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Investors buy $197M in T-Bar Ranch bonds

Underwriters able to cut interest rate, shave year off term rate

By Sara Higgins
Staff Writer

Inside

Board members get a chance to taste the water from T Bar ranch. Page 4A

Almost $197 million in bonds issued for the T-Bar Ranch pipeline project completely sold out within hours Tuesday morning as they were scooped up by local and national investors.

"It was our hope that it would go within two hours, but you don't want to count your chickens before they hatch," said José Cuevas Jr., chairman of the Midland County Fresh Water District No. 1 board.

The issuance of the notes and bonds, which had a variety of interest rates and pay-out dates, was essential in moving forward with the project to meet the May 31, 2013, deadline to turn on the tap for the 65-mile-plus pipeline, District General Manager Jay Edwards said. The board voted in August to authorize the issuance of the bonds.

"I think it shows the strength of our community, that investors were willing to come in and be part of this locally, as well as nationally," Cuevas said.

The bonds were valued at a total of about $196.6 million for the cost of the project, Cuevas said, and underwriters were able to secure a blended interest rate of 4.39 percent instead of the 5 percent the board anticipated. The original 30-year term for the bonds was cut by one year, and it ultimately will cost the district $484 million, including principal and interest, to pay back the bonds over the next 29 years, he said.

The district believes the lower rates it received will result in $90 million in savings during that time period, which not only will provide some flexibility in its budget but also can be passed along to the city through its public-to-public partnership.

"If we don't have to spend that money, that just passes right through to the city — not having to spend that money so that our water rate doesn't have to cover it,"

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Midlanders open homes to tour pros

By Sara Higgins
Staff Writer

Life on the Web.com Tour is transitory by nature, but golfers and caddies who waited until the last minute to find a place to stay in Midland found themselves searching a little harder to put a roof over their heads this week.

About half of the registered participants in this week's WNB Golf Classic forwent staying in a hotel because of shortages and high expenses. About 70 percent usually stay in hotels, said tour officials, but more participants turned to private housing and connecting with friends-of-friends to secure a place to stay. One tour official said if more private housing options been available, he was sure there would be near "100 percent" staying in private housing.

In June, Midland's hotels had more than $6.6 million in taxable receipts, up from more than $4.6 million reported in 2011, according to the State Comptroller's Office.

Midlander Paula Bayley, who is not affiliated with the tour, has been establishing home stays for players for the past seven years, and Bayley said she has never connected as many tour participants with housing in the past as she has this year. Already understanding the dynamics of a booming economy in Midland, Bayley began leaving flyers in the pro shops at local golf courses. Tour officials told the players early in the summer that they'd better start making arrangements if they planned on golfing in Midland.

"I got my first call in June, and I said, 'Be sure you tell all the other players it's going to be tight this year,'" Bayley said.

She received about one or two calls per week, until players began feeling the crunch a few weeks ago.

"It seemed like every day

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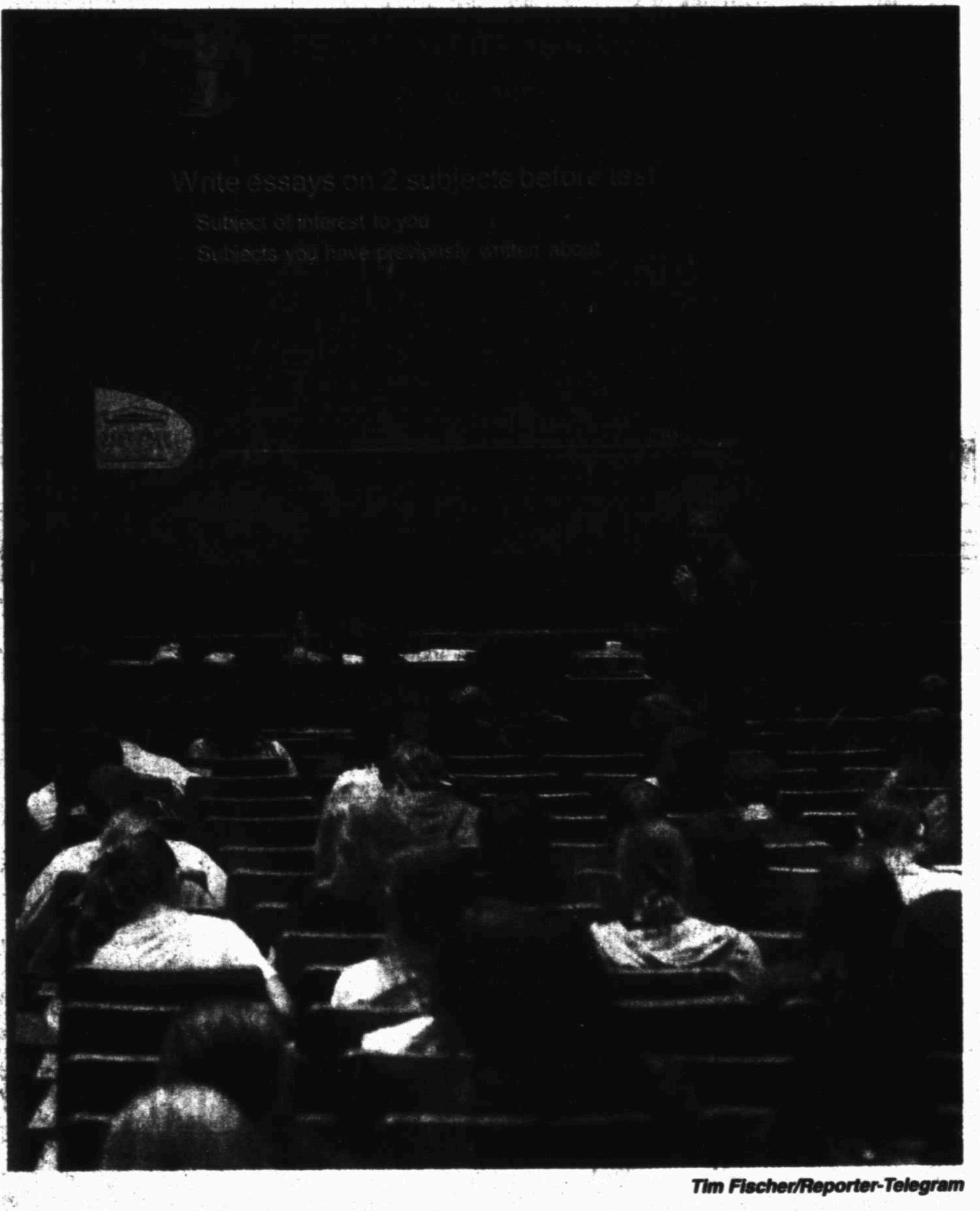
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Dave Winchester, with Test Prep Seminars, coaches and helps Midland High students Tuesday during a SAT/ACT Boot Camp to prepare them for college entrance exams.

Boot camps prepare students for tests

From staff reports

Midland High and Lee High School administrators and teachers want to help students prepare for the SAT/PSAT this fall.

The schools are hosting representatives of the organization, Test Prep Seminars, for SAT Boot Camps. A test prep representative is conducting intensive drills and is administering test-taking tips to help students with the SAT. Students must speak with a designated campus representative to register; program fees apply.

The MHS SAT Boot Camp was Tuesday in the MHS auditorium. The LHS SAT Boot Camp will take place Thursday in the LHS auditorium, 3500 Neely Ave.

Achievement on the SAT is a factor in college and university student selection and scholarship opportunities. Visit www.collegeboard.org to learn more.

Sheriff seeks jail industry program

By Audrie Palmer
Staff Writer

Inmates at the Midland County Jail may soon have a way to learn trades and skills if a new in-house training program is approved next week.

Midland County Sheriff Gary Painter said he hopes Midland County commissioners will adopt a jail industry program that will be established next month. He believes the program will give inmates something to work for rather than resorting to their old habits once released.

"We want to introduce a program that we hope will give inmates the opportunity to learn a trade and learn some life skills that might help them," Painter said. "Hopefully, we'll reach some of them and keep them out of jail and save taxpayers money in the long run."

On Monday, Painter will go before the county commissioners and ask that they adopt the resolution to create a position for the program.

If approved, he said he would like the program director to start by Oct. 1. Painter also said several in the community have expressed interest and already have begun interviews at the jail.

The jail recidivism rate is between 80 and 85 percent, and Painter is looking for a way to try to break that cycle. Many of the inmates have dropped out of school early in high school or have been forced to quit their education because of family problems or needing to work.

Others have been involved with alcohol and narcotics and become addicts at early ages, he said.

"They don't know what to do when they get off of it. They've never had a means of making a living for themselves when they're living off the streets and dealing narcotics," he said.

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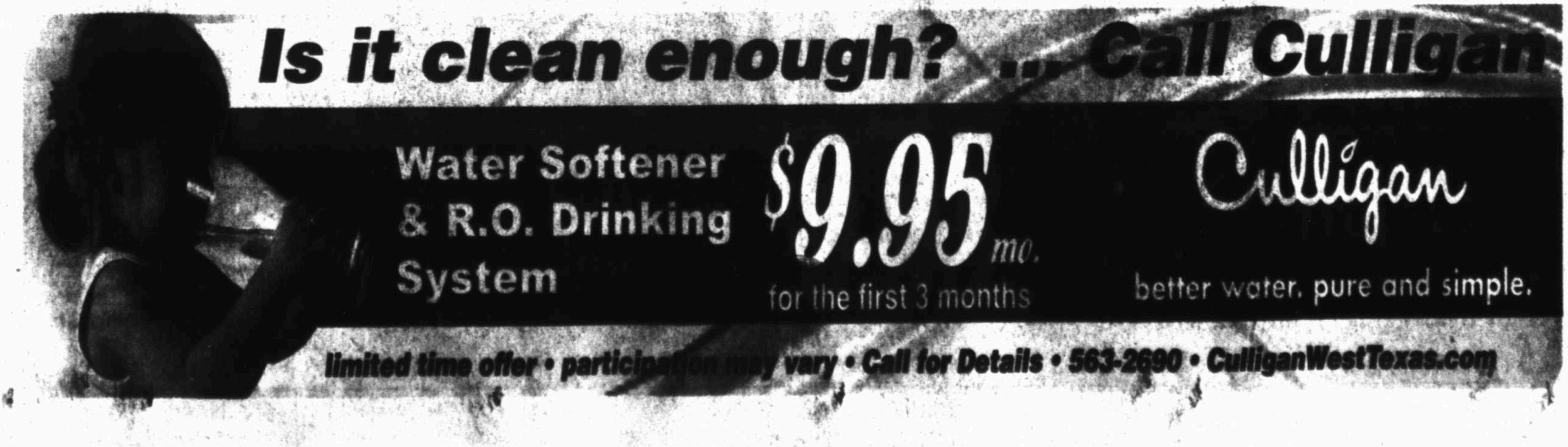

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Texas town's rental ban to get second hearing

Associated Press

DALLAS — A Dallas suburb's long, expensive fight to ban illegal immigrants from renting homes will get perhaps its most important hearing Wednesday before a largely conservative group of judges with the power to influence the national immigration debate.

Farmers Branch was sued four years ago after it passed an ordinance allowing the city building inspector to evict any illegal immigrant renters. Its case will now go before the full membership of the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, with 10 judges appointed by Republican presidents and just five by Democrats.

So far, no court has allowed Farmers Branch to enforce any form of the ordinance. But the appeals court's rare move to hear the case a second time, months after a different three-judge panel ruled against Farmers Branch, could be a sign that the town might finally get a victory.

The current ordinance, which replaced an earlier 2006 version, would require all renters to obtain a $5 city license and fill out an application that asks about their legal status.

Then, the city's building inspector would have to check whether any immigrant applying for a license was in the United States legally. Illegal immigrants would be denied a permit, and landlords who knowingly allow illegal immigrants to stay as tenants could be fined or have their renters' license barred.

The appeals court has directed all sides to focus on the U.S. Supreme Court's June ruling on Arizona's tough immigration law.

That ruling rejected major parts of the law, but upheld the so-called "show me your papers" requirement, which gives law enforcement authority to check a person's legal status if officers have reasonable suspicion he or she is in the U.S. illegally.

Farmers Branch's attorneys argue that the city's ordinance is substantially different from Arizona's law and that the Supreme Court didn't act to stop local officials from restricting illegal immigrant renters.

Attorneys for the landlords and renters who originally sued the town believe Farmers Branch is encroaching on legal territory reserved for federal authorities.

A federal district judge ruled against the city two years ago, and a three-judge panel at the 5th Circuit upheld that ruling in March.

Nina Perales, vice president of litigation for the Latino civil-rights group MALDEF, said she believed local officials could communicate with federal authorities on immigration matters, as long as they didn't take action on their own.

"Where the Supreme Court has drawn the line is where state and localities are taking unilateral adverse action against people they think are undocumented," said Perales, who will argue before the 5th Circuit on Wednesday.

Kansas Secretary of State Kris Kobach, a national advocate for tougher illegal immigration laws, will represent Farmers Branch before the full court, in what's known as an en banc hearing.

He said Tuesday he believed the Supreme Court upholding the "show me your papers" requirement strengthened Farmers Branch's case.

"The fact that the en banc decision was granted in and of itself was a win for the city, getting the opportunity to make the case as to why the panel majority was wrong," Kobach said.

The full 5th Circuit generally is considered to be one of the nation's most conservative federal courts. Its decision to hear the Farmers Branch case is rare — fewer than 5 percent of petitions for a full court hearing are granted — though the court rehearing a case doesn't necessarily mean judges intend to reverse an earlier decision.

Judge: Police to enforce Ariz. immigration law

PHOENIX — A judge in Arizona ruled Tuesday that police can immediately start enforcing the most contentious section of the state's immigration law, marking the first time officers can carry out the so-called "show me your papers" provision.

The decision by U.S. District Judge Susan Bolton is the latest milestone in a two-year legal battle over the requirement.

It culminated in a U.S. Supreme Court decision in June that upheld the provision on the grounds that it doesn't conflict with federal law.

Opponents responded to the Supreme Court decision by asking Bolton to block the requirement on different grounds, arguing that it would lead to systematic racial profiling and unreasonably long detentions of Latinos if it's enforced. She said early this month she wouldn't block it, and gave the go-ahead Tuesday for the law to take effect.

The section of the law requires that officers, while enforcing other laws, question the immigration status of those suspected of being in the country illegally. The "show me your papers" name comes from opponents.

Arizona's law was passed in 2010 amid voter frustration with the state's role as the busiest illegal entry point into the country. Five states — Alabama, Georgia, Indiana, South Carolina and Utah — have adopted variations on Arizona's law.

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BEAUMONT

Florida man sentenced in Texas fish scheme

A Florida man has been sentenced to nine months in federal prison for his role in a scheme to smuggle alligator gar from Texas for sale in Japan.

A jury found 63-year-old Loren Willis, of West Palm Beach, Fla., guilty last October after he and two other men were accused of harvesting alligator gar from the Trinity River and taking the fish to Florida so they could sell it in Japan.

The U.S. attorney's office said Willis was sentenced Tuesday.

According to information presented in court, Willis didn't have a required Texas fishing license, and a co-defendant altered documents to show the fish were captive bred, which wouldn't require an inspection before export.

LUBBOCK

Museum euthanizes mules for exhibit

A West Texas museum has purchased two old mules and euthanized them for a farm display.

The American Museum of Agriculture in Lubbock said in a statement that the two mules were purchased from a local horse and mule trader after a long search for already preserved animals came up empty.

One mule was 28 years old. The other was 32. The mules were euthanized and eventually will be put on display.

Museum officials said the mules would have otherwise been transported to Mexico and slaughtered.

Responding to criticism over the move, the museum said in the statement released Monday that the real animals will allow visitors to get a more accurate picture of how mules are used in the field.

MEXICO CITY

10 killed in pipeline fire near US border

Ten people were killed Tuesday in a fire at a gas pipeline distribution center near Mexico's border with the United States.

Mexico's state-owned oil company, Petroleos Mexicanos, also known as Pemex, said the fire broke out Tuesday morning at a facility near the city of Reynosa, across from McAllen.

The company said in a statement that the fire had been extinguished and the pipeline had been shut off. The pipeline serves wells in the Burgos basin that produce natural gas.

The company said Tuesday that Pemex employees staff the center, but said it was not immediately clear whether those killed were Pemex employees. Nor did the company immediately offer the possible cause of the fire.

Pipelines carrying gasoline and diesel in Mexico are frequently tapped by thieves looking to steal oil products. Several oil spills and explosions have been blamed on illegal taps. But thieves seldom target gas pipelines.

SHERMAN

Panda to build natural gas-powered plant

A Dallas company plans to build a 758-megawatt natural gas-fueled electric generating plant in North Texas.

Panda Power Funds on Tuesday announced financing has been secured by its Panda Sherman Power LLC for a plant in Sherman, about 60 miles north of Dallas.

Construction will start immediately on the Sherman plant, which should be operating by late 2014.

Mexico finds few escapees in border prison break

Associated Press

PIEDRAS NEGRAS, Mexico — Officials said Tuesday they have found three inmates thought to have escaped through a tunnel at a northern Mexico border prison, lowering the number of escaped prisoners to 129.

Three female inmates were found hiding in a prison visiting area, Jorge Luis Moran, the public safety secretary of the northern border state of Coahuila, told the television network Televisa.

Federal police units and Mexican troops, including 70 members of an elite military special forces unit, were searching for inmates who fled the prison in Piedras Negras, a city across the border from Eagle Pass. They escaped Monday through a tunnel 21 feet long and 4 feet in diameter and then cut their way through a chain link barrier.

Moran later said the jailbreak appeared to have been orchestrated by the hyper-violent Zetas drug cartel. "We assume that they organized it," he said.

He said some of the inmates might have been forced to take part in the jailbreak as a way to swell the ranks of the Zetas, who have been fighting a bloody turf battle in Coahuila with the Sinaloa cartel.

The director and two other employees of the state prison have been detained for an investigation.

President Felipe Calderon called the jailbreak "deplorable" in a statement posted on his Twitter account Tuesday.

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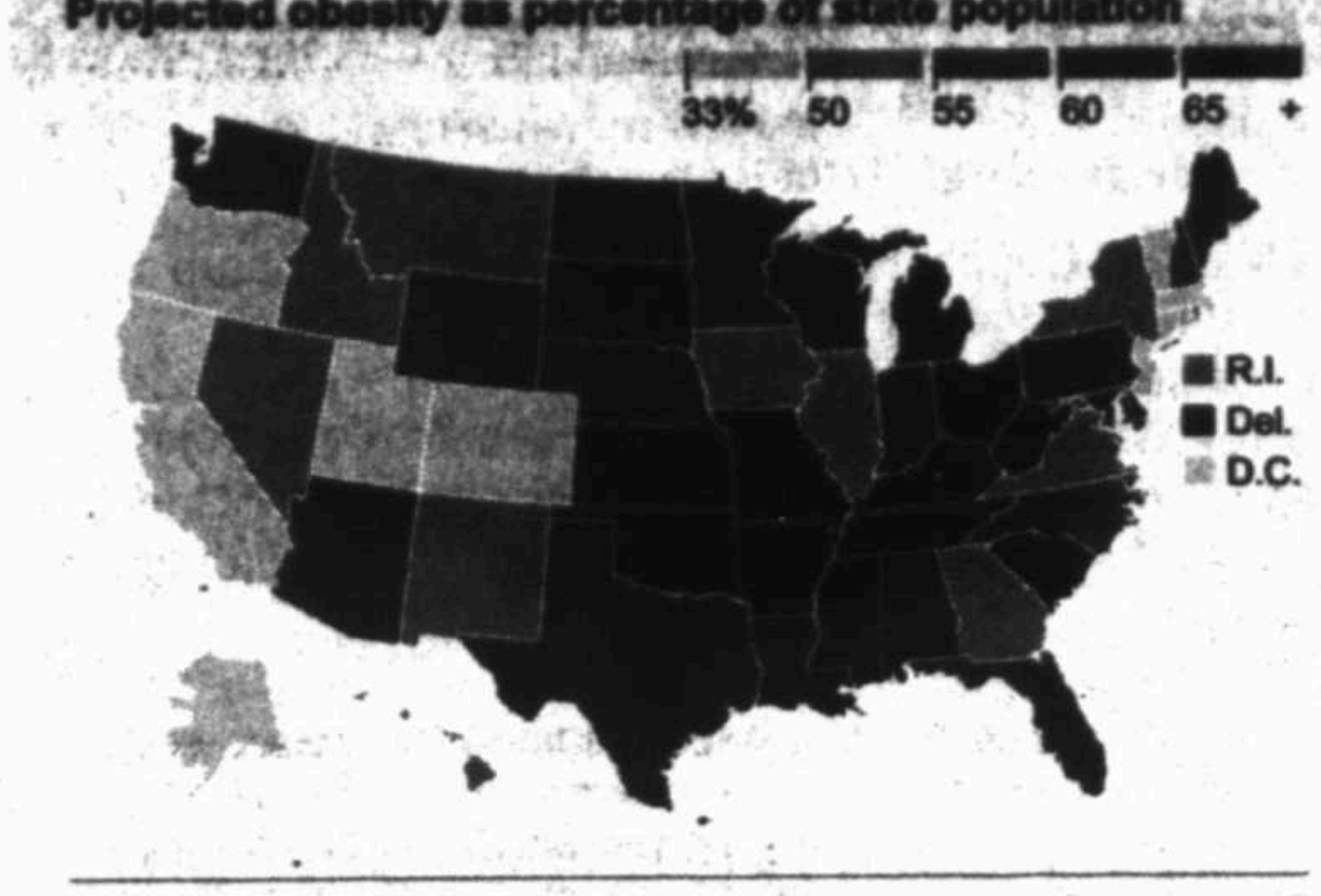
Fat forecast: US in for big surprise

Obesity forecast

By 2030, advocates predict that more than 50 percent of residents in 39 states could be obese. The U.S. government projects 42 percent obesity nationwide.

Projected obesity as percentage of state population



SOURCE: Trust for America's Health. Robert Wood Johnson Foundation AP

Current levels, projections

Listed are 2011 obesity levels followed by the Trust for America's Health projections for 2030. States are listed in order from the highest to lowest projections in 2030:

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2. Oklahoma, 31 percent, 66 percent
3. Delaware, 29 percent, 65 percent
4. Tennessee, 29 percent, 63 percent
5. South Carolina, 31 percent, 63 percent
6. Alabama, 32 percent, 63 percent
7. Kansas, 30 percent, 62 percent
8. Louisiana, 33 percent, 62 percent
9. Missouri, 30 percent, 62 percent
10. Arkansas, 31 percent, 61 percent
11. South Dakota, 28 percent, 60 percent
12. West Virginia, 32 percent, 60 percent
13. Kentucky, 30 percent, 60 percent
14. Ohio, 30 percent, 60 percent
15. Michigan, 31 percent, 59 percent
16. Arizona, 25 percent, 59 percent
17. Maryland, 28 percent, 59 percent
18. Florida, 27 percent, 59 percent
19. North Carolina, 29 percent, 58 percent
20. New Hampshire, 26 percent, 58 percent
21. **Texas, 30 percent, 57 percent**
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43. Massachusetts, 23 percent, 49 percent
44. New Jersey, 24 percent, 49 percent
45. Vermont, 25 percent, 48 percent
46. California, 24 percent, 47 percent
47. Connecticut, 25 percent, 47 percent
48. Utah, 24 percent, 46 percent
49. Alaska, 27 percent, 46 percent
50. Colorado, 21 percent, 45 percent
51. D.C. 24 percent, 33 percent

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NEW YORK — We Americans already know how fat we are. Can it get much worse?

Apparently, yes, according to an advocacy group that predicts that by 2030 more than half the people in the vast majority of states will be obese.

Mississippi is expected to retain its crown as the fattest state in the nation for at least two more decades.

The report predicts 67 percent of that state's adults will be obese by 2030; that would be an astounding increase from Mississippi's current 35 percent obesity rate. The new projections were released Tuesday by Trust for America's Health and the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation. The two organizations regularly report on obesity to raise awareness, and they rely on government figures.

The group's dismal forecast goes beyond the 42 percent national obesity level that federal health officials project by 2030. The group predicts every state would have rates above 44 percent by that time, although it didn't calculate a national average.

About two-thirds of Americans are overweight now. That includes people who are obese, a group that accounts for about 36 percent. Obesity rates have been holding steady in recent years. Obesity is defined as having a body-mass index of 30 or more, a measure of weight for height.

Trust for America's Health officials said their projections are based in part on state-by-state surveys by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention from 1999 through 2010. The phone surveys ask residents to self-report their height and weight; people aren't always so accurate about that.

The researchers then looked at other national data tracking residents' weight and measurements and made adjustments for how much people in each state might fudge the truth about their weight. They also tried to apply recent trends in obesity rates, along with other factors, to make the predictions.

Officials with Trust for America's Health said they believe their projections are reasonable.

"If we don't do anything, I think that's a fair prediction," said Dr. Thomas Farley, health commissioner in New York City, which just passed a regulation banning supersize sugary drinks to curb obesity.

Trust for America projects that by 2030, 13 states would have adult obesity rates above 60 percent, 39 states might have rates above 50 percent, and every state would have rates above 44 percent.

Even in the thinnest state — Colorado, where about one-fifth of residents are obese — 45 percent would be obese by 2030.

Perhaps more surprising, Delaware is expected to have obesity levels nearly as high as Mississippi. Delaware currently is in the middle of the pack when it comes to self-reported obesity rates.

The report didn't detail why some states' rates were expected to jump more than others.

It also didn't calculate an average adult obesity rate for the entire nation in 2030, as the CDC did a few months ago. But a researcher who worked on the Trust for America's Health study acknowledged that report's numbers point toward a figure close to 50 percent.

Whichever estimates you trust most, it's clear that the nation's weight problem is going to continue, escalating the number of cases of diabetes, heart disease and stroke, said Jeff Levi, executive director of Trust for America's Health.

Texas statistics:

2011 obesity levels:

30 percent

2030 projected obesity levels:

57 percent

OBESITYBRIEFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

DALLAS

Fat location an indicator of Type 2 diabetes, study says

More and more Americans are becoming obese, but not all fat is equal, say researchers at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center.

Their study, published Tuesday in the Journal of the American Medical Association, found that certain obese patients were more likely to develop Type 2 diabetes, but that a person's overall weight was not the deciding factor.

The greatest risk to developing diabetes was having fat stored inside the abdomen, nestling around the internal organs.

Figuring out which obese patients are at greatest risk for diabetes would allow doctors to target only the worst cases for weight-loss surgery or other medical interventions, said Dr. James de Lemos, a UT Southwestern professor of internal medicine and the study's senior investigator.

The study focused on the obese participants of the on-going Dallas Heart Study, which has enrolled more than 6,000 people since 2000. The study found nearly 40 percent were in some stage of the disease, including a "pre-diabetic condition," and 11 percent had reached Type 2 diabetes.

NEW YORK

Study suggests tie between BPA and child obesity

A provocative new study suggests a connection between the BPA chemical used in food packaging and childhood obesity, but the researchers say their findings don't prove it's the cause. While most people have traces of the plastics chemical in their bodies, the study found that children with the highest levels in their urine were twice as likely to be obese as those with the lowest.

There are other factors that could explain the results, and many reasons why children gain too much weight, the researchers said.

"Clearly unhealthy diet and poor physical activity are the leading factors contributing to obesity in the United States, especially in children," said lead author Dr. Leonardo Trasande of New York University.

One puzzling result: Significant differences were detected only in white children. For black and Hispanic kids, obesity rates were similar for those with the lowest levels of BPA as those with the largest amount.

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TODAY IN MIDLAND

Things to do

■ "The Price is Right, Live!" 7:30 p.m., Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center. Tickets: $37 to $52, if still available. Registration for contestant drawing starts at 4:30 p.m. For more information and tickets: www.wagnernoel.com or 800-514-3849.

Coming Thursday

■ Davidson Distinguished Lecture Series presents Doris Kearns Goodwin, world-renowned historian and a best-selling, Pulitzer Prize-winning author, 7:30 p.m., Chaparral Center, Midland College campus. Admission: Free.

Community calendar

■ Grande Communications is hosting a job fair from 2-7 p.m. today at the MCM Elegante Hotel in Odessa.

Positions available include: broadband communications technician, broadband service technician, commercial broadband consultant, enterprise sales representative, field operations supervisor, territory manager and more. Hiring managers will be available on site to conduct interviews; candidates are asked to have a resume available for review.

■ Keep Midland Beautiful Tree-Keepers presents "The Drought's effect on trees and how to keep your trees alive" from 9-11 a.m. Saturday at Sibley Nature Center, near Wadley Avenue by Hogan Park.

Certified arborists will give attendees information on how to keep trees alive during the drought. For more information, contact 687-7400 or go to keepmidland beautiful.org.

■ The Petroleum Museum is hosting a lunch for prospective volunteers at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday. For more information or to RSVP, call 683-4403. Deadline to respond is Monday.

■ The George W. Bush Childhood Home monthly reading event is planned for 4:30-5:30 p.m. Thursday.

This month's featured book is "Tomas and the Library Lady." Each child will receive a copy of the book. Refreshments will be served.

To make a reservation, call 685-1112.

■ Midland Memorial Hospital and Permian Basin Area Health Education Center is scheduling a training program for youth interested in health care fields.

Friday is the application deadline for the Permian Basin Youth Health Service Corps, which begins meeting on Tuesday.

For more information, call Jill Skaggs at 553-4086 or Kim Kincaid at 685-6687.

■ The 49th annual Commemorative Air Force AirSho is Oct. 13-14. Gates open 8:30 a.m. each day.

Advance tickets are $15 for adults and $5 for children ages 6-12. Tickets can be purchased at www.airsho.org. Tickets sold at the gate will be $20 for adults and $5 for children. Children age 5 and under are free. Parking is $5; partial proceeds will benefit the Buffalo Trail Council of the Boy Scouts of America.

For more information, call 563-1000 or visit www.airsho.org or www.commemorativeairforce.org.

Support groups and club meetings today

■ Bariatric Support Group, 11:30 a.m., ACT Counseling Center, 2445 E. 11th St., Odessa; 272-4333.

■ Overeaters Anonymous; noon; B&J Plaza, 206 N. Midkiff Road, Suite 1-D; 553-1031.

Send Warren over the edge

Midland ISD will send Superintendent Warren Ryder rappelling down the 22-story Wilco Building on Oct. 3 if at least $1,500 is raised.

The money for "Toss the Boss" would benefit the Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America and its "Over the Edge" fundraiser.

Donate electronically and view a support video at http://www.stayclassy.org/fundraise?fcid=211078

Water worries

Based on limits set by the Colorado River Municipal Water District and the amount the city can take from the Paul Davis water fields, city officials expect water delivery to be limited to 18.5 million gallons. Using more than that figure consistently could result in the city halting outdoor watering.

Monday's total: 13,922,000 gallons (CRMWD 10,379,000, Paul Davis field 3,543,000)

Previous three Mondays:

Sept. 10: 16,923,000 gallons
Sept. 3: 15,437,000 gallons
Aug. 27: 15,972,000 gallons

Current total storage by CRMWD in their lakes is 70,703 acre-feet. (1 acre-foot is approximately 325,800 gallons). Total storage last year at the same time was 126,481 acre-feet. The current average for September is 12,388,118 gallons.

This date in Midland history

In 2009, The Midland RockHounds defeated the Northwest Arkansas Naturals in four games to claim the franchise's second Texas League championship in four years.

Lottery

Pick 3 day: 1-0-8
Pick 3 night: 2-2-9
Daily 4 day: 4-7-1-0
Daily 4 night: 6-9-0-6
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All or Nothing night: 5-6-7-8-13-14-17-18-21-22-23-24

Today in history

Today's highlight:

On Sept. 19, 1982, the smiley emoticon was invented as Carnegie Mellon University professor Scott E. Fahlman proposed punctuating humorously intended computer messages by employing a colon followed by a hyphen and a parenthesis as a horizontal "smiley face." :-)

Associated Press

WATER

From 1A

Edwards said. "It's just money saved for the citizens."

Austin-based consultant Steve Walden, former water utilities division director at the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, also helped save the district money as he assisted the completion of the bond application process, which took three weeks. He negotiated with the TCEQ to cut the rates for related fees from $550,000 down to $50,000. The district elected Tuesday to contract for Walden's help through the remainder of the project, planning to pay him $100,000 for his professional services through May.

The security for the financial instruments sold Tuesday will be the revenue from the delivery charge paid by the city of Midland for the water it uses, said attorney Robert Rendall of Stubbeman, McRae, Sealy, Laughlin & Browder, which is representing the district.

The city has agreed to pay not more than $2.78 per thousand gallons it uses during the first three years of the contract and to use an average of 10 million gallons of water per day from T-Bar Ranch.

Following the initial three years, the district can raise the rate by no more than 5 percent to cover its increasing costs, the contract states.

Shorter-term notes were issued to repay the $70 million in interim financing that had been provided by a consortium of local banks, and revenue bonds were sold to finance the remainder of the project. The district already has spent all but about $200,000 of that funding to get started on the project. The design for the transmission line has been completed for some time, and more than 13 miles of pipeline has been installed, Edwards said.

Crews are a few weeks ahead of their schedule to have the pipes in place by February, and this should give the district ample time to complete quality testing by the May 31 deadline, Edwards said. The crews already had drilled three of the 35 designed production wells as of Friday, he said.

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'Want a sip?'

By Sara Higgins
Staff Writer

Members of the Midland County Fresh Water District No. 1 board were offered their first taste of water from one of the T-Bar Ranch pipeline wells at a meeting Tuesday.

All declined until results are returned from quality testing, but they visibly were excited to see the first fruits of their labor as District General Manager Jay Edwards presented a half-filled plastic bottle labeled "TBAR" in black marker.

"Want a drink?" he asked.

Most of the construction workers have been drinking the water as they build, Edwards said.

"We've done all this work and this is the first time we've seen water," he said. "We're not building this pipeline for nothing."

In other business:

Members of the district board plan to give a presentation in front of the Midland County Commissioner's Court on Monday after commissioners approached the district about providing drinking water for the county.

"We're excited about it because it goes right in line with what we've talked about from the district standpoint, which is helping secure water for Midland and from a regional perspective," Edwards said. "I think it helps the district look towards a regional solution in water planning."

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TOUR

From 1A

my phone was '*ring, ring,* ring,'" she said.

As of last week, she already had found housing for 70 tour participants. Some players do bring their caddies along, Bayley said, but priority is given to the players.

"It's fun to watch them, and then when they get on the PGA tour you can say, 'I know him,'" said Bayley, who has hosted players such as Charley Hoffman and Daniel Summerhays in the past.

Though the majority of hosts, like Bayley, are themselves golfers, some simply enjoy providing Southern hospitality and receiving the company their new guests provide.

