the Big 12 all season. Oklahoma has opportunities to rebound, but a loss would be a tough start for a team with national championship aspirations.

KEY MATCHUP: Oklahoma linebackers vs. Houston QB Greg Ward Jr.'s running. Ward ran for 1,108 yards and 21 touchdowns last season. He is elusive and fast, but undersized at 5-foot-11, 185 pounds. The Sooners are relying on some new starters and inexperienced players at linebacker such as Ogbonnia Okoronkwo and Tay Evans, who will need to hem in Ward.

PLAYERS TO WATCH:

Oklahoma: QB Baker Mayfield. The junior threw for 3,700 yards and 36 touchdowns, and ran for seven touchdowns last season. Mayfield finished fourth in the Heisman voting.

Houston: LB Steven Taylor. The Cougars lost some key players in the back seven, but Taylor is an all-over-the-field linebacker. He had 92 tackles, 10 sacks and two interceptions last season.

No. 10 Notre Dame (10-3 last season) at Texas (5-7), 6:30 p.m. (ABC)

Line: Notre Dame by 3 1/2.

Series Record: Notre Dame leads 9-2.

WHAT'S AT STAKE: Texas coach Charlie Strong's future. After consecutive losing seasons — no Longhorns coach has had three in a row since the 1950s — the third-year coach has a national stage to sink or make a statement the program is turning around. Notre Dame can't afford early stumbles to struggling programs if it wants to be a national playoff contender in December.

KEY MATCHUP: Notre Dame freshman S Devin Studstill vs. Texas WR John Burt. Studstill must protect the secondary against the deep ball, which is sure to come in new Texas offensive coordinator Sterlin Gilbert's game plan. Burt is Texas' top target, a 6-foot-3 speedster who finished second in the Big 12 in the 110-meter hurdles. Texas will look to him to stretch the field.

PLAYERS TO WATCH:

Notre Dame: QBs DeShone Kizer and Malik Zaire. Both are proven playmakers. Only one can start. Coach Brian Kelly has been mysterious about that and it hasn't set well with either one. Kelly's approach could be bold or backfire if neither player developed good chemistry with the offense around him.

Texas: LB Malik Jefferson. The Texas defense was among the worst in school history and desperately needs a big year from the sophomore who is already slated as one of the top players in the Big 12. His pass rushing and run-stuffing tackles will be important to getting Texas off the field on third down.

South Dakota State (9-4 last season) at No. 13 TCU (11-2), 7 p.m. (Fox Sports)

Line: No line.

Series record: First meeting.

WHAT'S AT STAKE: TCU has won its last 14 home openers, the fifth-longest streak among FBS teams. The last time the Horned Frogs lost a home opener was in 2001, Gary Patterson's first as their head coach, when they lost 27-24 to Northwestern State, another FCS team. While not to be confused with unprecedented five-time defending FCS champion North Dakota State, the Jackrabbits have been to the lower-division playoffs the last four seasons.

KEY MATCHUP: South Dakota State rushers vs. TCU defense. The Jackrabbits have three returning players — running backs Brady Mengarelli and Kyle Paris, and quarterback Taryn Christion — who each ran for at least 480 yards and five touchdowns last season. TCU's defense returns seven defensive starters from last season, along with four others who had season-ending injuries last year.

PLAYERS TO WATCH:

South Dakota State: Senior WR Jake Wieneke set a Missouri Valley Conference record last season with 1,472 yards receiving. He also had 11 TD catches.

TCU: Defensive ends Josh Carraway and James McFarland. Carraway had a team-leading nine sacks last season when right end McFarland missed the entire season because of a broken toe after leading the team with seven sacks in 2014. Now they will both be on the field together, coming from opposite sides.

UMass (3-9 last season) at No. 25 Florida (10-4), 6:30 p.m. (SEC Network)

Line: Florida by 36 1/2.

Series Record: First meeting.

WHAT'S AT STAKE: Florida has won 26 consecutive season openers, the longest active streak in the country. There's no reason to think the Gators won't extend it against UMass, a now-independent program that is just 8-40 since moving to the Football Bowl Subdivision five years ago.

KEY MATCHUP: Florida's offensive line vs. UMass's defensive front. The Gators allowed 45 sacks last season, the most in the nation, and improving the line will be paramount to the team having more offensive success in coach Jim McElwain's second season. The line features plenty of talent and a little experience now since sophomores Martez Ivey, Fred Johnson and Tyler Jordan started together in the Citrus Bowl.

PLAYERS TO WATCH:

UMass: TE Adam Breneman. Coach Mark Whipple, who once served as Miami's offensive coordinator, compares Breneman to former Hurricanes standout Jimmy Graham. Breneman caught 15 passes for 186 yards and three touchdowns for Penn State before being sidelined by chronic knee ailments. He is trying to revive his college career with the Minutemen.

Florida: QB Luke Del Rio. The college journeyman is making his first career start after failing to find playing time at Alabama and Oregon State. He is the ninth QB to start for the Gators since Tim Tebow graduated and hopes to reverse a trend of inconsistent play at the all-important position.

UC Davis (2-9) at No. 24 Oregon (9-4), 4 p.m. (Pac-12 Network)

Line: No line.

Series Record: First meeting.

WHAT'S AT STAKE: The Ducks will debut new quarterback Dakota Prukop, a graduate transfer from Montana State who the team's coaches said made significant strides in separating himself as the starter in fall camp. Prukop passed for 3,025 yards and 28 touchdowns with 10 interceptions for the Bobcats last year. He also rushed for 774 yards and 11 touchdowns for the Big Sky team that finished 5-6.

KEY MATCHUP: The Ducks' defense v. the Aggies' offense: The Ducks have installed a 4-3 scheme under new defensive coordinator Brady Hoke, the former head coach at Michigan. UC Davis averaged just 22.3 points last season, 11th in the Big Sky. UC Davis coach Ron Gould had yet to name a starting quarterback for Saturday, but both contenders — C.J. Spencer and Ben Scott — have experience from last season.

PLAYERS TO WATCH:

UC Davis: RB Manusamoa Luuga led the Aggies with 613 yards rushing on 166 carries and six touchdowns. He also led the team with 51 receptions for 371 yards and a touchdown.

Oregon: RB Royce Freeman in knocking on the door to several Oregon records. He needs 21 rushing touchdowns to surpass the Ducks' career record, and 1,882 yards rushing for the team's new career mark. For comparison's sake, last season as a sophomore he rushed for 1,836 yards and 17 touchdowns.

Southeastern Louisiana (4-7 last season) at No. 21 Oklahoma State (10-3), 2:30 p.m. (FSN)

Line: No line.

Series Record: First meeting.

WHAT'S AT STAKE: Oklahoma State needs a dominant performance against FCS opponent Southeastern Louisiana. The Cowboys don't have the strongest nonconference slate, so they need to win big to maintain their position in the lower rungs of the Top 25.

KEY MATCHUP: Oklahoma State WR James Washington vs. Southeastern Louisiana secondary. Washington is one of the nation's top deep threats. He caught 53 passes for 1,087 yards and 10 touchdowns last season, with 20.5 yards per catch. Oklahoma State's other receivers are capable, so the Lions will need to be careful how they choose to defend Washington.

PLAYERS TO WATCH:

Southeastern Louisiana: QB D'Shale Landor. He's entering his second year as a starter. Last year, he passed for 1,228 yards and seven touchdowns and ran for 189 yards and four scores. He threw for 283 yards against Lamar last season.

Oklahoma State: RB Barry J. Sanders. The son of former Oklahoma State Heisman winner Barry Sanders is a graduate transfer who is part of a muddled backfield picture. He is listed as the team's No. 1 kickoff returner.

No. 18 Georgia (10-3 last season) vs. No. 22 North Carolina (11-3) in Atlanta, 4:30 p.m. (ESPN)

Line: Georgia by 2 1/2.

Series Record: Georgia leads 16-12-2.

WHAT'S AT STAKE: For the first time in 15 years, Georgia has a new coach on the sidelines. After firing Mark Richt, the Bulldogs turned to Alabama defensive coordinator Kirby Smart in hopes of taking the underachieving program to a championship level. North Carolina is coming off an 11-win season that included an appearance in the Atlantic Coast Conference championship game, but the Tar Heels could use a defining win under fifth-year coach Larry Fedora to build some national momentum.

KEY MATCHUP: Georgia RB Nick Chubb vs. North Carolina's run defense. Chubb is coming back from a gruesome knee injury sustained less than a year ago, and it will be interesting to see if he's still the same dynamic back after making a faster-than-expected recovery. The Tar Heels went from awful to adequate in Year 1 under defensive coordinator Gene Chizik, though the focus in 2016 is improving a run defense that ranked 121st nationally last year (247.4 yards per game).

PLAYERS TO WATCH:

North Carolina: WR Ryan Switzer. With big-play threat Mack Hollins suspended for the first half, Switzer could be the Tar Heels' best weapon in the passing game. The senior has returned seven punts for touchdowns, one shy of the NCAA record.

Georgia: QB Jacob Eason. Greyson Lambert, a fifth-year senior, started 12 games last season and the Bulldogs finally announced Thursday that he is still the No. 1 quarterback. But Eason is a highly touted freshman that fans are clamoring to see, and it seems only a matter of time before he claims the job.

No. 2 Clemson (14-1 last season) at Auburn (7-6), 8 p.m. (ESPN)

Line: Clemson by 7-1/2.

Series Record: Auburn leads 34-13-2.

WHAT'S AT STAKE: Clemson is hoping to mount another run to the national title game — and win this time. It could also be the first notch in QB Deshaun Watson's Heisman Trophy campaign. Auburn is trying to rebound from a disappointing season that may have left coach Gus Malzahn needing improvement to secure his job.

KEY MATCHUP: Auburn's defense vs. Watson. Watson racked up 478 yards of total offense in the national championship game against Alabama and is major college football's first single-season 4,000-yard passer, 1,000-yard rusher. He'll face a defense that figures to be improved with a deep, talented front line led by DE Carl Lawson and DT Montravius Adams. Freshman Marlon Davidson is slated to start opposite Lawson. FS Stephen Roberts is suspended.

PLAYERS TO WATCH:

Clemson: RB Wayne Gallman returns after setting a Clemson record with 1,527 rushing yards. Auburn was 11th in the SEC against the run last season.

Auburn: QB Sean White won a three-man competition for the starting job and will have to find ways to keep up with Clemson's high-powered offense. White threw only one touchdown pass last season and his supporting cast includes an unproven group at both receiver and tailback.

No. 5 LSU (9-3 last season) vs. Wisconsin (10-3) in Green Bay, Wisconsin, 2:30 p.m. (ABC)

Line: LSU by 10.

Series Record: LSU leads 3-0.

WHAT'S AT STAKE: Another pivotal season for LSU begins in a "neutral site" road game at Lambeau Field, far from the comfy confines of SEC country. The Tigers are a national title contender featuring a Heisman Trophy hopeful in RB Leonard Fournette. A loss to Wisconsin puts coach Les Miles back on the seemingly perpetual hot seat. The Badgers could get a huge confidence boost with a schedule looming filled with tough games, including Michigan State, Michigan and Ohio State.

KEY MATCHUP: Fournette vs. Wisconsin linebackers. Strength vs. strength. At 6-foot-1, 235 pounds, Fournette will be hard to bring down. He ran for 22 touchdowns last season, averaging 162.8 yards per game. But the Tigers have new starters at both tackle positions and right guard. Badgers OLB Vince Biegel must lead a strong team effort to limit yards after contact. Third-and-longs will help a Wisconsin defense that will have three new starters in the secondary, including both safeties.

PLAYERS TO WATCH:

LSU: Fournette. Let the Heisman campaign begin.

Wisconsin: RB Corey Clement. The senior is eager to leave behind a disappointing 2015 season marked by injuries and an off-field issue. He's still averaging 6.6 yards per carry in his career. Healthy again, Clement is Wisconsin's best breakaway threat.

No. 20 USC (8-6 last season) vs No. 1 Alabama (14-1) in Arlington, Tx p.m. (ABC)

Line: Alabama by 11 1/2.

Series Record: Alabama leads 5-2.

WHAT'S AT STAKE: Defending national champion Alabama would like to show it's the team to beat once again, and that the Crimson Tide's new starting quarterback — either Cooper Bateman or Blake Barnett — is capable of leading the way. The Trojans, who have seven wins over No. 1 teams, could make a huge statement to open Clay Helton's first full season. They're targeting the program's first Pac-12 title since 2008.

KEY MATCHUP: USC's offensive line versus Alabama's defensive front seven. The Trojans return all five starters but Chuma Edoga will start at left tackle instead of injured senior Chad Wheeler. They will face a deep group led by dangerous pass rushers Jonathan Allen and Tim Williams.

PLAYERS TO WATCH:

USC: WR JuJu Smith-Schuster is coming off a huge season with 89 catches for 1,454 yards and 10 touchdowns. He'll lead a deep receiving corps for QB Max Browne that faces a talented Tide secondary led by S Eddie Jackson and CBs Minkah Fitzpatrick and Marlon Humphrey.