Kaye Horchler has been hosting Argentine golfer Miguel Angel Carballo for the past few years despite not knowing "a birdie from the eagles in the sky," she said. She brags about him like her own son, and she even went to watch him play in a tournament in Reno, Nev., in April — she registered as his "foster mother." She enjoys being able to practice speaking Spanish with him and sets her dinner table every night for caddies and players to stop by for a homemade meal, even though it's not required of the hosts. By Friday, her table is full.

"When they're traveling, their friendships become the people who are constant, that's their caddies, their fellow players," she said. "I just like to listen, and I love to have a full table."

Many players said hotels they've stayed at in the past have almost doubled, if not more, in price this year — and that's if there was availability by the time they started their search. The hassle almost provided a stumbling block, especially for players trying to qualify Monday to stay through the week for the tournament.

"I don't know if I would have come if I didn't have a place to stay," said Chris Brown, from Garland, who locked down a place with family friends of fellow golfer Michael Whitehead. "If you don't do it way ahead of time, you're out."

Unexpected housing costs can be detrimental to a player who already is having to pay a caddie during a tournament, said Joey Snyder III. He said he would have stayed in a hotel had the rates been the same as last year, but was forced to find private housing through Bayley instead.

Aaron Watkins is staying with friends of his caddie, Kevin Pokora, in Odessa. He enjoys the home-cooked meals and available activities at the house, but he's not used to coming home after a long day of practice to a family with kids who constantly are on the go.

Some caddies, like Larry Dworaczyk, are used to finding alternatives to hotels while on the road. He's showered at YMCAs and camped at state parks, and this year he planned to pitch a tent in the caddie parking lot at Midland Country Club. If that doesn't work, he might check out the Walmart parking lot. In the past, hotels have been affordable enough in the area to forgo the tent, but this year he doesn't really see any other choice. Because caddies only receive a portion of their players' winnings, they have to watch their finances carefully throughout the week.

"I mean, we've got to eat," Dworaczyk said.

The price isn't a deterrent for all players, but some said they enjoy the opportunity to stay with other golfers in their time off the fairway from time-to-time — not to mention receive a homemade meal. Though two-time U.S. Open winner Lee Janzen originally made reservations at the Grand Texan Hotel, he ultimately decided to stay in a home with a few other caddies and golfers while in Midland.

"It makes for a fun week," he said Tuesday. "We played nine games of ping pong last night."

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JAIL

From 1A

With so many employers in Midland needing experienced help, especially in the restaurant business, Painter said he hopes the program will help train inmates in health and food service. He said it is important for inmates, once released, to make a living and stay away from their old habits and out of jail in the future.

"It's something we're going to try," he said.

Painter reported a jail population of 300 inmates as of Tuesday morning (capacity is 350). By working to reduce the recidivism rate and freeing up more beds, Painter said he hopes the program will save the community and taxpayers. Currently the county spends $68.31 a day to house an inmate.

The jail industry program won't cost taxpayers, Painter added, stating that the money for the position will come out of the commissary account.

Other jails around the state, including Beaumont, recently have started similar programs, and officials said they hope to work with several businesses and the restaurant association in town to find jobs for those inmates they will have trained with the program.

A food handling program already has been instituted in the jail, Painter said, and 10 inmates have been obtained certificates. The jail industry program would expand that training to involve some cooking for those willing to work, he said.

"We're on a mission. We're trying to benefit the prisoners in one way or another," Painter said, adding there are inmates he's met who don't want any help.

"But there are those who would like to get their head above water and make a living for themselves and their families. Those are the ones we're reaching out to."

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Midland College trustees set tax rate

By Meredith Moriak
Staff Writer

Midland College trustees adopted an ad valorem tax rate of $0.14418 per $100 valuation at its regular meeting Tuesday.

This total tax rate is divided into maintenance and operation, which accounts for $0.12639 per $100 valuation, and debt service, which accounts for $0.01779 per $100 valuation.

The approved tax rate is 14 percent less than last year's tax rate and will decrease taxes on a home valued at $173,258 — the average price in Midland — by about $28 a year.

While the proposed rate of $0.14418 is lower than last year's rate of $0.167859, the increase in Midland's certified values will generate at least $1.49 million more for Midland College's budget this year. The average homeowner will see taxes decrease from $278 last year to $250 this year, said Rick Bender, vice president of Administrative Services.

Trustees held two tax rate hearings — on Sept. 4 and Sept. 11 — but no one from the public attended.

Also at the meeting, trustees:

■ Approved tuition and fees charged for the continuing education and workforce education programs during the 2011-12 academic year and granted Distance Learning and Continuing Education Dean Dale Beikirch the authority to approve 2012-13 tuition rates and fees for classes, with exceptions.

■ Approved personnel recommendations for four positions, including Tanya Primera as director of the Helen L. Greathouse Children's Center.

■ Approved a resignation from director of automotive technology Ted Sumners and a retirement letter from student publications lab instructor Karen Lanier.

■ Approved the nomination of Midlander Duncan Kennedy to the Midland College Foundation Board.

■ Were introduced to the MC volleyball and men's basketball teams.

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Ariz. man goes on trial in 1984 murder in Texas

Associated Press

FORT WORTH — A teen confessed to killing a former high school acquaintance in 1986, but authorities didn't find out until nearly 25 years later when DNA testing of stored evidence led to that man living in Arizona, prosecutors said Tuesday.

Ryland Shane Absalon was 17 when Ginger Hayden was stabbed more than 50 times in 1984 before her first day of college. Her mother found her 18-year-old daughter's lifeless body and blood-soaked sheets in the morning when Hayden's alarm clock kept ringing.

Two years later, Absalon told someone at a drug treatment center that even though Hayden had a boyfriend, Absalon wanted her, so he got into her apartment, hid in her closet and repeatedly stabbed her after she fell asleep, prosecutors said.

"Sept. 5, 1984, was supposed to be a milestone in Ginger Hayden's life ... but turned out to be the date on her gravestone," prosecutor Lisa Callaghan told jurors during opening statements.

Absalon, 45, was living with his wife and young child when he was arrested in 2010 in Sierra Vista, Ariz. He is charged with capital murder and faces up to life in prison if convicted. Prosecutors are not seeking the death penalty.

Defense attorneys had sought to have Absalon's alleged confession withheld, as participants in the program apparently were under orders to not talk about admissions made during therapy, and no one contacted authorities until news of Absalon's arrest surfaced. But state District Judge Everett Young ruled Monday that it was admissible.

Defense attorney Gary Udashen told the jury Tuesday that Absalon falsely confessed because he was sleep-deprived and pressured at the treatment center, where counselors also told him that anything he said would be confidential.

Absalon's DNA was in the apartment because he and his friends often hung out there, Udashen said. He also told jurors that DNA from an unknown man was found under the victim's fingernails, on a bedroom quilt and a bloody sock in the bathroom.

TEXASROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

SLATON

Pilot uninjured in chopper crash

A West Texas official says the pilot of a small helicopter landing at a city-owned airport escaped injury when he bailed out of the cockpit while trying to land on a platform trailer.

Slaton's city administrator, Mike Lamberson, said Tuesday the two-person helicopter exploded about 4 p.m. Tuesday at Slaton Municipal Airport after tipping off his trailer. Lamberson said the blades hit the ground after the helicopter tipped sideways while the pilot was trying to put the craft down on his trailer.

Lamberson said no one else was in the helicopter, which burned up after the explosion. He didn't know the pilot's identity.

Slaton is about 17 miles southeast of Lubbock.

DALLAS

Ex-firefighter pleads guilty to robbing bank

A former Dallas firefighter has pleaded guilty to robbing a city bank by first apologizing to a teller before taking money from her — and then handing her a tip.

The U.S. attorney's office in Dallas said Jesus Ventura pleaded guilty to one count of bank robbery Tuesday. The 37-year-old faces a maximum of 20 years in prison when he is sentenced Jan. 10.

Authorities said Ventura robbed a Chase bank in west Dallas in April. They said Ventura confronted the teller by holding up a black backpack and raising his voice. She eventually gave him the money.

DALLAS

American expects about 4,400 job cuts

American Airlines is sending layoff warning notices to more than 11,000 employees although a spokesman says the company expects job losses to be closer to 4,400.

The notices went out to mechanics and ground workers whose jobs will be affected as American goes through a bankruptcy restructuring.

American Airlines spokesman Bruce Hicks said Tuesday that fewer than 40 percent getting notices will lose their jobs. Hicks said federal law requires the company to notify anyone whose position could change, including those who could get "bumped" by more-senior employees whose jobs are eliminated or outsourced.

American said in February that it planned to cut 14,000 jobs, including 13,000 held by union workers.

FELONYARRESTS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Karen L. Harding, 30, of Midland, was arrested Monday on a charge of possession of a controlled substance.

Dustin M. Pertile, 17, of Midland, was arrested Monday on a charge of violation of probation.

Fabian L. Robledo, 17, of Midland, was arrested Monday on a charge of burglary of a habitation.

Alissa L. Rodriguez, 45, of Midland, was arrested Monday on a charge of theft.

David R. Valencia, 48, of Midland, was arrested Monday on a charge of violation of probation.

Source: Midland County Sheriff's Office

Chicago teachers vote to return to classroom

Associated Press

CHICAGO — The city's teachers agreed Tuesday to return to the classroom after more than a week on the picket lines, ending a spiteful stalemate with Mayor Rahm Emanuel that put teacher evaluations and job security at the center of a national debate about the future of public education.

Union delegates voted to formally suspend the strike after discussing details of a proposed contract settlement worked out over the weekend. Classes could resume as early as today. Delegates poured out of a South Side union hall singing "solidarity forever."

"I'm very excited. I miss my students. I'm relieved because I think this contract was better than what they offered," said America Olmedo, who teaches fourth- and fifth-grade bilingual classes. "They tried to take everything away."

Said Shay Porter, a teacher at the Henderson Academy elementary school: "We ignited the labor movement in Chicago."

The walkout, the first in Chicago in 25 years, shut down the nation's third-largest school district just days after 350,000 students had returned from summer vacation.

Tens of thousands of parents were forced to find alternatives for idle children, including many whose neighborhoods have been wracked by gang violence in recent months.

Tuesday's vote was not on the contract offer itself, but on whether to continue the strike. The contract will now be submitted to a vote by the full membership of more than 25,000 teachers.

The walkout was the first for a major American city in at least six years. It drew national attention because it posed a high-profile test for teachers unions, which have seen their political influence threatened by a growing reform movement.

Unions have pushed back against efforts to expand charter schools, bring in private companies to help with failing schools and link teacher evaluations to student test scores.

The strike carried political implications, too, raising the risk of a protracted labor battle in President Barack Obama's hometown at the height of the fall campaign, with a prominent Democratic mayor and Obama's former chief of staff squarely in the middle. Emanuel's forceful demands for reform have angered the teachers.

The teachers walked out Sept. 10 after months of tense contract talks that for a time appeared to be headed toward a peaceful resolution. Emanuel and the union agreed in July on a deal to implement a longer school day with a plan to hire back 477 teachers who had been laid off rather than pay regular teachers more to work longer hours. That raised hopes the contract would be settled before the start of fall classes, but bargaining stalled on other issues.

Chicago's long history as a union stronghold seemed to work to the teachers' advantage.

As they walked the picket lines, they were joined by many of the very people who were most inconvenienced by the work stoppage: parents who had to scramble to find babysitters or a supervised place for children to pass the time.

Chicago mayor weighs in on compromise

CHICAGO — Chicago Mayor Rahm Emanuel is calling the tentative agreement that led to the end of the city's teacher's strike "an honest compromise."

Emanuel spoke to a Tuesday evening news conference after union delegates voted to suspend the seven-day strike at a meeting where they discussed details of the proposed deal. Emanuel said the tentative settlement "means a new day and new direction" for the city's schools.

The contract needs a vote by the full membership of more than 25,000 teachers. Emanuel had called the walkout a "strike of choice" and pushed for a quick resolution after parents were forced to find alternatives for about 350,000 students. He even went to court to try to force teachers back to class, but didn't get a hearing on that request before Tuesday's vote.

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Opinion

Video shows 'Cyborg Mitt' lacks empathy

- There wasn't anything wrong with the basic point Romney was trying to make. The problem was his inability to connect with voters.

KATHLEEN PARKER

Washington Post Writers Group

What's a day without a leaked video, a scandal, an unintended sliver of truth?

OMG: Mitt Romney doesn't care about the votes of the 47 percent of Americans who don't pay federal income taxes and therefore don't care much about his message of lower taxes.

Who. Knew?

Oh the umbrage, the unforced errors. How can we hand over the presidency to a man who cares so little about those who have no intention of voting for him?

Romney should know better. It's not as though there was no precedent for this sort of thing. Four years ago, Barack Obama spoke candidly at a similar "private" fundraiser in San Francisco, saying that small-town Pennsylvania voters expressed their economic frustrations by clinging "to guns or religion or antipathy toward people who aren't like them."

A person running for president should keep his thinking cap more tightly affixed even when among his own kind, millionaires in Romney's case. And he should make sure his facts are right. Although true that nearly 47 percent don't pay income taxes, most do pay payroll taxes, as many have pointed out. Moreover, of the 18.1 percent of households that pay neither income nor payroll taxes, most are elderly or earn less than $20,000, according to the Tax Policy Center.

But it is also true that tax issues are of greater significance to those who see large chunks of income disappear from their checks each pay period. It's easy to decide how much others should pay for your support when it's not your money.

Still, Romney's comments sounded callous and merciless, and will haunt him through the election. They also revealed something we hadn't previously seen. Unguarded, Romney is no compassionate conservative. At his core, he is ... a cyborg.

The human part of him may hop out of bed in the middle of the night to comfort someone in distress. Such stories abound. But the mechanical Romney on display in the video is strictly pragmatic. Problem: How to win presidential election. Solution: Focus on economy and ignore those who don't pay any taxes.

But and alas, humans, not machines, vote and win elections. For good or ill, voters want their president to be caring if not paternal. Smart politicians return in kind: They hug strangers and pose for pictures; they kiss babies; the pros shed tears. In the absence of active tear ducts, the successful candidate has a sympathetic biography.

Romney is not that person. Dry-eyed and awkward, he was born lucky and seems to lack the empathy born of struggle.

It is factually true that those who receive government largesse are not wildly interested in a candidate who promises to cut entitlements, especially when he also wants to cut taxes for the rich. As Romney said, the entitled ones never will vote for him, so "my job is not to worry about those people."

Well, no, actually, this would not be his job as president, which, as everyone knows also is not what he meant. What he meant was he doesn't plan to focus resources on voters who will never embrace his message.

What was clearly wrong — and perhaps telling — is the notion that all those Americans are on the dole, willingly or that they consider themselves "victims," as Romney put it. Most of those people undoubtedly would love to have high-enough paying jobs to gripe about high taxes. Many would love to have jobs, period.

If only Cyborg Mitt had said it this way:

"I know that the 47 percent of Americans who don't pay any federal income tax are not going to be moved by my message of lower taxes. Heck, they need jobs and income before they can enjoy the problem of a high tax rate. Since I can't get their vote, I'm focusing on independents. But when I become president, my first priority will be to help all Americans get back to work so that everyone can contribute. I believe that most people would rather earn their own keep, care for their families, and enjoy the rewards of self-sufficiency."

Wouldn't even gazillionaires enjoy this bit of ideological largesse?

Based on my understanding of the man, this is likely what Human Romney believes and wishes he had said, but Machine Romney sees only numbers and problem-solving calculations. The immediate problem is how to win an election.

The issue going forth isn't whether voters' feelings are hurt. The question is whether the cyborg can see that the problems he's solving actually involve people.

OUR VIEW

Some states keep close eye on senior driving

There is a growing debate around the country about how long senior citizens hold the keys to a car. It's a legitimate question, especially since there now are more senior drivers on the road than any time in history.

States are beginning to take action against the seniors — baby boomers — deemed unprepared for the driving experience. The laws regulating senior driving vary from state to state. Texas has a very liberal renewal position. Shorter time between license renewals kicks in at age 85.

But other states are more strict concerning senior drivers — those who are older than 55. For instance, shorter renewal periods start at 59 in Georgia and eye exams are required in Maryland beginning at age 40.

We expect this scrutiny to gain momentum in the future. The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration is urging states to take further steps against "the real and growing problem of older driver safety," according to the Associated Press.

Many seniors will become distraught over any changes to driving regulations. They will wonder why their particular generation has been singled out when most seniors are better drivers than the generation before them. Today's seniors have more wrecks than the previous generation, but there are fewer wrecks per number of senior drivers on the road, according to the Department of Transportation.

Seniors now hold a lot of power in the United States because of their shear numbers. However, this power might not have as much impact in driving matters because individual states will rule on new regulations and laws. We expect greater attention to be paid to this growing dilemma.

We hope states will act responsibly in dealing with senior driving privileges. The ability to drive often determines the lifestyle seniors can enjoy, and they should be able to drive as long as they are not a threat to society.

Determining that threat will be where the battle lines will form in the coming years.

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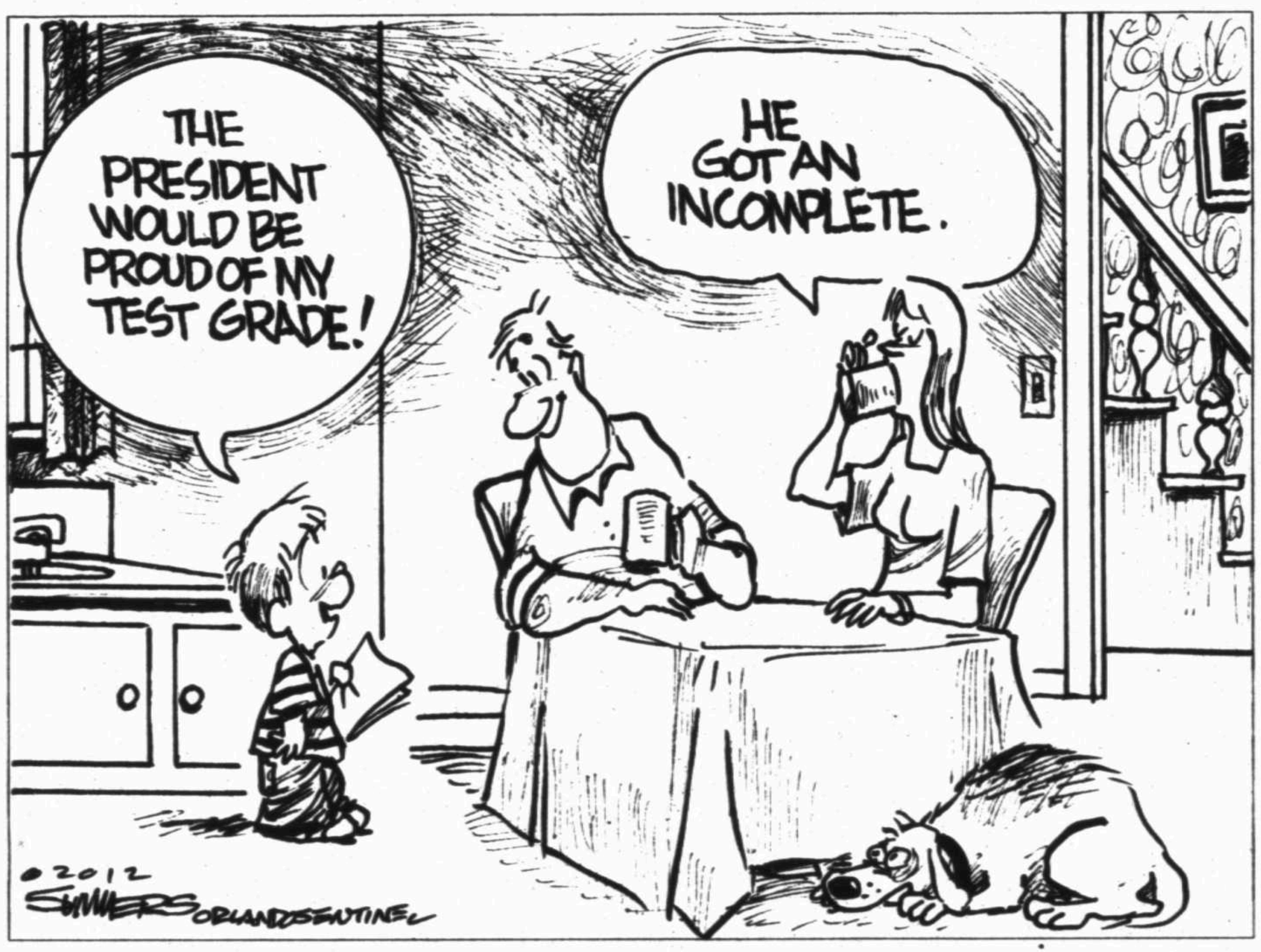
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Obama officials appear clueless

- Administration isn't being straight with Americans on attacks.

RICH LOWRY

King Features Syndicate

"To see what is in front of one's nose," George Orwell wrote, "needs a constant struggle." Ambassador to the United Nations Susan Rice is losing the struggle — although, in fairness, it's not clear how hard she's trying.

After the attacks on our embassies, Rice appeared on the Sunday TV shows in what was widely taken as an audition for secretary of state in a second Obama administration. She proved herself willfully clueless and morally obtuse. In other words, perfectly suited for the job. Based on this performance, she should start measuring the drapes on the State Department's seventh floor.

The ambassador insisted that last week's protests in Egypt and Libya were a spontaneous eruption of Islamic rage over a rancid, barely coherent anti-Muhammad video posted on YouTube a few weeks ago. It was an unusually purposeful spontaneity, though.

In Egypt, a crowd that included the brother of al-Qaida leader Ayman al-Zawahiri showed up to tear down the American flag and replace it with an al-Qaida banner on the anniversary of 9/11. What are the odds?

In Libya, the attackers were described by House Intelligence Committee Chairman Mike Rogers as coordinating indirect and direct fire. The militants launched, he said, "two different separate attacks on locations there near the consulate, and they repelled a fairly significant Libyan force that came to rescue the embassy."

In Rice's telling, the protests aren't an "expression of hostility in the broadest sense to the United States or U.S. policies." Yet the Egyptian rampagers reportedly chanted, "Obama! Obama! We are all Osama!" In Afghanistan, protesters cried, "Death to America." Demonstrators routinely burn American flags. It's hard to imagine how to make broader expressions of hostility to the U.S.

For Rice, they love us; they just hate what we post on YouTube. She blamed "a very hateful, very offensive video that has offended many people around the world." Note the euphemism. "Offended" is what you are when someone uses the wrong dinner fork; "stark raving mad" is what you are when you storm an embassy over an amateurish video. The "many people around the world" happen to be concentrated in one region and one religion.

The fact, is that video is more a pretext than a provocation. As in previous episodes of violence over alleged Western offenses against Islam, the people who are enraged need to be *told* to be enraged, and perhaps paid a little on the side for their trouble.

For all its scurrilousness, the anti-Muhammad video is laughably bad. If this is the best cinematic effort that Muslim-haters can muster, the Islamic world should rest easy. Frankly, the National Endowment for the Arts has funded better anti-religious material.

But Obama officials fasten on the video so they can flinch from hard truths. They can't bring themselves to say that the protesters hate us and our freedoms. They can't admit that electing President Barack Hussein Obama, with generations of Muslims in his family (as he boasted in his Cairo speech), wasn't enough to win over the Muslim world. They can't look dispassionately on an Arab Spring that is sputtering out into more radicalism and more disorder. And, most disturbing of all, they can't muster a full-throated defense of free speech that doesn't give ground to the premises of Muslims hostile to it.

To blame the video for the violence, rather than the provocateurs on the ground, is a concession to the logic of blasphemy laws giving aggrieved Muslims a veto over free speech. The administration already has shown itself disturbingly sympathetic to these efforts, co-sponsoring a U.N. resolution in 2009 against religious hate speech. In free societies, religious hate speech is simply free speech, otherwise Richard Dawkins and Sam Harris wouldn't be allowed to publish. Any hedging on this principle is a betrayal of who we are.

There's no assurance that Susan Rice sees that, any more than she sees anything else in front of her nose.

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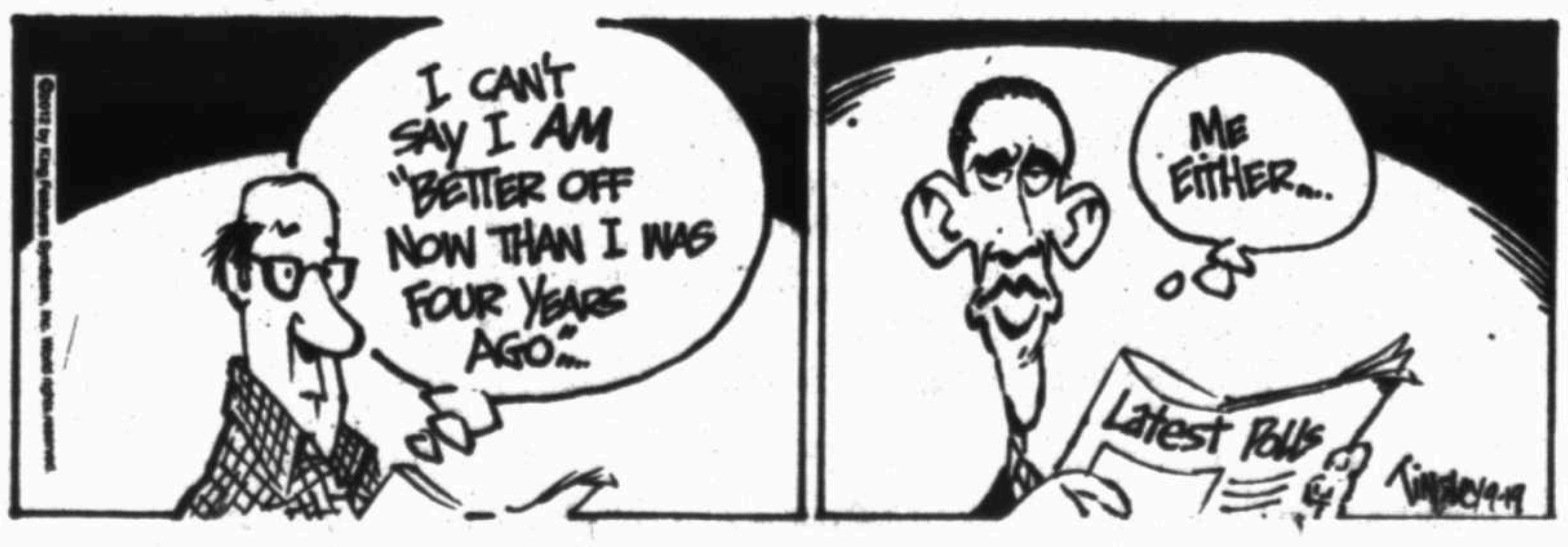
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Latest Polls

Half avoid taxes, get US help, but many not poor

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Mitt Romney got the math about right. But when he said 47 percent of Americans pay no income taxes and are "dependent on government," he blurred together half or more of the entire country, ranging from the nation's neediest to its middle class, and even some of its richest families.

Forty-six percent of the country's households — some 76 million — paid no federal income taxes last year, according to a study by the Tax Policy Center.

While it's true most of those families are poor, the numbers include many others who got tax breaks because they are old, have children in college or didn't owe taxes on interest from state and local bonds. And of those who didn't write checks to the IRS, 6 in 10 still paid Social Security and Medicare payroll taxes, and more than that paid federal excise taxes on items such as gasoline, alcohol and cigarettes, said Roberton Williams, who analyzes taxes at the center.

On the spending side, 150 million people — just under half the country — received benefits last year from one or more federal programs, according to the Census Bureau.

A look at just the four biggest programs shows how varied their often-overlapping recipients can be. There were 50 million collecting Social Security and 46 million getting Medicare health coverage for the elderly — programs that pay everyone regardless of their income. Eighty million were living in households getting Medicaid medical coverage, and 48 million were in families receiving food stamps, which are limited to the poor.

Combined, those numbers belie a political point that Romney, the Republican presidential candidate, was making when he spoke at a secretly recorded Florida fundraiser in May.

Some 47 percent, he said, "will vote for the president no matter what." But that's not so for the elderly, who favored Romney over President Barack Obama 52 percent to 42 percent in an Associated Press-GfK poll last month, and it wouldn't be true for millions of middle-class or wealthy voters.

"A significant fraction of government entitlement benefits are neither poor nor necessarily supporters of the Democratic Party, and many pay significant income taxes," said Robert Reischauer, a fellow at the Urban Institute and former head of the nonpartisan Congressional Budget Office.

According to the Tax Policy Center study, 38 million taxpayers — half of those who owe no federal income taxes — escape owing money to the IRS because their income is too low. For them, merely using the standard deduction, personal exemptions and other basic parts of the tax code allow them to avoid income taxes.

On top of that, about one in five others who don't owe federal income taxes — nearly 17 million people — benefit from tax breaks for the elderly. These include the exclusion of taxes on part of their Social Security benefits and a higher standard deduction.

Almost 12 million people avoid income taxes because they use the earned income tax credit for low-income workers, the child tax credit and other breaks for low-earning families with children. Two million take advantage of a tax credit for college expenses, enacted under Obama, and other education tax breaks. Millions of others owe nothing because taxes are not paid on welfare and other income support programs; because of deductions for business costs, alimony, moving and other expenses; and because capital gains tax rates can drop to zero for some assets held for longer than a year.

After the video was revealed, Romney said his remarks were "off the cuff" and were not "elegantly stated," but he didn't offer any apologies.

What Romney told donors

On taxes and entitlements:

"There are 47 percent of the people who will vote for the president no matter what. All right? There are 47 percent who are with him, who are dependent upon government, who believe that they are victims, who believe the government has a responsibility to care for them, who believe that they are entitled to health care, to food, to housing, to you name it.

That that's an entitlement. And the government should give it to them. And they will vote for this president no matter what. ... These are people who pay no income tax. Forty-seven percent of Americans pay no income tax.

So our message of lower taxes doesn't connect. So he'll be out there talking about tax cuts for the rich. I mean, that's what they sell every four years.

And so my job is not to worry about those people. I'll never convince them they should take personal responsibility and care for their lives."

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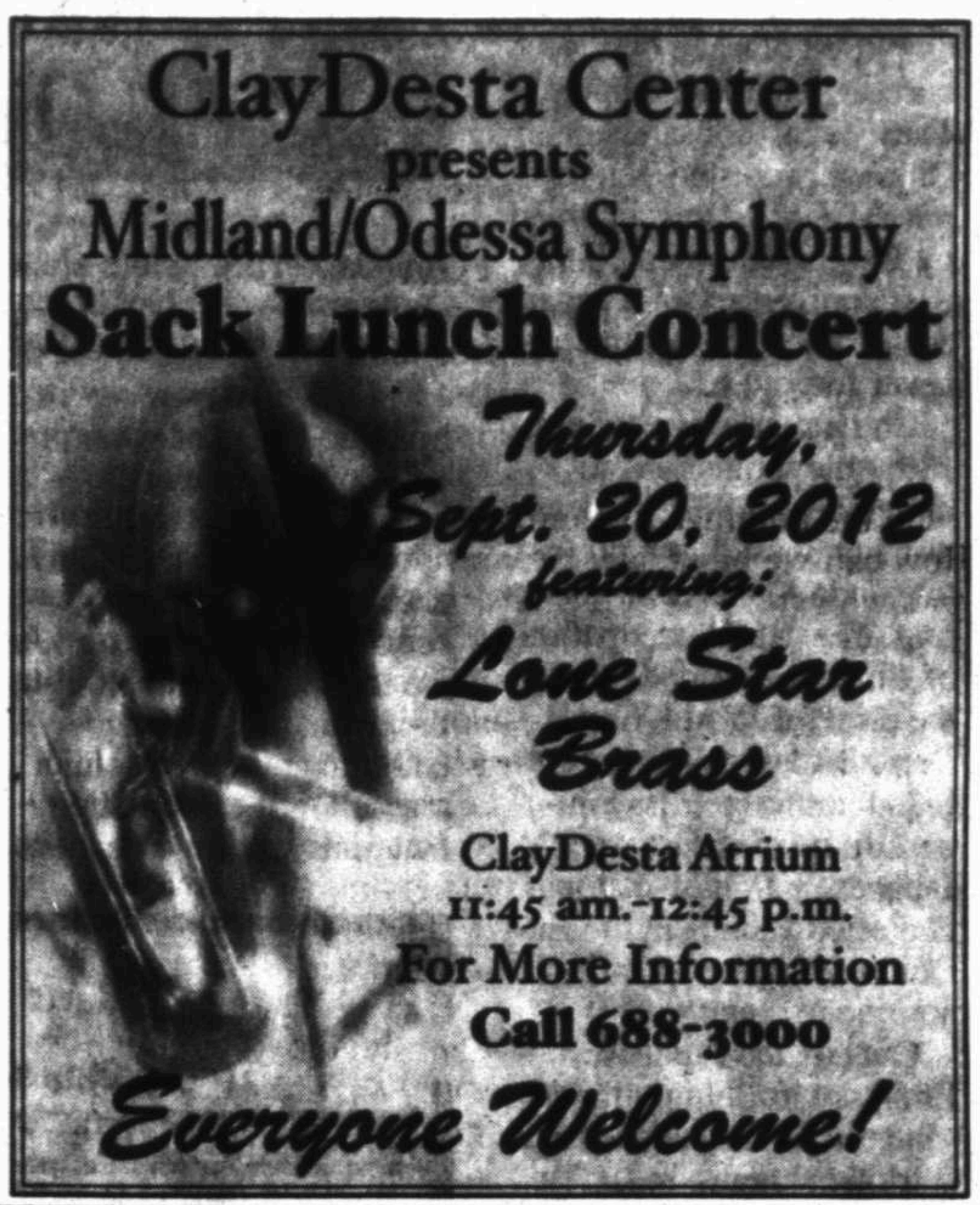

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China protests mix colonial anger, modern dispute

- Numerous Japanese factories, shops and restaurants closed Tuesday; some car factories and camera companies halted production in China.

Associated Press

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Anti-Japan protesters show pictures taken during the 1931 Japanese invasion of China outside the Japanese Consulate General in Hong Kong Tuesday.

BEIJING — Old wounds amplified outrage over a burning territorial dispute Tuesday as thousands of Chinese protested Tokyo's purchase of islands claimed by Beijing and marked the 81st anniversary of a Japanese invasion that China has never forgotten.

China marks every Sept. 18 by blowing sirens to remember a 1931 incident that Japan used as a pretext to invade Manchuria, setting off a brutal occupation of China that ended only at the close of World War II. Demonstrations are not routine, but this year, as Chinese fume over last week's Japanese purchase of long-contested islands in the East China Sea, they spread across the country.