Alabama: RBs Bo Scarbrough and Damien Harris take over for the departed Heisman Trophy winner Derrick Henry. They had a combined 261 rushing yards as freshmen but are former five-star recruits who need to take the pressure off the Tide's quarterback early in the season.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL SCHEDULES

Today

SOUTHWEST

Oklahoma at Houston, 11 a.m.
SE Louisiana at Oklahoma St., 2:30 p.m.
UCLA at Texas A&M, 2:30 p.m.
Louisiana Tech at Arkansas, 3 p.m.
SMU at North Texas, 6 p.m.
Okla. Panhandle St. at Sam Houston St., 6 p.m.
San Jose St. at Tulsa, 6 p.m.
Alabama St. at UTSA, 6 p.m.
Coastal Carolina at Lamar, 7 p.m.
Southern Cal vs. Alabama, at Arlington, Texas, 7 p.m.
S. Dakota St. at TCU, 7 p.m.
Stephen F. Austin at Texas Tech, 7 p.m.
New Mexico St. at UTEP, 7 p.m.

SOUTH

Kentucky St. at Charleston Southern, 10:45 a.m.
Boise St. at Louisiana-Lafayette, 11 a.m.
Howard at Maryland, 11 a.m.
South Alabama at Mississippi St., 11 a.m.
Liberty at Virginia Tech, 11:30 a.m.
Elizabeth City St. at Norfolk St., 1 p.m.
Holy Cross at Morgan St., 1 p.m.
Gardner-Webb at Elon, 2:30 p.m.
Richmond at Virginia, 2:30 p.m.
Georgia vs. North Carolina at Atlanta, 4:30 p.m.
NC Central at Duke, 5 p.m.
W. Carolina at East Carolina, 5 p.m.
S. Illinois at FAU, 5 p.m.
Savannah St. at Georgia Southern, 5 p.m.
Morehead St. at James Madison, 5 p.m.
Florida A&M at Miami, 5 p.m.
St. Augustine's at NC A&T, 5 p.m.
Hampton at Old Dominion, 5 p.m.
Austin Peay at Troy, 5 p.m.
Va. Lynchburg at Grambling St., 6 p.m.
ETSU at Kennesaw St., 6 p.m.
Southern U. at Louisiana-Monroe, 6 p.m.
Tarleton St. at McNeese St., 6 p.m.
SE Missouri at Memphis, 6 p.m.
Alabama A&M at Middle Tennessee, 6 p.m.
Towson at South Florida, 6 p.m.
Sacred Heart at Stetson, 6 p.m.
Ark.-Pine Bluff at Tennessee St., 6 p.m.
SC State at UCF, 6 p.m.
UMass at Florida, 6:30 p.m.
Southern Miss. at Kentucky, 6:30 p.m.
Clemson at Auburn, 8 p.m.

FAR WEST

Abilene Christian at Air Force, 1 p.m.
Rutgers at Washington, 1 p.m.
Rocky Mountain at N. Colorado, 3 p.m.
Simon Fraser at Idaho St., 3:35 p.m.
UC Davis at Oregon, 4 p.m.
Cent. Washington at Portland St., 4:30 p.m.
E. Washington at Washington St., 7 p.m.
New Hampshire at San Diego St., 7:30 p.m.
St. Francis (Pa.) at Montana, 8 p.m.
W. New Mexico at San Diego, 8 p.m.
W. Oregon at Sacramento St., 8:05 p.m.
Arizona vs. BYU at Glendale, Ariz., 9:30 p.m.
N. Illinois at Wyoming, 9:30 p.m.
N. Arizona at Arizona St., 9:45 p.m.

MIDWEST

Hawaii at Michigan, 11 a.m.
W. Michigan at Northwestern, 11 a.m.
Bowling Green at Ohio St., 11 a.m.
E. Kentucky at Purdue, 11 a.m.
Butler at Indiana St., 2 p.m.
Murray St. at Illinois, 2:30 p.m.
Miami (Ohio) at Iowa, 2:30 p.m.
Texas St. at Ohio, 2:30 p.m.
LSU vs. Wisconsin at Green Bay, Wis., 2:30 p.m.
Valparaiso at Illinois St., 5 p.m.
VMI at Akron, 5:30 p.m.
Central St. (Ohio) at Dayton, 6 p.m.
Quincy at Drake, 6 p.m.
Texas A&M-Kingsville at Incarnate Word, 6 p.m.
Rhode Island at Kansas, 6 p.m.
N. Iowa at Iowa St., 7 p.m.
Fresno St. at Nebraska, 7 p.m.

EAST

Boston College vs. Georgia Tech at Dublin, 6:30 a.m.
Fordham at Navy, 11 a.m.
Missouri at West Virginia, 11 a.m.
Monmouth (NJ) at Lehigh, 11:30 a.m.
Davidson at Georgetown, Noon
Villanova at Pittsburgh, 12:30 p.m.
Merrimack at Bryant, 2 p.m.
Kent St. at Penn St., 2:30 p.m.
Bucknell at Marist, 5 p.m.

Sunday

SOUTHWEST

Texas Southern at Prairie View, 5 p.m.
Notre Dame at Texas, 6:30 p.m.

SOUTH

Alcorn St. at Bethune-Cookman, Noon
Florida St. vs. Mississippi at Orlando, Fla., 7 p.m.

Knight gets 1st start in almost 2 years against No. 16 UCLA

By Kristie Rieken
Associated Press

HOUSTON — Star sophomore quarterback Josh Rosen is expected to get most of the attention when No. 16 UCLA opens its season Saturday at noisy Kyle Field against Texas A&M.

Aggies QB Trevor Knight will be enjoying the spotlight, too.

Knight will make his debut in his first start since Dec. 29, 2014. He joined the Aggies as a graduate transfer in January after spending most of 2015 on the bench at Oklahoma after losing the job he held for most of 2014 to Baker Mayfield. He was certainly welcome in College Station since the Aggies were left scrambling for a starter after the abrupt transfers of both Kyler Murray and Kyle Allen in December.

Knight impressed coach Kevin Sumlin quickly and was named the team's quarterback during spring drills.

And it wasn't just his work on the field that wowed Sumlin. The rapport Knight built with his teammates was equally important.

"That's a special skill set for guys to come in and do that," Sumlin said. "Created friendships in a short period of time with guys in his room. If there's one thing you never really know in recruiting process is how a guy will gel with everyone else. You can help that but really don't know how it will happen. That really helped his growth and helped team's growth and offense's growth."

Sumlin isn't worried about the pressure bothering Knight. He played in several big games for the Sooners in 2014 when he started 10 games and threw for 2,300 yards and 15 touchdowns.

Knight should be helped by a solid group of receivers led by speedy sophomore Christian Kirk, who had 80 receptions for 1,009 yards a year ago. The Aggies also have Josh Reynolds. He led the Southeastern Conference by averaging 17.8 yards a catch and finished with 907 yards receiving in 2015. The third member of this heralded receiving corps and the biggest target is 6-foot-5, 240-pound Ricky Seals-Jones.

Charlie Strong driven to succeed by place in Texas history

By Jim Vertuno
Associated Press

AUSTIN — Charlie Strong should be feeling the pressure.

After two consecutive losing seasons, there are daily questions whether he can not only win at Texas, but win enough to keep his job. He enters the season with an 11-14 record at Texas and a roster of talented, unproven players facing a Sunday night season-opener against No. 10 Notre Dame.

Behind it all is the issue of race: Strong is the first black head football coach at Texas and one of just a handful across the nation. To be the first at Texas, which is still grappling with a segregationist legacy, is something Strong addressed the day he was hired in 2014 with a nod to those who never got a chance.

Strong said it's his role as a pioneer among black coaches that props him up, not wears him down. It comforts him.

He will win, Strong said, because he simply can't fail.

"It drives me every day," Strong said. "It doesn't make it harder. So many people are counting on you. You can't let them down ... That's why I have to be successful."

That Texas hired Strong from Louisville in the first place was significant. The school resisted integration in the 1950s and 1960s and had college football's last all-white national championship team in 1969. Race issues still reverberate on campus, although 52 years after the Civil Rights Act administrators are now fighting legal battles to expand opportunities for minorities and scrub the campus of remnants aligning it with the old South in the Civil War.

Earlier this year, Texas won a significant legal victory for affirmative action in higher education when the U.S. Supreme Court upheld the school's consideration of race in some student admissions. And the school recently removed a statue of Confederate President Jefferson Davis from its prominent perch on campus.

Texas sociology professor Ben Carrington, whose work has focused on race and sports, praised former Texas athletic director Steve Patterson for hiring Strong barely two months into his tenure. Patterson was forced out in 2015 after alienating large numbers of fans, boosters and school administrators. Patterson also hired basketball coach Shaka Smart, the first black coach to lead that program as well.

"(Patterson) pushed back against the old-guard network," Carrington said. "He deserves credit for that."

Carrington, who sits on the school's athletics advisory council, has closely watched how Texas received Strong and says the coach has a "groundswell of appreciation and good will toward him right now."

But another losing season would likely leave Texas little choice but to make a change, Carrington said. It gets trickier for Strong and Texas if he wins, but doesn't win "enough."

"This year is different. If Charlie Strong does not have a winning season, I don't see how he stays on," Carrington said. "If they have a winning season, which they should do, how much is enough?"

If Strong has a winning season and still gets fired three years into a five-year contract, the element of race will jump front and center, Carrington said.

"The research shows that (black) coaches have longer to wait and less time to prove themselves," Carrington said. "That becomes a judgment call ... and the cause will get loud."

No one wants to pin down what would be "enough" for Strong. Last season, Texas beat Oklahoma and Baylor but still finished 5-7 with blowout losses of 38-3 to Notre Dame, 50-7 to TCU and 24-0 to lowly Iowa State.

The program is still rebuilding. Strong is still unsettled when it comes to quarterback, he has a new offensive coordinator and his best talent remains young, sprinkled among freshmen and sophomores.

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KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	WildA.	House	GMA Saturday		Wild C.	Ocean M.	Explore	S.Rescue	RockPark	E. Wild	NCAA Football (L)	
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	CBS This Morning Saturday (N)				LuckyDog	Dr. Chris	Innovate	Inspect	Chicken	Changers	Bucket	Marlin
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	Pufnstuf	Land Lost	Green	Green	History	History	Hunters	Hunters	Wagon Train		The Big Valley	
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	5	8	Consumer	Consumer	Aqua Kid	Animals	Wild A.	Outdoors	Weekend Marketplace				Matchday	TBA
KMLM IND	11	12	12	11	11	Southwest "Part 2"		News	Creation	Enarson	S. Baras	News	Hebrew	Camino	Hiddenin	Z. Levitt	HaYesod
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	Famil.	Mercury	Saturday Today (N)				Trucks	Floogals	Nina's	Ruff-Ruff	Chica	NdlDdl
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	D.Tiger	Caillou	C.George	Cat	Clifford	Bob Build	Speaks	Arthur	Meals	Cook's	Julia Kit.	Y.Garden
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	Nacional	Mercury	Pocoyo	Amigos	Mickey	Mickey	Handy	Handy	Mercury	Mercury	Rosa Guadalupe	
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		JTV	JTV Direct	Into Wild	J. Hanna	Dog Tales	Pets.TV	Dragon	Awesome	Whadd	News	RawTrav.	AmAthlete
FLIX	340	575			165	Movie (2001) ★★ Hope Springs, Kevin Kline				(2010) ★★ Up Close and Personal				★★★ Loving Jim Gyllenhaal			
HBO	300	550	14	14	14	Movie (2011) ★ Alvin and the Chipmunks: Chipwreck		Sesame	Sesame	★★★ The Princess Diaries						Real Sports	
HBO2	302	551	15	101	23	Movie	Hard Knocks		★★★ Ocean's Thirteen George Clooney,			Wednes	(2005) ★ Point Break ('15, Act) Luke Bracey,				
HBO3	304	552	16	102		(5:15) ★ Antwone Fi...		(2010) ★★ Jupiter Ascending ('15, SciFi) Mila Kunis,				★★ Ghost World ('01, Com) Thora Birch,				Movie	
MAX	380	557	17	120	24	(5:30) ★★ Juice		(15) ★★ Beautiful Creatures				(2010) ★★★★ Annie Hall Woody Allen,				(5:55) ★ Frequency	
MAX2	382	558	18	122		(5:40) ★ Satisfaction		(15) ★★ Scream 3 Neve Campbell,				(15) ★★★ Kiss the Girls Ashley Judd,				(11:15) ★ Blood Dia...	
PLEX			96			(2001) ★★ EdTV ('99, Com) Matthew McConaughey,				(2012) ★★ Forces of Nature				(1999) ★ Throw Momma From T...		Movie	
SHOW	320	565	19	140	25	(5:45) ★★ The Manchurian Candidate				★★ Chappie ('15, Act) Sharlto Copley,				Roadies		Roadies	
TMC	336	573	22	155	26	★ Life of a King Cuba Gooding Jr.,		(1995) ★★★ Shopgirl Steve Martin,				(2005) ★ The Lovers ('15, Act) Josh Hartnett,				Movie	
A&E	27	58	28	35	47	To Be Announced		To Be Announced		To Be Announced		Criminal Minds				Crim. Minds "Coda"	
AMC	40	74	23	42	51	Rifleman	Rifleman	Rifleman	Rifleman	Rifleman	Rifleman	Rifleman	★★ Troy ('04, Act) Orlando Bloom, Eric Bana, Brad Pitt,				
BET	58	-		40		(5:00) BET Inspiration		Payne	Payne	Payne	Payne	Payne	Payne	Payne	Payne	Payne	Payne
BRAVO	65	76		41		Vanderpump Rules		Vanderpump Rules		Southern Charm		Southern Charm		Beverly Hills		Beverly Hills	
CNBC	46	52		39	72	Paid	Paid	Paid Program		Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid
CNN	43	50	51	30	56	New Day Saturday		New Day Saturday		New Day Saturday		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom	
DISC	50	60	31	24	42	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Bikeatocular		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud	
DISNEY	56	64	36	25	36	Stuffins	Sofia 1st	M.Mouse	The Lion	LEGOFree	Jessie	Bunk'd	StuckMid	Bizaard.	Austin	Girl M.	Girl M.
ESPN	32	35	48	31	30	(5:00) SportsCenter				College GameDay (L)						NCAA Football (L)	
ESPN2	34	36	49	32	31	TBA	NCAA Football Georgia Tech vs. Boston College Site: Aviva Stadium (L)					SportsC.	ITF Tennis U.S. Open (L)				
FNC	45	48	53	23	55	(5:00) Fox & Friends Saturday				America's News HQ				Bull Bear	Cavuto		
FOOD	64	70	27	68	54	Pleasure	Top 5 (N)	Brunch	Heart	Rules	Pioneer	Pioneer	Southern	The Kitchen (N)		Cooking	Smollett
FREEFORM	53	63	34	42	33	★★★★ Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone Daniel Radcliffe,						★★★ Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets					
FSSW	37	38	50	45	29	SportsDay		H.S. Scoreboard		Outdoor	Player (N)	Insider	Big 12	Sports Gameday (L)		MLB Baseball	
FX	31	56	59	64	69	Anger M.	Anger M.	Anger M.	Anger M.	2½Men	2½Men	2½Men	2½Men	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother
HALLMARK	54	71	58		34	Lucy	I Love Lucy	Middle	Middle	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	★ Recipe for Love Danielle Panabaker,			
HGTV	63	69	26	48	44	FleaFlip	FleaFlip	FleaFlip	FleaFlip	FloaFlip	FleaFlip	FleaFlip	FleaFlip	FleaFlip	FleaFlip	FleaFlip	FleaFlip
HISTORY	71	59	29	50	43	Alaska Off-Road War.		Alaska "Red Alert"		Alaska Road War.		Alaska Road War.		Alaska Road War.		Ice Road Truckers	
LIFETIME	28	30	25	28	48	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	My Crazy Ex		★ The Unauthori...	
MSNBC	47	53		49	73	MSNBC Live		MSNBC Live		MSNBC Live		AM Joy				MSNBC Live	
NBCSN	38	43				Race You There (N)		F1 Racing Italian Grand Prix (L)			RFU Rugby	English Premiership Wor./Sar.			NASCAR Auto Racing		
NICK	55	-	39	34	37	Sponge	Sponge	Regal A.	Cat Noir	Sponge	Sponge	LoudHou.	LoudHou.	Sponge	Sponge	Dino (N)	LoudHou.
SPIKE	30	-	55	53	58	Paid Program		Paid Program		Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops
SYFY	66	82	41	57	67	(5:00) Paid Program		Twilight	Twilight	★ Zombie Shark ('15, Sci-Fi) Jason London,				★ Atomic Shark (2016, Action)			
TBS	25	33	44	66	41	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	★ Dr. Seuss' Cat in the Hat		(1965) ★★★ The Pacifier Vin Diesel,					Movie
TCM	41	75	24	63	66	Movie (1951) ★★★ The Corsican Brothers				(1951) ★ Code Of Th...		(1951) ★★ No Holds Barred				★ Stagecoach	
TELE	20	-	10	20		Pagado	Pagado	Noodle	De chica	De chica	Nina's	Nina's	LazyTown	Pagado	Pagado	SOS: Salva mi casa	
TLC	51	61	32	38	52	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	CakeB.	CakeB.	CakeB.	CakeB.	Cake	CakeB.	CakeB.	CakeB.
TNT	24	34	40	26	50	Law&O. "School Daze"		Law & Order		Law&O. "Deep Vote"		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order	
TVLAND	49	-	35	54	35	(:10) Lopez	(:50) Lopez	(:25) George Lopez		G. Lopez	G. Lopez	G. Lopez	G. Lopez	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba
USA	26	55	42	27	49	Paid Program		Paid Program		Suits		Mr. Robot		★★ He's Just Not That Into You			
WGN	19	85				Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	BlueB. "Open Secrets"		Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods "Exiles"		Blue Bloods	

SATURDAY AFTERNOON — SEPTEMBER 3, 2016

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	G	S	R	C	W	12 PM	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	(11:00) NCAA Football Oklahoma vs Houston (L)				Studio	NCAA Football Louisiana State University vs. Wisconsin (L)					Studio	
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	Marlin	Great Sports Legends		Football	Football	NCAA Football UCLA at Texas A&M Site: Kyle Field -- College Station, Texas (L)						
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	Gunsmoke		Bonanza		Rawhide		Wanted	Wanted	Rifleman	Rifleman	Superman	Batman
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	(11:30) To Be Announced			2½Men	Modern	Modern	BigBang	BigBang	2½Men	Cage	To Be Announced	
KMLM IND	11	12	12	11	11	News	Walking	Restore	S. Baras	Southwest "Part 1"		Southwest "Part 2"		Zion	Hiddenin	WhatCost	Audra
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	Marketg	Havas	Mecum Auctions		Count.	NASCAR Auto Racing VFW 200 (L)					W.America	News
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	Texas	Old House	House	Motor.	Woodsh'p	Expedit.	Fly Fisher	Explorer	American	Parks	News.	Potus
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	Lanzate		Sabadazo						Rosa Guadalupe		Mi jefe	Noticiero
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		Access Hollywood		Flipside	Spaces	Homeown.	Hazelton	O.House	Homes	The Good Wife		Moms Ev.	Studio 7
FLIX	340	575			165	(10:30) ★ Zodiac		(2010) ★★★ Frank & Jesse Rob Lowe,				★★ Deterrence Kevin Pollak,			(2015) ★ Rules of Engagement		
HBO	300	550	14	14		★ Brooklyn ('15, Dra) Saoirse Ronan,				Making /(:15) ★ In the Heart of the Sea					(2015) ★ Alvin & the Chipmunks		
HBO2	302	551	15	101	23	VicePrin	(:35) VicePrin	VicePrin	VicePrin	(:20) Vice Principals		VicePrin	VicePrin	★★★ American Gangster			
HBO3	304	552	16	102		(11:25) ★ Me & Earl ...		Making	(:35) ★★★ The Bourne Ultimatum			(:35) ★★★★ The Pianist ('02, Dra) Adrien Brody,					
MAX	380	557	17	120	24	(10:55) ★ Frequency		(:55) ★ Exodus: Gods and Kings Christian Bale,				★★★ The Village			(:20) ★ Lady in the...		
MAX2	382	558	18	122		(11:15) ★★★ Blood Diamond		(:40) ★★ Brokeback Mountain Heath Ledger,						(:55) ★ Kill the Messenger			Movie
PLEX			96			(11:45) ★★ Mermaids Cher,		(:40) ★★ Agent Cody Banks						(:25) ★★ EdTV Matthew McConaughey,		Movie	
SHOW	320	565	19	140	25	Roadies		Roadies		Roadies		Roadies		Roadies		Roadies	
TMC	336	573	22	155	26	(11:30) ★ Lost in Tra...		(:15) ★★★★ Boyhood ('14, Dra) Ethan Hawke, Ellar Coltrane,						★★★ Hidalgo ('04, Dra) Viggo Mortensen,			
A&E	27	58	28	35	47	Crim. Minds "Lauren"		Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds		The First 48		The First 48		The First 48	
AMC	40	74	23	42	51	(9:30) ★★ Troy		★★ Mad Max ('79, Sci-Fi) Mel Gibson,				★★★ Mad Max 2: The Road Warrior			★ Mad Max: Beyo...		
BET	58	-		40		Payne	Payne	★★ Obsessed ('09, Thriller) Idris Elba, Ali Larter, Beyoncé Knowles,						★ Tyler Perry's Temptation: Confessions...			
BRAVO	65	76		41		Housewives Atlanta		Housewives Atlanta		Housewives Atlanta		Real Housewives		Real Housewives		Real Housewives	
CNBC	46	52		39	72	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid
CNN	43	50	51	30	56	CNN Newsroom		News	Signs	CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom	
DISC	50	60	31	24	42	Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud	
DISNEY	56	64	36	25	36	Underc.	Friends	Liv/Mad	StuckMid	Elena	Bunk'd	Jessie	Friends	Underc.	Bizaard.	Walk	Girl M.
ESPN	32	35	48	31	30	(11:00) NCAA Football Hawaii at Michigan (L)				Scoreb.	College Football Scoreboard (L)				NCAA Football Ga./UNC (L)		
ESPN2	34	36	49	32	31	(10:00) ITF Tennis U.S. Open Third Round Site: USTA Billie Jean King National Tennis Center -- Flushing Meadows, N.Y. (L)											
FNC	45	48	53	23	55	Forbes	Cashin' In	America's News HQ		The Journal Editorial Report			America's Election HQ				
FOOD	64	70	27	68	54	Food Network Star		Cutthroat Kitchen		Chopped		Chopped Junior		Food Truck Race		Diners	Diners
FREEFORM	53	63	34	42	33	(9:30) ★ Harry Potter & the Ch...		★★★ Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban							★ Harry Potter & the Goblet...		
FSSW	37	38	50	45	29	(11:00) MLB Baseball	Aggie Game Day			Insider	Pre-game	MLB Baseball Houston Astros at Texas Rangers Site: Globe Life Park (L)					
FX	31	56	59	64	69	★ The Sitter ('11, Com) Ari Graynor, Jonah Hill,		★★ The Heat ('13, Com) Melissa McCarthy, Sandra Bullock,							★ Transformers: R...		
HALLMARK	54	71	58		34	★ Love, Again ('15, Rom) Tori Polo,				★ Date with Love ('16, Rom) Andrew Walker,				★ Valentine Ever After William Baldwin,			
HGTV	63	69	26	48	44	Beachfront Reno		Beachfront Reno		Beachfront Reno		Beachfront Reno		Beachfront Reno		Beachfront Reno	
HISTORY	71	59	29	50	43	Ice Road Truckers		Ice Road Truckers		Truckers "Trial By Ice"		Ice Road Truckers		American Pickers		American Pickers	
LIFETIME	28	30	25	28	48	(11:00) ★ The Unaut...		★ The Unauthorized Saved by the Bell S...				★ Her Infidelity ('15, Thril) Rachel Hunter,				★ Forced Exposure	
MSNBC	47	53		49	73	MSNBC Live		MSNBC Live		MSNBC Live		MSNBC Live		MSNBCDocumentary		MSNBCDocumentary	
NBCSN	38	43				NASCAR	NASCAR Auto Racing			Motorsport Hour (N)		Motorsport Hour (N)		Horse Racing		IndyCar Auto Racing	
NICK	55	-	39	34	37	LoudHou.	ALVINNN	ALVINNN	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	LoudHou.	LoudHou.	LoudHou.	LoudHou.
SPIKE	30	-	55	53	58	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops
SYFY	66	82	41	57	67	★ Shark Night 3D ('11, Hor) Sara Paxton,				★ Ozark Sharks ('16, Sci-Fi) Laura Cayouette,				★ Dam Sharks! ('16, Sci-Fi) Matt Mercer,			
TBS	25	33	44	66	41	(11:45) ★★★★ The LEGO Movie				Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Girls	Girls
TCM	41	75	24	63	66	(11:00) ★ Stagecoach		★★★ Jeremiah Johnson Robert Redford,				(:15) ★★ Hour of the Gun James Garner,				★ A Fistful of Dol...	
TELE	20	-	10	20		★ Camino hacia el terror 3: Abandonado ...				★ Men in Black 3 ('12, Act) Will Smith,				Noticiero	Videos	America's Funniest	
TLC	51	61	32	38	52	CakeB.	Cake Boss	Playhouse Masters		Playhouse Masters		Amer. Gypsy Wedd		Amer. Gypsy Wedd		Amer. Gypsy Wedd	
TNT	24	34	40	26	50	★★★ Resident Evil: Afterlife				★★★ Resident Evil: Retribution				★★★ Transformers Shia LaBeouf,			
TVLAND	49	-	35	54	35	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba
USA	26	55	42	27	49	Movie	★★★ The Devil Wears Prada ('06, Com) Meryl Streep,					★★ Last Vegas ('13, Com) Robert De Niro,			★ Step Brothers		
WGN	19	85				Bl. Bloods "Baggage"		Blue Bloods		Blue Bloods				Blue Bloods		BlueB. "In the Box"	