Outside the Japanese Embassy in Beijing, thousands of protesters shouted patriotic slogans and demanded boycotts of Japanese goods. Some burned Japanese flags and threw apples, water bottles and eggs at the embassy, which was guarded heavily by three layers of paramilitary police and metal barricades.

"We believe we need to declare war on them because the Japanese devils are too evil. Down with little Japan!" said Wang Guoming, a retired soldier and seller of construction materials who said he came to the embassy from Linfen in Shanxi province, 400 miles away, to vent his frustration. In another part of the capital, U.S. Defense Secretary Leon Panetta had a lengthy meeting with China's national defense minister, Gen. Liang Guanglie, during a three-day trip that U.S. officials have said Panetta will use to press China to seek ways to peacefully resolve its territorial disputes.

Liang told Panetta that China was "resolutely opposed" to the islands' inclusion in the terms of a U.S.-Japan mutual defense treaty, and hopes the U.S. will honor its commitment to maintain a neutral stance, the official Xinhua News Agency reported.

Protests also took place in Guangzhou, Wenzhou, Shanghai and other Chinese cities. Japan's Kyodo News agency reported protests in at least 100 cities, and said people threw bricks and rocks at the Japanese Consulate in Shenyang in China's northeast.

However, Shenyang police said by telephone there was no unrest.

Many Japanese businesses across China shut their doors as a precaution following recent protests that turned violent and saw the torching and looting of Japanese-invested factories and shops. The China Daily newspaper reported Mazda halted production at its Nanjing factory for four days, Canon closed three factories and gave 20,000 employees two days' paid vacation, and Fast Retailing shut 19 of its Uniqlo clothing store outlets in China.

The newspaper said more than a dozen Yokado supermarkets and 198 7-Eleven convenience stores under Japanese management were also temporarily shuttered.

Some protesters vented anger at the United States for boosting its military presence in East Asia, a move they say emboldened Japan and other countries to be more assertive in staking rights to territory also claimed by China.

"Wherever America goes, there will be turbulence," said retired Beijing teacher Sui Xueyan. "Their crimes are no less than Japan."

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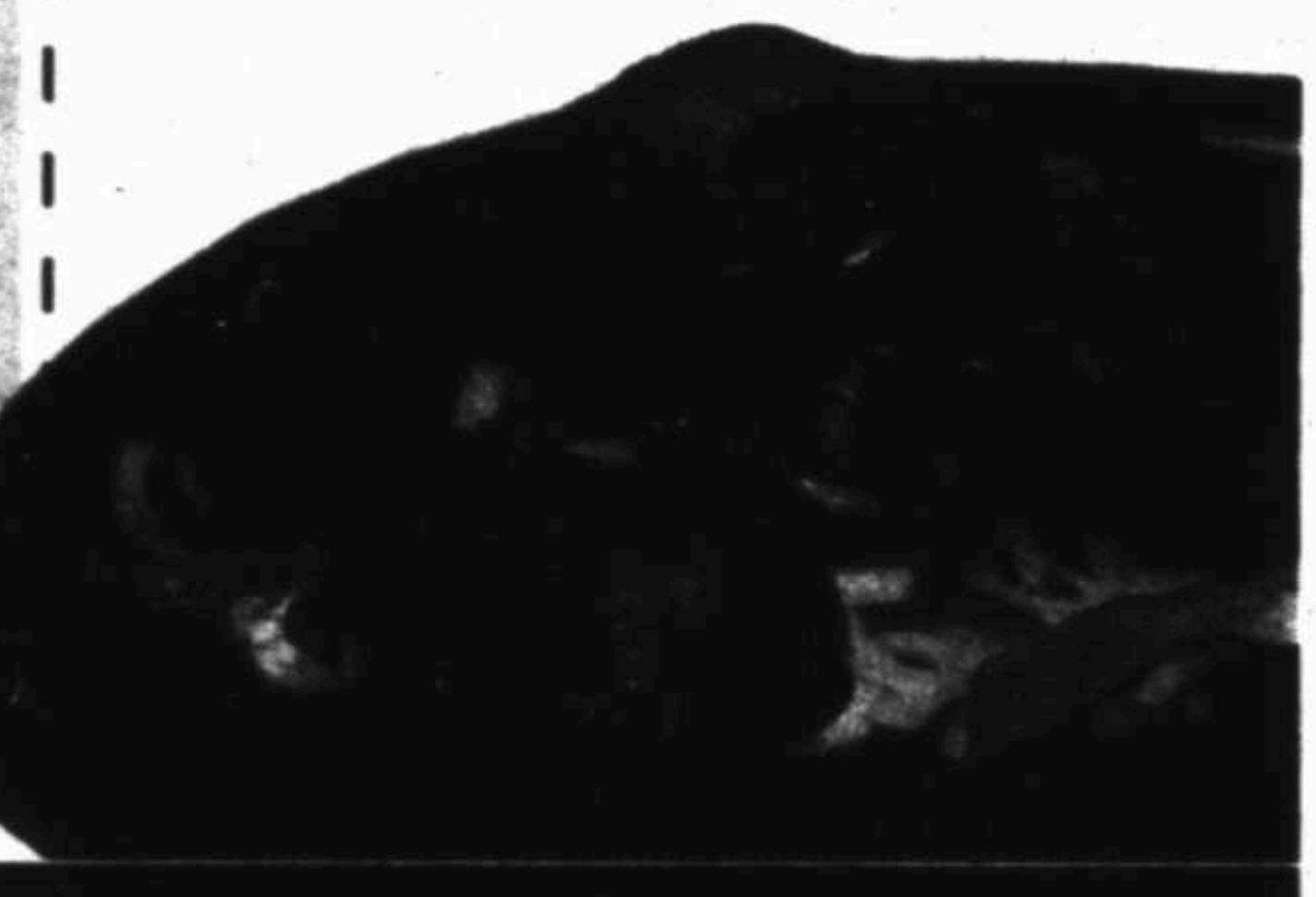

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Rouse family **Courtesy photo**

Samaritan Counseling Center to honor Rouse family as 'Family of the Year'

■ Center to host fundraiser banquet Saturday at CAF.

By Sara Higgins
Staff Writer

Randy and Judy Rouse had two promises to each other at the beginning of their marriage: They would not use the word "divorce," and they would do things together.

That second mission has been the driving factor behind the growth they've seen in their community outreach, family and faith. They've done it all together as they've raised their two children, fostered growth at The Life Center and nurtured their fellow congregation members at Mid-Cities Community Church.

The Rouse family will be honored at the organization's "Hope is in the Air" banquet at 7 p.m. Saturday at the Commemorative Air Force George and Barbara Bush Commemorative Center Hangar. Other families to be honored are the Collin and Megan Sewell family of Odessa, the Scot and Erin MacKenzie family of Big Spring and the Fames and Jan Varner family of Andrews. The families are chosen from a pool of nominations based on their ability to balance church, community involvement and family life, according to director of development Terri Stewart.

"Family is the root of everything we do," she said. "Honoring these families means a lot to us and we think it means a lot to the people in the Permian Basin."

Randy and Judy first came to the Permian Basin when they moved to Odessa in 1980. They were commuting to the Tall City long before moving to Midland in 1991 as they carted their two kids, Layne and Jenness, to Trinity School.

"We embrace this whole area," said Judy, who has served as executive director of The Life Center since 1996. Randy, who works as a senior trial lawyer at Lynch, Chappell & Alsup, P.C., serves as the board's president. Together, the couple is becoming more familiar with Andrews, where the organization just opened a satellite office.

The couple has been instrumental in ministries at both Golf Course Road Church of Christ and their current church home at Mid-Cities Community Church. Randy serves as an elder in the congregation, and

Please see **FAMILY/3B**

Free pregnancy seminar to be held Saturday

■ Organizer hopes to provide new and expectant moms with resources, tips.

By Audrie Palmer
Staff Writer

To offer support for those new moms and moms to be in the community, one local business will host a free pregnancy seminar this weekend.

Tender Beginnings and owner Janet Orr will sponsor "Great Expectations — an Early Pregnancy Seminar for the Mommy-to-Be," 9 to 11:30 a.m. Saturday at Crestview Baptist Church, 301 N. Loop 250 West.

"I'd love for new moms to attend. It's simply a way for them to feel during their pregnancy that is important for their babies and to support the mom during this really critical time," she said.

"We'll be offering information and it's just kind of a supportive atmosphere as well as a way for them to have resources they can call later on if they need."

The seminar will include speakers such as an OB nurse, a yoga instructor, nutritionist, hair and makeup specialist and a breastfeeding educator.

Door prizes and refreshments also will be available along with information and brochures for those who attend.

"We just saw the need. It's going to be a fun kind of event for expectant parents," Orr said. "Midland is kind of busting at our seams. People are coming in having babies and this is a great chance to offer fun things and information for expectant moms."

By having the five different speakers, Orr said she hopes to touch on some topics many women might not realize are vital to their health and their baby's well-being while pregnant.

By bringing in a yoga instructor, she said she hopes the women who attend will find that yoga is one way to relieve stress that also can affect the baby they are carrying. The nutritionist will talk about healthy foods moms should be eating to support a healthy baby.

Orr hopes the session with the hair and makeup specialist will be more of a pampering one for the women.

Please see **SEMINAR/5B**

FOOD ETC.

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Use convenience foods to minimize time in kitchen

When you walk in the door from work, the kids are ready and waiting to head to soccer or baseball practice. There's no time to fix dinner, but you know you will have to get something on the table when you return home. This is the season to find quick and easy meals that satisfy your family's hunger pains and will keep your time in the kitchen to a minimum.

Take advantage of convenience foods offered at the grocery — rotisserie chicken is a perfect example and such a versatile ingredient for so many recipes. Pre-cut vegetables and fruits also will help reduce your preparation time. As you walk down the grocery aisles, look for products that fit in with the types of foods your family enjoys that could make meal time faster. Of course, you always can do things the night before and keep things such as chopped chicken, vegetables and sauces in zip type baggies that will be ready when you are. Add fresh fruit or a tossed salad for a complete meal.

Please see **FOOD/4B**

LESSONS OF LOVE

Chewy, above, gets a kiss on the head Sept. 11, as MARC clients have started coming once a week to help with training sessions at Lone Star SPCA. **TOP:** Lucy gets a treat at Lone Star SPCA.

Lone Star SPCA, MARC team up in classes

It might not seem like much at first: a handful of individuals sitting in a circle under the shade of a tree, playing with two puppies.

What certified dog trainer Jen Severud sees at work, on the other hand, is an hour full of lessons for both the canine and human participants of the weekly classes she administers at Lone Star SPCA.

For about two months, Severud has been hosting weekly animal-assisted activities for clients of MARC who have intellectual or developmental disabilities. The classes help the MARC clients with socialization, patience, empathy and teamwork, she said, but their presence is mutually beneficial to the sanctuary.

Severud pointed out the tail position on each dog, both of which were uncomfortable in the presence of a group. By the end of the hourlong session, their tails were visibly softened instead of tucked between their legs.

"They could be anywhere in this big yard we're in right now, but look where they are," she said as the dogs happily moved around the group seated in the shade of a tree, receiving pats and treats.

Even as the group sits and talks about their favorite TV shows, the shy dogs are learning to be comfortable around a group of people.

Simply spending time with humans is an important part of helping the animals at the sanctuary overcome behavioral issues, according to shelter manager Beth Clodfelter. That's why Lone Star constantly is on the lookout for volunteers to take dogs for walks, brush cats and even just pass the time alongside their furry clients.

"You don't really think about it, but we don't have time to sit here and hold nine puppies for two hours," she said.

Severud is the most recent addition

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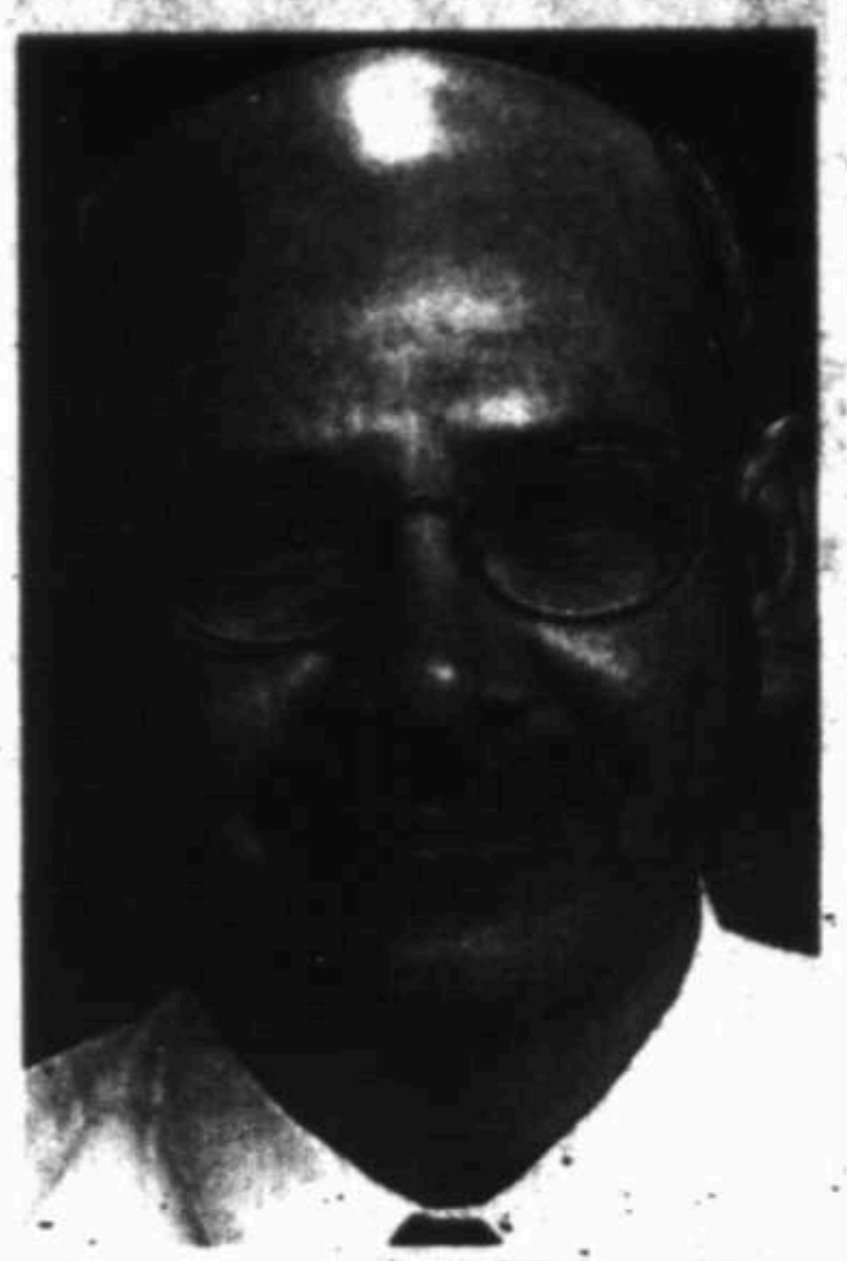
Obituaries



Domingo "Mingo" Garcia Lopez, Jr.

Domingo "Mingo" Garcia Lopez, Jr., 57, of Midland, passed away on Tuesday, September 16, 2012, at a local hospital, surrounded by his loving family. He was born on February 9, 1955, in San Angelo, TX, to Cecilia G. Lopez and the late Domingo R. Lopez, I. He is a graduate of Robert E. Lee High School; Domingo moved to Kerville, and then to Austin, where he worked for Randalls Supermarket for many years, upon retiring he moved to San Antonio and for the last year and a half he has resided in Midland, TX to be close to his family. Mingo was a meat cutter by trade and a deer processor during hunting season. He enjoyed cooking, barbecuing, sitting by the poolside and going to the lake, and entertaining family and friends. Mingo was a volunteer in Austin for Meals on Wheels, Hurricane Katrina Relief, and also sponsored a family of refugees by housing them in his apartment. He would often pick up refugee families, taking them to dinner at their favorite place to eat, if he saw they needed clothes he would take them shopping. Mingo also showed his generosity by cooking great amounts of food and sharing it with his co-workers. Our beloved Dad, you will always be remembered as a loving, caring, generous grandfather, son, brother, and friend.

He is preceded in death by his father, Domingo Lopez, I and his son, Eric Lopez.

He is survived by his two sons, Domingo Lopez, III and wife, Diana of Harlingen, TX; Noel Lopez and wife, Doreen of Midland, TX; his three daughters, Jennifer Valencia and husband, Arthur of Goldthwaite,TX; Melissa Lopez; and Maribel Lopez and husband, John Richard, all of Midland, TX; his two brothers, Polo Lopez and wife, Delma of Midland, TX; Jerry Lopez of Dallas, TX; his three sisters, Julia Olgin and husband, Adolfo; Monia Sosa; and Linda Quiroz and husband, Eulogio, all of Midland,TX; and his mother, Cecilia Lopez of Midland, TX; thirteen grandchildren; one great grandchild; nieces, nephews, and cousins.

A Funeral Mass will be held Thursday September 20, 2012, at 10:00 a.m., at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. Cremation will follow.

Arrangements were entrusted to Heavenly Gate Funeral Home. Family messages and condolences may be emailed to: heavenlygate@suddenlinkmail.com.

Heavenly Gate
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Janell "Diane" Deemer

Janell "Diane" Deemer, 59, of Midland, passed away Sunday, September 16, 2012, at the Hospice Inpatient Unit at Midland Memorial Hospital. The family will receive friends from 7:00 p.m.- 9:00 p.m., Friday, September 21, 2012, at the funeral home. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, September 22, 2012, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Chapel, with Rev. Terry Easley, officiating. Interment will follow at Serenity Memorial Gardens Cemetery.

Diane was born October 17, 1952, in Andrews, Texas, to Janell (Henderson) and Troy Moore. She was a faithful attendee of the Midland High School football games on Friday nights. She was the manager of the floral department at Hobby Lobby for ten years. Diane supported and loved to watch her son, Kerrick, play sports. She was "Nana" to her grandchildren and loved them dearly. She was a great mom, wife, and grandmother.

Survivors include husband, Dan Deemer of Midland; son, Kerrick Deemer and wife, Crystal of Midland; brother, Larry Moore of Dallas; brother, Tony Moore and wife, Jesse of Commerce, Texas; granddaughter, Kylee Deemer and grandson, Shawn Deemer, both of Midland.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her daughter, Alicia Moore.

The family suggests memorials be made to the American Cancer Society, 2304 W. Wadley Ave., Midland, TX. 79705.

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

Aline Collins

Jo Aline Collins was born April 18, 1952, in Dallas, TX and passed away on September 17, 2012. She was preceded in death by her brother, Andy Collins; grandmother, Marijo Collins; father, John Collins; cousin, Leslie King.

Aline is survived by her mother, Iva Aline Harral Collins; cousins, DA Harral (Angela), Beth Holstein (Jay Tom), and Bentley King (Georgia); aunt, Carol Harral Hardwick (Hank); nieces and nephews, Mark (Jessica), Kristi (Nate), Katie, Kelli, and Jake Harral; Will and Bige Holstein; and a host of other friends and relatives.

She graduated from Kimball High School in Dallas in 1970 and Baylor University in 1974. She received her Master's Degree from the University of Texas in 1976. She was the librarian at Midland College from 1976 until she retired in August 2012. She was an invaluable member of First Presbyterian Church of Midland where she sang in the choir and performed countless other duties.

Aline's life touched a myriad of lives, and everyone she met has a story of her love. She will be laid to rest on the family ranch she loved so much in Pecos County.

A Memorial Service was held at 2p.m. Tuesday, August 18 at the First Presbyterian Church, 800 W. Texas Ave. Midland, Texas.

Kimberlee Heather Lillard

Kimberlee Heather Lillard, 25, of Midland, Texas, died on Saturday, September 15, 2012, in a local hospital. Kimberlee was born on March 30, 1987, in Fort Worth, Texas, to Kenneth "Bruce" Lillard and Traci Woodruff Lillard.

Kimberlee is survived by her father, Bruce Lillard, and her mother, Traci Lillard, of Midland, Texas; her paternal grandmother, Janice Lillard, of Gainesville, Texas; her maternal grandmother, Fran Hannah, of Greenwood, Arkansas; four sisters, Jessica (Andy) Hooten, of Conway, Arkansas; Amanda Luedke, of Conway, Arkansas; April Lillard, of Gainesville, Texas; and Brooke Lillard, of Dallas, Texas; and two brothers, Matt (Tonyna) Beene, of Vilonia, Arkansas, and Jeremy Lillard, of Dallas, Texas; and several uncles, aunts, cousins, nieces, and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her paternal grandfather, Kenneth Lillard of Gainesville, Texas; and her maternal grandfather, Orby Woodruff of Fort Worth, Texas.

In lieu of flowers, Memorial contributions can be made to The Texas Society and Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

There will be no public services. Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Midland. Online Condolences can be made at: www.npwelch.com.

Death Notices

Daniel McLellan

Daniel McLellan, 54, of Midland, passed away Monday, September 17, 2012.

Visitation will be from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Thursday, September 20, 2012, at the funeral home. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 a.m., Friday, September 21, 2012, at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park.

Survivors include wife, Diane McLellan and son, Ian McLellan.

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

Miguel B. Lopez

Miguel B. Lopez, 77, of Midland, passed away on Saturday, September 15, 2012.

He is survived by his wife, Dolores Peña Lopez; two sons, Oscar Peña Lopez and Homer Peña Lopez; and four grandchildren.

A funeral mass will take place today, at 1:00 p.m., at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park.

Funeral mass is under the direction of Lewallen-Garcia-Pipkin Funeral Home and Chapel.

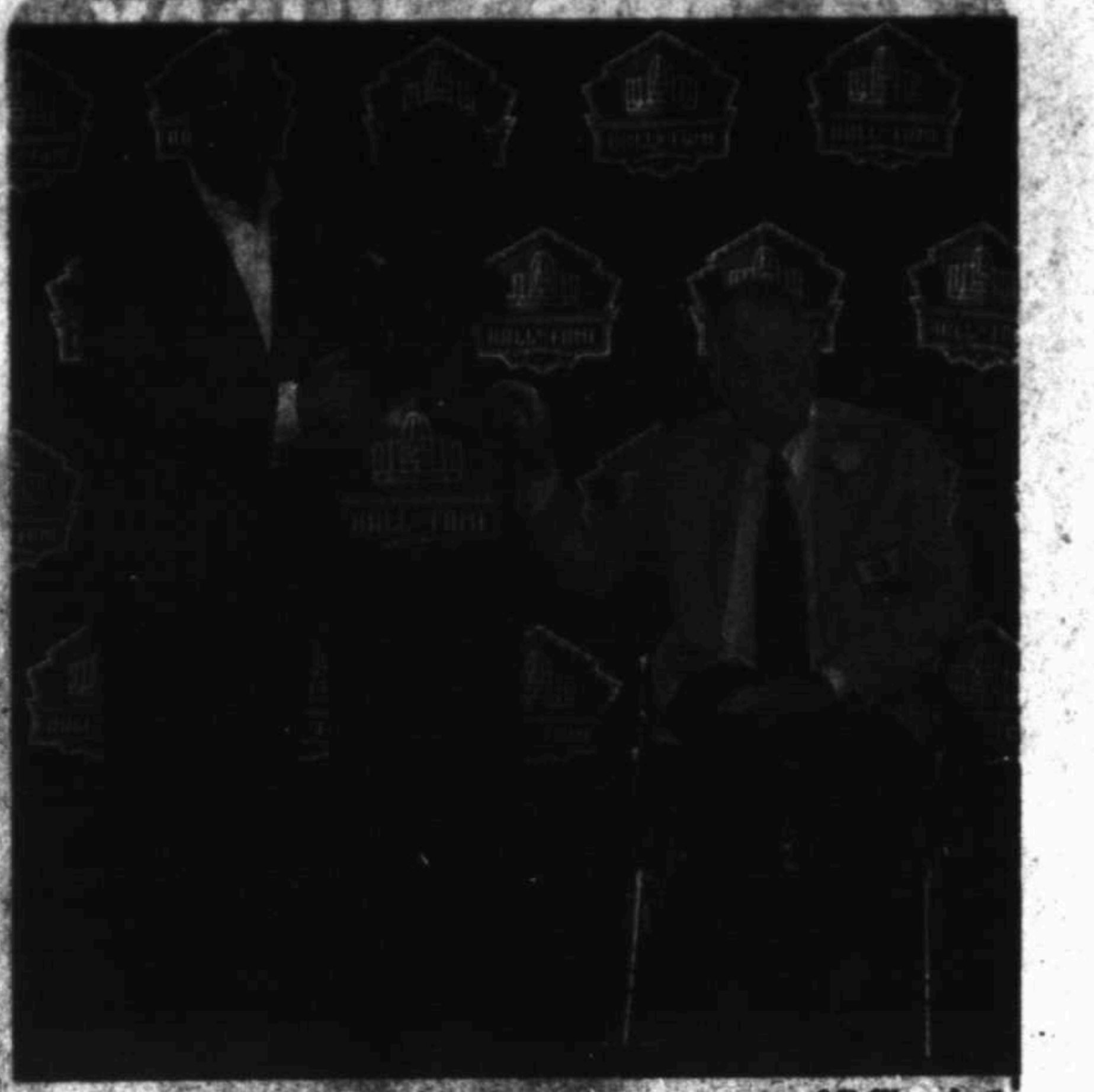
Monty Joe Wood

Monty Joe Wood, 62, of Odessa, passed away Tuesday, August 21, 2012, in Odessa.

He is survived by his wife, Judy Wood; daughters, Amanda Dodd, Cindy Dirden, and Amy Halbrook; two sons, Joseph Wood and Matthew Wood; sister, Vicki Cotton; nineteen grandchildren; and ten great-grandchildren.

Memorial services will be at Acres West 24 Hour Chapel, at 1:00 p.m., Saturday, September 22, 2012.

Arrangements are entrusted to Acres West Funeral Chapel, 8115 W. University Blvd, Odessa.



AP file photo

Ed Sabol, right, poses with a bust of himself and his son Steve Sabol, during induction ceremonies at the Pro Football Hall of Fame in August 2011. The NFL said Sabol died Tuesday 18 months after he was diagnosed with a tumor on the left side of his brain. He was 69.

NFL Films President Steve Sabol dies at 69

Associated Press

NEW YORK — With the eye of an art history major, Steve Sabol filmed the NFL as a ballet and blockbuster movie all in one.

Half of the father-son team that revolutionized sports broadcasting, the NFL Films president died Tuesday of brain cancer at age 69 in Moorestown, N.J. He leaves behind a league bigger than ever, its fans enthralled by the plot twists and characters he so deftly chronicled.

"Steve Sabol was the creative genius behind the remarkable work of NFL Films," NFL Commissioner Roger Goodell said in a statement from the league confirming Sabol's death. "Steve's passion for football was matched by his incredible talent and energy. Steve's legacy will be part of the NFL forever. He was a major contributor to the success of the NFL, a man who changed the way we look at football and sports, and a great friend."

Sabol was diagnosed with a tumor on the left side of his brain after being hospitalized for a seizure in March 2011.

When Ed Sabol founded NFL Films, his son was there working beside him as a cinematographer right from the start in 1964. They introduced a series of innovations taken for granted today, from super slow-motion replays to blooper reels to sticking microphones on coaches and players. And they hired the "Voice of God," John Facenda, to read lyrical descriptions in solemn tones.

Until he landed the rights to chronicle the 1962 NFL championship game, Ed Sabol's only experience filming sports was recording the action at Steve's high school football games in Philadelphia.

"We see the game as art as much as sport," Steve Sabol told The Associated Press before his father was inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame last year. "That helped us nurture not only the game's traditions but to develop its mythology: America's Team, The Catch, The Frozen Tundra."

The two were honored with the Lifetime Achievement Emmy from the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences in 2003. In his career, Steve Sabol won 35 Emmys for writing, cinematography, editing, directing and producing — no one else had ever earned that many in as many different categories.

"Steve Sabol leaves a lasting impact on the National Football League that will be felt for a long time to come," NFL Players Association executive director DeMaurice Smith said. "His vision and innovation helped make him a pioneer the likes of which the NFL has never seen before and won't see again."

Facility would house prison visitors overnight

By Cindy V. Culp
Waco Tribune-Herald

WACO — Every weekend, volunteers at Central Texas Hospitality House in Gatesville see how crimes committed by one person can strain an entire family.

As people come to the small Coryell County town to take advantage of visiting hours at the six prison units there, the house serves as a welcoming outpost for inmates' loved ones. Most are drained, both in spirit and in cash.

Volunteers do what they can to help — giving them snacks, providing clothes that meet the prison dress code or just listening without judgment.

But one thing volunteers haven't been able to offer is a place for visitors to stay overnight. As a result, countless people who can't afford a hotel room sleep in their cars in store parking lots or camp out at parks.

Cases of aging grandparents traveling with young children are particularly heart-wrenching, they said.

A fundraising campaign launched by the house last week aims to fill that gap. The group hopes to raise $850,000 to build a new center with 19 private bedrooms and other facilities needed to host visitors overnight.

"We have people coming from all over the state; all over the nation," said Charles Wise, director of development for the house. "Most have the same core values as us. But they're thrown into an unempowered situation because of (a loved one's) stupid choices or criminal activity. They are victims, too."

Associated Press

Wallace Nelson, a regional chaplain for the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, looks over the children's room of the current Central Texas Hospitality House in Gatesville. Every weekend, volunteers at the facility can see how crimes committed by one person can strain an entire family.

More than 8,200 inmates are housed in Gatesville, including women on death row. They receive about 80,000 visitors per year, according to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

Those statistics alone show the need for a ministry like the hospitality house, Wise said.

But its vision also is to serve people visiting prisons in nearby areas — namely Marlin, Burnet and San Saba.

The group knows the capital campaign will be a challenge, especially since some people bristle at the idea of even indirectly helping prisoners. But part of the strategy is to emphasize to churches — the most likely contributors — the house's services are in line with biblical teachings, Wise said.

Verses from Matthew Chapter 25 serve as a motto for the group.

"For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in," the passage reads. "I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was sick and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me. ... The King will reply, 'Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.'"

The group also is motivated by growing research that shows the positive ripple effects of prison visitation. Not only are inmates more likely to stay out of trouble after their release, but their children are less likely to be locked up later in life.

That's good for families and society as a whole, said Tim Randolph, who helped start the house about a decade ago with area Baptists and now serves as director of the Waco Regional Baptist Association.

"There's an economic reason why churches and families should really be invested in these families and the offenders themselves," Randolph said. "I think you can argue that every dollar invested (at the house) will be multiplied."

Wallace Nelson, a state-employed prison chaplain who oversees the region that includes Gatesville, agreed.

Prisons offer a variety of programs aimed at rehabilitation and restoration, including marriage seminars and family days.

But far too many families don't attend such events because they can't afford to, he said.

"We recognize the days of just locking them up and throwing away the key are gone," Nelson said. "We have to prepare people to be useful citizens. One of the things we have really recognized is that offenders who have relationships with family or friends in the free world are most likely to make it. Everybody needs a support system."

During a typical weekend, 20 to 30 people visit the house, said the group's secretary, Mary Alice Wise, Charles Wise's wife.

Quite a few of the visitors are from Waco, Mary Alice Wise said.

On 'Revolution,' life without tech isn't so bad

By Omar L. Gallaga
Cox Newspapers

AUSTIN — The new TV show "Revolution" is supposed to be a post-apocalyptic action series. It has the name of producer J.J. Abrams attached and takes place 15 years after a mysterious disaster has eliminated electricity, plunging the world into candle-lit darkness.

But if you're reading this between obsessively checking your email and answering a text message (or if you're reading this on a smartphone, you digital multitasker), it may seem like some kind of beautiful fantasy.

Sure, millions of people die, starving in clogged cities. Fallen planes dot the landscape against broken bridges and urban neighborhoods overgrown with weeds.

But even without an immediate cause, "Revolution" makes you realize what an awful lot of work it takes — a deadly, destructive apocalypse — to sever our connection with computers, cell phones and our giant TVs.

If nothing else, "Revolution" is useful for imagining a world where there are no more iPhone product launches, no more robo-calls, no more speeding tickets, no nagging software updates on the computer, no annoying ringtones, no online banking.

It's a lot for the brain to imagine and process, but it helps to start with the freezer.

No ice cream, ever again? Truly apocalyptic.

COMING SUNDAY
IN WEST TEXAS LIVING

CHILD CARE WOES

- The lack of availability at area day care centers causes some families to change their routines.