SATURDAY PRIME TIME — SEPTEMBER 3, 2016

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KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Football Studio (L) Stadium -- Arlington, Texas (L)		(5:05) NCAA Football Alabama vs. USC Site: AT&T				(:20) Studio (L)	Local 2 News/ 10	(:05) Extra Weekend	
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	CBS 7 News	The Insider News	Weekend	A Football Life "Preview" (N)		48 Hours		48 Hours	CBS 7 News	(:35) Elementary		(:35) P. Interest
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	Incred. Hulk "Mystery Man" Pt. 1 of 2		Wonder Woman "The Girl From Ilandia"		Star Trek "By Any Other Name"		★ The Frozen Ghost (1945, Mystery) Evelyn Ankers, Milburn Stone, Lon Chaney Jr.,				Lost in Space "The Oasis"	
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	(5:00) To Be Announced		Hotel Hell "Brick Hotel"		Hotel Hell "Landoll's Mohican Castle"		Blue Bloods		Home Free "Skill Got It"		Jerry Jones	The Simpsons
KMLM IND	11	12	12	11	11	HaYesod	Hidden in Plain Sight	Housecall	Update News	Light of the Southwest "Part 1"		Light of the Southwest "Part 2"		Lars Enarson	Hidden/ Hebrew	Jean-Claude	Del Camino
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	News-West 9	Country Reporter	America-Talent "Live Results 4"		Aquarius "Blackbird" (N)		Aquarius "Can You Take Me Back?" (N)		NewsWest 9 at 10	Sat. Night Live	Guests include Ryan Gosling and Leon Bridges.	
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	History Detectives "Kit Carson Biography"		Mountain "Doc Watson and Jeff Little"		Music Gone Public "Antsy Mcclain"		Infinity Hall Live!		Austin City Limits		Bluegrass Under	Backstage Pass
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	Vicente Fernandez	"Un Azteca en el Azteca"			Va por ti "Semifinal"				Durmiendo mi jefe	Noticiero Univision	Estrellados	
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HBO	300	550	14	14		★ Alvin & the Chipmunks: The...		(:35) ★★ Pan ('15, Fam) Levi Miller,				Ballers	(:05) The Night Of				Movie
HBO2	302	551	15	101	23	Movie	(:40) The Night Of			Making	VicePrin	★ The 33 ('15, Doc/Dra) Antonio Banderas,				(:15) ★★ Ted 2	
HBO3	304	552	16	102		(:10) ★★★ Hard Ball Keanu Reeves,				★ Black Mass ('15, Cri) Johnny Depp,				(:05) ★★★ The Bourne Ultimatum			
MAX	380	557	17	120	24	(5:20) ★ Lady in the...		(:10) ★★★ The Sixth Sense Bruce Willis,				★★★ Unbreakable			(:05) ★ The Visit ('15, Hor)		
MAX2	382	558	18	122		(5:50) ★★★ Batman Returns		★ Insurgent ('15, Sci-Fi) Shailene Woodley,						★★ Under Siege			Lingerie
PLEX			96			(5:30) ★ Throw Mo...		★★ Forces of Nature		(:10) ★★ Mermaids ('90, Com) Cher,				(:40) ★★ Trojan War,			
SHOW	320	565	19	140	25	Roadies		(:55) Roadies		★ Forsaken Kiefer Sutherland,		★ No Escape Owen Wilson,				(:15) Roadies	
TMC	336	573	22	155	26	(:20) ★★ Shaft ('00, Act) Samuel L. Jackson,				★ The Texas Chain Saw Mass...		★ The Hills Have Eyes				★ The Prowler	
A&E	27	58	28	35	47	The First 48		First 48: Drugs Kill		48: Confessions (N)		48: Confessions (N)		(:05) First 48: Deadly		(:05) First 48: Drugs	
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BET	58	-		40		(6:00) ★ Tyler Perry's...		★ Only for One Night ('16, Thril) Brian White,				★ Only for One Night ('16, Thril) Brian White,					
BRAVO	65	76		41		Wives "Reunion Part 1"		To Be Announced						To Be Announced			
CNBC	46	52		39	72	Boss "Taylormade"		Undercover Boss		Boss "Busted!"		Undercover Boss		Boss "Utah Jazz"		Under Boss "Belfor"	
CNN	43	50	51	30	56	CNN Newsroom		★ Holy Hell (2016, Documentary)				★ Holy Hell (2016, Documentary)				The Seventies	
DISC	50	60	31	24	42	Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Bikeatocular		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud	
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FSSW	37	38	50	45	29	Rangers	HallFame	NCAA Football South Dakota State University at TCU (L)							Sports	MLB Baseball	
FX	31	56	59	64	69	(5:00) ★ Transformers: Revenge of the Fall...		★★★ Transformers: Dark of the Moon ('11, Act) Shia LaBeouf,									Mike&M.
HALLMARK	54	71	58		34	★ Summer of Dreams Debbie Gibson,		★ Wedding Bells ('16, Rom) Danica McKellar,						G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls
HGTV	63	69	26	48	44	Beachfront Reno		Property Brothers		Beachfront Reno (N)		Renovation		H.Hunt	House	Beachfront Reno	
HISTORY	71	59	29	50	43	American Pickers		American Pickers		Pickers "From A to T"		Pickers "Shock Value"		(:05) Amer. Pickers		(:05) Amer. Pickers	
LIFETIME	28	30	25	28	48	(5:00) ★ Forced Expo...		★ Backstabbed ('16, Thril) Josie Davis,				★ You May Now Kill the Bride				★ Backstabbed	
MSNBC	47	53		49	73	MSNBCDocumentary		MSNBCDocumentary		MSNBCDocumentary		MSNBCDocumentary		MSNBCDocumentary		MSNBCDocumentary	
NBCSN	38	43				Racing	IndyCar (N)	Boxing Premier Champions Card TBA (L)						NASCAR Auto Racing			Speed
NICK	55	-	39	34	37	H.Danger	H.Danger	H.Danger	GShakers	School	Thunder	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends
SPIKE	30	-	55	53	58	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops
SYFY	66	82	41	57	67	★ Sharknado ('13, Hor) Tara Reid,				★ Sharknado 2: The Second One,				★ Sharktopus ('10, Sci-Fi) Eric Roberts,			
TBS	25	33	44	66	41	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	Frontal	★ A Walk to Remember		
TCM	41	75	24	63	66	(5:00) ★ A Fistful of...		★★★★ Cabaret ('72, Mus) Liza Minnelli,				(:15) ★★★★ A Foreign Affair				(:15) ★ Escape Fr...	
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TNT	24	34	40	26	50	(6:00) ★ Transformers		★★★★ Pacific Rim ('13, Act) Idris Elba,				(:45) ★★ 2012 ('09, Act) Amanda Peet, John Cusack,					
TVLAND	49	-	35	54	35	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens
USA	26	55	42	27	49	(5:00) ★ Step Brothers		★★★★ Bridesmaids ('11, Com) Maya Rudolph, Kristen Wiig,						Modern	Modern	Modern	Modern
WGN	19	85				Blue Bloods		BlueB. "New Rules"		Blue Bloods		★★★★ Die Hard ('88, Act) Alan Rickman, Bruce Willis,					

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High: 90 Low: 70	High: 91 Low: 71	High: 89 Low: 72	High: 87 Low: 71	High: 88 Low: 71	High: 82 Low: 71

Local forecast

The National Weather Service is calling for a 20 percent chance of storms today and then dry conditions until Tuesday. In the middle of next week, the NWS expects a chance of showers. High temperatures around normal for this time of year are expected this weekend.

The record high for Sept. 2 is 103 set in 1937. The record low is 56 set in 1950 and then equaled in 1968. On Sept. 2 of last year, the high was 94 and the low was 67.

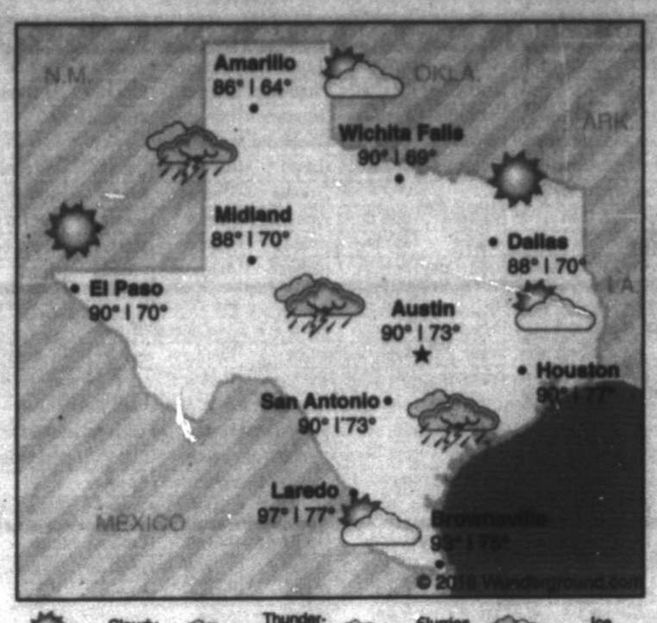
Weather brief

Maryland governor declares emergency for Hermeen

REISTERSTOWN — Maryland Gov. Larry Hogan has declared a state of emergency for the Eastern Shore and southern Maryland as tropical storm Hermine continues its way north.

Hogan signed the executive order Friday afternoon. It affects Caroline, Cecil, Dorchester, Kent, Queen Anne's, Somerset, Talbot, Wicomico, Worcester, Calvert, Charles, and St. Mary's counties.

The governor said in a statement that he signed the order in anticipation of heavy rains, strong winds and flooding.



Precipitation

Thursday	0.17 in.
Friday	0.00 in.
Month total	0.17 in.
Year total	10.51 in.
Normal total (year to date)	9.84 in.

Friday's temperatures

High	85
Low	65
Normal high	91
Normal low	66
Sunrise	7:26 a.m.
Sunset	8:10 p.m.

National forecast

Forecast highs for Saturday, Sept. 3

Three 'surprise' babies are not enough for mom

DEAR ABBY

Write Dear Abby at www.DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069. Her column is distributed by Universal Press Syndicate.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I have three children. Before we were married, we discussed that I wanted a big family. He said he didn't want kids at all. This didn't bother me because I had been told I would never be able to have children. We ended up not only having one "surprise" baby, but three.

My dilemma is I desperately want to have more children. My husband has not only said no — he's said HELL no, over his dead body. Then he got a vasectomy. I feel I'm between a rock and a hard place. I am considering going through a sperm bank. What is your advice? — MOM OF SURPRISE BABIES

DEAR MOM: You knew before you married your husband how he felt about having a family. You thought you would never have children, but have been blessed with three. Be grateful and quit winners, because if you follow through with what you're considering, you could wind up raising your children alone.

DEAR ABBY: My mom once said that her younger sister had an unwed pregnancy in the early 1940s and gave up a baby girl for adoption. Mom told no one else but me about this. She later said her sister had confessed it to her husband late in life and that he had reacted violently.

I recently attended a family funeral and had a conversation with my cousin, who said he was concerned about possible dementia in his mother because — among other things — she had asked him about his older sister. (He doesn't know he had one.) I didn't say otherwise, but I'm debating with myself if I should say anything or just keep quiet. My aunt died last week, after being a widow for several years. — KEEPER OF A FAMILY SECRET

DEAR KEEPER: If there were anything positive to be gained by revealing this secret, I would advise you to tell your cousin. But there isn't. So keep your mouth shut.

DEAR ABBY: During our many years of married life, we have lived in six neighborhoods. In two of them, there was a married couple comprised of a housewife and what I would call a "garaged husband." These husbands spent all their spare time working and puttering in their garages. One of them worked on his motorcycle and truck; the other rebuilt an antique truck from the ground up. Both created excessive noise with their projects.

One of the men eventually moved his bed into the garage and, not surprisingly, the marriage ended in divorce. The second man spends more time with his youngest son (who also stays in the garage most of the time) than with his wife.

Have your other readers made similar observations? Is this a version of the "man cave" syndrome where men like to hang out? — ANOTHER HUSBAND IN OREGON

DEAR HUSBAND: I will leave your question open to readers, but I think variations of "garaged husbands" might be ones who render their spouses "sports widows."

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GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

Bidding Quiz

Q 1 — Neither vulnerable, as South, you hold:

♠ J 9 3 ♡ A J 10 7 6 4 ◇ Q 4 ♣ Q 10

With the opponents passing, you open two hearts, weak, and partner bids two no-trump. What call would you make?

Q 2 — East-West vulnerable, as South, you hold:

♠ A J 8 3 ♡ 10 6 5 ◇ Q 9 7 ♣ 9 6 5

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
1♣	2♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	?	

What call would you make?

Q 3 — North-South vulnerable, as South, you hold:

♠ Q 10 ♡ K J 8 3 2 ◇ K 10 9

♣ A 10 8

EAST	SOUTH	WEST	NORTH
1♣	1♡	1♠	Pass
2♠	?		

What call would you make?

Q 4 — Both vulnerable, as South, you hold:

♠ K Q 9 5 2 ♡ J 7 6 3 ◇ 7 5 ♣ 7 2

Partner opens one heart and right-hand opponent passes. What call would you make?