INSIDE SUNDAY

- Burr Williams invites the public to hear a professional wildlife photographer speak at Sibley Nature Center.
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	G	S	R	C	W	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
BROADCAST																	
KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	The Middle	Suburgatory	Modern Family	Suburgatory	Revenge "Reckoning"		KMID News	(:35) News Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel Live	
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	CBS 7	Ent. Tonight	Survivor Castaways try to win the $million dollar first prize. (SP) (N)			Big Brother A group of strangers live together in one house. (SF) (N)			CBS 7 News	(:35) D. Letterman The Killers, Michael Strahan		(:35) Late Late (N)
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	Rules of Engage.	Rules of Engage.	Oh Sit! (N)		Supernatural "There Will Be Blood"		Sein. "The Stakeout"	Sein. "The Contest"	'Til Death	'Til Death	'70s "Red Fired Up"	That '70s Show
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	The X Factor "Auditions 3" The judges search to find the next global superstar. (N)				The Simpsons	Met Your Mother	Met Your Mother	Ray "P.T. & A."	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	
KMLM IND	11	11	12	11	11	Mani Erfan	Andrew G. Roth	Update News	Jean-Claude	Light of the Southwest				Joe McGee	Dr. William	Dr. Alewine	Dr. Denis Otero
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	News-West 9	Be Millionaire	The Voice		Law & Order: S.V.U. "Rhodium Nights"		Revolution		News-West 9	(:35) Tonight Show J. Leno Amy Poehler		(:35) LateNight
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	PBS NewsHour		Nature "Outback Pelicans"		Nova "Making Stuff Stronger"		Nova "Making Stuff Smaller"		Charlie Rose		BBC News	Tavis Smiley
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	Un Refugio Para El Amor		Por ella soy eva		Abismo De Pasion		Amor Bravio		Noticias Tejas	Noticiero noctu.	Al Diablo con los Guapos	
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		Office	30 Rock	Burn "Rough Seas"		Burn Notice		My News	Baggage	30 Rock	Sunny	Scrubs	Access H.
PREMIUM																	
FLIX	340	65		165		(5:25) The Man On...		★★ Panic William H. Macy.			★★ Gun Shy Liam Neeson.			(:15) Lawless Heart Bill Nighy.			
HBO	300	68	14	14		Movie	(:45) Extremely Loud and Incredibly Close					Boardwalk Empire		Bill Maher		Dream House	
HBO2	302	69	15	101	23	(5:05) ★★ Hanna		Strangers	Making	Real Sports		★★★ Titanic ('97, Dra) Kate Winslet, Leonardo DiCaprio.					
HBOS	304	70	16	102		(:10) ★ Greenberg ('10, Com) Greta Gerwig.				★★ Sex and the City 2 Sarah Jessica Parker.					The Big Year Owen Wilson.		
MAX	380	71	17	120	24	(5:10) ★★ Life		StrikeBk	(:50) ★★ Knight and Day ('10, Act)				(:45) ★★ The A-Team ('10, Act) Liam Neeson.				
MAX2	382	72	18	122		(5:40) ★★ The Matrix Keanu Reeves.				★★★ Love Actually Emma Thompson.				(:15) ★ The American George Clooney.			
PLEX			96			(:20) ★★★ Babe: Pig in the City				The Truth About Cats & Do...			(:40) ★★★ Greedy Michael J. Fox.				Movie
SHOW	320	66	19	140	25	(:15) ★★ Barbershop ('02, Com) Ice Cube.				Inside the NFL		NASCAR	Weeds "It's Time"		Inside the NFL		NASCAR
TMC	336	67	22	155	26	(5:20) Crime Spree		Love Birds Rhys Darby.			(:45) Dear Lemon Lima			(:15) Burke and Hare			Movie
CABLE																	
A&E	27	32	28	35	47	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Hoggers (N)	Hoggers (N)	American Hoggers	American Hoggers	Storage Wars	Storage Wars
AMC	40	21	23	42	51	CSI "Last Stand"		★★★ The Ghost and Mr. Chicken				★★ The Shakiest Gun in the West Don Knotts.					Movie
BET	58	26		40		106Park	The Janky Promoters ('09, Cri) Ice Cube.				(:35) ★★ Barbershop 2: Back in Business Ice Cube.					(:05) Wendy Williams	
BRAVO	65	63		41		Flipping Out		Flipping Out		Top Chef Masters		Top Chef Masters (N)		Watch (N)	Top Chef Masters		Miami
CNBC	46	45		39	72	The Kudlow Report		Trash Inc:		American Greed		American Greed		Mad Money		American Greed	
CNN	43	24	51	30	56	OutFront		A. Cooper 360		Piers Morgan		A. Cooper 360		OutFront		Piers Morgan	
DISC	50	20	31	24	42	Overhaulin'		Overhaulin'		Sons of Guns		Texas Car Wars		Sons of Guns		Texas Car Wars	
DISNEY	56	27	36	25	36	Jake Never Land (N)		GoodLuck	Phineas & Ferb: Across the...			Babysit.	Phineas	Jessie	Babysit.	Wizards	Wizards
ESPN	32	29	48	31	30	MLB Baseball (L)						MLB Baseball (L)					
ESPN2	34	28	49	32	31	NFL Live (N)		Fitness	Fitness	Fitness	Fitness	Soccer	Fitness	SportsCenter		SportsCenter	
FAMILY	53	54	34	42	33	(5:00) ★★★ The Sandlot			★★ Gone in 60 Seconds ('00, Act) Nicolas Cage.					The 700 Club		Fresh P.	Fresh P.
FNC	45	58	53	23	55	FOX Report		The O'Reilly Factor		Hannity		On the Record		The O'Reilly Factor		Hannity	
FOOD	64	59	27	68	54	Restaurant "Frankie's"		Rest. "Pelican Grill"		Rest. "Michele's" (N)		Stakeout (N)		Restaurant		Rest. "Michele's"	
FSSW	37	43	50	45	29	Big 12 Showcase	Cowboys Insider	Streetball Ball Up		SMU Football	Pre-game (L)	MLB Baseball Texas Rangers vs. Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim Site: Angel Stadium -- Anaheim, Calif. (L)					
FX	31	31	59	64	69	(4:00) Transformer...		★★ The Karate Kid ('10, Act) Jackie Chan, Jaden Smith.						★★ The Karate Kid Jaden Smith.			
HALLMARK	54	49	58		34	Little House Prairie		Little House Prairie		Little House Prairie		Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	G. Girls	G. Girls
HGTV	63	50	26	48	44	House	HouseH (N)	Property Brothers		Buying and Selling		HouseH	House	Property Brothers		Buying and Selling	
HISTORY	71	62	29	50	43	Pwn Star	Pawn Star	Cajun	Cajun	Cajun	Cajun	Restore	Restore	Restore	Restore	Cajun	Cajun
LIFETIME	28	25	25	28	48	(4:30) ★★★ Selena ('97, Bio) Jennifer Lopez.		★★★ My Sister's Keeper (2009, Drama) Walter Raney, Sofia Vassilieva, Abigail Breslin.				★★★ The Memory Keeper's Daughter ('08, Dra) Gretchen Mol, Dermot Mulroney.				★★★ My Sister's Keeper Abigail Breslin.	
MSNBC	47	51		49	73	Hardball		The Ed Show		Rachel Maddow		The Last Word		The Ed Show		Rachel Maddow	
NBCSN	38	39				MLS 36	★★★ Rocky ('76, Dra) Burt Young, Sylvester Stallone.					NFL Turning Point		NFL Turning Point		Dream On	
NICK	55	34	39	34	37	Figure	Figure Out	All That	K & Kel	Hollywood Heights		Yes, Dear	Yes, Dear	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends
SPIKE	30	22	55	53	58	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction
SYFY	66	64	41	57	67	Paranormal Witness		Ghost Hunters		Ghost Hunters (N)		Para. Witness (N)		Ghost "Camp Fear"		Paranormal Witness	
TBS	25	11	44	66	41	Seinfeld	Seinfeld "The Slicer"	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Conan Simon Helberg, Anna Kendrick, M83		Sullivan and Son	The Office
TCM	41	61	24	63	66	(5:15) The Breaki...		How to Marry a Millionaire			(:45) ★★★ The Cobweb ('55, Dra) Richard Widmark.					Blood Alley	
TELE	20	8	10	20		Caso cerrado		Rosa Diamante		Corazon valiente		El patron	Rostro	Al rojo	Decisiones		Decision
TLC	51	33	32	38	52	Medium "Help Me"	Long Island	Breaking Amish		Honey Boo Boo	Honey Boo Boo	Honey Boo (N)	Honey Boo Boo	Honey Boo Boo	Honey Boo Boo	Honey Boo Boo	Honey Boo Boo
TNT	24	23	40	26	50	The Mentalist "Red All Over"		The Mentalist "Cheap Burgundy"		The Mentalist "Ruddy Cheeks"		The Mentalist "Pink Champagne on Ice"		CSI: NY "Dancing With the Fishes"		CSI: NY "YoungBlood"	
TVLAND	49	48	35	54	35	Home I.	Home Imp	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby	SoulMan	SoulMan	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens
USA	26	30	42	27	49	NCIS "Cracked"		NCIS "Ships in the Night"		Royal Pains "Sand Legs" (SF) (N)		NCIS "Guilty Pleasure"		NCIS "Moonlighting"		Royal Pains "Sand Legs"	
WGN	19	18				America's Funniest Home Videos		Rules "Shy Dial"	Rules of Engage.	Rules of Engage.	Rules of Engage.	WGN News at Nine		30 Rock "Hiatus"	30 Rock	Rules of Engage.	Rules of Engage.

TUMBLEWEED SMITH

Tumbleweed Smith is a Big Spring storyteller and folklorist.

Monahans coach compiles team's history

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FAMILY

From 1B

Judy has been part of the church's worship ministry for the past nine years and children's worship for the past two years. They both have led grief counseling groups, taught adult education classes and served as small group leaders, table leaders of the Free Indeed Ministry and mentors for young couples. At Golf Course Road, the couple also helped lead a single parent family camp.

"There's a scripture that talks about going to the broken and the hurting and the outcasts; that's where we've always focused," Judy said.

That need to serve others stemmed from the couple's own experience with grief and brokenness, Judy said. She admitted she lacked a sense of family growing up, as her mother died while she was young. She remembers doubting her own ability to be a mother, she said, but still remembers the advice she received decades ago from a fellow church member.

"'God gives you children, and your responsibility is to give them back to God,'" she remembered. "The only way I found to do that is if you totally focus on Christ, your actions speak louder than words and your children will get it."

The family met for devotionals every morning before school since their kids were 4 and 6 years old. As the sun rose up in front of the family's east-facing kitchen window each day, Judy opened the blinds, exclaiming, "Look at God's picture!"

As the family continued to reach out into the community, the Rouses suffered an ongoing crisis at home. Their daughter, Jenness, mysteriously continued to get sick as a teenager, a battle that would go on for about a decade. She had to be pulled out of college and used the help of a wheelchair as she underwent a series of medical exploration. She later was diagnosed with Lyme disease, which doctors believe she contracted at the age of 11 or 12. Today, the 29-year-old is pursuing an acting career on Broadway in New York.

Judy and Randy have supported their children relentlessly through the years, whether it was through attending a basketball game or play. They speak excitedly about the latest addition to their family, 7-week-old Salayna Victoria, who recently was born to their 31-year-old son Layne and his wife, Xueling "Apple." One of their most prized possessions is a simple letter from Layne expressing his gratitude for their support through the years.

"He wanted to thank us because his dreams became our dreams for him," Randy said.

As the family has seen their family grow, they've also seen The Life Center blossom into a $1.5 million-plus operation that expects to reach close to 30,000 students this school year with its message of abstinence. It's far from anything Judy ever dreamed when she started as executive director on the three-person staff, but she kept her faith in God.

"When you sign up and follow God," she said, "he puts you where he knows you'll flourish."

Though the Samaritan Counseling Center event has featured a speaker in the past, this year's "Hope is in the Air" banquet will turn up the volume with the Sentimental Journey Big Band Orchestra. A live and silent auction also will happen during the event.

"This is our one and only large fundraiser we have every year," Stewart said.

The non-profit, faith-based Samaritan Counseling Center provides a range of counseling services to clients in West Texas and Eastern New Mexico including marriage and family issues and coping with loss or grief. The Center has a standard fee that often can be covered by insurance policies, but assistance is provided for clients with no insurance and low incomes.

For information on sponsorships or general admission tickets, call the Samaritan Counseling Center of West Texas at 563-4144.

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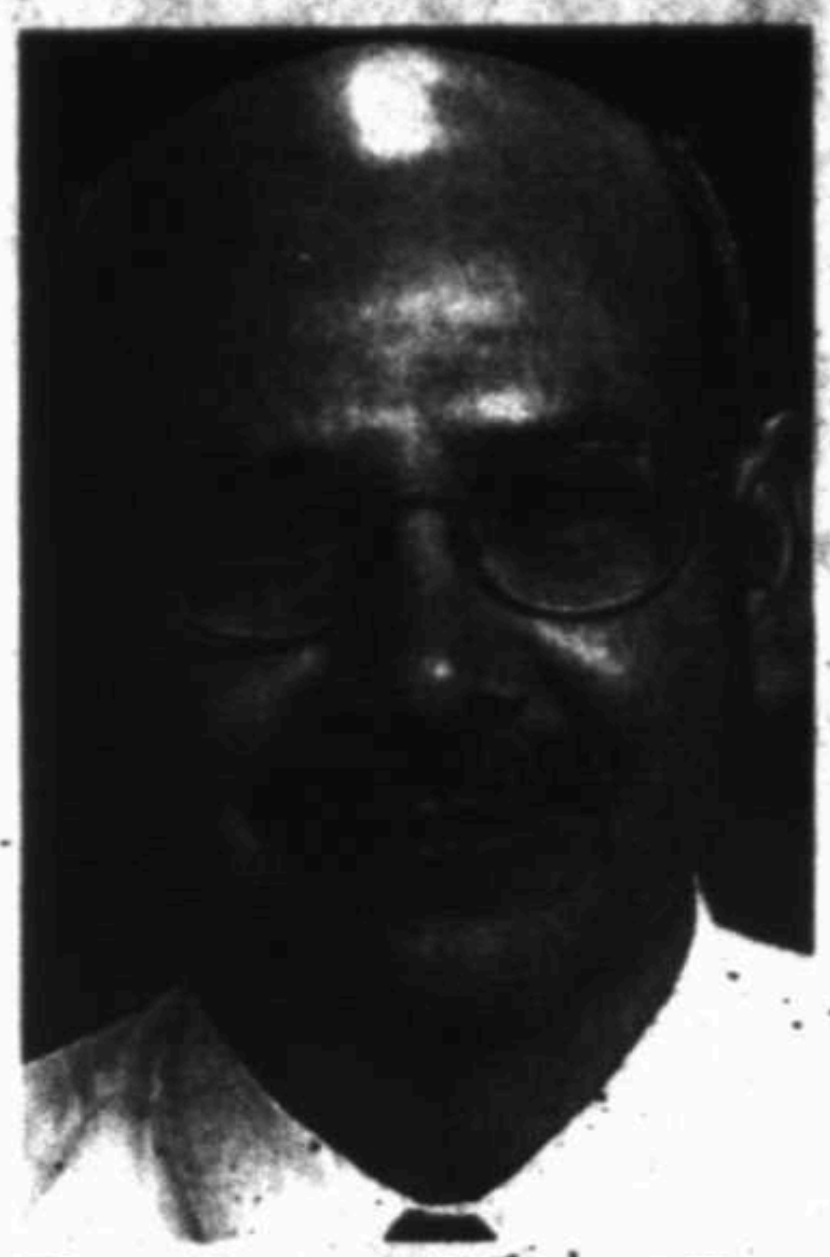

Domingo "Mingo" Garcia Lopez, Jr.

Domingo "Mingo" Garcia Lopez, Jr., 57, of Midland, passed away on Tuesday, September 16, 2012, at a local hospital, surrounded by his loving family. He was born on February 9, 1955, in San Angelo, TX, to Cecilia G. Lopez and the late Domingo R. Lopez, I. He is a graduate of Robert E. Lee High School; Domingo moved to Kerville, and then to Austin, where he worked for Randalls Supermarket for many years, upon retiring he moved to San Antonio and for the last year and a half he has resided in Midland, TX to be close to his family. Mingo was a meat cutter by trade and a deer processor during hunting season. He enjoyed cooking, barbecuing, sitting by the poolside and going to the lake, and entertaining family and friends. Mingo was a volunteer in Austin for Meals on Wheels, Hurricane Katrina Relief, and also sponsored a family of refugees by housing them in his apartment. He would often pick up refugee families, taking them to dinner at their favorite place to eat, if he saw they needed clothes he would take them shopping. Mingo also showed his generosity by cooking great amounts of food and sharing it with his co-workers. Our beloved Dad, you will always be remembered as a loving, caring, generous grandfather, son, brother, and friend.

He is preceded in death by his father, Domingo Lopez, I and his son, Eric Lopez.

He is survived by his two sons, Domingo Lopez, III and wife, Diana of Harlingen, TX; Noel Lopez and wife, Doreen of Midland, TX; his three daughters, Jennifer Valencia and husband, Arthur of Goldthwaite,TX; Melissa Lopez; and Maribel Lopez and husband, John Richard, all of Midland, TX; his two brothers, Polo Lopez and wife, Delma of Midland, TX; Jerry Lopez of Dallas, TX; his three sisters, Julia Olgin and husband, Adolfo; Monia Sosa; and Linda Quiroz and husband, Eulogio, all of Midland,TX; and his mother, Cecilia Lopez of Midland, TX; thirteen grandchildren; one great grandchild; nieces, nephews, and cousins.

A Funeral Mass will be held Thursday September 20, 2012, at 10:00 a.m., at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. Cremation will follow.

Arrangements were entrusted to Heavenly Gate Funeral Home. Family messages and condolences may be emailed to: heavenlygate@suddenlinkmail.com.

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Janell "Diane" Deemer

Janell "Diane" Deemer, 59, of Midland, passed away Sunday, September 16, 2012, at the Hospice Inpatient Unit at Midland Memorial Hospital. The family will receive friends from 7:00 p.m.- 9:00 p.m., Friday, September 21, 2012, at the funeral home. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, September 22, 2012, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Chapel, with Rev. Terry Easley, officiating. Interment will follow at Serenity Memorial Gardens Cemetery.

Diane was born October 17, 1952, in Andrews, Texas, to Janell (Henderson) and Troy Moore. She was a faithful attendee of the Midland High School football games on Friday nights. She was the manager of the floral department at Hobby Lobby for ten years. Diane supported and loved to watch her son, Kerrick, play sports. She was "Nana" to her grandchildren and loved them dearly. She was a great mom, wife, and grandmother.

Survivors include husband, Dan Deemer of Midland; son, Kerrick Deemer and wife, Crystal of Midland; brother, Larry Moore of Dallas; brother, Tony Moore and wife, Jesse of Commerce, Texas; granddaughter, Kylee Deemer and grandson, Shawn Deemer, both of Midland.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her daughter, Alicia Moore.

The family suggests memorials be made to the American Cancer Society, 2304 W. Wadley Ave., Midland, TX. 79705.

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

Aline Collins

Jo Aline Collins was born April 18, 1952, in Dallas, TX and passed away on September 17, 2012. She was preceded in death by her brother, Andy Collins; grandmother, Marijo Collins; father, John Collins; cousin, Leslie King.

Aline is survived by her mother, Iva Aline Harral Collins; cousins, DA Harral (Angela), Beth Holstein (Jay Tom), and Bentley King (Georgia); aunt, Carol Harral Hardwick (Hank); nieces and nephews, Mark (Jessica), Kristi (Nate), Katie, Kelli, and Jake Harral; Will and Bige Holstein; and a host of other friends and relatives.

She graduated from Kimball High School in Dallas in 1970 and Baylor University in 1974. She received her Master's Degree from the University of Texas in 1976. She was the librarian at Midland College from 1976 until she retired in August 2012. She was an invaluable member of First Presbyterian Church of Midland where she sang in the choir and performed countless other duties.

Aline's life touched a myriad of lives, and everyone she met has a story of her love. She will be laid to rest on the family ranch she loved so much in Pecos County.

A Memorial Service was held at 2p.m. Tuesday, August 18 at the First Presbyterian Church, 800 W. Texas Ave. Midland, Texas.

Kimberlee Heather Lillard

Kimberlee Heather Lillard, 25, of Midland, Texas, died on Saturday, September 15, 2012, in a local hospital. Kimberlee was born on March 30, 1987, in Fort Worth, Texas, to Kenneth "Bruce" Lillard and Traci Woodruff Lillard.

Kimberlee is survived by her father, Bruce Lillard, and her mother, Traci Lillard, of Midland, Texas; her paternal grandmother, Janice Lillard, of Gainesville, Texas; her maternal grandmother, Fran Hannah, of Greenwood, Arkansas; four sisters, Jessica (Andy) Hooten, of Conway, Arkansas; Amanda Luedke, of Conway, Arkansas; April Lillard, of Gainesville, Texas; and Brooke Lillard, of Dallas, Texas; and two brothers, Matt (Tonyna) Beene, of Vilonia, Arkansas, and Jeremy Lillard, of Dallas, Texas; and several uncles, aunts, cousins, nieces, and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her paternal grandfather, Kenneth Lillard of Gainesville, Texas; and her maternal grandfather, Orby Woodruff of Fort Worth, Texas.

In lieu of flowers, Memorial contributions can be made to The Texas Society and Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

There will be no public services. Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Midland. Online Condolences can be made at: www.npwelch.com.

Death Notices

Daniel McLellan

Daniel McLellan, 54, of Midland, passed away Monday, September 17, 2012.

Visitation will be from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Thursday, September 20, 2012, at the funeral home. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 a.m., Friday, September 21, 2012, at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park.

Survivors include wife, Diane McLellan and son, Ian McLellan.

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

Miguel B. Lopez

Miguel B. Lopez, 77, of Midland, passed away on Saturday, September 15, 2012.

He is survived by his wife, Dolores Peña Lopez; two sons, Oscar Peña Lopez and Homer Peña Lopez; and four grandchildren.

A funeral mass will take place today, at 1:00 p.m., at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park.

Funeral mass is under the direction of Lewallen-Garcia-Pipkin Funeral Home and Chapel.

Monty Joe Wood

Monty Joe Wood, 62, of Odessa, passed away Tuesday, August 21, 2012, in Odessa.

He is survived by his wife, Judy Wood; daughters, Amanda Dodd, Cindy Dirden, and Amy Halbrook; two sons, Joseph Wood and Matthew Wood; sister, Vicki Cotton; nineteen grandchildren; and ten great-grandchildren.

Memorial services will be at Acres West 24 Hour Chapel, at 1:00 p.m., Saturday, September 22, 2012.

Arrangements are entrusted to Acres West Funeral Chapel, 8115 W. University Blvd, Odessa.

AP file photo

Ed Sabol, right, poses with a bust of himself and his son Steve Sabol, during induction ceremonies at the Pro Football Hall of Fame in August 2011. The NFL said Sabol died Tuesday 18 months after he was diagnosed with a tumor on the left side of his brain. He was 69.

NFL Films President Steve Sabol dies at 69

Associated Press

NEW YORK — With the eye of an art history major, Steve Sabol filmed the NFL as a ballet and blockbuster movie all in one.

Half of the father-son team that revolutionized sports broadcasting, the NFL Films president died Tuesday of brain cancer at age 69 in Moorestown, N.J. He leaves behind a league bigger than ever, its fans enthralled by the plot twists and characters he so deftly chronicled.

"Steve Sabol was the creative genius behind the remarkable work of NFL Films," NFL Commissioner Roger Goodell said in a statement from the league confirming Sabol's death. "Steve's passion for football was matched by his incredible talent and energy. Steve's legacy will be part of the NFL forever. He was a major contributor to the success of the NFL, a man who changed the way we look at football and sports, and a great friend."

Sabol was diagnosed with a tumor on the left side of his brain after being hospitalized for a seizure in March 2011.

When Ed Sabol founded NFL Films, his son was there working beside him as a cinematographer right from the start in 1964. They introduced a series of innovations taken for granted today, from super slow-motion replays to blooper reels to sticking microphones on coaches and players. And they hired the "Voice of God," John Facenda, to read lyrical descriptions in solemn tones.

Until he landed the rights to chronicle the 1962 NFL championship game, Ed Sabol's only experience filming sports was recording the action at Steve's high school football games in Philadelphia.

"We see the game as art as much as sport," Steve Sabol told The Associated Press before his father was inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame last year. "That helped us nurture not only the game's traditions but to develop its mythology: America's Team, The Catch, The Frozen Tundra."

The two were honored with the Lifetime Achievement Emmy from the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences in 2003. In his career, Steve Sabol won 35 Emmys for writing, cinematography, editing, directing and producing — no one else had ever earned that many in as many different categories.

"Steve Sabol leaves a lasting impact on the National Football League that will be felt for a long time to come," NFL Players Association executive director DeMaurice Smith said. "His vision and innovation helped make him a pioneer the likes of which the NFL has never seen before and won't see again."

Facility would house prison visitors overnight

By Cindy V. Culp
Waco Tribune-Herald

WACO — Every weekend, volunteers at Central Texas Hospitality House in Gatesville see how crimes committed by one person can strain an entire family.

As people come to the small Coryell County town to take advantage of visiting hours at the six prison units there, the house serves as a welcoming outpost for inmates' loved ones. Most are drained, both in spirit and in cash.

Volunteers do what they can to help — giving them snacks, providing clothes that meet the prison dress code or just listening without judgment.

But one thing volunteers haven't been able to offer is a place for visitors to stay overnight. As a result, countless people who can't afford a hotel room sleep in their cars in store parking lots or camp out at parks.

Cases of aging grandparents traveling with young children are particularly heart-wrenching, they said.

A fundraising campaign launched by the house last week aims to fill that gap. The group hopes to raise $850,000 to build a new center with 19 private bedrooms and other facilities needed to host visitors overnight.

"We have people coming from all over the state, all over the nation," said Charles Wise, director of development for the house. "Most have the same core values as us. But they're thrown into an unempowered situation because of (a loved one's) stupid choices or criminal activity. They are victims, too."

Associated Press

Wallace Nelson, a regional chaplain for the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, looks over the children's room of the current Central Texas Hospitality House in Gatesville. Every weekend, volunteers at the facility can see how crimes committed by one person can strain an entire family.

More than 8,200 inmates are housed in Gatesville, including women on death row. They receive about 80,000 visitors per year, according to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

Those statistics alone show the need for a ministry like the hospitality house, Wise said.

But its vision also is to serve people visiting prisons in nearby areas — namely Marlin, Burnet and San Saba.

The group knows the capital campaign will be a challenge, especially since some people bristle at the idea of even indirectly helping prisoners. But part of the strategy is to emphasize to churches — the most likely contributors — the house's services are in line with biblical teachings, Wise said.

Verses from Matthew Chapter 25 serve as a motto for the group.

"For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in," the passage reads. "I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was sick and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me. ... The King will reply, 'Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.'"

The group also is motivated by growing research that shows the positive ripple effects of prison visitation. Not only are inmates more likely to stay out of trouble after their release, but their children are less likely to be locked up later in life.

That's good for families and society as a whole, said Tim Randolph, who helped start the house about a decade ago with area Baptists and now serves as director of the Waco Regional Baptist Association.

"There's an economic reason why churches and families should really be invested in these families and the offenders themselves," Randolph said. "I think you can argue that every dollar invested (at the house) will be multiplied."

Wallace Nelson, a state-employed prison chaplain who oversees the region that includes Gatesville, agreed.

Prisons offer a variety of programs aimed at rehabilitation and restoration, including marriage seminars and family days.

But far too many families don't attend such events because they can't afford to, he said.

"We recognize the days of just locking them up and throwing away the key are gone," Nelson said. "We have to prepare people to be useful citizens. One of the things we have really recognized is that offenders who have relationships with family or friends in the free world are most likely to make it. Everybody needs a support system."

During a typical weekend, 20 to 30 people visit the house, said the group's secretary, Mary Alice Wise, Charles Wise's wife.

Quite a few of the visitors are from Waco, Mary Alice Wise said.

On 'Revolution,' life without tech isn't so bad

By Omar L. Gallaga
Cox Newspapers

AUSTIN — The new TV show "Revolution" is supposed to be a post-apocalyptic action series. It has the name of producer J.J. Abrams attached and takes place 15 years after a mysterious disaster has eliminated electricity, plunging the world into candle-lit darkness.

But if you're reading this between obsessively checking your email and answering a text message (or if you're reading this on a smartphone, you digital multitasker), it may seem like some kind of beautiful fantasy.

Sure, millions of people die, starving in clogged cities. Fallen planes dot the landscape against broken bridges and urban neighborhoods overgrown with weeds.

But even without an immediate cause, "Revolution" makes you realize what an awful lot of work it takes — a deadly, destructive apocalypse — to sever our connection with computers, cell phones and our giant TVs.

If nothing else, "Revolution" is useful for imagining a world where there are no more iPhone product launches, no more robo-calls, no more speeding tickets, no nagging software updates on the computer, no annoying ringtones, no online banking.

It's a lot for the brain to imagine and process, but it helps to start with the freezer.

No ice cream, ever again? Truly apocalyptic.

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CHILD CARE WOES

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MAX	380	71	17	120	24	(5:10) ★★ Life		StrikeBk	(:50) ★★ Knight and Day ('10, Act)				(:45) ★★ The A-Team ('10, Act) Liam Neeson.				
MAX2	382	72	18	122		(5:40) ★★ The Matrix Keanu Reeves.				★★★ Love Actually Emma Thompson.				(:15) ★ The American George Clooney.			
PLEX			96			(:20) ★★★ Babe: Pig in the City				The Truth About Cats & Do...			(:40) ★★★ Greedy Michael J. Fox.				Movie
SHOW	320	66	19	140	25	(:15) ★★ Barbershop ('02, Com) Ice Cube.				Inside the NFL		NASCAR	Weeds "It's Time"		Inside the NFL		NASCAR
TMC	336	67	22	155	26	(5:20) Crime Spree		Love Birds Rhys Darby.			(:45) Dear Lemon Lima			(:15) Burke and Hare			Movie
CABLE																	
A&E	27	32	28	35	47	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Hoggers (N)	Hoggers (N)	American Hoggers	American Hoggers	Storage Wars	Storage Wars
AMC	40	21	23	42	51	CSI "Last Stand"		★★★ The Ghost and Mr. Chicken				★★ The Shakiest Gun in the West Don Knotts.					Movie
BET	58	26		40		106Park	The Janky Promoters ('09, Cri) Ice Cube.				(:35) ★★ Barbershop 2: Back in Business Ice Cube.					(:05) Wendy Williams	
BRAVO	65	63		41		Flipping Out		Flipping Out		Top Chef Masters		Top Chef Masters (N)		Watch (N)	Top Chef Masters		Miami
CNBC	46	45		39	72	The Kudlow Report		Trash Inc:		American Greed		American Greed		Mad Money		American Greed	
CNN	43	24	51	30	56	OutFront		A. Cooper 360		Piers Morgan		A. Cooper 360		OutFront		Piers Morgan	
DISC	50	20	31	24	42	Overhaulin'		Overhaulin'		Sons of Guns		Texas Car Wars		Sons of Guns		Texas Car Wars	
DISNEY	56	27	36	25	36	Jake Never Land (N)		GoodLuck	Phineas & Ferb: Across the...			Babysit.	Phineas	Jessie	Babysit.	Wizards	Wizards
ESPN	32	29	48	31	30	MLB Baseball (L)						MLB Baseball (L)					
ESPN2	34	28	49	32	31	NFL Live (N)		Fitness	Fitness	Fitness	Fitness	Soccer	Fitness	SportsCenter		SportsCenter	
FAMILY	53	54	34	42	33	(5:00) ★★★ The Sandlot			★★ Gone in 60 Seconds ('00, Act) Nicolas Cage.					The 700 Club		Fresh P.	Fresh P.
FNC	45	58	53	23	55	FOX Report		The O'Reilly Factor		Hannity		On the Record		The O'Reilly Factor		Hannity	
FOOD	64	59	27	68	54	Restaurant "Frankie's"		Rest. "Pelican Grill"		Rest. "Michele's" (N)		Stakeout (N)		Restaurant		Rest. "Michele's"	
FSSW	37	43	50	45	29	Big 12 Showcase	Cowboys Insider	Streetball Ball Up		SMU Football	Pre-game (L)	MLB Baseball Texas Rangers vs. Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim Site: Angel Stadium -- Anaheim, Calif. (L)					
FX	31	31	59	64	69	(4:00) Transformer...		★★ The Karate Kid ('10, Act) Jackie Chan, Jaden Smith.						★★ The Karate Kid Jaden Smith.			
HALLMARK	54	49	58		34	Little House Prairie		Little House Prairie		Little House Prairie		Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	G. Girls	G. Girls
HGTV	63	50	26	48	44	House	HouseH (N)	Property Brothers		Buying and Selling		HouseH	House	Property Brothers		Buying and Selling	
HISTORY	71	62	29	50	43	Pwn Star	Pawn Star	Cajun	Cajun	Cajun	Cajun	Restore	Restore	Restore	Restore	Cajun	Cajun
LIFETIME	28	25	25	28	48	(4:30) ★★★ Selena ('97, Bio) Jennifer Lopez.		★★★ My Sister's Keeper (2009, Drama) Walter Raney, Sofia Vassilieva, Abigail Breslin.				★★★ The Memory Keeper's Daughter ('08, Dra) Gretchen Mol, Dermot Mulroney.				★★★ My Sister's Keeper Abigail Breslin.	
MSNBC	47	51		49	73	Hardball		The Ed Show		Rachel Maddow		The Last Word		The Ed Show		Rachel Maddow	
NBCSN	38	39				MLS 36	★★★ Rocky ('76, Dra) Burt Young, Sylvester Stallone.					NFL Turning Point		NFL Turning Point		Dream On	
NICK	55	34	39	34	37	Figure	Figure Out	All That	K & Kel	Hollywood Heights		Yes, Dear	Yes, Dear	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends
SPIKE	30	22	55	53	58	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction
SYFY	66	64	41	57	67	Paranormal Witness		Ghost Hunters		Ghost Hunters (N)		Para. Witness (N)		Ghost "Camp Fear"		Paranormal Witness	
TBS	25	11	44	66	41	Seinfeld	Seinfeld "The Slicer"	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Conan Simon Helberg, Anna Kendrick, M83		Sullivan and Son	The Office
TCM	41	61	24	63	66	(5:15) The Breaki...		How to Marry a Millionaire			(:45) ★★★ The Cobweb ('55, Dra) Richard Widmark.					Blood Alley	
TELE	20	8	10	20		Caso cerrado		Rosa Diamante		Corazon valiente		El patron	Rostro	Al rojo	Decisiones		Decision
TLC	51	33	32	38	52	Medium "Help Me"	Long Island	Breaking Amish		Honey Boo Boo	Honey Boo Boo	Honey Boo (N)	Honey Boo Boo	Honey Boo Boo	Honey Boo Boo	Honey Boo Boo	Honey Boo Boo
TNT	24	23	40	26	50	The Mentalist "Red All Over"		The Mentalist "Cheap Burgundy"		The Mentalist "Ruddy Cheeks"		The Mentalist "Pink Champagne on Ice"		CSI: NY "Dancing With the Fishes"		CSI: NY "YoungBlood"	
TVLAND	49	48	35	54	35	Home I.	Home Imp	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby	SoulMan	SoulMan	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens
USA	26	30	42	27	49	NCIS "Cracked"		NCIS "Ships in the Night"		Royal Pains "Sand Legs" (SF) (N)		NCIS "Guilty Pleasure"		NCIS "Moonlighting"		Royal Pains "Sand Legs"	
WGN	19	18				America's Funniest Home Videos		Rules "Shy Dial"	Rules of Engage.	Rules of Engage.	Rules of Engage.	WGN News at Nine		30 Rock "Hiatus"	30 Rock	Rules of Engage.	Rules of Engage.

FAMILY

From 1B

Judy has been part of the church's worship ministry for the past nine years and children's worship for the past two years. They both have led grief counseling groups, taught adult education classes and served as small group leaders, table leaders of the Free Indeed Ministry and mentors for young couples. At Golf Course Road, the couple also helped lead a single parent family camp.

"There's a scripture that talks about going to the broken and the hurting and the outcasts; that's where we've always focused," Judy said.

That need to serve others stemmed from the couple's own experience with grief and brokenness, Judy said. She admitted she lacked a sense of family growing up, as her mother died while she was young. She remembers doubting her own ability to be a mother, she said, but still remembers the advice she received decades ago from a fellow church member.

"'God gives you children, and your responsibility is to give them back to God,'" she remembered. "The only way I found to do that is if you totally focus on Christ, your actions speak louder than words and your children will get it."

The family met for devotionals every morning before school since their kids were 4 and 6 years old. As the sun rose up in front of the family's east-facing kitchen window each day, Judy opened the blinds, exclaiming, "Look at God's picture!"