JACQUELINE BIGAR'S STARS

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

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Saturday, Sept. 3, 2016:

This year you focus on having a better sense of security. A partnership or an agreement could be more demanding than you realize. You don't want to experience the ramifications of renegotiating your terms, but you might not have a choice. Be careful with your spending. If you are single, many people see you as unavailable yet desirable, and they like the chase. Do not settle for less than what you deserve and desire. If you are attached, you spend more and more time together. LIBRA admires you.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★ You know the ball is not in your court, and you won't have a problem with it; you'll be glad that others are running the show. You relish watching a loved one take control to demonstrate what he or she is made of. You have reason to smile. Tonight: Go along for the ride.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★ Pace yourself. You have a lot to do, and you might be distracted by a new flirtation. Your caring is obvious, and others seem to pick up on it. Expressing your enjoyment of spending time with someone special will touch those around you. Tonight: Be yourself, no matter what.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★★ You might be most content at home with a loved one. You could enjoy yourself far more than you originally thought. Allow your inner child to come out; others find it irresistible when you behave like this. Tonight: An associate might be returning to his or her colder self.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★★ Home is where the heart is. In fact, this expression probably started as a description of your sign. Invite loved ones over for a fun get-together. Don't worry so much about mixing the right group together. Invite everyone, and you'll be glad you did. Tonight: Be a little wild.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★★ You naturally seem to be in the right place at the right time. You also are able to choose the right words to evoke strong feelings. A new friend might feel a need to pull back. You might not understand why until you start a conversation. Tonight: Swap jokes with a pal.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★ You could have a moment of insight in which you gain a new perspective. Consider acting on this new understanding, especially with someone close. Understanding and empathy are important between you and a family member. Tonight: Hold the line financially.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★★ You finally might feel as if you are in control. Your way of dealing with someone could need a change. Let in more spontaneity. Others will be drawn to you because you are so alluring. Your charisma is at its peak right now. Tonight: If you can dream it, you can create it.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★★ Your ability to understand the subconscious actions of others is unparalleled, yet sometimes you have difficulty understanding yourself. Be willing to learn and head in a new direction. Listen to feedback from those who care. Tonight: Play it low-key.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★★ Join friends at a get-together. Your sense of humor emerges just by listening to one person after another. You appreciate how different those in your immediate circle are from each other. A loved one could go out of his or her way for you. Tonight: Be spontaneous and carefree.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★ You might have wanted a relaxing few days, but you'll discover that you are the ringleader at a circus. Others seem to depend on you to bring people together and make Labor Day plans. If you don't enjoy this role, consider making different plans. Tonight: In the limelight.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★★ Someone at a distance will reach out to you. In many ways, you are close to unstoppable when you decide that it's time to be gregarious. Touch base with several friends before solidifying plans. You might want to make a minor adjustment. Tonight: Break your routine.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★ You have the ability to move forward and let go of someone else's attitude and projections. You see this person as he or she really is, without all the defenses. You might not want to let this person know that you are onto him or her. Tonight: Jump on an exciting offer.

BORN TODAY

Actor Charlie Sheen (1965), engineer Ferdinand Porsche (1875), guitarist Steve Jones (1955)

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1 Subject of the 1998 Supreme Court case New Jersey v. New York
12 Information __
15 "Tristes apprets" from "Castor et Pollux," e.g.
16 Billy's reply?
17 Group sharing a name with a cranberry cocktail
18 Docs' work areas
19 Slip or clip follower
20 Rich rocks
21 Hot
23 Satyr's kin
24 Rear
25 Obvious
28 Holiday decor item
29 Final announcements
30 Comes across
31 "__ Crossroads": Bone Thugs-n-Harmony song
32 Hue
33 Game with a varying number of cards
34 Like many horses
35 __ Nova
36 Turkestan tents
37 Full moon, e.g.
38 Sports nail-biters
40 Felix __, CIA friend of Bond
41 Siouan tribe
42 Portrayer of Buddy's father in "Elf"
43 Acrimonious
44 Prince in "Frozen"
45 Wise chip flavor
48 Low numéro
49 Actress in "Spy" (2015)
52 Wet blanket
53 "Grown Ups" star
54 Loan application fig.
55 Al Jazeera and Yomiuri Shimbun

DOWN

1 1960s-'70s Orr teammate, to fans
2 Prime cut
3 OR teammates
4 Needle
5 Apia natives
6 Suffering from ennui
7 "Either/Or" author Kierkegaard
8 Muscles strengthened by muscle-ups
9 Shipping nickname
10 Longtime Seattle Mariners' majority owner
11 Jersey homes
12 "Couldn't agree with you more!"
13 It has its kinks
14 Basic kids' book
22 Key to backing up?
23 Regale
24 Some royals
25 Betty Crocker brand of instant mashed
26 Indigenous Tasmanians
27 Show biz nickname
28 Gelato units
30 Kindles
33 Hitchhike
34 __ splints
36 Every Skull and Bones member, until 1991
37 Serf
39 Hood's weapon
40 Convertible carriage
42 "I'll show you!"
44 Acting coach's banes
45 Bundle in a field
46 Maverick on TV
47 Game divs.
50 Unembellished
51 Med. number that's better when it's higher

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

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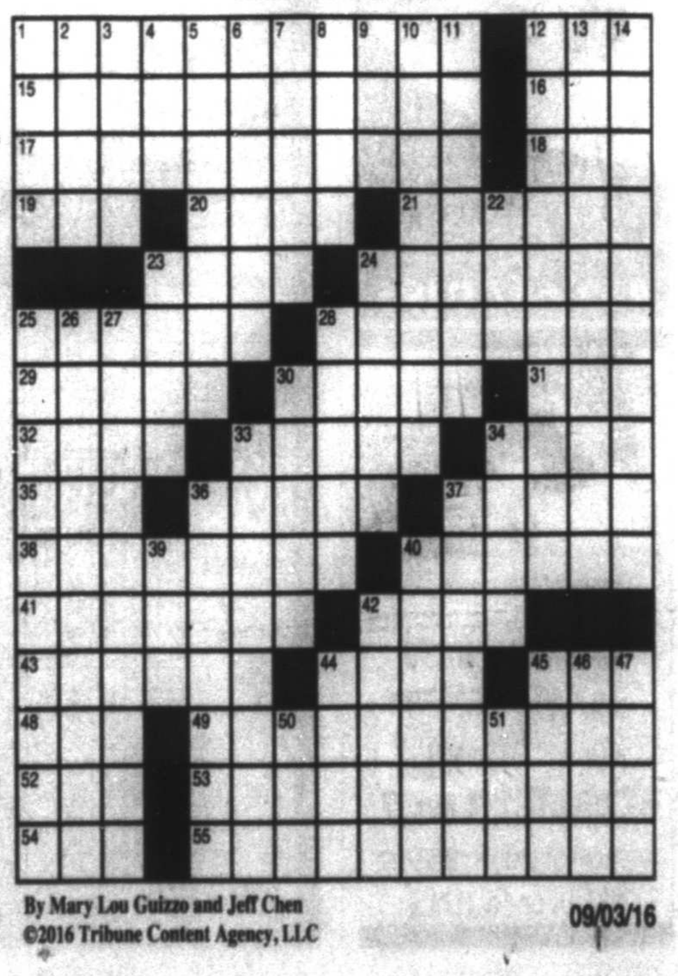

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In this Saturday, Oct. 3, 2015, file photo, West Virginia wide receiver Shelton Gibson (1) and quarterback Skyler Howard (3) move in to tackle Oklahoma's Jordan Thomas (7) after Thomas intercepted a pass and carried it back 38 yards in the fourth quarter of a game in Norman, Okla.

Oklahoma

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record books.

That era ended abruptly. Houston started the 1991 season ranked No. 12, and went into its second game of the season against No. 2 Miami ranked 10th. Instead of a breakthrough, Klingler and the Cougars got buried 40-10 by the Hurricanes.

Houston's preseason ranking this year is its best since '91, but the Cougars are trying to hold on to the underdog intensity they had last year when they weren't even favored to win their division.

"We've tried to keep that chip on our shoulder. That kind of made us who we are," tight end Tyler McCloskey said.

What will it take for Houston or any Group of Five team to reach the playoff? The playoff has only been around for two years and there hasn't been a test case yet for the selection committee. An undefeated record is probably a good start. At least one big nonconference win will be important because the quality wins the committee looks for are tough to accumulate outside Power Five leagues.

A big season by the Cougars has the potential to be the story of the playoff race when the rankings start coming out in early November. That's why of all the compelling matchups in a great first weekend of the season, the stakes are highest in Houston.

Things to know about the third meeting between Oklahoma and Houston:

Heisman watch

Trying to follow in the footsteps of Ware, Houston's only Heisman Trophy winner, is Greg Ward Jr. He was one of two FBS quarterbacks to pass for more than 2,000 yards and run for more than 1,000 last season. He accounted for 38 touchdowns.

"The biggest thing he does is take advantage of blitzing teams or D-ends running up field. He's just going to step up and try to get down field or get a scramble drill going," Oklahoma cornerback Dakota Austin said.

Defending Big 12 champion and playoff semifinalist Oklahoma has its own Heisman contender quarterback in Baker Mayfield, who passed for 3,700 yards and 36 touchdowns last year and finished fourth in the Heisman voting.

"Both give you trouble scrambling around with their legs," Sooner coach Bob Stoops said of Mayfield and Ward. "Just talented players, I think, is the number one thing you can say about them both."

Go-to receivers

Both teams enter the season looking for new No. 1 receivers to emerge after the departures of Sterling Shepard from Oklahoma and Demarcus Ayers at Houston. Expect the Sooners to get tight end Mark Andrews more involved after he caught seven touchdowns as a redshirt freshman. Penn State transfer Geno Lewis steps into a starting role at wide receiver. The Cougars will be looking for some inexperienced players to emerge and Chance Allen, who had 56 catches and 752 yards last season, to take a bigger role.

Freshmen

Houston landed one of the best defensive line recruits in the country this year in Ed Oliver. The freshman is expected to make an immediate impact. With Oklahoma retooling at linebacker, freshman Caleb Kelly will likely see some time and Stoops said Mykel Jones will be part of the receiver rotation.

Nunez

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people are. We always had a chip on our shoulder."

Nunez went to Tech, his dream school, as a preferred walk-on with the original intentions of being a safety.

But the coaches realized that he could put on weight on his 6-foot-4 frame and become a defensive lineman. He said he had to gain a pound a week and keep it on, if not he would have to go through punishment. Well, Nunez wasn't about to go through punishment so he made it a point to make his weight every single week.

"From that point until now, I think I gained 60-something pounds since I left high school," said Nunez, who now weighs 267. "Coach Gibbs and (defensive line coach Kevin) Patrick call me the utility guy. They want me to play all the positions on the D-line and I've been really blessed to learn all the positions, so it makes it really easy for me, and it gives me a better opportunity to be on the field more."

The next step

Kingsbury has said in his fourth year as head coach, he's looking for his team to take the next step. But in order to do that, it's no secret that the defense has to play better to give its explosive offense more opportunities.

Nunez is one who believes that the defense will take the next step this year, thanks in part to a different attitude and mindset instilled by first-year strength and conditioning coach Rusty Whitt.

"I feel like this is the best group I've ever seen since I've been here," he said. "Coach Whitt is teaching us the accountability, how to take care of our teammates and be more about each other instead of ourselves. That's going to be a big determining factor for our success this year."

He's also excited about the potential of the defensive line, which has a core group that has been together a few years now.

"We've been together for so long, we're all like brothers, we're truly there for each other," Nunez said. "I'm so excited for that, because being on the field with guys that you can trust and with guys that you have known for such a long time, it makes that sacrifice on the field that much easier."

Follow Oscar on Twitter: @OLeRoy_MRT

Coots

From 1C

us as coaches and that is something you never really know that you're going to get in recruiting," Carrigan said. "But when that team goes into the locker room, I know he's a great representation of us of what we preach every day. He holds the guys accountable.

"He coordinates the things we can't and when in they're in voluntary time and times like this summer, he's the one that's us. He's the coach out there on the white lines. He's been far better than I could have ever imagined and any success we have will be attributed to what he's done for the program."

The 6-foot-1, 194-pound Coots is not worried that almost all of his teammates or him have yet to play a college football game against outside competition before today's historic opener.

Coots believes that if the players will be successful if they entrust their faith in Carrigan and the coaching staff and are receptive to their guidance.

Coots says he has progressed as a quarterback despite not experiencing the game speed of a regular season game since high school.

"The moment you stop growing as a player is the moment that you're no longer really that good of a player," Coots said. "I've been grateful to be under a great staff that pushes us to learn, to be better and to focus on the little things."

Notes: Three Midland High graduates are listed as starters for UTPB today, which include outside linebackers Emilio Solis and Cameron Hurd, and running back Brandon Infiesto. Other local first-string players include Odessa High grad Byron Hutson at center and Odessa Permian alum Tori Loud at wide receiver. Keegan Gray, an 2016 Andrews graduate, is the team's backup linebacker. ... UTPB is allowing tailgating at Ratliff Stadium, beginning at noon today. Parking to Falcons games is free. Large vehicles, such as motor homes, are instructed to a north-south direction, while small vehicles are advised to park in a east-west orientation. Alcohol is permitted while being used in a responsible manner. Drinking games, kegs, and uncontrolled access to alcohol are not allowed.

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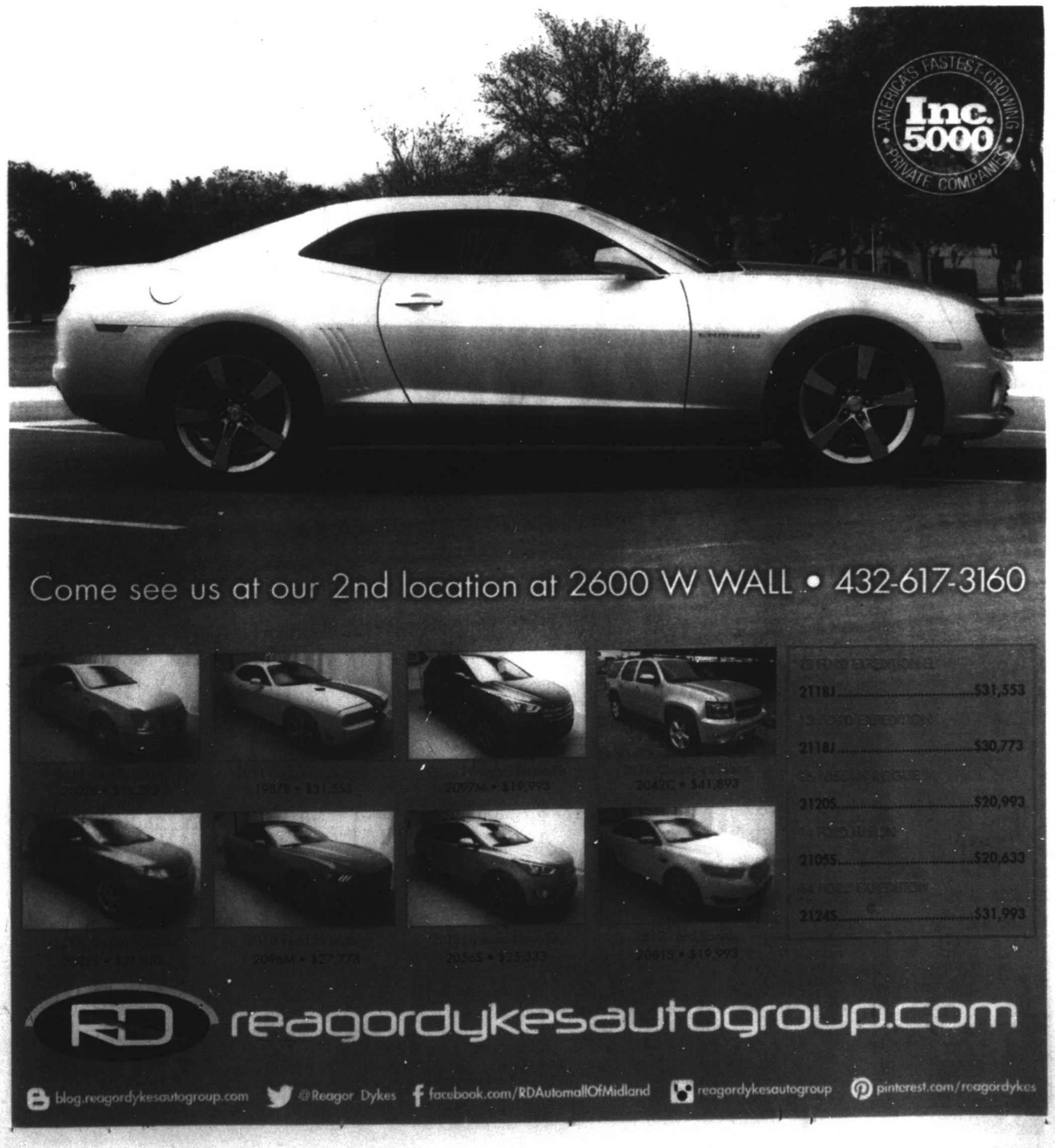
2016 UTPB FALCONS FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Time
Today	Sul Ross State	7 p.m
Sept. 10	Arizona Christian	7 p.m
Sept. 17	West Texas A&M*	7 p.m
Sept. 24	Western New Mexico*	7 p.m
Oct. 1	at Tarleton State*	7 p.m
Oct. 8	Eastern New Mexico*	7 p.m
Oct. 15	at Texas A&M-Kingsville*	7 p.m
Oct. 22	a-Oklahoma Panhandle St.*	7 p.m
Oct. 29	at Midwestern State*	7 p.m
Nov. 5	Texas A&M-Commerce*	7 p.m
Nov. 12	at Angelo State*	6 p.m

All home games played at Ratliff Stadium, Odessa
a-game played at Grande Communications Stadium
*denotes Lone Star Conference game



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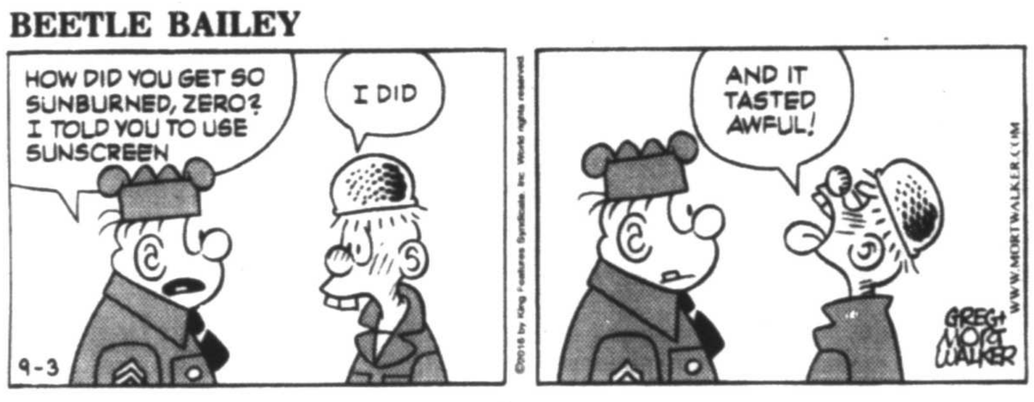

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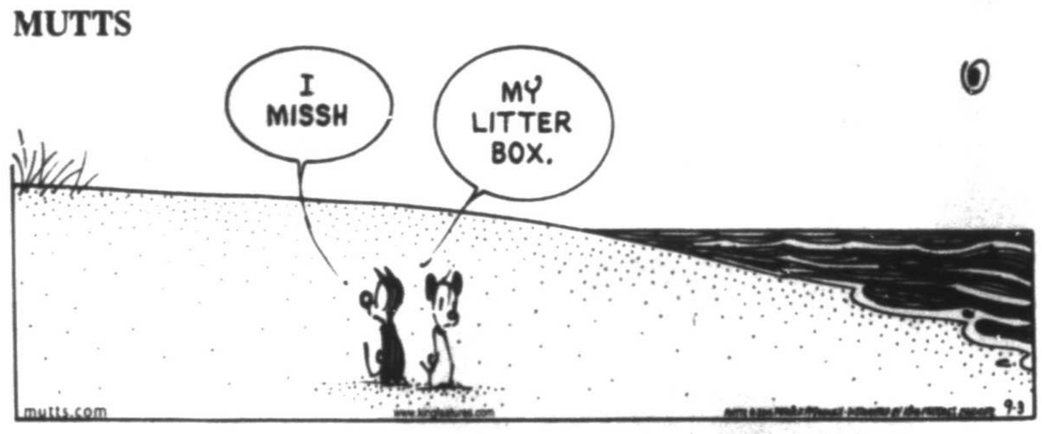

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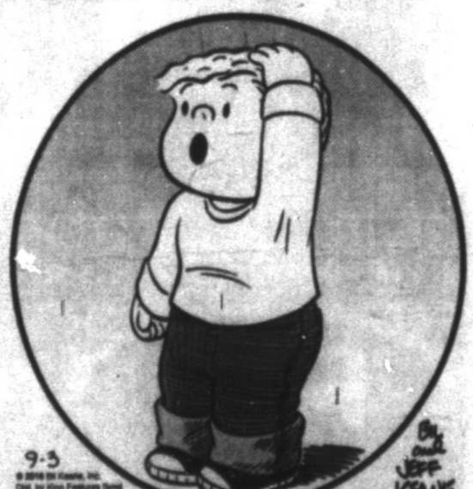

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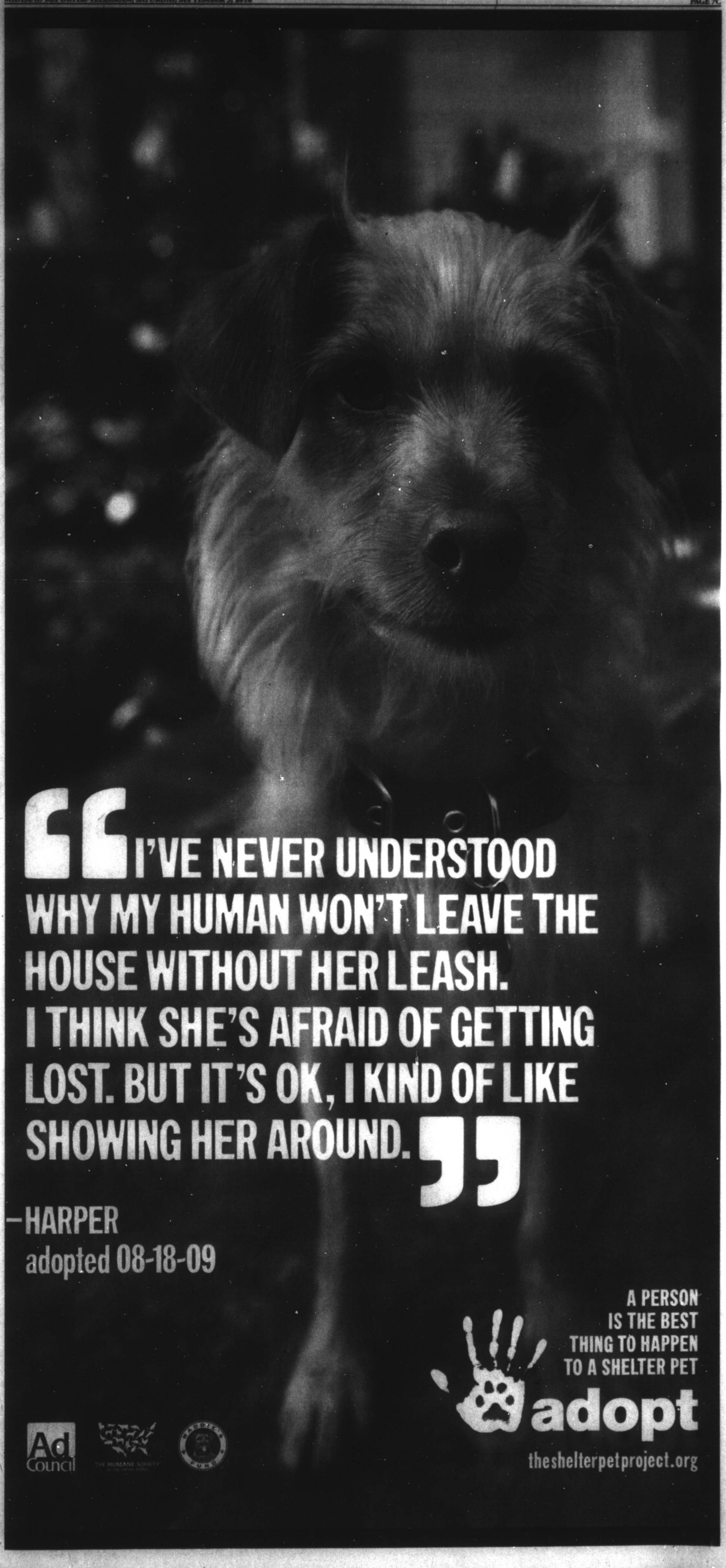
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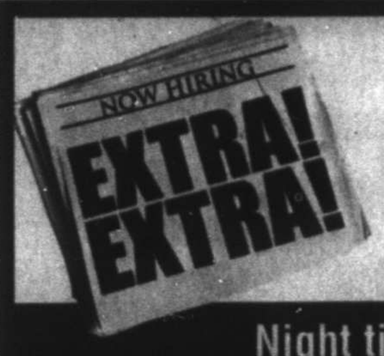

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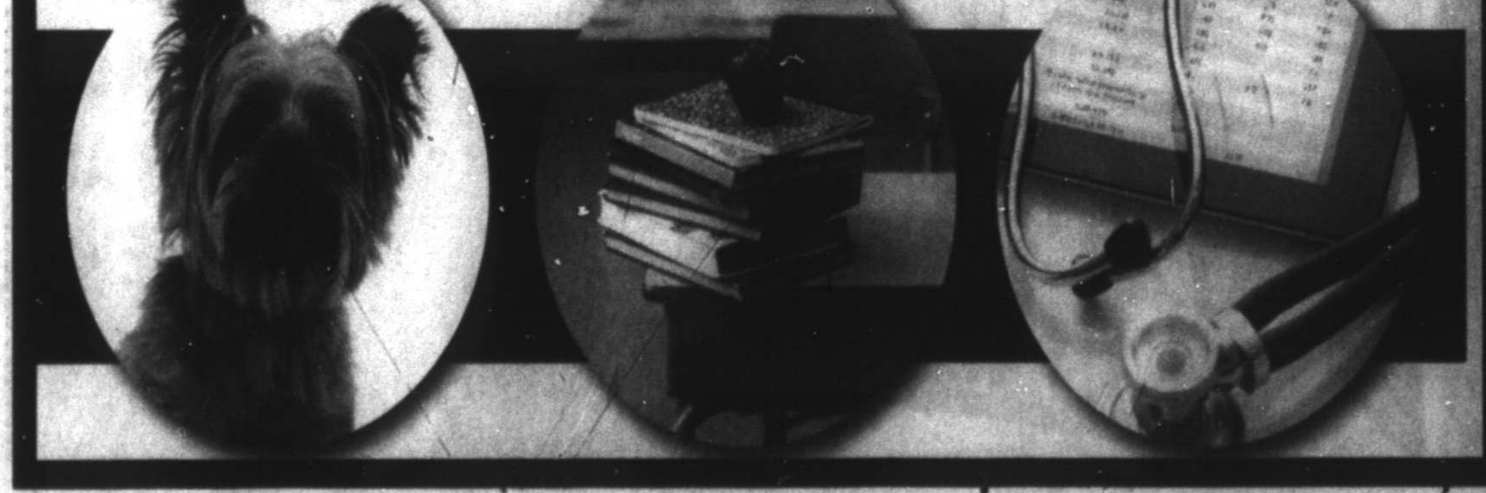

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Case ZBA 16-044: MCC HZ Unit (#1102 H Well), Sec. 11, Blk. X, H.P. Hilliard Svy, Midland, TX

Case ZBA 16-045: MCC HZ Unit (#1101 H Well), Sec. 11, Blk. X, H.P. Hilliard Svy, Midland, TX

Case ZBA 16-046: MCC HZ Unit (#1103 H Well), Sec. 11, Blk. X, H.P. Hilliard Svy, Midland, TX

Case ZBA 16-047: MCC HZ Unit (#1104 H Well), Sec. 11, Blk. X, H.P. Hilliard Svy, Midland, TX

VARIANCE: To the City Code concerning the height limitations for temporary Oil Well Drilling Equipment.