As the family continued to reach out into the community, the Rouses suffered an ongoing crisis at home. Their daughter, Jenness, mysteriously continued to get sick as a teenager, a battle that would go on for about a decade. She had to be pulled out of college and used the help of a wheelchair as she underwent a series of medical exploration. She later was diagnosed with Lyme disease, which doctors believe she contracted at the age of 11 or 12. Today, the 29-year-old is pursuing an acting career on Broadway in New York.

Judy and Randy have supported their children relentlessly through the years, whether it was through attending a basketball game or play. They speak excitedly about the latest addition to their family, 7-week-old Salayna Victoria, who recently was born to their 31-year-old son Layne and his wife, Xueling "Apple." One of their most prized possessions is a simple letter from Layne expressing his gratitude for their support through the years.

"He wanted to thank us because his dreams became our dreams for him," Randy said.

As the family has seen their family grow, they've also seen The Life Center blossom into a $1.5 million-plus operation that expects to reach close to 30,000 students this school year with its message of abstinence. It's far from anything Judy ever dreamed when she started as executive director on the three-person staff, but she kept her faith in God.

"When you sign up and follow God," she said, "he puts you where he knows you'll flourish."

Though the Samaritan Counseling Center event has featured a speaker in the past, this year's "Hope is in the Air" banquet will turn up the volume with the Sentimental Journey Big Band Orchestra. A live and silent auction also will happen during the event.

"This is our one and only large fundraiser we have every year," Stewart said.

The non-profit, faith-based Samaritan Counseling Center provides a range of counseling services to clients in West Texas and Eastern New Mexico including marriage and family issues and coping with loss or grief. The Center has a standard fee that often can be covered by insurance policies, but assistance is provided for clients with no insurance and low incomes.

For information on sponsorships or general admission tickets, call the Samaritan Counseling Center of West Texas at 563-4144.

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Yesterday's Answer: VICE, DICE, DIME, MODE, MOOD; ONCE, OMEN, MORN, DORM, DRUM

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FOOD

From 1B

One Pot Spaghetti
From "Keepers"

1 pound ground beef
1 medium onion, chopped
2 cups water
1 (8-ounce) can tomato sauce
2 cups Hunts Traditional Original Spaghetti Sauce
1 teaspoon sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 (7-ounce) package long spaghetti
Parmesan cheese

Cook ground beef in large skillet over medium heat about 10 minutes, stirring often until brown. Pour beef into strainer to drain off fat. Return beef to skillet. Stir onion, water, tomato sauce, spaghetti sauce, sugar and salt into beef. Add spaghetti to beef mixture. Heat beef mixture to boiling over medium-high heat, stirring a few times to keep spaghetti from sticking. Turn heat down to low. Cover and simmer about 15 minutes or until spaghetti is tender. Remove from heat and stir once. Just before serving, sprinkle with Parmesan cheese.

Enchilada Casserole
From "The Spice of Life"

2 pounds ground beef
1 large onion, diced
1 can Rotel tomatoes
1 can cream of mushroom soup
1 can enchilada sauce (green or red)
1-2 cups cheese, grated

Brown beef in skillet with diced onion. Drain grease. Blend Rotel, mushroom soup, and sauce in blender. Add meat to mixture. Place broken chalupa shells in a 9x13-inch casserole pan. Layer in the following order: meat mixture with sauce, cheese, meat mixture. Bake at 350 degrees for 20 minutes. Add a top layer of cheese and bake another 10 minutes.

Sloppy Joe Squares
From "Busy Mom's Cookbook"

1 pound lean ground beef
1 (8-ounce) can tomato sauce
1 cup water
1 (1.5-ounce) package sloppy Joe mix
1 teaspoon dried onion flakes
2 (8-ounce) cans refrigerated reduced fat crescent rolls
1 cup shredded Cheddar cheese
1 Tablespoon milk
1 Tablespoon sesame seeds (optional)

Preheat oven to 425. Brown ground beef in a large skillet over medium high heat, stirring until it crumbles and is no longer pink. Drain and pat dry with paper towels. Wipe skillet clean. Return beef to skillet; stir in tomato sauce and next 3 ingredients. Bring to a boil; reduce heat, and simmer 10 minutes, stirring occasionally.

Unroll 1 can crescent rolls into a lightly greased 13x9-inch baking dish. Press seams together to seal perforations. Spread beef mixture over dough; sprinkle with cheese. Unroll remaining can of rolls over cheese, pinching seams together to seal perforations. Brush dough with milk, and sprinkle with sesame seeds, if desired. Bake at 425 for 15 minutes or until golden.

FOOD ETC.

What is your favorite fall recipe? Is it something with corn, cranberries or another ingredient that you look forward to using this time of year? Send your recipe to foodetcmrt@aol.com, mail to the Midland Reporter-Telegram, 201 East Illinois Ave., Midland, 79701, attention: Food Etc./Joan Huff or fax to 570-7650. Please include your name, phone number and source of the recipe. Deadline is Sept. 25.

Is there a question you would like our readers to answer? What type of recipes would you like to see featured in this column? Send in your idea to one of the above addresses.

Marinated Pot Roast
From "The Taste of Home Cookbook"

1 cup dry white wine or beef broth
1/3 cup reduced sodium soy sauce
1 Tablespoon olive oil
4 garlic cloves, minced
2 green onions, thinly sliced
1 1/2 teaspoons ground ginger
1/2 teaspoon pepper
4 whole cloves
5 teaspoons cornstarch
5 teaspoons cold water

In a gallon size resealable plastic bag, combine the first eight ingredients. Cut roast in half; add to marinade. Seal bag and turn to coat; refrigerate overnight. Place roast and marinade in a 5-quart slow cooker. Cover and cook on low for 8-10 hours or until meat is tender. Remove roast to a serving platter and keep warm. Pour cooking juices into a 2-cup measuring cup; discard whole cloves.

In a saucepan, combine cornstarch and cold water until smooth; stir in 1 1/2 cups cooking juices. Bring to a boil; cook and stir for 2 minutes or until thickened. Serve with the roast.

BBQ Slow Cooker Chicken
From "5 Ingredients or Less"

4 boneless, skinless chicken breasts
1/2 cup chicken broth
1 cup barbecue sauce
1 sweet onion, sliced
Salt and pepper to taste

Place all ingredients in a slow cooker; stir gently. Heat on high setting for 3 hours or on low setting for 6 to 7 hours.

Taquito-Rice Casserole
From Semi-Homemade, November-December 2011

8 frozen chicken and cheese taquitos, El Monterey
2 (5.4-ounce) packages rice and pasta blend, Knorr Fiesta Sides Taco Rice
1 (14.5-ounce) can diced tomatoes, drained
1 cup shredded Monterey Jack cheese, divided
1/2 cup cilantro, chopped
1/2 cup sliced green onion
Garnish: chopped fresh tomato

Preheat oven to 400. Place taquitos on a rimmed baking sheet. Bake for 15 minutes or until crisp. Prepare rice according to package instructions. In a medium bowl, combine prepared rice, tomatoes, and 1/2 cup cheese. Spoon into a shallow 2 1/2-quart baking dish. Top with taquitos and remaining 1/2 cup cheese. Bake for 8 minutes or until cheese melts. Sprinkle with cilantro and green onion. Garnish with chopped tomatoes if desired.

Chicken and Apple Salad
From All You, February 2012

1 rotisserie chicken
2 medium Granny Smith apples, cored, cut into 1/2-inch dice
2 Tablespoons fresh lime juice
2 Tablespoons finely chopped red onion
1/2 cup reduced-fat mayonnaise
2 Tablespoons finely chopped cilantro
1/2 teaspoon crushed red pepper
Salt
8 cups mixed salad greens

Remove meat from chicken and dice, discarding skin and bones, (you should have about 4 cups of meat). Toss apples with 1 tablespoon lime juice in a large bowl. Add chicken and red onion. In a separate bowl, whisk together mayonnaise, cilantro, red pepper, 1/2 teaspoon salt and remaining 1 tablespoon lime juice. Stir dressing into chicken mixture to coat. Season with salt. Arrange greens on four plates. Top with chicken salad and serve. *Instead of serving over salad, fold chicken salad into whole wheat wraps with a few spinach leaves to make a great sandwich.

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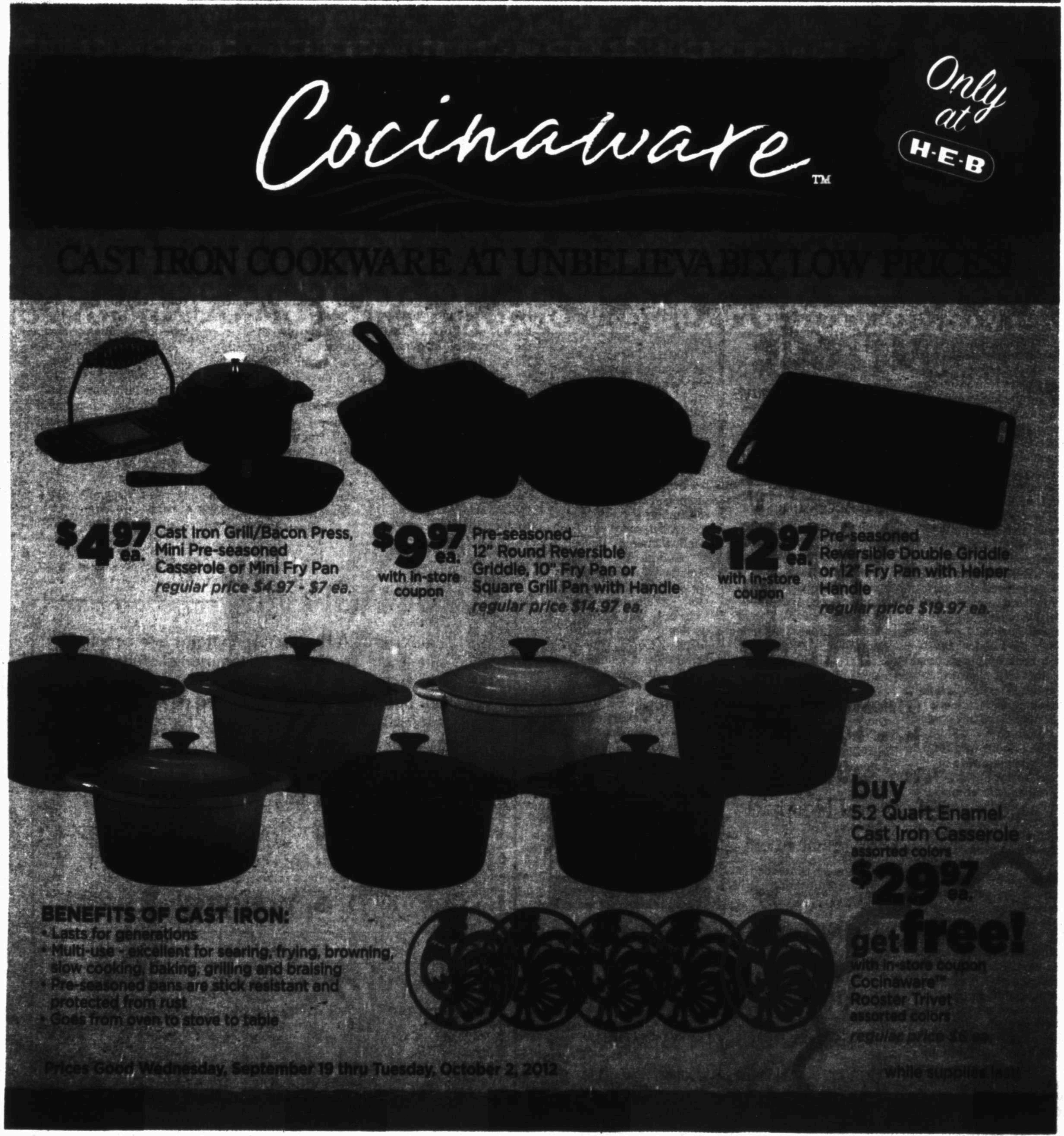

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to the Lone Star SPCA staff, and she started the new classes at the center shortly after her arrival in July.

After a career change about a decade ago, Severud decided to give back by working at an animal shelter. She noticed the plethora of behavioral problems of the animals coming in and decided to open up Canine Discovery Dog Training in Minneapolis, Minn., where she taught group dog training classes and conducted in-home training for five years. She began working at Best Friends Sanctuary in Kanab, Utah in 2008, where she was able to combine her passion for helping dogs needing homes with her love for education. It was there Clodfelter and Lone Star executive director Kirk French met Severud while completing dog training courses.

Severud has led animal assisted activities for teens with alcohol abuse issues, young mothers and other at-risk youth. She often saw a light bulb go off for her students who had disciplinary issues; instead of telling them how to behave, she had allowed them to recognize the value of discipline through their own training of the dogs.

"It's such a great medium for teaching them empathy," she said. "Our hope is that it would carry over in other aspects of their lives."

Management at the sanctuary hopes to have additional classes each week for MARC clients and start similar programs for at-risk youth.

"We want to do stuff for the community as well as provide a shelter for animals," said Clodfelter.

The new classes fit with MARC's mission of helping clients take part in community and build skills to accomplish their own individual goals, according to Jeremy Daniel, the organization's director of vocational services. On top of all that, he said, they experience unconditional love that's sometimes very needed.

"They enjoy working, but they enjoy building the friendships with the animals," he said. "It's a win-win for our clients. It helps with breaking down old stereotypes about what intellectual and physical disabilities are about."

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Jen Severud, new dog trainer at Lone Star SPCA, pets Chewy, one of the new dogs, Sept. 11, during a training session.

Odessa library to host book festival

From Staff Reports

ODESSA — The Ector County Library is teaming up with The Odessa Council for Arts and Humanities, KOSA, Barnes and Noble Booksellers, The Odessa American and University of Texas Press to present Books in the Basin, a book festival 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 6 at the library, 321 W. 5th St.

The event will kick-off a yearlong celebration of the library's 75th anniversary. Forty authors from across Texas will gather in downtown Odessa for panel discussions, talks and book signings. Admission to the festival is free. Starbucks and Cupcake Barn will have refreshments available for purchase and Barnes and Noble will set up a tent in Noel Plaza to sell the work of featured artists.

Ticketed events include a Breakfast with the Authors at 9:30 a.m. Oct. 6 at Dee's Bistro, 622 N. Lee St. Cost is $20 and includes breakfast.

A presentation by Karen Valby, author of "Welcome to Utopia" and senior writer for Entertainment Weekly, will be 3:30 p.m. at Ector Theater, address. Tickets for A Conversation with Karen Valby are $25 and include a book discussion, Q&A session, book signing, copy of "Welcome to Utopia" and admission to a screening of "The Last Picture Show."

For tickets to Breakfast with the Authors or A Conversation with Karen Valby, or for more information on Books in the Basin, visit onebookodessa.com or call 432-332-0633, ext. 4025.

The mission of Books in the Basin is to encourage West Texans to read by exposing them to new books and providing opportunities for readers to connect with the authors. The festival also aims to promote the services and products offered through Ector County Library.

SEMINAR

From 1B

The seminar, she said, also will be a time for moms who also might be new to the area to connect with other expectant women if they need support in the coming months.

"We want to help the moms feel better about themselves. If they feel better, then everybody benefits — the parents and the babies," she said.

Pre-registration is not required, but those who would like to reserve a seat can do so at www.tenderbeginnings.net.

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BREAKINGBOARDS

Jenny Delk-Fikes, left, breaks through six wooden boards, winning first place in her class Saturday during The Best of the West Karate Tournament at the Grand Texan Hotel Convention Center. ABOVE: Dalton Smith executes a hammer fist strike through three out of six wooden boards Saturday during the tournament.

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City of Alpine presents the Shooting Alpine 2012 photo contest

From Staff Reports

ALPINE — The city of Alpine is accepting submission for the second Shooting Alpine Photo Contest. Photographers from across Texas are invited to share their shots of the Far West Texas town and enter to win one of five cash prizes, including a top prize of $500. All photographers will be entered into a drawing for appreciation prizes including a $50 gift certificate to the Reata Restaurant, two nights at The Maverick Inn and two general admission passes to the 2013 Viva Big Bend music festival.

The contest will be judged by Texas Monthly contributor James H. Evans of Marathon who has been photographing the Big Bend area since 1988. Evans' work is featured in private collections and Texas museums. He has published two books, "Big Bend Pictures" in 2003 and "Crazy From The Heat" in 2011, and is working on his third.

The contest is free and open to the public. Entries will be accepted online until Sept. 30. For more information, go to visitalpinetx.com/photocontest.

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NEIL SPERRY

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Globe willow lasts years past life expectancy

Dear Neil: What would cause a white, sticky substance to be oozing out of the dying branches of my 16-year-old globe willow? I've started watering it more heavily. What more can I do?

Answer: That is a very, very old globe willow. From a lifetime of watching them grow, then pass on, I normally quote their life expectancy to be more like 8 or 10 years. So, old age and loss of vigor have contributed. It sounds like perhaps a bacterial infection such as wetwood. It probably also has a community of cottonwood borers living in it. Were it my tree, I'd probably be looking for a replacement this fall. I'm sorry for the bleak nature of my reply, but I've always found it's best to be honest and not overly encouraging when I've felt the necessity.

Dear Neil: This plant has been growing in South Texas for 55 years, and it has never produced a cone. Is it Bunya Bunya?

Answer: From just the small twig sample, it does appear to be from a Bunya Bunya tree (Araucaria bidwillii). Sisters to Norfolk Island pines, these are amazing trees. Their sharp leaves and unusual growth habit add a lot of drama to their surroundings. As you probably know, their cones are as large as bowling balls, and they weigh almost as much. You and others who might sit beneath your tree may be grateful it doesn't seem to want to produce cones.

Dear Neil: I have a gerbera daisy that has been growing in a large pot for two years. It blooms well (dark red), but it wilts very badly. Its leaves are very pale, almost white. What might I do to correct the leaf color?

Answer: That sounds like it may be getting too much sunlight, or it may need nitrogen. The plant food you mentioned should help. Just be sure you have a type that is very high in a water-soluble form of nitrogen (first number of the analysis). Follow the mixing directions, and apply a diluted feeding each time you water it. It probably would benefit from shade from noon until 5 p.m. until it turns cooler.

Dear Neil: Is there any disadvantage to planting pansies early? I have a bed of other flowers that played out over the summer, and I'd like to get my fall flowers planted as soon as they start coming into garden centers.

Answer: There is a disadvantage. If you rush the pansy-planting season and plant them before daytime temperatures drop down into the mid-80s or lower, you run the risk of watching your plants get stretched and quite lanky. You can move forward with pinks, snapdragons and even sweet alyssum, but pansies and violas need to wait until a week or two into October. It's such an issue, even for growers, that one large company built greenhouses in the Davis Mountains specifically to germinate their pansy seedlings and get their small transplants started.

Dear Neil: I have seen giant pothos in stores, and I'd like to grow it myself. I have lots of the regular devil's ivy. Are they different plants?

Answer: They are the same plant. Giant pothos is merely the adult foliage of the one you're calling devil's ivy. Any time your plant starts to ascend, whether up a tree trunk in nature or up a totem pole in a greenhouse or nursery, it will start producing larger and larger leaves. In tropical areas, they can reach 36 inches in diameter. The only way to accomplish that at home is to grow them vertically. Start your small rooted stem cuttings in a large pot, and train them to grow vertically from the outset. Until they reach the top of the support and start to cascade down, they will continue to grow larger. When they cascade, however, they will revert to standard devil's ivy leaf size. Charles Lindberg is buried beyond Hana on Maui. When we visited his grave, I was taken by the canopy of giant pothos plants growing over the small rural lane. It's an amazing plant.

Dear Neil: How long should I leave a new red oak tree staked and wrapped? I planted it last spring, and it's doing great.

Answer: Leave it staked securely at least past next spring's strong winds. By then, if it has produced several inches of new growth, and if the trunk is sturdy enough to hold the leaf canopy, you probably could remove the stakes. I'd keep the paper tree wrap on the trunk until the leaf canopy gives it pretty much full shade from the hot sun. Too many people fail to protect new red oaks from sunscald and subsequent borer invasion. Great work in doing so from the outset.

Grow Native BY BURR WILLIAMS

Drought and water restrictions have inspired many Midlanders to change their ideas of ideal landscapes. Each week Burr Williams, executive director of Sibley Nature Center, will share some of his top picks of native West Texas plants. For a list of more drought-tolerant plants, visit www.sibleynaturecenter.org.

Navaho tea

Navaho tea is a native Llano Estacado plant that makes a delightful tea. It gets about 1 foot tall and 6 inches wide. With minimal irrigation, it blooms nonstop. It is a short-lived perennial, but often seedlings appear nearby.

Plan landscape before purchasing plants

JEFF FLOYD

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Choosing the right plant for the right place is vital to having a successful landscape design. Performance of a site analysis early in the design process will result in overall savings and greater enjoyment of your landscape for the way you intend to use it.

A common mistake is to make plant purchases based exclusively on how they appeal to us in the sea of other greenery and color at the nursery. Without giving full consideration to the conditions they'll be forced to grow in once installed on our property, your new plants may disappoint you over time. A plan can be as simple as a hand drawn illustration on a sheet of notebook paper or as complex as a computer-generated design based on parameters created by an architect, but it begins with knowing your landscape. The site analysis is an early step in the landscape design process.

Where are the utilities located on your property? Poor planning in this area is particularly visible when the crown of a mature tree reaches into the power lines running down into your home. These trees always lose the battle because power takes precedence. Over time, a tree that otherwise would have become a beautiful mature live oak for example, may be pruned to an unattractive mass of dangerous limbs hovering over your lawn.

How much sun does your landscape have at different times daily and seasonally? Most likely, the sun beams down on areas of your lawn differently during different times of the day. Plants with a growth requirement of more than six hours of sunlight do not thrive in a location that receives only two You can use landscape plantings strategically to control the comfort of your home. Planting deciduous trees on the southern and western sides of your home will offer cooling protection from our penetrating summer heat and allow the sunlight to warm your home in the winter months after their foliage has been shed.

What about soil considerations? One of the reasons we can't successfully grow Japanese dogwood in the Permian Basin is because of our moderately alkaline soils. On the other hand, a cedar elm tree will thrive in the high pH soils common in the arid climate of West Texas.

What kind of drainage does your land have? Are there swales that may direct water to specific locations and cause temporary flooding from our infrequent precipitation? Some plants tolerate wet soils for extended periods while others decline quickly. These are just a few things to consider when designing a landscape.

Texas A&M Agrilife Extension and the Permian Basin Master Gardeners will be hosting a Water Wise Landscape Seminar 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 6, at the Odessa Regional Medical Center Auditorium located at 515 N: Adams St. in Odessa. The program costs $50 per person and includes lunch and refreshments. To register for the seminar or learn more about the kinds of plants that will grow in West Texas landscapes, call the Texas A&M Agrilife Extension office at 686-4700 or visit the Permian Basin Master Gardener's website at westtexasgardening.org.

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Sports

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Lady Chaps hope for spark in rivalry match

By Oscar LeRoy
Sports Writer

Second-year Midland College volleyball coach Tammie Jimenez hopes that tonight's match against Odessa College will give her team the fire on the court she has wanted to see this season.

The Lady Wranglers (8-5, 0-1 in Western Junior College Athletic Conference) comes into Chaparral Center as a much improved team in its second year of existence and Jimenez looks for Odessa College to be very competitive.

"OC, MC is always going to be a rivalry, and I think it's going to be a game that the girls can get hyped up for more so than playing Clarendon or Frank Phillips," said Jimenez, whose team is 10-4 overall and 2-0 in the WJCAC. "So I expect them to be a little more charged up and little more excited to be on the court.."

The match

ODESSA COLLEGE AT MIDLAND COLLEGE
When: 7 p.m. today
Where: Chaparral Center

Two Lady Chaparral players who are especially excited for this match are Odessa High grads Victoria Smith and Marina Salazar. Both expect a competitive match and to see plenty of familiar faces on the court and in the stands.

"The whole rivalry thing is all good and fun," said Smith, a sophomore right side hitter. "As far as the crowd and our opponent, it's a match I look forward to. I get to see everybody, and everyone is coming over here from Odessa, as well as Midland people."

Added Salazar, a freshman defensive specialist/libero, "I know a few players on that team. When we graduated high school, I was really excited about this game and facing them. I think it's really going to be a good match. Last year was their first year as a volleyball team, and now that they have experience, they're going to be ready and we know what we're up against. We're more than ready to play them."

The Lady Chaps have gotten off to a

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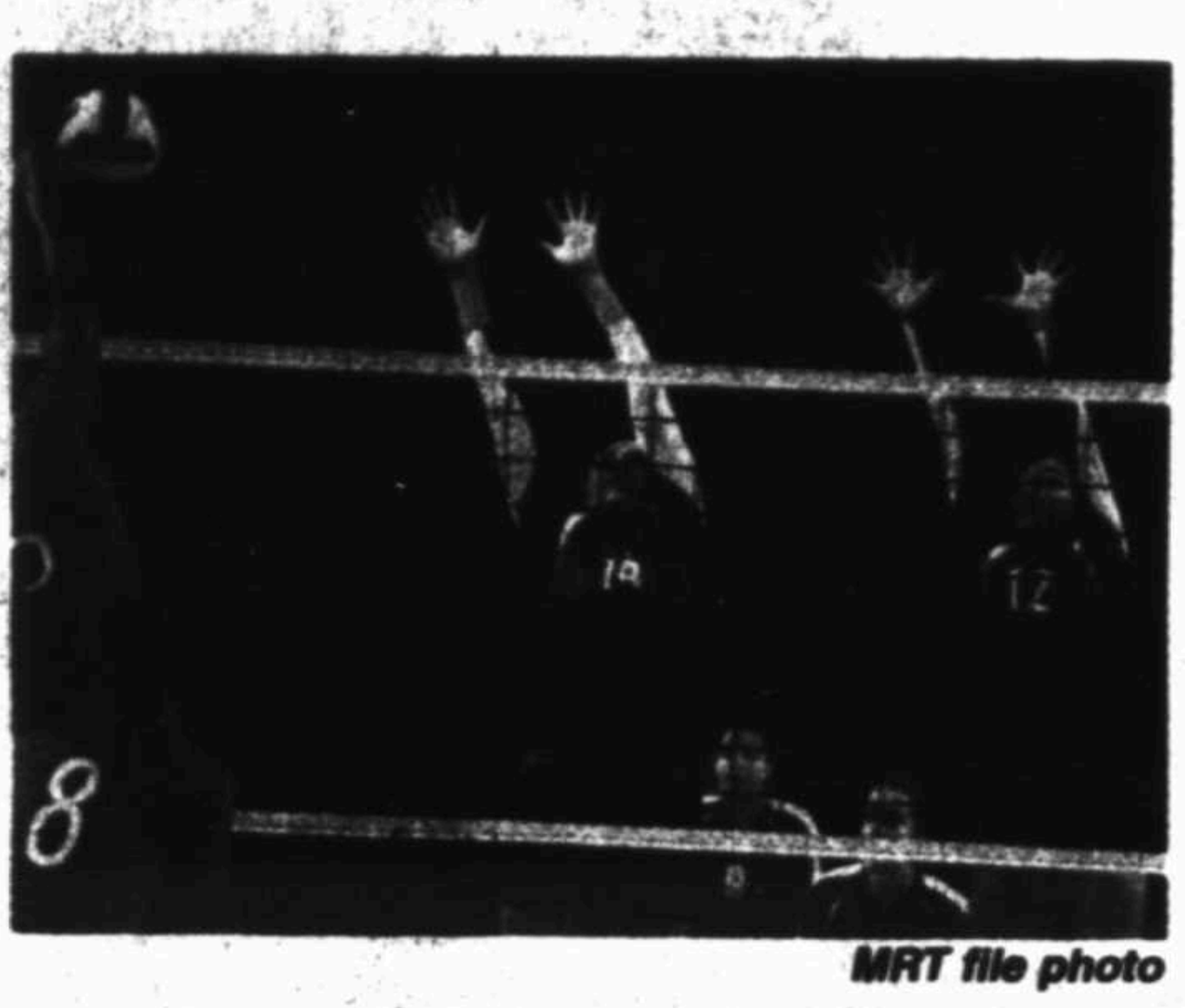

MRT file photo

Midland College's Victoria Smith (14) and Megan Sanchez (12) block a hit against Navarro College in action Aug. 26 at Chaparral Center.

Lady Dawgs swept

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Lubbock Coronado blockers Kalani Giddens and Suzzy Dimba block a hit from Midland High outside hitter Jenna Gillean during the third set Tuesday at Midland High. Coronado swept Midland 25-15, 25-16, 25-23.

MHS can't find answer to Coronado offense

By Len Hayward
Sports Editor

Lubbock Coronado rarely gave Midland High a chance to put together any rallies Tuesday in a District 2-5A match.

Whenever the Lady Bulldogs looked like they were going to put together a run or consecutive points, the Lady Mustangs offensive attack quelled that momentum with a big kill from one of their big hitters, mainly senior Kalani Giddens.

Led by Giddens' 18 kills, the No. 9-ranked Lady Mustangs rolled to a 25-15, 25-16, 25-23 district victory against the Lady Bulldogs at the Midland High gymnasium.

"I think we feed off each other's energy," Giddens said. "It makes our confidence even higher when I see one of my other players get a kill, and then it makes me want to get a kill."

Lubbock Coronado improved to 6-0 in District 2-5A play and 24-5 overall and are all alone in first place in the district standings. Midland High, meanwhile, started what will be a crucial week for the first half of the district season with a loss and is now 3-3 in league play and 23-9 overall.

The Lady Bulldogs are in fifth place and will take on Amarillo Tascosa on Friday.

"I just don't think we were very intense the first two games," Midland High coach Amanda Lopez said. "They had some good hitters, and they hit over our block, and that was kind of hard to adjust to. They are an extremely good team, competitive and in Game 1 were just weren't intense."

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Midland High outside hitter Alexa Griggs celebrates a point scored against Lubbock Coronado during the first set Tuesday at Midland High.

On Tuesday, Giddens' presence on the court was evident early in the match as the senior recorded six kills and then ended the set with a pair of service aces.

But as the match progressed, it wasn't just Giddens coming up with big kills. Suzzy Dimba, whose twin sister Lizzy is also an outside hitter, had three kills over the final six points to win the second set. Suzzy Dimba had eight kills for the match; her sister also had eight.

Overall, the Lady Mustangs hit .417 as a team, and coach Chad Jones said quelling any rallies with those kills was key to the victory.

"That made a difference and that allowed us to side out when we weren't going on runs," Jones said. "It allowed us to get it right back when we made a service error. It was our hitting that got us back in the game and kept pushing the lead."

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Cowboys brain trust split on what to do with Felix Jones

By Tom Orsborn
San Antonio Express-News

DALLAS — Like Tony Romo and his receiving targets Sunday in Seattle, Jerry Jones and Jason Garrett appear to be out of sync.

The owner of the Dallas Cowboys and his head coach seemingly are at odds over what to do with Felix Jones after his fumble of the opening kickoff put the team in a hole against the Seahawks. Seattle converted the turnover — the sixth lost fumble of Jones' career — into a short field goal en route to a 27-7 hammering of the Cowboys.

Jerry Jones said Tuesday the roster spot and role of his fellow Arkansas alum remains secure despite that mistake and an overall early poor showing by the fifth-year pro.

Asked to explain on his radio show why his confidence in Felix Jones remains high, Jerry Jones turned defensive.

"Well, just because I do," he said. "So I feel like we're in good shape. But that's it on that. Move on."

Speaking at a news conference Monday, Garrett indicated he was at least considering relieving Felix Jones of his kick-return duties. Maybe he should have checked with the boss first because Jerry Jones had a different take.

"I don't know about that," the owner told KRLD-FM. "We saw him be quick at practice last week. We need to give him a little more room out there."

Felix Jones ranks near the bottom of the league in average yards per attempt and has shown little of the elusiveness he displayed earlier in his career after Dallas made him a first-round draft pick in 2008.

Still, Jerry Jones continues to back him.

"Felix has returned a lot of kickoffs in his time — All-American twice in college as a kickoff returner," he said. "We have over the years been reluctant to use him as a kickoff returner because we didn't want to risk injury, but we've decided this year to use him as a kickoff returner. He should be a great asset for us. That's the way it remains."

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MRT AREA PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Grady's Rodriguez helps lead comeback

By Oscar LeRoy
Sports Writer

Things weren't looking good early on for Grady and spread back E.J. Rodriguez against Sands in Ackerly last Thursday night as the Wildcats were staring at a 28-0 deficit in the second quarter.

But just nine seconds after Sands scored to push the lead to 28 points, Rodriguez found Michael Jimenez for a 43-yards touchdown pass and things started clicking for the Wildcats.

Rodriguez

Grady came back to win the six-man game 44-41. The defense made key stops, and Rodriguez had a monster game. He had 171 yards rushing and two touchdowns on 24 carries. He also was also 8-of-16 passing for 171 yards and four touchdown passes, including a 23-yard toss to Jimenez with 2 minutes, 53 seconds remaining in the game that turned out to be the game winner.

For his performance in helping Grady win its first game of the year, Rodriguez is the Reporter-Telegram's Area Football Player of the Week.

Grady's first-year coach Chris Kuykendall said the first touchdown pass for Rodriguez seemed to spark not only the team, but his performance for the rest of the night.

"In the first quarter, he came out and looked like it was going to be another situation where E.J. wasn't trusting his blockers and not trusting his receivers," Kukyendall said. "Then in the second quarter, when E.J. rolled out and found

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2A/3A REPORT

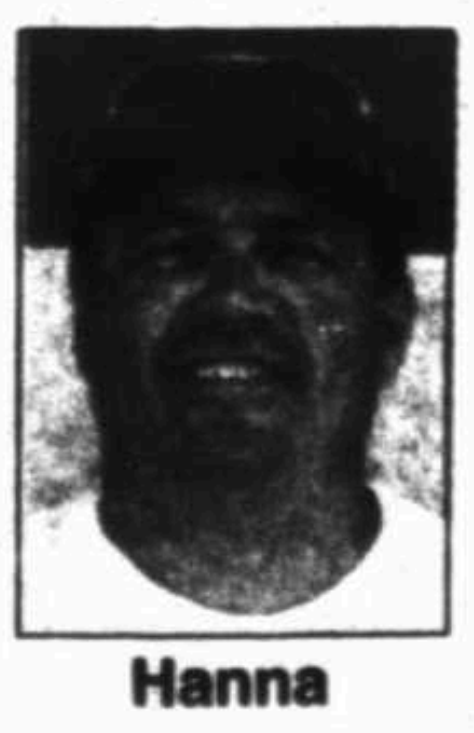
Greenwood looks to recover from tough loss

By Oscar LeRoy
Sports Writer

Greenwood coach Shad Hanna said his team has done a good job in practices this week and is bouncing back from a tough 49-21 loss against Shallowater.

The Rangers, now 2-1 on the season, did some good things in the game, but they also acknowledged that they did things that hurt them.