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Steve Thorpe
Building Official
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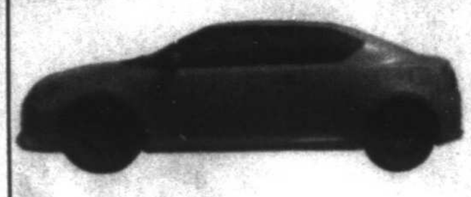

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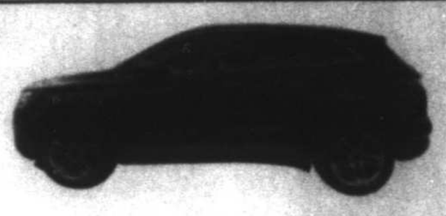

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AWD, 26,888 Miles
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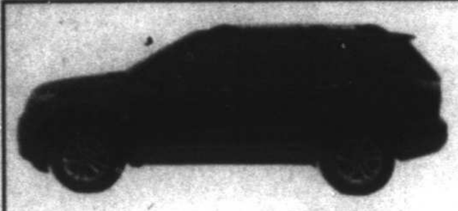

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2015 Ford Explorer
11,487 Miles
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2013 Ford Fusion
60,823 Miles
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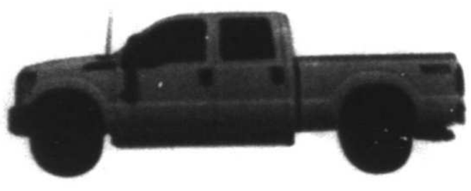

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2015 Ford F-250 4X4
47,000 Miles
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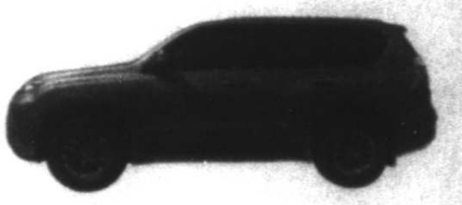

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2014 Lexus GX 460
36,499 Miles
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2013 Chrysler 200
54,121 Miles
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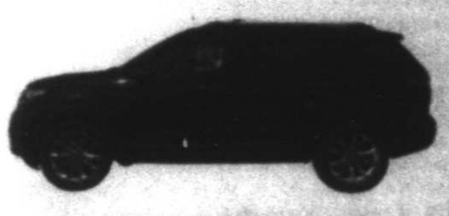

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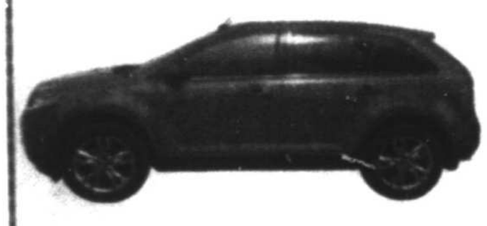

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2013 Ford Edge
68,828 Miles
Stk# 16301891

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2015 Ford Mustang
18,908 Miles
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2011 GMC Yukon
65,993 Miles
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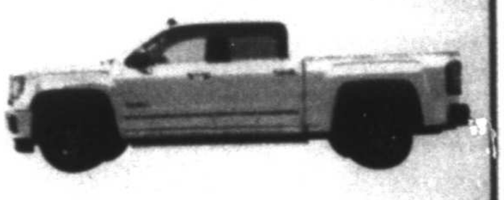

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25,815 Miles
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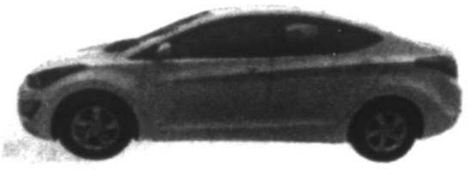

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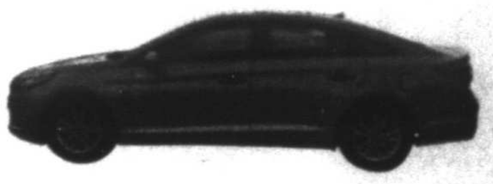

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2015 Hyundai Sonata
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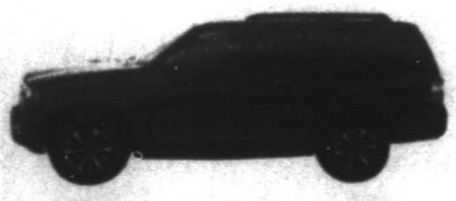

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2015 Ford Expedition
4 Wheel Drive, 41,442 Miles
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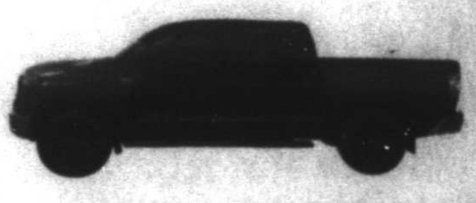

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2014 Toyota Tundra
26,243 Miles
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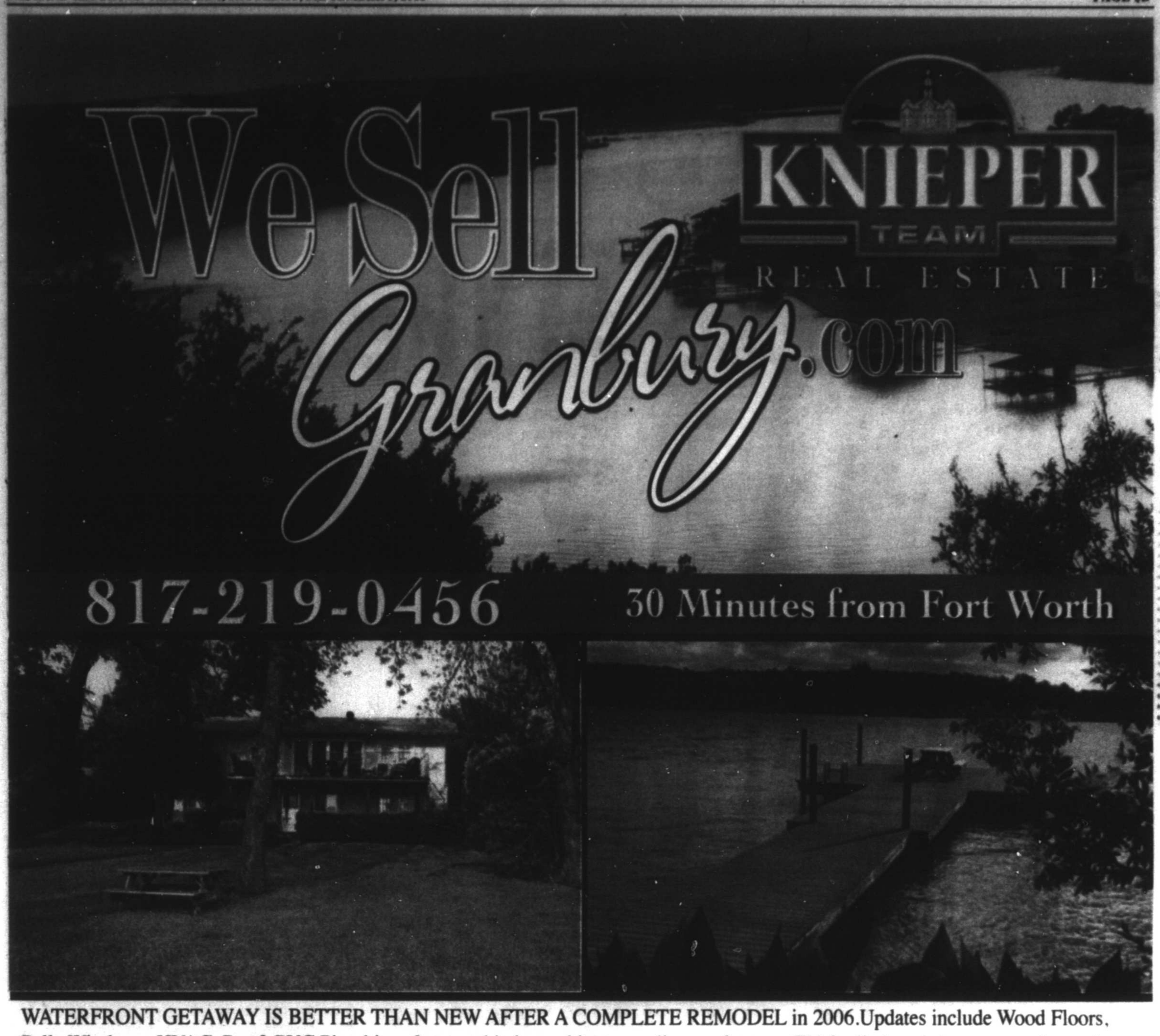
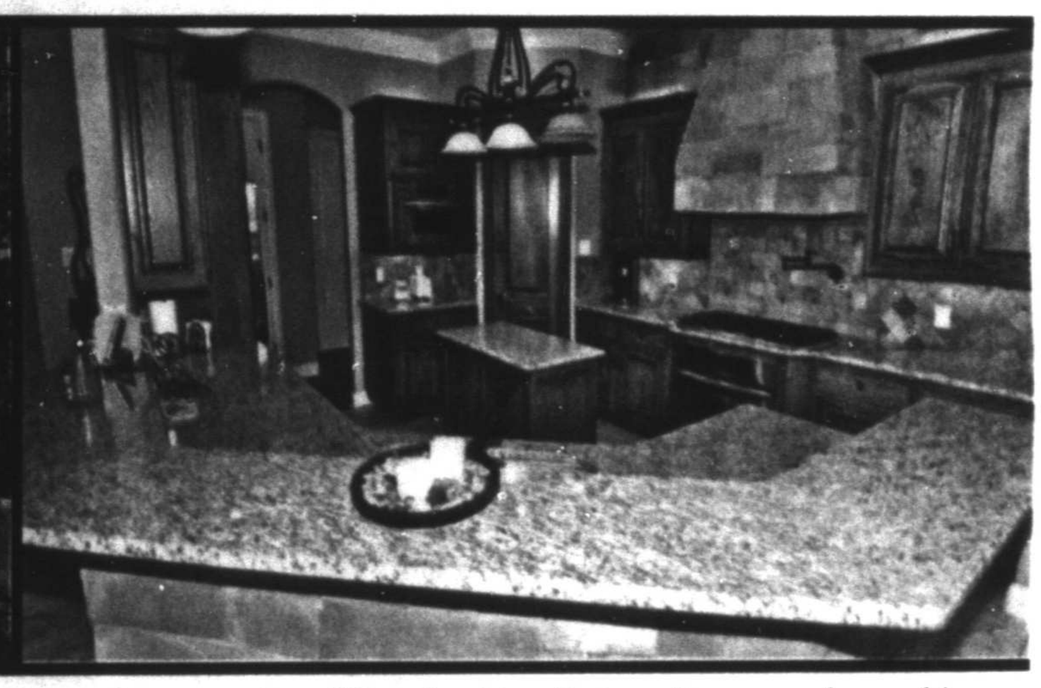
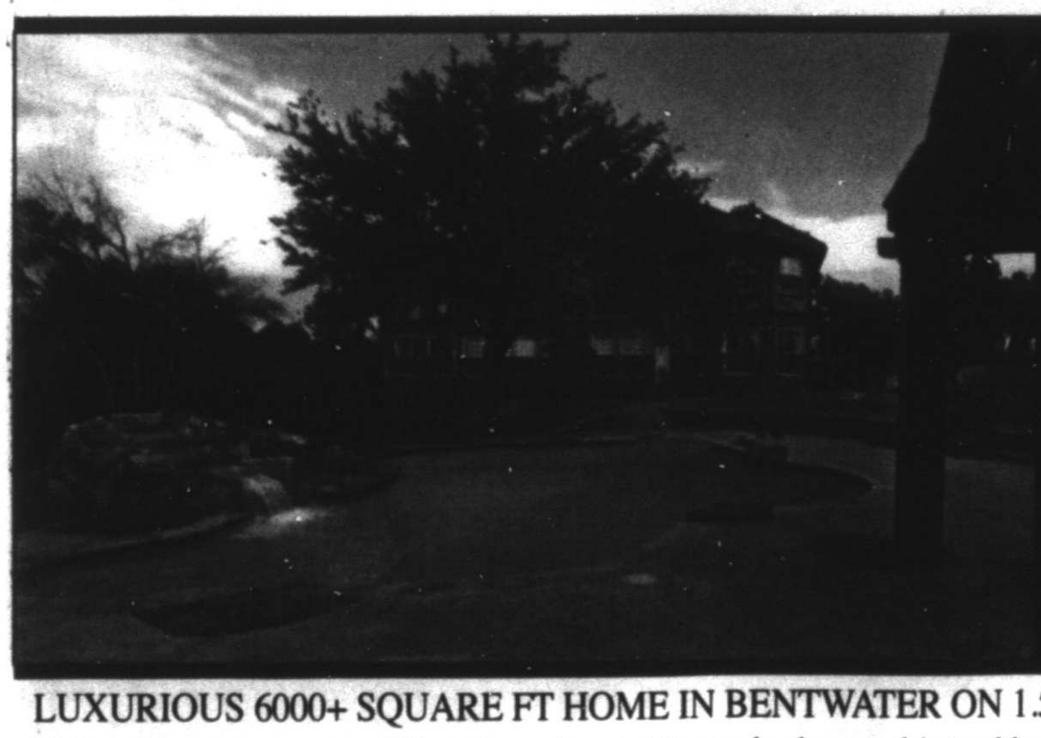
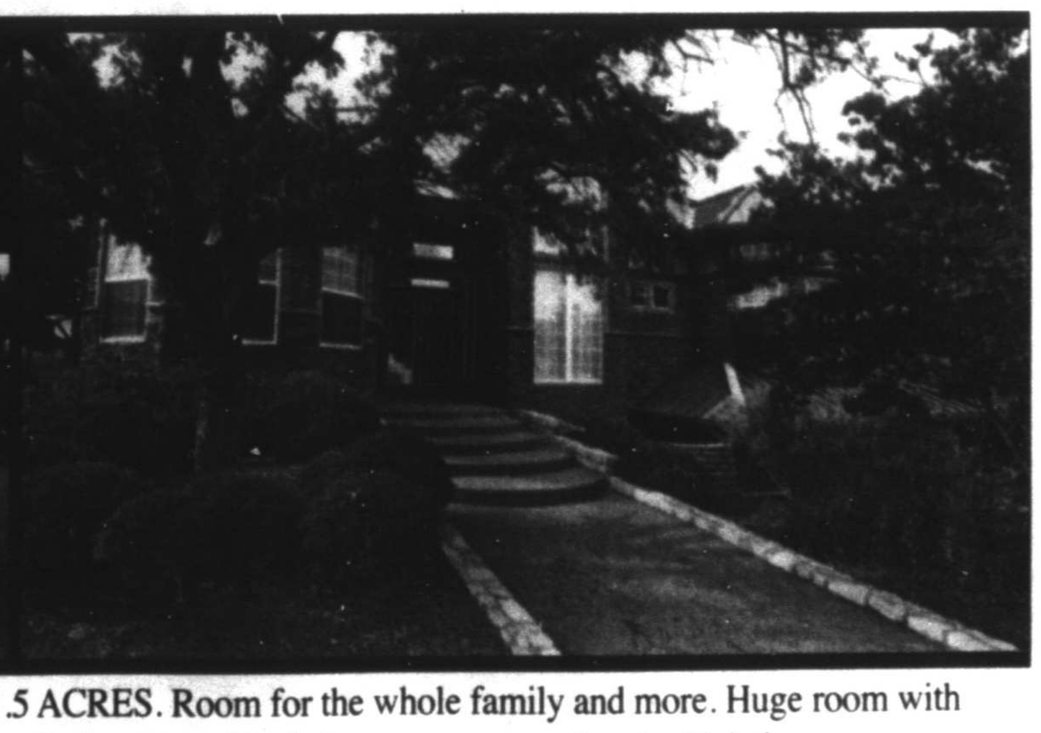