For one, they had trouble slowing down Shallowater running back Jarek Black, who ran for 375 yards and four touchdowns. And the second thing is that Greenwood wide receivers had several dropped balls that helped to kill drives. It also didn't help that Shallowater jumped out to a 21-0 lead in the first quarter.



Hanna

"I thought we started a little slow and were a little intimidated by their size," Hanna said. "But I think we grew from that. We know we could have played a

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Tee times set for WNB Golf Classic

From staff reports

The 156-player field has been set and tee times were announced Tuesday for this week's Web.com Tour WNB Golf Classic at Midland Country Club.

Among the field competing this week will be 22 of the top 25 players on the Web.com Tour money list, with Luke List at No. 2 on the money list this season. The top 25 players earn cards on the PGA Tour for the 2013 season.

The field also will have a five former champions competing as last year's champion Danny Lee will return this week.

Lee won last year's event in a playoff with Harris English. Lee competed on the PGA Tour this year and was 159th on the money list this year on the tour. Lee will tee off at 9:12 a.m. today on the No. 10 tee.

Other former champions playing this week are Tag Ridings (2002), D.J. Brigman (2003), Brad Adamonis (2007) and Nate Smith (2010).

Two-time U.S. Open champion Lee Janzen also will tee it up this week at Midland Country Club at 1:35 p.m. today on No. 10.

Local players in this year's event include Midland natives John Adams, Lane Branum and Brian Scherer.

Web.com Tour
2012 WNB Golf Classic
Midland Country Club
Thursday's Tee Times
No. 1

8 a.m. — Kevin Johnson, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.; Tag Ridings, Keller; Tim Wilkinson, Pelmerston North, NZ
8:09 a.m. — James Nitties, Sydney, Aus.; John Adams, Paris; Travis Hampshire, Tampa, Fla.
8:18 a.m. — Skip Kendall, Windermere, Fla.; Doug Barron, Memphis, Tenn.; Jason Schultz, Dallas
8:27 a.m. — James Hahn, Alameda, Calif.; Charles Warren, Greenville, S.C.; Jeff Cuzzort, Naples, Fla.
8:36 a.m. — Gary Christian, Carshalton, England; Michael Letzig, Kansas City, Mo.; Robert Damron, Orlando, Fla.
8:45 a.m. — Jeff Gove, San Diego; Scott Parel, Augusta, Ga.; Ben Briscoe, Old Colwyn, Wales
8:54 a.m. — Nick Flanagan, New Castle, Australia; Cliff Kresge, Heathrow, Fla.; Bubba Dickerson, Hilliard, Fla.
9:03 a.m. — Steve Friesen, Scottsdale, Ariz.; Brad Adamonis, Cumberland, R.I.; Reid Edstrom, Auburn, Ala.
9:12 a.m. — Scott Dunlap, Duluth, Ga.; Phillip Pettitt, Jr., Murfreesboro, Tenn.; Michael Connell, Austin
9:21 a.m. — Miguel Angel Carballo, Buenos Aries; J.J. Killeen, Fort Worth; Scott Gutschewski, Omaha, Neb.
9:30 a.m. — Richard Scott, St. Simons Island, Ga.; Dawie van der Walt, Kingwood; Bio Kim, South Korea
9:39 a.m. — Andy Pope, Glen Ellyn, Ill.; Sam Saunders, Orlando, Fla.; Fernando Mechereffe, Pelotes, Brazil
9:48 a.m — Adam Long, Lake St. Louis, Mo.; Andy Bare, West End, N.C.; Bronson La'Cassie, Brisbane, Australia
12:50 p.m. — Peter Tomasulo, Long Beach, Calif.; Jim Herman, Palm City, Fla.; Fabian Gomez, Chasco, Argentina
12:59 p.m. — Nicholas Thompson, Coral Springs, Fla.; Doug LaBelle II, Mt. Pleasant, Mich.; Matt Weibring, Dallas
1:08 p.m — Camilo Benedetti, Medellin, Columbia; Steven Bowditch, Australia; Steven Alker, Hamilton, NZ
1:17 p.m. — Russell Henley, Macon, Ga.; Joe Durant, Gulf Breeze, Fla.; Michaele Putnam, Tacoma, Wash.
1:26 p.m. — Robert Streb, Edmond, Okla.; David Lingmerth, Tranas, Sweden; Steve LeBrun, West Palm Beach, Fla.
1:36 p.m. — Luke Guthrie, Champaign, Ill.; Peter Lonard, Sydney, Australia; Sung Kang, Jeju Island, Korea
1:44 p.m. — Marco Dawson, Lakeland, Fla.; John Kimbell, San Antonio; B.J. Staten, Cottonwood Heights, Utah
1:53 p.m. — Andrew Gonzales, Olympia, Wash.; Chad Collins, Cloverdale, Ind.; Tim Petrovic, Austin
2:02 p.m. — Erik Compton, Coral Gables, Fla.; Craig Bowden, Bloomington, Ind.; Steve Allan, Melbourne, Australia
2:11 p.m. — Nate Smith, Santa Cruz, Calif.; Joseph Bramlett, Saratoga, Calif.; Kevin Foley, Stuart, Fla.
2:20 p.m. — Andy Winings, Brownsburg, Ind.; Jeff Corr, Longwood, Fla.; Rehil Gangjee, Calcutta, India
2:29 p.m. — Ben Martin, Greenwood, S.C.; Adam Hadwin, Abbotsford, B.C.; Jin Park, Phoenix
2:38 p.m. — Andrew Loupe, Baton Rouge, La.; Stuart Deane, Arlington; **Lane Branum, Midland**

No. 10

8 a.m. — Jason Allred, Scottsdale, Ariz.; D.J. Brigman, Albuquerque, N.M.; Brat Fritsch, Ottawa, Ontario
8:09 a.m. — Joey Snyder III, Scottsdale, Ariz.; Stuart Anderson, Sooke, British Columbia; Matt Hendrix, Greenville, S.C.
8:18 a.m. — Will MacKenzie, Greenville, S.C.; Stephen Gangluff, Charlottesville, Va.; Cameron Percy, Melbourne, Australia
8:27 a.m. — Darron Stiles, Pinehurst, N.C.; Paul Claxton, Sea Island, Ga.; Derek Fathauer, Jupiter, Fla.
8:36 a.m. — James Sacheck, Fort Worth; Omar Uresti, Austin; Alex Prugh, Spokane, Wash.
8:45 a.m. — Andrew Svoboda, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.; Jim Renner, Orlando, Fla.; Shane Bertsch, Denver, Colo.
8:54 a.m. — Aron Price, Sydney, Australia; Derek Lamely, Fort Myers, Fla.; Brenden Pappas, McKinney
9:03 a.m. — Aaron Watkins, Mesa, Ariz.; Brett Wetterich, Jupiter, Fla.; Aaron Goldberg, Australia
9:12 a.m. — Danny Lee, Rotorua, N.Z.; Scott Gardiner, Collengetta, Australia; Andrew Buckle, Encinitas, Calif.
9:21 a.m. — Ryan Armour, Silver Lake, Ohio; Ron Whittaker, Little Rock, Ark.; Mathias Gronberg, Sweden
9:30 a.m. — John Chin, Temecula, Calif.; Jerod Turner, Colleyville; Tom Hoge, Fargo, N.D.
9:39 a.m. — Alex Coe, La Quinta, Calif.; Scott Harrington, Scottsdale, Ariz.; Martin Piller, Dallas
9:48 a.m. — John Darden, Frisco; Troy Denton, Dallas; John Sikes, Frankston
12:50 p.m. — Ben Kohles, Cary, N.C.; Edward Loar, Dallas; Scott Sterling, Baton Rouge, La.
12:59 p.m. — Chris Wilson, Dublin, Ohio; Oscar Serna, Leon, Mexico; Alex Aragon, Cardiff, Calif.
1:08 p.m. — Will Wilcox, Ashville, Ala.; Kent Jones, Albuquerque, N.M.; Guy Boros, Pompano Beach, Fla.
1:17 p.m. — Alistair Presnell, Melbourne, Australia; Justin Hicks, West Palm Beach, Fla.; Paul Haley II, Dallas
1:26 p.m. — Russell Knox, Inverness, Colo.; Jason Gore, Valencia, Calif.; Jamie Lovermark, Jupiter, Fla.
1:35 p.m. — Lee Janzen, Orlando, Fla.; Brian Stuard, Jackson, Mich.; Erik Flores, Grass Valley, Calif.
1:44 p.m. — Glen Day, Alotian, Ark.; Zack Miller, San Rafael, Calif.; Brad Elder, Dallas
1:53 p.m. — Luke List, Jupiter, Fla.; Josh Broadaway, Dothan, Ala.; Nathan Green, Newcastle, Australia
2:02 p.m. — Shawn Stefani, Houston; Lee Williams, Alexander City, Ala.; Troy Merritt, Cave Creek, Ariz.
2:11 p.m. — Christopher DeForest, Cottakill, N.Y.; Wes Roach, Knoxville, Tenn.; Brent Delahoussaye, Greenville, S.C.
2:20 p.m. — Tyrone Van Aswegen, Johannesburg, South Africa; Jeff Curl, Birmingham, Ala.; Bryan DeCorso, Windermere, Fla.
2:29 p.m. — Matt Harmon, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Brice Garnett, Gallatin, Mo.; James Love, Calgary, Alberta
2:38 p.m. — Morgan Hoffmann, Charlotte, N.C.; Nathan Tyler, Tucson, Ariz.; **Brian Scherer, Midland**

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Lubbock Coronado's Kalani Giddens digs Tuesday at Midland High.

MHS

From 1C

Midland High rallied from a 20-17 to tie it at 23 when they scored six of seven points as Channing Burleson, who led MHS with nine kills, had a block and the Lady Bulldogs took advantage of four Lady Mustang errors.

But Emily Ritchie recorded a kill to end the rally and Bailee Johnson's serve landed in to the end the match.

"Our block came along (in the third set), and we started utilizing our big hitters," Lopez said. "The third game was our best."

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LUBBOCK CORONADO DEF. MIDLAND HIGH,
25-15, 25-16, 25-23
Midland High statistics

Kills — Victoria Gerald 1, Channing Burleson 9, Alexa Griggs 3, Erin Robbins 3, Kaydee Strickland 2, Jenna Gillean 7
Digs — Gerald 3, Selena Muniz 10, Burleson 10, Sara Spears 20, Griggs 8, Katherine Lopez 5, Gillean 2
Assists — Gerald 5, Lopez 18
Blocks — Robbins 1, Gillean
Aces — Gerald 1, Burleson 1, Gillean

Lubbock Coronado statistics

Kills — Kalani Giddens 18, Lizzy Dimba 8, Suzzy Dimba 8
Digs — Giddens 9, Taylor Ford 7
Assists — Haidyn Scott 17, Sydney Webster 12
Blocks — S. Dimba 1, L. Dimba 1, Giddens 1, Scott 1
Aces — Scott 4
Records: Midland High 23-9, 3-3 in District 2-5A; Lubbock Coronado 24-5, 6-0.

District 2-5A Volleyball

	Conference W	Conference L	Overall W	Overall L
Lubbock Coronado	6	0	24	5
San Angelo Central	5	1	23	7
Lee	4	2	19	10
Amarillo Tascosa	4	2	19	13
Midland High	3	3	23	9
Abilene High	3	3	20	9
Abilene Cooper	1	5	13	15
Odessa Permian	1	5	11	15
Odessa High	0	6	13	13

Tuesday's scores

Lubbock Coronado def. Midland High, 25-15, 25-16, 25-23; Abilene High def. Odessa High 22-25, 25-18, 25-19, 25-22; Abilene Cooper def. Odessa Permian, 25-20, 23-25, 25-22, 25-22; Lee, Amarillo Tascosa and San Angelo Central are idle.

Friday's matches

Amarillo Tascosa at Midland High; Odessa Permian at Abilene High; San Angelo Central at Odessa High; Abilene Cooper at Lubbock Coronado. All games at 5 p.m. Lee is idle.

Saturday's matches

Amarillo Tascosa at Lee, Noon

HSVOLLEYBALLROUNDUP

FROM STAFF REPORTS

GREENWOOD SWEEPS DUAL IN GRAPE CREEK

GRAPE CREEK — Greenwood got back above the .500 mark with a pair of victories in dual match with Grape Creek and Junction on Tuesday.

The Rangerettes needed four sets to topple both teams, defeating Grape Creek, 20-25, 25-22, 25-18, 26-24, before handling Junction, 25-20, 19-25, 25-21, 25-15.

Amanda Bell led the Rangerettes with 29 kills, 13 digs, 21 assists, nine blocks and five aces in the two matches combined. Morgan McKee had 21 kills, while Courtney Waters added 17 kills and seven aces.

The Rangerettes begin District 4-3A play at 1 p.m. Saturday at Big Spring.

GREENWOOD DEF. GRAPE CREEK
20-25, 25-22, 25-18, 26-24
GREENWOOD DEF. JUNCTION
25-20, 19-25, 25-21, 25-15
Cumulative stats

Kills — Amanda Bell 29, Morgan McKee 21, Courtney Waters 17, Whitney Collins 6, Grace Sunderland 3, Bailey Morgan 2, Candace Kingston 1, Neely Lott 1.
Digs — Cassie Kraft 23, Bell 13, Ashton Hannsz 15, Amanda Cain 5, Waters 7, McKee 1, Collins 4.
Assists — Hannsz 42, Bell 21, McKee 1.
Blocks — Bell 9, Candace Kingston 2, Waters 2, Hannsz 1, Sunderland 1, McKee 1.
Aces — Hannsz 6, Bell 5, Waters 7, Morgan 1, Collins 3.
Record: Greenwood 15-14
Next: Greenwood at Big Spring, 1 p.m. Saturday

MCS TOPS WINK IN 5 SETS

Midland Christian nabbed a five-set non-district victory against Wink on Tuesday at McGraw Special Events Center.

The Lady Mustangs were down 2-1 heading into the fourth set before ultimately winnings, 20-25, 25-20, 23-25, 25-18, 17-15.

MCS was led by Emma Thompson's 14 kills, 2.5 blocks and four aces. Morgan Ashton had 12 kills, eight digs and 33 assists, while Kyndal Cowan added 11 kills, 13 digs, 25 assists and three aces.

Midland Christian jumps back into district play at 5 p.m. Friday, playing host to Grapevine Faith.

MIDLAND CHRISTIAN DEF. WINK
20-25, 25-20, 23-25, 25-18, 17-15
MCS stats

Kills — Emma Thompson 14, Morgan Ashton 12, Kyndal Cowan 11, Kayla Dupriest 6, Presley Haner 6, Carleigh Moore 5, Abby Needham 4, Emma Tamplin 3, Katie Bramley 2.
Digs — Kendall Blanchard 13, Cowan 13, Ashton 8, Haner 6, Riley Machen 4, Madi LeRoy 3, Dupriest 3, Tamplin 2, Needham 2, Thompson 1, Moore 1.
Assists — Ashton 33, Cowan 25, Haner 1, Dupriest 1, Thompson 1, Blanchard 1.
Blocks — Cowan 1.5, Thompson 2.5, Ashton 1, Moore 1.
Aces — Thompson 4, Cowan 3, Blanchard 2, Haner 1.
Record: Midland Christian 22-4, 1-1 in TAPPS 1-4A
Next: Grapevine Faith at Midland Christian, 5 p.m. Friday.

TRINITY SWEEPS KERMIT

KERMIT — Trinity made quick work of Kermit on Tuesday, routing the Lady Jackets, 25-11, 25-12, 25-12, in a non-district match.

The Lady Chargers were led by Mykelti Ball's nine kills and two blocks, while Ashley Stroup had eight kills and two blocks. Kaitlin Hendrick led the Lady Chargers defensively with 14 digs.

Trinity plays host to Kermit at 11 a.m. Saturday.

TRINITY DEF. KERMIT
25-11, 25-12, 25-12
Trinity stats

Kills — Mykelti Ball 9, Ashley Stroup 8, Ellie Hewett 2, India Lewis 2, Morgan Pruett 2, Alex Beggs 1, Avery Watson 1, Sarah Heck 1.
Digs — Kaitlin Hendrick 14, Heck 8, Beggs 7, Lewis 5, Margo Edwards 3, Myk. Ball 3, Stroup 2, Hewett 2, Watson 2, Pruett 1.
Assists — Heck 18, Edwards 1, Mylyra Ball 1.
Blocks — Stroup 2, Myk. Ball 2, Hewett 1, Myl. Ball 1.
Aces — Myl. Ball 4, Beggs 2, Heck 1, Edwards 1, Hewett 1, Lewis 1.
Record: Trinity 15-9.
Next: Kermit at Trinity, 11 a.m. Saturday.

MCA HANDLES KERMIT

KERMIT — Midland Classical had little problem disposing of Kermit in a non-district match Tuesday, winning 25-11, 25-15, 25-21.

Amy Hinton led the way with 13 kills, while Karis Johnson added seven kills. Mckenzie Griffin had 21 assists.

Midland Classical hosts the Odessa Warriors at 6 p.m. Friday.

MIDLAND CLASSICAL DEF. KERMIT
25-11, 25-15, 25-21
MCA leaders

Kills — Amy Hinton 13, Karis Johnson 7, Danielle Jackson 4
Assists — Mckenzie Griffin 21
Aces — Kayla Beattie 5
Record: MCA 13-6
Next: Odessa Warriors at Midland Classical, 6 p.m. Friday

COWBOYS

From 1C

Felix Jones failed the club's conditioning test at training camp after arriving in Oxnard, Calif., out of shape. He dropped several passes in camp and during the preseason and has been shaky ever since.

Garrett has been patient, but the fumble is hard to overlook.

"Line 1 in returning the football in the NFL for me is ball security," Garrett said. "We're always looking at personnel…When you (fumble) like that, you look hard at that and what the alternatives are."

With DeMarco Murray firmly established as the team's lead runner, Jones has one carry this season for one yard and four catches for 40 yards.

"Felix has made so many explosive plays in his career," Garrett said. "At different times, he's averaged over eight yards a carry and certainly has made some big returns as well. He hasn't done that yet. You can make a lot of excuses and have a lot of explanations for that: He missed the whole offseason (after shoulder surgery)…But the reality is he is where he is."

Jones averaged 21.8 yards on five returns against the Seahawks but got past the 20-yard line only once. In addition to the fumble, he is also under scrutiny for taking two returns deep out of the end zone rather than taking a knee to put the ball at the 20.

"We talked to Felix about a few of those," Garrett said. "He was a little bit aggressive bringing the ball out."

LADY CHAPS

From 1C

good start in WJCAC play, winning in straight sets against both Frank Phillips College and Clarendon College. The only thing Jimenez would like to see more out of her team is that fire and a little more chemistry on the court.

"It's not that they don't work well together, but there's some that have more fire than others and trying to get everybody on the same page is sometimes a struggle," Jimenez said. "I'm probably a little more intense of a coach than they're used to, and my expectations are high. And they're young and they're trying to adapt to a faster game. I think they have an idea in their head that they need to please me every minute of every match. It's not about pleasing me. It's about them performing as a unit."

Smith, only one of two sophomores on the team, believes that her young team is making progress in all areas.

"We're gelling together more and more every day," Smith said. "It's pretty crazy to think that me and (Dragana Cvoric) are the only sophomores. In a lot of ways, (the freshmen) look to us for a lot of answers. It's kind of cool to guide them along the way."

Salazar said both Smith and Cvoric have been great leaders on the team and understands that the team has plenty of potential to grow as the season continues.

"The recent matches, we haven't played to the best of our ability," she said. "We have a lot of talent but I know we can do much better."

Odessa College just might bring out that spark in the Lady Chaparrals that Jimenez has been looking for this season.

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WJCAC Volleyball

	Conference W	Conference L	Overall W	Overall L
Western Texas	2	0	14	2
Midland College	2	0	10	4
NMMI	1	1	8	7
Odessa College	0	1	8	5
Frank Phillips	0	1	5	4
Clarendon College	0	2	7	7

Saturday's scores

Midland College def. Clarendon College, 3-0; Western Texas College def. New Mexico Military Institute 3-0; Odessa College and Frank Phillips College were open

Today's matches

Odessa College at Midland College; Clarendon College at Western Texas College; New Mexico Military Institute at Frank Phillips College

ODESSA COLLEGE AT MIDLAND COLLEGE

When/where: 7 p.m., Chaparral Center

Records: Midland College 10-4, 2-0 in Western Junior College Athletic Conference; Odessa College 8-5, 0-1

Last WJCAC match: Midland College def. Clarendon College 3-0; Western Texas College def. Odessa College 3-0 (Sept. 12)

Notes & quotes: Midland College looks to stay unbeaten in conference play when it faces rival Odessa College tonight. ...The Lady Chaparrals won all three meetings with OC in the Lady Wranglers' first year as a volleyball program. ...MC coach Tammie Jimenez said she doesn't know much about OC but knows that the Lady Wranglers run a 6-2 set and has heard good things about their serving. "We'll approach them the way we do everybody else in terms of trying to take care of our side of our court before we overly concern ourselves with what they're doing," Jimenez said. "Defense is going to be our forte, so offensively we need to work a little harder." Jimenez said she would like to see her team be a little more up-tempo with its offense and wants to see the Lady Chaps have good ball control and eliminate the other team's free ball opportunities. ... Against Clarendon on Saturday, sophomore OH Dragana Cvoric and freshman MB Gaby Nieto led MC with 17 and 15 kills respectively, freshman setters Kayla Hancock and Kristina Gafford had 19 and 17 sets respectively, and freshman DS Sarah Allen added 11 digs. ... OC, which had the bye on Wednesday, is led by freshman OH Natalija Djordjevic with 7.29 kills per set, while sophomore MB Aline Rosario is averaging 4.64 kills and 3.21 blocks per set. ... Both teams were among other teams receiving votes in the latest NJCAA Division I volleyball poll. ... The Lady Chaps picked up another victory this week as they were informed by Panola College that they had to forfeit its victory against MC on Sept. 7 because of an NJCAA eligibility infraction.

Next: Midland College at New Mexico Military Institute, 8 p.m. (CST), Wednesday, Sept. 26; Clarendon College at Odessa College, 7 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 26

UTPB picks up road win

From staff reports

HOBBS, N.M. — UTPB won its third game away from home in the 2012 season Tuesday night, earning a four-set victory, 18-25, 25-11, 26-24, 25-23, over University of the Southwest.

Melissa Lusk led UTPB in kills, pacing the offense with 12. Hannah Rebb added eight kills while being one of thee players to record 18 digs along with Kelsey Zukowski and Taylor Harmon.

Ariel Fralick led the way with 24 assists on the night.

UTPB returns home to Heartland Conference action in two days, hosting Oklahoma Panhandle at 7 p.m. Thursday.

Jacks lose game Monday

From staff reports

TOPEKA, Kan. — The Topeka RoadRunners scored a goal in the third period and another in overtime to beat the Odessa Jackalopes 3-2 on Monday night at Kansas Expo-Centre.

Odessa took a 2-1 lead in the second period thanks to goals by Lawrence Cornellier and Ryan Doucet.

But Kyle Sharkey tied the game in the third period and then scored the game winner nearly 4 minutes into overtime.

Odessa is 2-2-1 this season and will return to action on Sept. 29 with a road game against South Division rival Amarillo.

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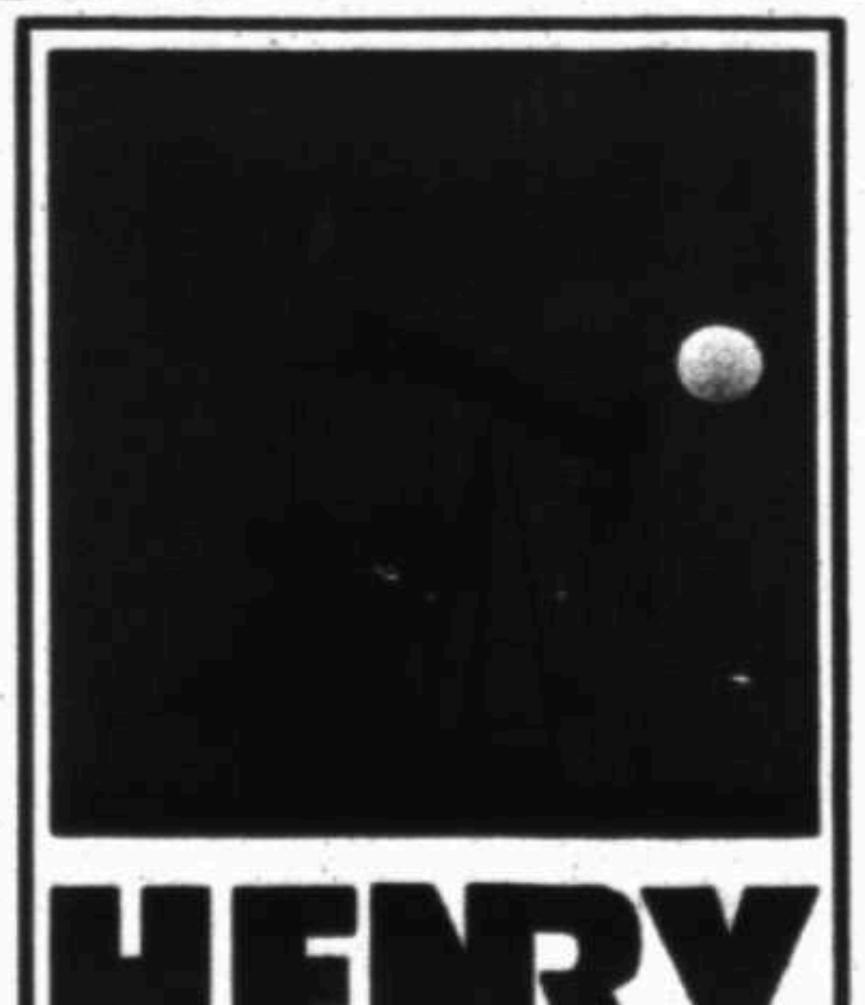

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Ecclesiastes 3:1, 4-5
There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under heaven: a time to weep and a time to laugh, a time to mourn and a time to dance, a time to scatter stones and a time to gather them, a time to embrace and a time to refrain.

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AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
N.Y. Jets	1	1	0	.500	58	55
New England	1	1	0	.500	52	33
Miami	1	1	0	.500	45	43
Buffalo	1	1	0	.500	63	65

South

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Houston	2	0	0	1.000	57	17
Indianapolis	1	1	0	.500	44	61
Tennessee	0	2	0	.000	23	72
Jacksonville	0	2	0	.000	30	53

North

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Baltimore	1	1	0	.500	67	37
Cincinnati	1	1	0	.500	47	71
Pittsburgh	1	1	0	.500	46	41
Cleveland	0	2	0	.000	43	51

West

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
San Diego	2	0	0	1.000	60	24
Denver	1	1	0	.500	52	46
Kansas City	0	2	0	.000	41	75
Oakland	0	2	0	.000	27	57

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Philadelphia	2	0	0	1.000	41	39
Dallas	1	1	0	.500	31	44
Washington	1	1	0	.500	68	63
N.Y. Giants	1	1	0	.500	58	58

South

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Atlanta	2	0	0	1.000	67	45
Tampa Bay	1	1	0	.500	50	51
Carolina	1	1	0	.500	45	43
New Orleans	0	2	0	.000	59	75

North

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Green Bay	1	1	0	.500	45	40
Detroit	1	1	0	.500	46	50
Minnesota	1	1	0	.500	46	46
Chicago	1	1	0	.500	51	44

West

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Arizona	2	0	0	1.000	40	34
San Francisco	2	0	0	1.000	57	41
St. Louis	1	1	0	.500	54	55
Seattle	1	1	0	.500	43	27

Thursday's Score

Green Bay 23, Chicago 10

Sunday's Scores

N.Y. Giants 41, Tampa Bay 34
Carolina 35, New Orleans 27
Arizona 20, New England 18
Indianapolis 23, Minnesota 20
Philadelphia 24, Baltimore 23
Buffalo 35, Kansas City 17
Cincinnati 34, Cleveland 27
Houston 27, Jacksonville 7
Miami 35, Oakland 13
Seattle 27, Dallas 7
St. Louis 31, Washington 28
San Diego 38, Tennessee 10
Pittsburgh 27, N.Y. Jets 10
San Francisco 27, Detroit 19

Monday's Score

Atlanta 27, Denver 21

Thursday's Game

N.Y. Giants at Carolina, 7:20 p.m.

Sunday's Games

Tampa Bay at Dallas, noon
St. Louis at Chicago, noon
San Francisco at Minnesota, noon
Detroit at Tennessee, noon
Kansas City at New Orleans, noon
Cincinnati at Washington, noon
N.Y. Jets at Miami, noon
Buffalo at Cleveland, noon
Jacksonville at Indianapolis, noon
Philadelphia at Arizona, 3:05 p.m.
Atlanta at San Diego, 3:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh at Oakland, 3:25 p.m.
Houston at Denver, 3:25 p.m.
New England at Baltimore, 7:20 p.m.

Monday's Game

Green Bay at Seattle, 7:30 p.m.

Coll. Football

Top 25 Schedule

Thursday

No. 24 Boise State vs. BYU, 8 p.m.

Saturday

No. 1 Alabama vs. Florida Atlantic, 4 p.m.
No. 2 LSU at Auburn, 6 p.m.
No. 3 Oregon vs. No. 22 Arizona, 9:30 p.m.
No. 4 Florida State vs. No. 10 Clemson, 7 p.m.
No. 5 Georgia vs. Vanderbilt, 6:45 p.m.
No. 6 Oklahoma vs. No. 15 Kansas State, 6:30 p.m.
No. 7 South Carolina vs. Missouri, 2:30 p.m.
No. 8 West Virginia vs. Maryland, 11 a.m.
No. 11 Notre Dame vs. No. 18 Michigan, 6:30 p.m.
No. 13 Southern Cal vs. California, 5 p.m.
No. 14 Florida vs. Kentucky, 11:21 a.m.
No. 16 Ohio State vs. UAB, 11 a.m.
No. 17 TCU vs. Virginia, 11 a.m.
No. 19 UCLA vs. Oregon State, 2:30 p.m.
No. 20 Louisville at FIU, 6 p.m.
No. 21 Michigan State vs. Eastern Michigan, 2:30 p.m.
No. 23 Mississippi State vs. South Alabama, 6 p.m.
No. 25 Nebraska vs. Idaho State, 2:30 p.m.

Wednesday

EAST

Kent St. (1-1) at Buffalo (1-1), 6 p.m.

Thursday

SOUTH

Ark.-Pine Bluff (2-1) at Alabama St. (2-1), 7:30 p.m.

FAR WEST

BYU (2-1) at Boise St. (1-1), 8 p.m.

Friday

EAST

Georgetown (2-1) at Princeton (0-1), 6 p.m.

SOUTH

Baylor (2-0) at Louisiana-Monroe (1-1), 7 p.m.

Saturday

SOUTHWEST

Virginia (2-1) at TCU (2-0), 11 a.m.
Alabama A&M (3-0) at Texas Southern (1-2), 11 a.m.
NW Oklahoma (0-3) at UTSA (3-0), 1 p.m.
Marshall (1-2) at Rice (1-2), 2:30 p.m.
Sam Houston St. (1-1) at Cent. Arkansas (2-1), 3 p.m.
Rutgers (3-0) at Arkansas (1-2), 6 p.m.
Alcorn St. (1-2) at Arkansas St. (1-2), 6 p.m.
Troy (1-2) at North Texas (1-2), 6 p.m.
SC State (1-2) at Texas A&M (1-1), 6 p.m.
Stephen F. Austin (1-2) at Texas St. (1-1), 6 p.m.
Kansas St. (3-0) at Oklahoma (2-0), 6:50 p.m.
Langston (1-1) at Lamar (1-2), 7 p.m.
Fresno St. (2-1) at Tulsa (2-1), 7 p.m.

MIDWEST

Campbell (1-2) at Butler (1-2), 11 a.m.
Cent. Michigan (1-1) at Iowa (2-1), 11 a.m.
UMass (0-3) at Miami (Ohio) (1-2), 11 a.m.
UAB (0-2) at Ohio St. (3-0), 11 a.m.
UTEP (1-2) at Wisconsin (2-1), 11 a.m.
Jacksonville (2-1) at Dayton (1-2), noon
Morehead St. (1-2) at Drake (1-2), 1 p.m.
Norfolk St. (2-1) at Ohio (3-0), 1 p.m.
UConn (2-1) at W. Michigan (1-2), 1 p.m.
E. Michigan (0-3) at Michigan St. (2-1), 2:30 p.m.
Kansas (1-2) at N. Illinois (2-1), 2:30 p.m.
Idaho St. (1-1) at Nebraska (2-1), 2:30 p.m.

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

AL Boxes

TIGERS 12, ATHLETICS 2

Oakland	ab	r	h	bi	Detroit	ab	r	h	bi
Crisp cf	2	0	0	0	AJcksn cf	5	3	3	1
Carter ph-1b	3	0	0	0	Berry lf	4	0	2	2
S.Smith lf	4	0	0	0	AGarci rf	1	1	1	0
JWeeks ph	1	0	0	0	MiCarr 3b	4	3	3	6
Reddck rf-cf	3	2	2	0	Worth 3b	0	0	0	0
Barton ph	1	0	0	0	Fielder 1b	3	1	1	2
Cespds dh	2	0	1	1	D.Kelly pr-1b	0	0	0	0
Moss 1b-rf	4	0	3	1	DYong dh	5	0	0	0
Drew ss	4	0	0	0	Dirks rf-lf	5	0	0	0
Dnldsn 3b	3	0	0	0	JhPerlt ss	3	1	1	1
Kottars c	4	0	2	0	Infante 2b	3	1	0	0
Pnngtn 2b	3	0	0	0	G.Laird c	3	2	3	0
Totals	34	2	8	2	Totals	36	12	14	12

Oakland 100 000 100 — 2
Detroit 111 023 04x — 12

E—Drew (5). DP—Oakland 1, Detroit 1. LOB—Oakland 10, Detroit 6. 2B—Reddick (28), Moss (10), Kottaras (2), A.Jackson (26), Berry (10), Mi.Cabrera (38). HR—Mi.Cabrera 2 (40), Fielder (27), Jh.Peralta (12). SF—Mi.Cabrera.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Oakland						
Griffin L,6-1	4 2-3	8	5	5	1	3
Figueroa	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Scribner	1	2	3	3	3	0
J.Chavez	1	4	4	4	0	0
Blevins	1	0	0	0	0	0
Detroit						
Scherzer	2	2	1	1	2	4
D.Downs W,2-1	2 2-3	2	0	0	1	1
B.Villarreal	2-3	1	0	0	1	1
Coke	1 2-3	2	1	1	0	2
Benoit	1	1	0	0	0	0
L.Marte	1	0	0	0	0	1

J.Chavez pitched to 5 batters in the 8th.

HBP—by J.Chavez (Fielder), by D.Downs (Donaldson).

T—3:05. A—31,243 (41,255).

WHITE SOX 3, ROYALS 2

Chicago	ab	r	h	bi	Kansas City	ab	r	h	bi
De Aza lf	4	1	2	1	Lough cf	2	1	0	0
Youkils 3b-1b	4	0	0	0	Bourgs ph-cf	1	0	0	0
A.Dunn dh	3	0	0	0	AEscor ss	4	0	0	0
Konerk 1b	3	0	0	0	AGordn lf	4	1	2	0
JoLopz pr-3b	0	0	0	0	Butler dh	4	0	1	2
Rios rf	3	1	1	1	S.Perez c	4	0	0	0
Przyns c	4	0	2	0	Mostks 3b	3	0	0	0
AlRmrz ss	4	0	1	0	Francr rf	3	0	1	0
Wise cf	4	0	0	0	Hosmer 1b	3	0	1	0
Bckhm 2b	4	1	1	1	TAreu 2b	3	0	0	0
Totals	33	3	7	3	Totals	31	2	5	2

Chicago 100 001 100 — 3
Kansas City 200 000 000 — 2

E—T.Abreu (1). DP—Chicago 1, Kansas City 1. LOB—Chicago 6, Kansas City 3. 2B—A.Gordon (48), Francoeur (23). HR—De Aza (8), Rios (24), Beckham (16).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Chicago						
Floyd W,10-10	7	5	2	2	1	3
Thornton	1 1-3	0	0	0	0	1
A.Reed S,28-32	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
Kansas City						
Hochevar L,8-14	7	7	3	3	0	4
Collins	2-3	0	0	0	1	1
L.Coleman	0	0	0	0	2	0
Bueno	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Mazzaro	1	0	0	0	0	1

L.Coleman pitched to 2 batters in the 8th.
T—2:12. A—14,420 (37,903).

TWINS 6, INDIANS 5, 12 INNINGS

Minnesota	ab	r	h	bi	Cleveland	ab	r	h	bi
Span cf	6	2	3	0	Choo rf	6	1	1	0
Revere rf	5	1	1	0	Kipnis 2b	6	0	2	0
Mauer c	4	0	3	1	AsCarr ss	5	0	1	1
Wingh lf	6	0	1	1	CSantn c	6	2	2	1
MCarsn lf	0	0	0	0	Brantly cf	5	1	1	0
Mornea 1b	5	0	1	1	Canzler dh	5	0	1	0
Doumit dh	3	1	1	0	Chsnhll 3b	5	1	1	1
Mstrnn pr-dh	2	1	1	0	Ktchm 1b	4	0	1	0
Plouffe 3b	4	0	0	0	LaPort ph-1b	1	0	0	0
ACasill pr-2b	2	1	1	1	Carrer lf	5	0	1	1
JCarrl 2b-3b	6	0	2	0					
EEscor ss	3	0	1	1					
Parmel ph	1	0	0	0					
Flormn ss	2	0	1	1					
Totals	49	6	16	6	Totals	48	5	11	4

Minnesota 200 100 100 002 — 6
Cleveland 110 002 000 001 — 5

E—Plouffe (16), A.Casilla (8). DP—Minnesota 1, Cleveland 1. LOB—Minnesota 12, Cleveland 9. 2B—Span (34), Doumit (31), J.Carroll (16). HR—C.Santana (16), Chisenhall (5). SB—Span (15), Mastroianni (21), A.Casilla (18), Carrera (7). SF—Morneau.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Minnesota						
Walters	5	8	4	2	1	3
Duensing	3	1	0	0	0	3
Burton	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fien	2-3	1	0	0	1	0
T.Robertson W,2-2	1 1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Perkins S,12-15	1	1	1	1	0	2
Cleveland						
D.Huff	4 1-3	7	3	3	1	3
Seddon	2-3	1	0	0	0	0
F.Herrmann	1	0	0	0	0	0
C.Allen	1-3	2	1	1	1	1
S.Barnes	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
Pestano	1	1	0	0	0	1
C.Perez	1	1	0	0	1	0
J.Smith	1	0	0	0	0	1
E.Rogers	1 1-3	0	0	0	1	1
Maine L,1-1	2-3	4	2	2	0	0

Walters pitched to 3 batters in the 6th.
T—4:00. A—10,342 (43,429).

RED SOX 7, RAYS 5

Boston	ab	r	h	bi	Tampa Bay	ab	r	h	bi
Ciriaco 3b	5	1	1	0	DJnngs lf	2	2	0	0
Ellsury cf	4	0	1	1	BUpton cf	3	1	0	0
Pedroia 2b	4	0	0	1	Zobrist ss	4	0	2	4
C.Ross rf	4	2	2	0	Longori dh	3	0	0	1
Loney 1b	4	1	1	1	Kppngr 1b-3b	4	0	1	0
Sltlmch c	5	1	1	1	BFrncs rf	2	0	0	0
Lvrnwy dh	3	1	2	2	Loaton c	0	0	0	0
Pdsdnk lf	4	0	1	0	Scott ph	1	0	0	0
Iglesias ss	3	1	0	0	JMolin c	0	0	0	0
					RRorts 2b	4	0	0	0
					CGmnz c	2	0	0	0
					Joyce ph-rf	2	0	0	0
					SRdrgz 3b	1	1	0	0
					Pena ph-1b	0	1	0	0
Totals	36	7	9	6	Totals	28	5	3	5

Boston 000 121 300 — 7
Tampa Bay 003 000 200 — 5

E—S.Rodriguez 2 (18), Hellickson (1). DP—Boston 1. LOB—Boston 8, Tampa Bay 6. 2B—C.Ross (32), Lavarnway (6). SB—C.Ross (2). SF—Pedroia, Longoria.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Boston						
Doubront W,11-9	6	1	3	3	5	5
Mortensen	2-3	0	2	2	2	1
Tazawa	1-3	1	0	0	0	0
Padilla	0	1	0	0	0	0
Breslow	1	0	0	0	0	0
A.Bailey S,5-6	1	0	0	0	1	1
Tampa Bay						
Hellickson	4	5	3	3	2	7
McGee	1 1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Farnsworth L,1-6	2-3	2	1	0	0	0
W.Davis	1	2	3	3	2	1
Badenhop	2-3	0	0	0	0	1
Jo.Peralta	1	0	0	0	1	2
Rodney	1-3	0	0	0	0	0

Hellickson pitched to 3 batters in the 5th.
Padilla pitched to 1 batter in the 8th.
HBP—by Mortensen (C.Pena). WP—Jo.Peralta.
T—4:09. A—11,502 (34,078).

Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	WCGB	L10	Str	Home	Away
New York	83	63	.568	—	—	6-4	W-2	43-29	40-34
Baltimore	83	64	.565	1/2	—	6-4	W-2	42-32	41-32
Tampa Bay	78	70	.527	6	5 1/2	2-8	L-4	39-34	39-36
Boston	68	81	.456	16 1/2	16	5-5	W-2	33-43	35-38
Toronto	66	79	.455	16 1/2	16	6-4	W-1	36-38	30-41

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	WCGB	L10	Str	Home	Away
Chicago	81	66	.551	—	—	7-3	W-5	43-31	38-35
Detroit	78	69	.531	3	5	5-5	W-1	44-28	34-41
Kansas City	66	81	.449	15	17	5-5	L-2	32-41	34-40
Cleveland	61	87	.412	20 1/2	22 1/2	2-8	L-1	33-40	28-47
Minnesota	61	87	.412	20 1/2	22 1/2	5-5	W-1	29-46	32-41

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	WCGB	L10	Str	Home	Away
Texas	87	59	.596	—	—	6-4	W-1	47-27	40-32
Oakland	84	63	.571	3 1/2	—	7-3	L-2	44-31	40-32
Los Angeles	80	67	.544	7 1/2	3	6-4	W-1	40-32	40-35
Seattle	70	78	.473	18	13 1/2	3-7	L-2	36-37	34-41

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East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	WCGB	L10	Str	Home	Away
Washington	89	57	.610	—	—	5-5	L-3	44-27	45-30
Atlanta	85	64	.570	5 1/2	—	6-4	L-1	43-32	42-32
Philadelphia	74	74	.500	16	4	7-3	W-1	38-37	36-37
New York	66	81	.449	23 1/2	11 1/2	1-9	L-3	30-42	36-39
Miami	66	83	.443	24 1/2	12 1/2	4-6	W-1	35-39	31-44

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	WCGB	L10	Str	Home	Away
Cincinnati	89	59	.601	—	—	6-4	W-2	47-28	42-31
St. Louis	78	70	.527	11	—	4-6	W-2	44-29	34-41
Milwaukee	75	72	.510	13 1/2	2 1/2	8-2	W-3	46-29	29-43
Pittsburgh	74	73	.503	14 1/2	3 1/2	2-8	L-1	42-31	32-42
Chicago	58	90	.392	31	20	6-4	L-2	36-37	22-53
Houston	48	100	.324	41	30	5-5	L-1	32-43	16-57

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	WCGB	L10	Str	Home	Away
San Francisco	84	63	.571	—	—	7-3	W-1	41-31	43-32
Los Angeles	76	71	.517	8	1 1/2	3-7	L-1	40-35	36-36
Arizona	72	74	.493	11 1/2	5	6-4	W-1	36-36	36-38
San Diego	71	76	.483	13	6 1/2	8-2	W-2	40-35	31-41
Colorado	58	88	.397	25 1/2	19	2-8	L-3	31-43	27-45

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Tuesday's Scores

Minnesota 6, Cleveland 5, 12 innings
Detroit 12, Oakland 2
Toronto at New York, ppd., rain
Boston 7, Tampa Bay 5
Chicago White Sox 3, Kansas City 2
Texas at L.A. Angels, late
Baltimore at Seattle, late

Today's Games

Toronto (H.Alvarez 9-12) at N.Y. Yankees (Pettitte 3-3), 12:05 p.m., 1st game
Minnesota (Hendriks 0-7) at Cleveland (McAllister 5-7), 6:05 p.m.
Oakland (Bre.Anderson 4-1) at Detroit (Verlander 14-8), 6:05 p.m.
Toronto (R.Romero 8-14) at N.Y. Yankees (D.Phelps 4-4), 6:05 p.m., 2nd game
Boston (Matsuzaka 1-5) at Tampa Bay (Archer 0-3), 6:10 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Sale 17-6) at Kansas City (B.Chen 10-12), 7:10 p.m.
Texas (D.Holland 10-6) at L.A. Angels (C.Wilson 12-9), 9:05 p.m.
Baltimore (J.Saunders 2-2) at Seattle (F.Hernandez 13-8), 9:10 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Tuesday's Scores

Milwaukee 6, Pittsburgh 0
L.A. Dodgers at Washington, ppd., rain
Miami 4, Atlanta 3, 10 innings
Philadelphia at New York, ppd., rain
Cincinnati 3, Chicago Cubs 1
St. Louis 4, Houston 1
San Diego at Arizona, 9:40 p.m.
Colorado at San Francisco, 10:15 p.m.

Today's Games

L.A. Dodgers (Harang 9-9) at Washington (Zimmermann 10-8), 3:05 p.m., 1st game
Milwaukee (Estrada 3-6) at Pittsburgh (McPherson 0-0), 6:05 p.m.
Atlanta (Medlen 8-1) at Miami (Jo.Johnson 8-12), 6:10 p.m.
Philadelphia (Hamels 15-6) at N.Y. Mets (Harvey 3-5), 6:10 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (Beckett 1-2) at Washington (Lannan 3-0), 6:35 p.m., 2nd game
Cincinnati (Leake 8-9) at Chicago Cubs (Rusin 1-2), 7:05 p.m.
Houston (Harrell 10-9) at St. Louis (Lynn 15-7), 7:15 p.m.
San Diego (Volquez 10-10) at Arizona (Cahill 11-11), 8:40 p.m.
Colorado (Chatwood 4-4) at San Francisco (M.Cain 14-5), 9:15 p.m.

NL Boxes

CARDINALS 4, ASTROS 1

Houston	ab	r	h	bi	St. Louis	ab	r	h	bi
Altuve 2b	4	0	1	0	Jay cf	3	0	2	2
SMoore rf	3	0	1	0	Beltran rf	4	0	1	0
Wallac 1b	4	0	1	1	Boggs p	0	0	0	0
Maxwll cf	3	0	0	0	Rzpczy p	0	0	0	0
Lowrie ss	4	0	1	0	Motte p	0	0	0	0
JDMrtn lf	4	0	1	0	Hollidy lf	3	0	0	0
JCastro c	4	0	0	0	Craig 1b	4	0	0	0
Dmngz 3b	4	0	1	0	YMolin c	3	1	2	0
Abad p	2	0	0	0	Freese 3b	4	0	1	0
FRdrgz p	0	0	0	0	Descals 2b	3	1	1	1
XCeden p	0	0	0	0	Kozma ss	3	1	1	0
Pareds ph	1	1	1	0	Lohse p	2	1	1	1
JValdz p	0	0	0	0	Schmkr ph	0	0	0	0
					SRonsn ph-rf	1	0	0	0
Totals	33	1	7	1	Totals	30	4	9	4

Houston 000 000 010 — 1
St. Louis 010 020 10x — 4

E—J.D.Martinez (2). DP—Houston 3. LOB—Houston 7, St. Louis 6. 2B—S.Moore (8), Dominguez (2), Jay (16), Y.Molina (28), Lohse (1). 3B—Kozma (2). CS—Maxwell (4), Jay 2 (6).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Houston						
Abad L,0-5	5	6	3	3	0	6
Fe.Rodriguez	1 1-3	1	1	1	2	2
X.Cedeno	2-3	1	0	0	0	1
J.Valdez	1	1	0	0	1	1
St. Louis						
Lohse W,15-3	7	4	0	0	2	5
Boggs	2-3	3	1	1	0	1
Rzepczynski	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Motte S,36-43	1	0	0	0	0	1

HBP—by Abad (Jay). WP—X.Cedeno.
T—3:11. A—35,422 (43,975).

BREWERS 6, PIRATES 0

Milwaukee	ab	r	h	bi	Pittsburgh	ab	r	h	bi
Aoki rf	3	0	2	2	SMarte lf	4	0	0	0
RWeks 2b	4	1	1	0	Tabata rf	3	0	0	0
Braun lf	4	1	2	1	AMcCt cf	4	0	0	0
ArRmr 3b	5	0	0	0	GJones 1b	4	0	0	0
Lucroy c	5	1	3	1	Walker 2b	4	0	2	0
Ishikaw 1b	4	1	0	0	PAlvrz 3b	3	0	0	0
CGomz cf	4	1	3	0	Barmes ss	2	0	1	0
Segura ss	4	1	2	2	Clemnt ph	1	0	0	0
Gallard p	3	0	0	0	Morris p	0	0	0	0
Hndrsn p	0	0	0	0	vndnHr p	0	0	0	0
Morgan ph	1	0	0	0	Snider ph	1	0	0	0
Loe p	0	0	0	0	Barajs c	1	0	0	0
Veras p	0	0	0	0	GSnchz ph	0	0	0	0
					Mercer pr-ss	0	0	0	0
					AJBrnt p	2	0	0	0
					Watson p	0	0	0	0
					Qualls p	0	0	0	0
					McKnr ph-c	1	0	0	0
Totals	37	6	13	6	Totals	30	0	3	0

Milwaukee 010 001 220 — 6
Pittsburgh 000 000 000 — 0

E—Segura (5), P.Alvarez (24), S.Marte (3). DP—Milwaukee 1, Pittsburgh 3. LOB—Milwaukee 11, Pittsburgh 7. SB—Aoki (27), R.Weeks (14), Braun 3 (27), Lucroy (4), C.Gomez (33). SF—Aoki.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Milwaukee						
Gallardo W,16-8	6 2-3	2	0	0	4	6
Henderson	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Loe	1	0	0	0	0	1
Veras	1	1	0	0	0	1
Pittsburgh						
A.J.Burnett L,15-8	6	7	2	2	2	4
Watson	1-3	1	1	1	0	0
Qualls	2-3	2	1	1	0	0
Morris	1	2	2	1	1	0
van den Hurk	1	1	0	0	0	1

HBP—by A.J.Burnett (Aoki, Ishikawa), by van den Hurk (C.Gomez). WP—A.J.Burnett, Morris.
T—3:24. A—15,492 (38,362).

MARLINS 4, BRAVES 3, 10 INNINGS

Atlanta	ab	r	h	bi	Miami	ab	r	h	bi
Bourn cf	5	0	0	0	GHrndz cf	4	0	1	1
Prado ss-lf-ss	4	0	0	0	DSolan 2b	5	0	0	0
Heywrd rf	5	1	2	0	Reyes ss	5	0	3	1
C.Jones 3b	3	1	1	0	Ca.Lee 1b	4	0	1	0
FFrmn 1b	4	0	0	0	Ruggin lf-rf	4	0	0	0
Uggla 2b	4	1	1	1	Kearns rf	3	0	1	0
McCnn c	4	0	2	2	Petersn pr-lf	1	1	0	0
Pstrnck pr	0	0	0	0	J.Buck c	3	2	2	2
D.Ross c	0	0	0	0	Velazqz 3b	4	0	0	0
Constnz lf	3	0	1	0	Eovaldi p	2	0	0	0
RJhnsn ph	1	0	0	0	Dobbs ph	1	0	0	0
Venters p	0	0	0	0	Cishek p	0	0	0	0
Gearrin p	0	0	0	0	MDunn p	0	0	0	0
Mahlm p	2	0	0	0	H.Bell p	0	0	0	0
Moylan p	0	0	0	0	Brantly ph	0	1	0	0
Overay ph	1	0	0	0					
Durbin p	0	0	0	0					
JeBakr ph	0	0	0	0					
Janish ss	0	0	0	0					
Hinske lf	0	0	0	0					
Totals	36	3	7	3	Totals	36	4	8	4

Atlanta 000 000 003 0 — 3
Miami 001 000 200 1 — 4

Two outs when winning run scored.

DP—Atlanta 1, Miami 1. LOB—Atlanta 7, Miami 6. 2B—Heyward (28), McCann (14), Reyes (35), Kearns (6). 3B—J.Buck (1). HR—J.Buck (11).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Atlanta						
Maholm	6 2-3	4	2	2	1	5
Moylan	1-3	1	1	1	0	0
Durbin	1	0	0	0	0	0
Venters	2-3	2	0	0	0	2
Gearrin L,0-1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Miami						
Eovaldi	8	4	0	0	2	5
Cishek	1-3	2	3	3	1	1
M.Dunn	2-3	1	0	0	1	1
H.Bell W,3-5	1	0	0	0	0	2

HBP—by Gearrin (G.Hernandez). PB—D.Ross.
T—3:13. A—23,009 (37,442).

REDS 3, CUBS 1

Cincinnati	ab	r	h	bi	Chicago	ab	r	h	bi
BPhilps 2b	3	0	0	0	DeJess rf	3	0	0	0
Stubbs cf	4	0	1	0	Sappelt ph	0	0	0	0
Votto 1b	3	1	1	0	JChpm p	0	0	0	0
Ludwck lf	3	1	0	0	Valuen 3b	2	0	0	0
Bruce rf	3	1	1	0	Vitters ph-3b	1	0	0	0
Rolen 3b	3	0	0	0	Rizzo 1b	3	0	0	0
Hanign c	3	0	1	3	ASorin lf	4	0	0	0
WValdz ss	4	0	0	0	SCastro ss	4	0	0	0
HBaily p	3	0	0	0	Clevngr c	3	0	1	0
Marshll p	0	0	0	0	WCastll ph	1	0	0	0
Paul ph	1	0	0	0	BJcksn cf	3	0	0	0
Broxtn p	0	0	0	0	Barney 2b	3	1	2	0
					Germn p	1	0	0	0
					Corpas p	0	0	0	0
					AlCarr p	0	0	0	0
					LaHair ph-rf	1	0	1	1
Totals	30	3	4	3	Totals	29	1	4	1

Cincinnati 000 003 000 — 3
Chicago 000 000 010 — 1

DP—Cincinnati 1. LOB—Cincinnati 6, Chicago 5. 2B—Votto (39), Hanigan (14), LaHair (17). SB—Bruce (9). CS—B.Phillips (2). S—Germano.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Cincinnati						
H.Bailey W,12-9	7 1-3	4	1	1	2	4
Marshall	2-3	0	0	0	0	1
Broxton S,3-5	1	0	0	0	0	1
Chicago						
Germano L,2-8	5	3	3	3	5	3
Corpas	2	1	0	0	0	1
Al.Cabrera	1	0	0	0	0	2
J.Chapman	1	0	0	0	0	1

Germano pitched to 3 batters in the 6th.
HBP—by Marshall (Sappelt), by Germano (B.Phillips). WP—Germano 2.
T—2:51. A—32,547 (41,009).

Late Boxes

ORIOLES 10, MARINERS 4

Baltimore	ab	r	h	bi	Seattle	ab	r	h	bi
McLoth lf-cf	5	2	3	1	Ackley 2b	3	0	1	0
Hardy ss	5	1	1	1	Kawsk 2b	2	0	1	0
StTllsn ss	0	0	0	0	Gutirrz cf	3	0	0	0
C.Davis dh	5	0	0	0	TRonsn lf	1	0	0	0
AdJons cf	4	4	3	1	Seager 3b	3	0	1	0
Avery lf	0	0	0	0	Liddi 3b	1	0	0	0
Wieters c	5	2	3	3	JMontr c	4	1	1	0
Tegrdn c	0	0	0	0	Jaso dh	4	1	2	2
MrRynl 1b	5	0	2	2	MSndrs lf-cf	4	1	1	1
Flahrty 1b	0	0	0	0	Smoak 1b	4	0	1	0
Machd 3b	5	0	2	1	Thams rf	4	1	1	1
EnChvz rf	5	0	1	1	Ryan ss	2	0	0	0
Andino 2b	3	1	0	0	Triunfl ss	1	0	0	0
Quntnll 2b	0	0	0	0					
Totals	42	10	15	10	Totals	36	4	9	4

Baltimore 340 201 000 — 10
Seattle 010 000 012 — 4

E—Ryan (8). DP—Seattle 1. LOB—Baltimore 9, Seattle 7. 2B—Hardy (29), Ad.Jones (35), Mar.Reynolds (25), Seager (31), J.Montero (18), Jaso (17). HR—McLouth (4), Wieters (22), Jaso (9), M.Saunders (16), Thames (8).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Baltimore						
Tillman W,8-2	6	3	1	1	0	4
Z.Phillips	1 2-3	2	1	1	1	1
Ayala	1	3	2	2	1	1
Tom.Hunter	1-3	1	0	0	0	1
Seattle						
Noesi L,2-12	1 1-3	8	7	6	2	1
O.Perez	2 2-3	2	2	2	1	1
C.Capps	2	5	1	1	0	1
Kelley	2	0	0	0	0	1
Pryor	1	0	0	0	1	2

T—3:10. A—13,036 (47,860).

PIRATES 3, CUBS 0

Pittsburgh	ab	r	h	bi	Chicago	ab	r	h	bi
SMarte lf	5	1	1	2	DeJess rf-cf	3	0	0	0
Tabata rf	4	0	2	1	Valuen 3b	4	0	0	0
AMcCt cf	2	0	0	0	Rizzo 1b	3	0	0	0
GSnchz 1b	4	0	0	0	ASorin lf	3	0	0	0
PAlvrz 3b	4	0	0	0	SCastro ss	3	0	0	0
McKnr c	3	0	1	0	WCastll c	3	0	0	0
Barmes ss	2	1	0	0	BJcksn cf	1	0	0	0
Holt 2b	4	1	1	0	Bowden p	0	0	0	0
Correia p	3	0	0	0	Corpas p	0	0	0	0
Grilli p	0	0	0	0	LaHair ph	1	0	0	0
Clemnt ph	1	0	0	0	Dolis p	0	0	0	0
Hanrhn p	0	0	0	0	Barney 2b	3	0	2	0
					T.Wood p	1	0	0	0
					Sappelt rf	2	0	0	0
Totals	32	3	5	3	Totals	27	0	2	0

Pittsburgh 003 000 000 — 3
Chicago 000 000 000 — 0

DP—Pittsburgh 2. LOB—Pittsburgh 7, Chicago 2. 2B—Tabata (19). 3B—S.Marte (5).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Pittsburgh						
Correia W,11-9	7	2	0	0	1	6
Grilli	1	0	0	0	0	1
Hanrahan S,36-39	1	0	0	0	1	1
Chicago						
T.Wood L,6-12	5 2-3	4	3	3	1	9
Bowden	1 1-3	1	0	0	1	2
Corpas	1	0	0	0	1	1
Dolis	1	0	0	0	0	3

HBP—by T.Wood (Barmes, A.McCutchen).
T—2:46. A—33,017 (41,009).

GIANTS 2, ROCKIES 1

Colorado	ab	r	h	bi	San Francisco	ab	r	h	bi
Fowler cf	2	0	0	0	Pagan cf	4	0	1	0
Rutledg ss	3	0	1	1	Scutaro 2b	4	0	2	0
Pachec 1b	4	0	1	0	Sandovl 3b	3	1	1	0
WRosr c	4	0	0	0	Arias 3b	0	0	0	0
Nelson 3b	3	0	0	0	Posey c	4	0	2	0
ABrwn lf	2	0	1	0	Pence rf	3	0	1	1
Moscos p	0	0	0	0	Belt 1b	4	0	0	0
EEscln p	0	0	0	0	Nady lf	3	0	0	0
Outmn p	0	0	0	0	Mota p	0	0	0	0
CGnzlz ph	1	0	0	0	Mijares p	0	0	0	0
McBrid rf	3	0	0	0	SCasill p	1	0	0	0
Giambi ph	1	0	0	0	JaLopz p	0	0	0	0
LeMahi 2b	2	0	0	0	Romo p	0	0	0	0
Chacin p	2	1	1	0	BCrwfr ss	3	1	2	0
Colvin lf	1	0	0	0	Bmgrn p	2	0	0	0
					Christn lf	1	0	0	0
Totals	28	1	4	1	Totals	32	2	9	1

Colorado 000 010 000 — 1
San Francisco 001 001 00x — 2

DP—San Francisco 1. LOB—Colorado 6, San Francisco 8. 2B—Pacheco (28), Chacin (2), B.Crawford (26). 3B—Rutledge (5), B.Crawford (3). SB—Pagan (26). CS—Fowler (5), A.Brown (2).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Colorado						
Chacin	5	5	1	1	1	2
Moscoso L,3-2	1	3	1	1	0	1
E.Escalona	1 1-3	1	0	0	1	2
Outman	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
San Francisco						
Bumgarner W,15-10	6	4	1	1	5	6
Mota	1-3	0	0	0	1	0
Mijares	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
S.Casilla	1 2-3	0	0	0	0	1
Ja.Lopez	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Romo S,12-13	1-3	0	0	0	0	1

PB—W.Rosario.
T—3:02. A—41,280 (41,915).

Wild Card

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct	WCGB
Oakland	84	63	.571	—
Baltimore	83	64	.565	—
Los Angeles	80	67	.544	3
Detroit	78	69	.531	5
Tampa Bay	78	70	.527	5 1/2

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct	WCGB
Atlanta	85	64	.570	—
St. Louis	78	70	.527	—
Los Angeles	76	71	.517	1 1/2
Milwaukee	75	72	.510	2 1/2
Pittsburgh	74	73	.503	3 1/2
Philadelphia	74	74	.500	4
Arizona	72	74	.493	5

Leaders

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING—MiCabrera, Detroit, .333; Trout, Los Angeles, .329; Mauer, Minnesota, .325; Jeter, New York, .323; Beltre, Texas, .318; DavMurphy, Texas, .314; Butler, Kansas City, .309.

RUNS—Trout, Los Angeles, 116; MiCabrera, Detroit, 100; Hamilton, Texas, 98; Kinsler, Texas, 96; AJackson, Detroit, 95; AdJones, Baltimore, 94; Jeter, New York, 93.

RBI—MiCabrera, Detroit, 129; Hamilton, Texas, 123; Willingham, Minnesota, 106; Encarnacion, Toronto, 102; Fielder, Detroit, 100; Butler, Kansas City, 97; Pujols, Los Angeles, 96.

HITS—Jeter, New York, 199; MiCabrera, Detroit, 189; Beltre, Texas, 175; Butler, Kansas City, 173; AGordon, Kansas City, 173; AdJones, Baltimore, 169; Andrus, Texas, 167; Cano, New York, 167.

DOUBLES—AGordon, Kansas City, 48; Pujols, Los Angeles, 43; Cano, New York, 41; Kinsler, Texas, 40; MiCabrera, Detroit, 38; Choo, Cleveland, 37; NCruz, Texas, 37; AdGonzalez, Boston, 37.

TRIPLES—AJackson, Detroit, 10; Andrus, Texas, 8; Rios, Chicago, 8; JWeeks, Oakland, 8; Crisp, Oakland, 7; AEscobar, Kansas City, 7; Zobrist, Tampa Bay, 7.

HOME RUNS—Hamilton, Texas, 42; MiCabrera, Detroit, 40; Encarnacion, Toronto, 40; ADunn, Chicago, 39; Granderson, New York, 39; Willingham, Minnesota, 34; Beltre, Texas, 33.

STOLEN BASES—Trout, Los Angeles, 45; RDavis, Toronto, 44; Revere, Minnesota, 36; Crisp, Oakland, 34; BUpton, Tampa Bay, 30; AEscobar, Kansas City, 29; DeJennings, Tampa Bay, 27; Kipnis, Cleveland, 27.

PITCHING—Price, Tampa Bay, 18-5; Weaver, Los Angeles, 17-4; Sale, Chicago, 17-6; MHarrison, Texas, 17-9; Scherzer, Detroit, 16-6; Darvish, Texas, 15-9; PHughes, New York, 15-12.

STRIKEOUTS—Scherzer, Detroit, 224; Verlander, Detroit, 218; Darvish, Texas, 205; FHernandez, Seattle, 199; Shields, Tampa Bay, 193; Price, Tampa Bay, 181; Peavy, Chicago, 177.

SAVES—Rodney, Tampa Bay, 43; JiJohnson, Baltimore, 43; RSoriano, New York, 40; CPerez, Cleveland, 36; Nathan, Texas, 33; Valverde, Detroit, 31; Reed, Chicago, 28.

ON THE AIR

What's on TV

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

Oakland at Detroit, 6 p.m., ESPN

Houston at St. Louis, 7 p.m., Fox Sports Southwest

Texas at L.A. Angels, 9 p.m., Fox Sports Southwest & ESPN

SOCCER

UEFA Champions League, Spartak Moskva at Barcelona, 1:30 p.m., Fox Sports Southwest

UEFA Champions League, Juventus at Chelsea (same-day tape), 7 p.m., Fox Sports Southwest

Women's national teams, exhibition, U.S. vs. Australia, at Commerce City, Colo., 9 p.m., ESPN2

WHAT'S ON DECK

JUNIOR COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL

Odessa College at Midland College, 7 p.m., Chaparral Center

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL — Suspended Toronto SS Yunel Escobar three games for displaying an unacceptable message during Saturday's game against Boston.

American League

TORONTO BLUE JAYS — Signed a player development contract with Buffalo (IL) through the 2014 season.

National League

SAN DIEGO PADRES — Extended their player development contrcat with Fort Wayne (MWL) through the 2014 season.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

CINCINNATI BENGALS — Placed DE Jamaal Anderson on injured reserve. Signed DE Wallace Gilberry.

DENVER BRONCOS — Placed C Philip Blake on injured reserve. Signed G Adam Grant to the practice squad. Signed C C.J. Davis from the practice squad.

JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS — Signed G Austin Pasztor to the practice squad.

MINNESOTA VIKINGS — Released WR Tori Gurley. Signed T Troy Kropog to the practice squad.

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS — Released CB Jerome Murphy.

NEW YORK GIANTS — Released C Scott Wedige from the practice squad. Signed T Matt McCants from the practice squad.

OAKLAND RAIDERS—Waived LS Nick Guess.

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES — Placed C Jason Kelce on injured reserve. Signed C Steve Vallos.

SAN DIEGO CHARGERS — Released CB Greg Gatson.

SEATTLE SEAHAWKS — Released RB Kregg Lumpkin. Signed CB Danny Gorrer. Released WR Ricardo Lockette and LB Allen Bradford from the practice squad. Signed G Rishaw Johnson and LB Korey Toomer to the practice squad.

TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS — Released G Derek Hardman. Released LB J.K. Schaffer from the practice squad.

WASHINGTON REDSKINS — Signed LB Markus White. Signed DE Doug Worthington from the practice squad. Signed DL Dominique Hamilton to the practice squad. Placed DE Adam Carriker and LB Brian Orakpo on injured reserve.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

MONTREAL CANADIENS — Signed C Stefan Chaput, C Olivier Fortier and C Daultan Leveille to one-year, two-way contracts.

ECHL

FLORIDA EVERBLADES — Agreed to terms with F Aaron Bogosian and F Mike Merrifield.

IDAHO STEELHEADS — Agreed to terms with F Andrew Carroll.

Deutsche Eishockey Liga-Germany

KREFELD PINGUINE — Agreed to terms with Buffalo D Christian Ehrhoff.

COLLEGE

ALBANY (NY) — Signed women's basketball coach Katie Abrahamson-Henderson to a two-year contract extension.

AUBURN — Named Ryan Miller men's associate head basketball coach.

JACKSONVILLE STATE — Named Eugene Harris men's assistant basketball coach.

JAMES MADISON — Named Lucious Jordan director of men's basketball operations and Sam Dowell men's graduate assistant basketball coach.

MONTANA STATE—Announced F Eric Norman has been granted relief from the NCAA's transfer rule, making him immediately eligible to play.

NORTH DAKOTA — Suspended men's hockey D Andrew MacWilliam, F Corban Knight, F Danny Kristo and F Carter Rowney one game.

NORTHERN IOWA—Suspended G Anthony James for the first three games of the upcoming men's basketball season.

PURCHASE — Named Francesca DeLorenzo assistant athletic director.

SKIDMORE — Named Erik Petersen assistant swimming and diving coach.