WATERFRONT GETAWAY IS BETTER THAN NEW AFTER A COMPLETE REMODEL in 2006.Updates include Wood Floors, Pella Windows, HVAC, Roof, PVC Plumbing, fixtures, kitchen cabinets, appliances & more. TV & all electronics, surround sound system w universal remote, speakers inside & out convey with the property, new fishing pear. .Priced at $334,775

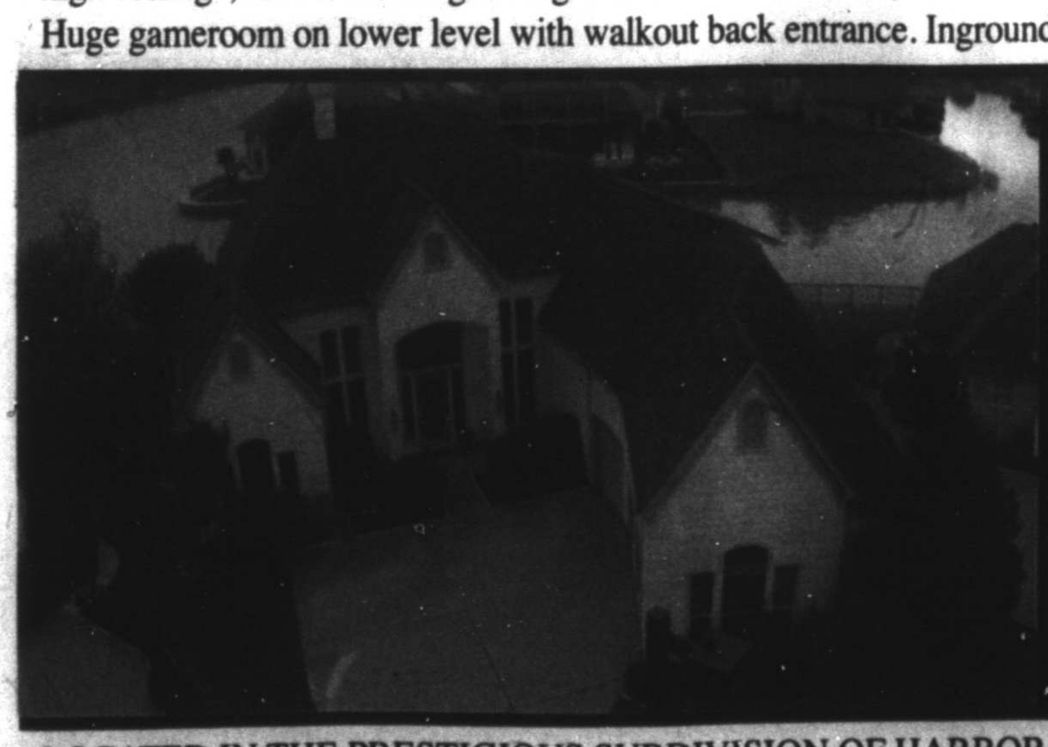


WATERFRONT MEDITERRANEAN STYLE HOME in prestigious gated community of Catalina Bay. Extraordinary workmanship and detail, archways w high ceilings, wood & tile flooring, granite countertops, crown molding, beautiful cabinetry and decorative fixtures. Open concept, rock FP in living with wall of windows, gourmet kitchen w island. $25K to buyer for dock. Priced at $469,000





LUXURIOUS 6000+ SQUARE FT HOME IN BENTWATER ON 1.5 ACRES. Room for the whole family and more. Huge room with high ceilings, crown molding throughout. Master bedroom, his and her bathrooms with sitting area on upper level with balcony access. Huge gameroom on lower level with walkout back entrance. Inground Pool with Rock waterfall. Priced at $649,000



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2405 Gulf Avenue - Midland, Texas 79705
Friday September 2nd 9:00am-3:00pm
Saturday September 3rd - 9:00am-2:00pm

My friend is moving to Belize to do volunteer Hospice work. House is sold with some contents, but the very best items are still available for purchase.

Furniture: Lift recliners; occasional chairs and tables; desks and chairs; entertainment centers; armoires; bookcases; game table with leaf and four chairs; White Mtg. triple dresser; trundle bed; screen dividers; ornamental iron shelves.

Miscellaneous: Whirlpool refrigerator; pots and pans; artwork; Southwest Indian décor; throws; rugs; mirrors; standing mirror/jewelry hideaway; flat-screen TV's; ladies' clothing.

Outside: Two storage buildings; ornamental archways; patio furniture; electric lawnmower; lots of plants, pots, and gardening supplies; tools.

SALE BY LINDA L. BIDEN

Yard & Garage Sales

79701

1000 N. MIDKIFF SUITE C - LIQUIDATION SALE! Thur., Fri., Sat. 10am-6pm. Hair products & nail polishes.

2402 LOCKHEED Drive Saturday 8am-? Baby items, some furniture, clothing items & lots of miscellaneous

2504 W. Kansas (back yard) Friday & Saturday 8am-? Baby bed, play pens, childrens clothes and odds & ends.

2901 W. Industrial Saturday 7am-? Multiple families. Baby stuff, furniture & much more.

79703

3706 AVONDALE. Saturday only, all day. Furniture, lots of household items and miscellaneous.

4501 WILSHIRE. Saturday 7:30am-? Patio sale! Washer & Dryer, storage utility shelves, copy/ scanner/ printer, bathroom cabinet with mirror, and misc items.

5103 STOREY Friday & Saturday 8am-? Furniture, tea cart, clothes, garage door with open, car jacks, & much more.

79703

Massive Moving sale. 3509 Princeton Ave. Saturday 8am- Rain or shine. Moving and can't take it with us- we have it all. Furniture, leather reclining couch & loveseat, full bed, crib, dressers, kitchen island, new microwave/ confection oven/warmer combo, home gym, weight machine, desks, office furniture, deep freeze, grill, bikes, Christmas trees & decor, coffee & ends tables, tools, lawnmower, weedeater, garage shelving, ceiling fan, kitchen items, home decor, cell phones, tablet, baby to adult clothing & shoes, toys, picture frames, kids outdoor swings, baby items, Also 2 free dogs & so much more. Come see us ... It all has to go. No early sales please.

79705

3234 W. Dengar Saturday 7:30am-? Household items, & mens clothes.

79706

2200 ECR 140 Friday 8am-2pm & Saturday 8am-1pm. Bedroom furniture, towels & bedding, home decor, set of rims & tires & lots of miscellaneous.

79706

6317 & 6403 SCR 1185 (South on Rankin, left at Cottonflat Church, then left on 1185) Monday 8am-1pm. Lots of stuff! Cheap!

79707

3330 PROVIDENCE Dr. Friday & Saturday 9am-3pm. Ladies clothes, shoes, jewelry, baby girl clothes (0-18 mo.), knick-knack, furniture and misc.

3605 JORDON Saturday 8:30am-? Multi family moving sale. Fish tanks, Coke machine, clothes, shoes, purses, & much more

4316 ROADRUNNER Trail, Saturday 8am-2pm. Huge Multi family moving sale! Rain or shine! Something for everyone. Kids clothes.

5203 Canadian Ave. Saturday 8am-?
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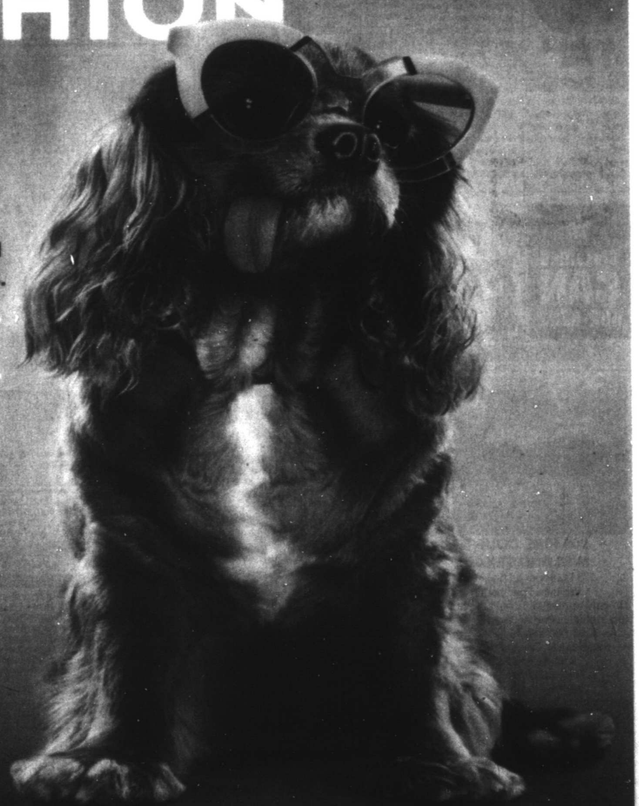

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