GLANTZ-CULVER

NCAA Football

FAVORITE	OPEN	TODAY	O/U	UNDERDOG
		Today		
at Buffalo	2 1/2	3 1/2	(51 1/2)	Kent St.
		Thursday		
at Boise St.	6 1/2	7 1/2	(48 1/2)	BYU
		Friday		
Baylor	8	7 1/2	(68 1/2)	at Louisiana-Monroe
		Saturday		
at Wake Forest	8	7	(53 1/2)	Army
at Florida St.	12	14	(58)	Clemson
South Florida	11	10 1/2	(62)	at Ball St.
at Duke	21 1/2	23	(61)	Memphis
at Michigan St.	32 1/2	33	(46 1/2)	E. Michigan
at Virginia Tech	19 1/2	19	(48)	Bowling Green
at Iowa	17 1/2	16 1/2	(50)	Cent. Michigan
at Ohio St.	37 1/2	37 1/2	(57 1/2)	UAB
at North Carolina	15	16 1/2	(60)	East Carolina
at Penn St.	9	9	(43)	Temple
at West Virginia	27	27	(61 1/2)	Maryland
at Wisconsin	17 1/2	17 1/2	(48)	UTEP
at Miami (Ohio)	25	26 1/2	(51)	UMass
at Georgia	14	15 1/2	(55)	Vanderbilt
Utah St.	13	13 1/2	(53)	at Colorado St.
at Arkansas	2	7	(50)	Rutgers
at Tulsa	6 1/2	5 1/2	(69 1/2)	Fresno St.
Marshall	Pk	2 1/2	(70)	at Rice
at N. Illinois	9	9 1/2	(52 1/2)	Kansas
at Oregon	23 1/2	23 1/2	(77)	Arizona
at UCLA	11 1/2	9 1/2	(54)	Oregon St.
at TCU	16 1/2	17 1/2	(54 1/2)	Virginia
at Southern Cal	17	16	(57)	California
at Washington St.	17 1/2	18 1/2	(58 1/2)	Colorado
LSU	17 1/2	20 1/2	(48 1/2)	at Auburn
at Georgia Tech	12	14	(62)	Miami
at Idaho	+1 1/2	Pk	(51)	Wyoming
at Florida	25 1/2	24 1/2	(51 1/2)	Kentucky
UConn	+1	1 1/2	(43)	at W. Michigan
at South Carolina	9 1/2	10	(48 1/2)	Missouri
at Notre Dame	5	6	(51 1/2)	Michigan
at Minnesota	1	1 1/2	(59)	Syracuse
at Oklahoma	14 1/2	14	(58 1/2)	Kansas St.
at New Mexico St.	7	7	(57)	New Mexico
at Tennessee	35	35	(61)	Akron
Mississippi	15	15	(57)	at Tulane
at Illinois	1	3	(60)	Louisiana Tech
at Arizona St.	5 1/2	7	(50)	Utah
at San Diego St.	3 1/2	3 1/2	(56 1/2)	San Jose St.
Air Force	13	10 1/2	(57 1/2)	at UNLV
Nevada	8 1/2	9	(62)	at Hawaii
at Alabama	52	50	(57 1/2)	FAU
at W. Kentucky	2 1/2	4	(49)	Southern Miss.
at North Texas	Pk	Pk	(61)	Troy
Louisville	11 1/2	13 1/2	(57)	at FIU
at Mississippi St.	35	34 1/2	(48)	South Alabama

NFL

FAVORITE	OPEN	TODAY	O/U	UNDERDOG
		Thursday		
N.Y. Giants	1 1/2	1	(51)	at Carolina
		Sunday		
at Chicago	8	7 1/2	(44 1/2)	St. Louis
at Dallas	7	7	(46 1/2)	Tampa Bay
San Francisco	6	7	(43 1/2)	at Minnesota
Detroit	Pk	3	(47)	at Tennessee
at Washington	3 1/2	3 1/2	(48 1/2)	Cincinnati
N.Y. Jets	3	3	(40)	at Miami
at New Orleans	10	9	(53 1/2)	Kansas City
Buffalo	2 1/2	3	(43 1/2)	at Cleveland
at Indianapolis	1 1/2	3	(42 1/2)	Jacksonville
Philadelphia	4	4	(43 1/2)	at Arizona
at San Diego	1 1/2	3	(47 1/2)	Atlanta
Houston	+1	1 1/2	(46 1/2)	at Denver
Pittsburgh	4 1/2	4 1/2	(44)	at Oakland
at Baltimore	3	3	(49)	New England
		Monday		
Green Bay	4 1/2	3 1/2	(47)	at Seattle

FISHING REPORT

WEST

ALAN HENRY: Water lightly stained; 76-82 degrees; 8.72' low. Black bass are good on buzzbaits early, midmorning switching to shaky heads, Texas rigs and jigs. Crappie are fair on jigs and live minnows over brush piles and around structure. Catfish are fair on nightcrawlers and cut bait.

ARROWHEAD: Water off color; 78-83 degrees; 11.01' low. Black bass are fair on Yellow Magics early, later switching to Texas rigs, jigs and jerkbaits. Crappie are fair on minnows and jigs. White bass are good on slabs and Rooster Tails. Catfish are fair to good on prepared bait.

COLORADO CITY: 20.66' low. No report available.

FT. PHANTOM HILL: Water clear; 77-82 degrees; 13.36' low. Black bass are fair on buzzbaits early, later switching Carolina rigs, Texas rigs and jigs. Crappie are fair to good on jigs and minnows around deep water structure. White bass are fair to good on slabs. Catfish are fair to good on nightcrawlers.

HUBBARD CREEK: 78-83 degrees; 18.49' low. Black bass are fair to good on Yellow Magics early, midmorning switching to Texas rigs, shaky heads, jigs and drop shot rigs. Crappie are fair to good on jigs and live minnows over brush piles. Catfish are fair to good on nightcrawlers and prepared bait.

NASWORTHY: No report available

OAK CREEK: Water stained; 77-82 degrees; 18.17' low. Black bass are fair to good on buzzbaits early and late, midmorning switching to Texas rigs, Senkos, Carolina rigs and shaky heads. Crappie are good on jigs and live minnows over brush piles. Catfish are good on chartreuse (use Worm-Glo) nightcrawlers.

O.H. IVIE: Water stained; 78-83 degrees; 46.08' low. Black bass are good on Pop-Rs early, later switching to Texas rigs, jigs, spoons and Carolina rigs. Crappie are fair to good on minnows and jigs. White bass are good on topwaters and slabs. Catfish are fair to good on nightcrawlers and prepared bait.

POSSUM KINGDOM: Water fairly clear; 77-83 degrees; 7.64' low. Black bass are fair to good on Yellow Magics and Zara Spooks early, later switching to Texas rigs, jigs and Carolina rigs. Crappie are good on minnows and jigs over brush piles and around bridge columns. White bass are good on topwaters while schooling and on slabs over humps. Striped bass are fair on live shad. Catfish are good on prepared bait and nightcrawlers.

SWEETWATER: Water murky; 76-82 degrees; 17.69' low. Black bass are fair on shaky heads, Texas rigs and small swimbaits. Crappie are fair to good on live minnows. Catfish are fair on chartreuse (use Worm-Glo) nightcrawlers.

WHITE RIVER: Water stained; 77-82 degrees; 27.75' low. Black bass are fair on topwaters early, later switching to jigs, Texas rigs and shallow running crankbaits. Crappie are fair on live minnows in brush. Catfish are fair to good on nightcrawlers.

PANHANDLE

GREENBELT: Water stained; 77-82 degrees; 40.73' low. Black bass are fair on jigs, wacky rigs and Texas rigs. Crappie are fair on live minnows. The Old Marina Point ramp is still open.

MACKENZIE: Water stained; 78-81 degrees; 90.66' low. Black bass are fair jigs, spinnerbaits and Texas rigs. No report on striped bass. Catfish are fair on prepared bait. Ramp No. 1 is still open.

GOLF

Web.com

WNB GOLF CLASSIC

Site: Midland, Texas.

Schedule: Thursday-Sunday.

Course: Midland Country Club (7,380 yards, par 72).

Purse: $550,000. Winner's share: $99,000.

Television: None.

Last year: New Zealand's Danny Lee beat Harris English with a par on the first hole of a playoff.

Last week: Luke Guthrie wrapped up a PGA Tour card for next season, winning the Boise Open for his first Web.com Tour title. Guthrie closed with a 6-under 65 for a four-stroke victory. He opened with rounds of 64, 71 and 62 and finished with a tournament-record 22-under 262 total. The 22-year-old former Illinois player turned professional after the NCAA tournament.

Notes: Guthrie earned $130,500 last week to jump from 22nd to fourth on the money list with $283,463, more than enough to earn a PGA Tour spot as a top-25 finisher. He has five top-10 finishes in six starts on the developmental tour, losing a playoff to Ben Kohles in Columbus, Ohio, and tying for third in Omaha, Neb. The two-time Big Ten champion also has earned $284,672 in three PGA Tour starts, all top-20 finishes. He tied for 8th in the John Deere Classic in July. ... The Chiquita Classic is next week in Weddington, N.C., followed by the Neediest Kids Championship in Potomac, Md.

Online: http://www.pgatour.com

PGA

TOUR CHAMPIONSHIP

Site: Atlanta.

Schedule: Thursday-Sunday.

Course: East Lake Golf Club (7,319 yards, par 70).

Purse: $8 million. Winner's share: $1.44 million.

Television: Golf Channel (Thursday-Friday, Noon-5 p.m., 7:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m.; Saturday, 5-10 a.m., 11 a.m.-1 p.m., 6:30-10:30 p.m.; Sunday, 6-10 a.m., 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., 6-10:30 p.m.) and NBC (Saturday, 1-5 p.m.; Sunday, 12:30-5 p.m.).

Last year: Bill Haas won the playoff finale and the FedExCup to take home $11.44 million, beating Hunter Mahan on the third hole of a playoff. Haas saved par on the second extra hole by splashing a half-submerged ball from a lake to 3 feet. Haas failed to qualify this year.

Last event: Rory McIlroy won the BMW Championship on Sept. 9 at Crooked Stick in Indiana for his second straight FedEx Cup victory and fourth PGA Tour win of the year. He closed with a 5-under 67 for a two-shot victory over Phil Mickelson and Lee Westwood.

Notes: The top 30 in the FedEx Cup standings qualified for the event. The top five — McIlroy, Tiger Woods, Nick Watney, Mickelson and Brandt Snedeker — can take the $10 million FedEx Cup prize with a victory. The other 25 players have a chance to win the playoff title with a victory, but would need help from the players at the top of the standings. ... Watney opened the four-event playoffs with a victory in The Barclays at Bethpage Black. ... East Lake, the course where Bobby Jones learned to play, was designed by Donald Ross and renovated by Rees Jones. ... The Ryder Cup is next week at Medinah in Illinois.

Online: http://www.pgatour.com

LPGA

NAVISTAR LPGA CLASSIC

Site: Prattville, Ala.

Schedule: Thursday-Sunday.

Course: Robert Trent Jones Golf Trail, Capitol Hill, The Senator (6,460 yards, par 72).

Purse: $1.3 million. Winner's share: $195,000.

Television: Golf Channel (Thursday-Friday, 5:30-7:30 p.m.; Saturday-Sunday, 1-4 p.m.).

Last year: Lexi Thompson became the youngest champion in LPGA Tour history at age 16, winning by five strokes. Last month, 15-year-old amateur Lydia Ko broke the record in the Canadian Women's Open.

Last week: Jiyai Shin won the Women's British Open by a record nine strokes, shooting 71-73 in miserable weather in the 36-hole finale Sunday at Royal Liverpool. The 24-year-old South Korean player won the major championship for the second time in five years. Six days earlier, she finished off Paula Creamer on the ninth hole of a playoff in the Kingsmill Championship. Shin has 10 LPGA Tour victories.

Notes: Shin is skipping the tournament. Top-ranked Yani Tseng is in the field along with Thompson, second-ranked Stacy Lewis, Suzann Pettersen, So Yeon Ryu, Brittany Lincicome and Michelle Wie. ... In 2009, Lorena Ochoa successfully defended her title for the last of her 27 LPGA Tour victories. ... The links-style Senator is part of a 54-hole facility. ... The tour is off the next two weeks. Play will resume Oct. 11-14 with the LPGA Malaysia in Kuala Lumpur.

Online: http://www.lpga.com

Other Tourneys

MEN

JAPAN GOLF TOUR/ASIAN TOUR: Asia-Pacific Panasonic Open, Thursday-Sunday, Higashi Hirono Golf Club, Hyogo, Japan. Online: http://www.jgto.org and http://www.asiantour.com

PGA TOUR LATINOAMERICA: Colombian Open, Thursday-Sunday, El Rincon de Cajica Golf Club, Bogota, Colombia. Online: http://www.pgatourla.com

EUROPEAN SENIOR TOUR: French Riviera Masters, Friday-Sunday, Terre Blanche Resort and Golf Club, Tourrettes, France. Online: http://www.europeantour.com

EUROPEAN CHALLENGE TOUR: Allianz Golf Open, Thursday-Sunday, Metropole Golf de Toulouse-Seilh, Seilh, France. Online: http://www.europeantour.com

eGOLF PROFESSIONAL TOUR: Cabarrus Classic, Wednesday-Friday, Cabarrus Country Club, Concord, N.C. Online: http://www.egolfprofessionaltour.com

U.S. GOLF ASSOCIATION: USGA Men's State Team, Wednesday-Friday, Galloway National Golf Club, Galloway, N.J. Online: http://www.usga.org

WOMEN

SYMETRA TOUR: Vidalia Championship, Friday-Sunday, Hawk's Point Golf Club, Vidalia, Ga. Online: http://www.symetratour.com

LADIES EUROPEAN TOUR: Tenerife Open, Thursday-Sunday, Las Americas Golf Course, Tenerife, Spain. Online: http://www.ladieseuropeantour.com

JAPAN LPGA TOUR: Miyagi TV Cup Dunlop Ladies Open, Friday-Sunday, Rifu Golf Club, Miyagi, Japan. Online: http://www.lpga.or.jp

AREA STATISTICS

Greenwood
2012 Statistics
(2-1, 0-0)

Opponents	21	7	7	14	—49
Greenwood	55	14	14	19	—102

RUSHING

Player	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Kam Williams	31	152	4.9	3
Braydin Moreland	14	82	5.9	3
Anthony Salas	11	139	12.6	0
Dustin Rea	7	34	4.8	1
Totals	70	492	7.0	7

PASSING

Player	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Yds.	TD
K. Williams	59	101	2	631	6
A. Salas	0	3	1	0	0
Totals	59	104	3	631	6

RECEIVING

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Braxton Buck	11	160	14.5	1
Collin Sullivan	10	92	9.2	0
Cali Carmichael	9	81	9.0	0
B. Moreland	9	78	8.7	1
Zane Helms	4	67	16.7	1
A. Salas	4	56	14.0	1
Mason Fraley	3	35	11.7	1
Jose Hernandez	3	21	7.0	0
D. Rea	2	11	5.5	1
Javier Vizcaino	2	6	3.0	0
Stetson Hilger	1	20	20.0	0
Logan Day	1	4	4.0	0
Totals	59	631	10.7	6

PUNTING

Player	Att.	Yds.	Avg.
K. Williams	6	260	43.3
Totals	6	260	43.3

SCORING

Player	TD	PAT	2PT	FG	TP
B. Moreland	4	0	0	0	24
K. Williams	2	0	1	0	14
A. Salas	2	0	0	0	12
Z. Helms	2	0	0	0	12
Elam Tavarez	0	7	0	0	7*
M. Fraley	1	0	0	0	6
Totals	12	7	1	0	81

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

Player	ST	AT	TT	S	INT
Julian Garcia	3	27	30	1	0
Garrett Carlisle	5	20	25	0	0
Rickey Harcrow	9	14	23	2	0
Dustin Rea	3	17	20	0	0
Logan Day	1	16	17	0.5	0
Z. Helms	11	6	17	0	1
German Martinez	6	10	16	0	0
Zach Redwine	4	12	16	0	0
C. Sullivan	2	8	10	0	0
E. Tavarez	6	4	10	0	0
Brandon Brown	4	5	9	0	0
Sean Strickland	1	8	9	0	0
K. Williams	4	4	8	1	0
Seth Daniel	2	5	7	0	0
Tyler Martin	0	5	5	0	0
B. Moreland	1	3	4	1	0
C. Carmichael	1	2	3	0	0
A. Salas	2	1	3	0	1
M. Fraley	2	1	3	0	0
David Sanchez	0	2	2	0	0
B. Buck	1	1	2	1	0
Stetson Hilger	0	2	2	0	0
Jose Hernandez	0	2	2	0	0
John Adame	0	2	2	0	0
R. Amesquita	0	1	1	0	0
JT Aldrige	0	1	1	0	0

Key: ST - solo tackle, AT - assisted tackle, TT - total tackles, S - sacks, INT - interceptions

Midland Christian
2012 Statistics
(2-1, 0-0)

MIDLAND CHRISTIAN	22	34	27	26	—109
Opponent	0	21	29	14	—64

TEAM STATISTICS

	MCS	Opponent
First Downs	53	50
Rushes Yards	96-588	132-562
Passing Yards	779	394
Comp-Att-Int	38-66-0	25-47-2
Punts-Avg	2-33	3-30.0
Fumbles-Lost	5-3	9-5
Penalties-Yards	18-179	26-210

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING

Player	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Whigham	62	390	6.3	6
Tamplin	15	122	8.1	1
J. Fender	5	39	7.8	1
Aguirre	3	20	6.7	0
Bates	7	19	2.7	0
McClendon	4	-1	-0.5	0
Totals	96	588	6.1	8

PASSING

Player	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Yds.	TD
McClendon	37	65	0	726	8
Little	1	1	0	53	0
Totals	38	66	0	779	8

RECEIVING

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Koym	14	335	23.9	6
Aguirre	10	202	20.2	1
Whigham	6	68	11.3	0
Brown	2	44	22.0	0
Standard	1	43	43.0	0
Tamplin	2	35	17.5	1
Little	2	30	15.0	0
J. Fender	1	11	11.0	0
Totals	38	768	20.2	8

KICKOFF RETURNS

Player	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Whigham	4	67	22.3	0
Standard	2	21	10.5	0
Tamplin	1	14	14.0	0
Aguirre	1	12	12.0	0
Sanford	2	6	3.0	0
Totals	9	120	13.3	0

PUNT RETURNS

Player	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Aguirre	1	3	3.0	0
Whigham	1	0	0.0	0
Bates	1	0	0.0	0
Totals	3	3	1.0	0

INTERCEPTIONS

Player	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Standard	1	0	0.0	0
Brown	1	0	0.0	0
Totals	2	0	0.0	0

SCORING

Player	TD	PAT	2PT	FG	TP
Whigham	6	0	0	1	38
Koym	6	0	0	0	36
Tamplin	2	0	0	0	12
Causey	0	11	0	0	11
Aguirre	1	0	0	0	6
J. Fender	1	0	0	0	6
Totals	16	11	0	1	109

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

Player	T	S	TFL	FC	FR	PBU
Ramirez	25	0	0	0	1	3
Talley	25	0	1	0	1	0
JFender	20	0	2	1	1	0
Counts	20	0	0	0	0	1
Standard	17	0	0	0	0	3
Bates	16	0	2	0	0	0
Tamplin	11	1	2	0	0	0
Sanford	11	1	1	0	1	0
BTaylor	9	0	3	0	0	0
Koym	9	0	0	0	0	2
Baquirin	8	2	1	0	0	0
Koym	8	0	0	0	0	0
Perkins	7	0	0	1	0	1
Jones	7	0	0	0	0	0
Brown	5	0	0	0	0	0
Reeger North	5	0	0	0	0	0
Ogden	4	0	1	1	0	0
Warren	3	0	0	0	0	0
Glossop	2	0	0	1	1	0
Thomas	1	0	0	0	0	0
DFender	1	0	1	0	0	0
Whigham	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fisher	1	0	0	0	0	0
Tucker	1	0	0	0	0	0
Brunson	0	0	0	0	0	1

Note: Tackle total includes solo and assisted tackles.

Trinity
2012 Statistics
(2-1, 0-0)

Trinity	72	74	40	14	—200
Opponent	69	63	27	12	—171

TEAM STATISTICS

	Trinity	Opponent
First Downs	17	25
Rushes Yards	60-731	75-771
Passing yards	579	363
Comp-Att-Int	24-46-5	27-59-4
Punts-Avg	0-0.0	3-29.0
Fumbles-Lost	5-1	2-1
Penalties-Yards	12-91	12-83

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING

Player	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Watson	40	554	13.9	10
Boley	10	137	13.7	4
Samuels	9	45	5.0	0
Harrington	1	5	5.0	1
Totals	60	741	12.4	15

PASSING

Player	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Yds.	TD
Samuels	25	44	4	579	12
Watson	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	25	45	4	579	12

RECEIVING

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Cory	10	231	23.1	4
Boley	8	193	24.1	2
Harrington	6	165	27.5	4
Totals	24	589	24.5	10

RODRIGUEZ

From 1C

Michael Jimenez on a pass play for a touchdown, that was kind of his a-ha moment. Once he connected with Michael on that play, it was kind of a snowball effect from there, and the whole team fed off that."

Rodriguez, a sophomore, admitted he was hesitant at first.

"When I threw that first touchdown, I just started running the offense the way it was drawn up, and the game started to come to be a little bit easier for me," he said. "And when I ran with the football, I was just running as hard as I could."

On the game-winning drive, it was Rodriguez's ability to scramble that helped the Wildcats get the touchdown.

Rodriguez said when he got the pitch from quarterback Brett Glaze, he thought about running with the ball, but then he looked to the side, rolled out, and with defenders in his face threw up a prayer to Jimenez, who wound up with the catch and touchdown.

"I couldn't even see where the ball went," he said. "But when Michael caught it and scored, I thought, 'That's fine; that works for me.'"

Kuykendall, who was an assistant last year under Brad Cox, said Rodriguez is still learning how to play in his offensive system but said the more it clicks for him, the better the team is going to be.

"The confidence he demonstrated for two and a half quarters against Sands hopefully translates to the rest of the season as well as the other players," Kuykendall said.

Rodriguez, whose 1-2 Wildcats host Trinity on Friday, also hopes the win and performance against Sands gives his team a big boost going forward.

"I think it gives us a lot more confidence, and now we're able to understand that we can do it if we put our minds to it and believe in each other," he said.

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OTHER NOTABLE PERFORMANCES FROM LAST WEEK:

■ Andrews junior quarterback **Shane Dolgener** was 24-of-35 passing for 229 yards and three touchdowns and also had 135 yards rushing on 17 carries in a 35-22 victory over Brownfield.

■ Midland Christian bounced back with a 55-19 victory over Borger and junior quarterback **Mason McClendon** was 12-of-16 passing for 333 yards, four touchdowns and no interceptions. Junior wide receiver **Jarrod Koym** caught five of those passes for 183 yards and three touchdowns.

■ Big Spring senior running back **Michael Oliva** had 120 yards and two touchdowns on 26 carries in a 22-14 victory over San Angelo Lake View. Sophomore QB **Tobyn Tannehill** added 172 yards on 13-of-21 passing with one touchdown and one interception.

■ In Trinity's 102-53 blowout of Lubbock Kingdom Prep, sophomore quarterback **Ethan Samuels** was 9-of-13 passing for 259 yards, six touchdowns and no interceptions. Senior wide receiver **Weldon Boley** caught three of those passes for 106 yards and three TDs.

■ Garden City defeated Sterling City 50-40 and quarterback **Austin Odom** was 8-of-18 passing for 163 yards, three touchdowns and no interceptions. He also kicked four PATs, which count for two points in six-man football.

AREA STANDINGS

District 2-3A
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Shallowater	3	0	133	79	1.000
Andrews	3	0	110	79	1.000
Lub. Cooper	3	0	96	64	1.000
Estacado	2	1	115	83	.667
Levelland	2	1	88	78	.667
Seminole	2	1	66	66	.667

Last week's scores

Amarillo Caprock 43, Lubbock Estacado 33; Andrews 35, Brownfield 22; Muleshoe 41, Levelland 20; Lubbock Cooper 29, Lubbock High 21; Seminole 29, Fort Stockton 24; Shallowater 49, Greenwood 21

This week's games

Andrews at Big Spring; Levelland at Brownfield; Lubbock Cooper at Perryton; Snyder at Lubbock Estacado; Midland Christian at Seminole; Dalhart at Shallowater

District 4-3A
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Wylie	3	0	104	21	1.000
Big Spring	3	0	88	26	1.000
Greenwood	2	1	103	49	.667
Sweetwater	2	1	72	47	.667
Monahans	0	2	42	76	.000
Snyder	0	3	92	54	.000

Last week's scores

Shallowater 49, Greenwood 21; Abilene Wylie 31, Graham 7; Big Spring 22, San Angelo Lake View 14; Canyon Randall 34, Monahans 14; Brownwood 49, Snyder 14; Sweetwater 33, Breckenridge 14

This week's games

Abilene Wylie at Brownwood; Greenwood at San Angelo Lake View; Andrews at Big Spring; Monahans at Fort Stockton; Sweetwater at Wall; Snyder at Lubbock Estacado

District 3-2A Division II
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Alpine	3	0	106	63	1.000
Reagan Co.	3	0	87	51	1.000
Crane	2	1	124	58	.667
Sonora	2	1	89	54	.667
Stanton	1	2	62	72	.333
Coahoma	1	2	57	58	.333

Last week's scores

Alpine 28, Fabens 27; Colorado City 20, Coahoma 6; Ozona 20, Crane 16; Reagan County 23, Kermit 19; Forsan 28, Stanton 7; Wall 47, Sonora 13

This week's games

Anthony at Alpine; Coahoma at Denver City; Crane at Pecos; Iraan at Reagan County; McCamey at Stanton; Sonora at Harper

District 4-A Division I
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Anson	3	0	91	27	1.000
Forsan	3	0	72	34	1.000
Stamford	2	1	77	27	.667
Haskell	2	1	72	33	.667
Winters	0	3	34	124	.000

Last week's scores

Forsan 28, Stanton 7; Anson 40, Jim Ned 19; Haskell 41, Baird 0; Stamford 36, Merkel 0; Bronte 15, Winters 7

This week's games

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

District 5-A Division II
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Iraan	2	1	54	73	.667
McCamey	1	2	45	93	.333
Wink	1	2	66	84	.333
Van Horn	0	3	33	118	.000

Last week's scores

Rocksprings 26, Iraan 14; McCamey 38, Christoval 18; Wink 41, Plains 7; Seagraves 16, Van Horn 13

This week's games

McCamey at Stanton; Van Horn at Tornillo; Wink at Seagraves; Iraan is open

District 4 Six-man Division I
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Borden Co.	2	1	214	193	.667
Klondike	2	1	91	82	.667
Grady	1	2	101	159	.333
O'Donnell	0	3	14	105	.000

Last week's scores

Grady 44, Sands 41; Borden County 82, Rankin 54; Klondike 34, Dawson 20; Loop 45, O'Donnell 0

This week's games

Borden County at Hermleigh; Trinity at Grady; Klondike at Wellman-Union; Wilson at O'Donnell

District 5 Six-man Division I
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Rankin	2	1	180	116	.667
Fort Davis	2	1	90	135	.667
Marfa	1	2	84	154	.333
Garden City	1	2	112	156	.000

Last week's scores

Borden County 82, Rankin 54; Grandfalls-Royalty 50, Fort Davis 0; Garden City 50, Sterling City 40; Balmorhea 64, Marfa 29

This week's games

Fort Davis at Sanderson; Garden City at Ira; Marfa at Sierra Blanca; Rankin at Meadow

TAPPS Division II District 1
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
FW Christian	2	1	83	89	.667
Mid. Christ.	2	1	109	64	.667
Pantego Christ.	2	1	98	87	.667
FWSW Christian	2	1	50	62	.667
Waco Reicher	1	2	39	95	.333
Grace Prep	1	2	32	102	.333
Grapevine Faith	1	2	23	85	.333

Last week's scores

Midland Christian 55, Borger 19; Arlington Grace Prep 15, FW Country Day 13; Arlington Pantego 49, Dallas Shelton 25; Dallas Christian 41, Fort Worth Christian 7; FW Southwest Christian 22, Palmer 6; Grapevine Faith 23, Gainesville State School 14; McGregor 48, Waco Reicher 13

This week's games

Midland Christian at Seminole; Arlington Grace Prep at Argyle Liberty Christian; Gainesville State School at Fort Worth Christian; Frisco Legacy Christian at Fort Worth Southwest Christian; Clarksville at Grapevine Faith; Waco Reicher is open

TAPPS Six-man Division I District 1
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Abilene Christ.	3	0	160	76	1.000
Trinity	2	1	200	171	.667
Holy Cross	0	3	22	171	.000

Last week's scores

Trinity 102, Lubbock Kingdom Prep 53; Abilene Christian 30, Rockwall Heritage 22; Groom 48, Amarillo Holy Cross 0

This week's games

Trinity at Grady; Water Valley at Abilene Christian; Amarillo Holy Cross at Kress

HOW THE AP TOP 10 FARED

Class 3A

1. La Marque (2-1) lost to Coldspring-Oakhurst 27-21.
2. Navasota (3-0) beat Houston Sterling 49-6.
3. Waco La Vega (3-0) beat Mexia 54-7.
4. Alvarado (3-0) beat FW Southwest 20-13.
5. Abilene Wylie (3-0) beat Graham 31-7.
6. Stephenville (2-1) beat Beaumont Ozen 31-6.
7. Carthage (2-1) beat Tyler Chapel Hill 30-6.
8. Melissa (2-1) lost to Gunter 21-18.
9. Coldspring-Oakhurst (2-1) beat La Marque 27-21.
10. Kilgore (2-0) vs. Longview Pine Tree, ccd.

Class 2A

1. Refugio (3-0) beat Lago Vista 28-12.
2. Cameron Yoe (3-0) beat Rockdale 34-0.
3. Newton (3-0) beat Orangefield 40-14.
4. Tatum (3-0) beat Texarkana Pleasant Grove 40-28.
5. Cisco (3-0) beat Comanche 48-13.
6. Hempstead (2-1) lost to East Bernard 44-8.
7. Lexington (2-1) beat Franklin 28-7.
8. Daingerfield (2-1) beat Clarksville 21-6.
9. East Bernard (3-0) beat Hempstead 44-8.
10. Rogers (3-0) beat Troy 14-10.

Class A

1. Munday (3-0) beat Albany 55-28.
2. Mason (3-0) beat Comfort 48-7.
3. Burton (3-0) beat Louise 41-0.
4. Wellington (3-0) beat Memphis 58-14.
5. Stamford (2-1) beat Merkel 36-0.
6. Mart (2-1) beat Riesel 43-7.
7. Joaquin (3-0) beat Hemphill 28-14.
8. Falls City (2-1) beat Stockdale 38-0.
9. Albany (2-1) lost to Munday 55-28.
10. Tenaha (1-2) lost to Alto 25-13.

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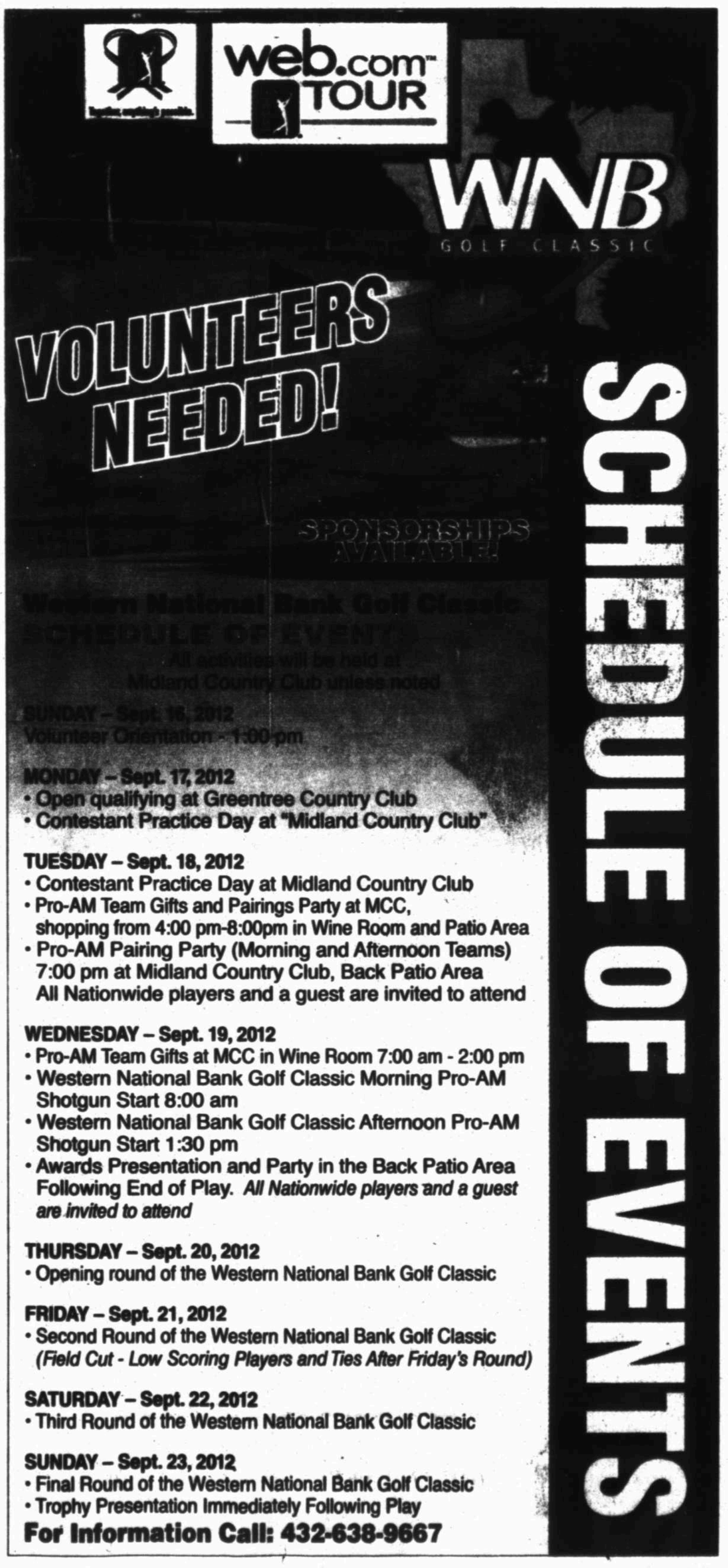

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- Contestant Practice Day at "Midland Country Club"

TUESDAY – Sept. 18, 2012
- Contestant Practice Day at Midland Country Club
- Pro-AM Team Gifts and Pairings Party at MCC, shopping from 4:00 pm-8:00pm in Wine Room and Patio Area
- Pro-AM Pairing Party (Morning and Afternoon Teams) 7:00 pm at Midland Country Club, Back Patio Area All Nationwide players and a guest are invited to attend

WEDNESDAY – Sept. 19, 2012
- Pro-AM Team Gifts at MCC in Wine Room 7:00 am - 2:00 pm
- Western National Bank Golf Classic Morning Pro-AM Shotgun Start 8:00 am
- Western National Bank Golf Classic Afternoon Pro-AM Shotgun Start 1:30 pm
- Awards Presentation and Party in the Back Patio Area Following End of Play. *All Nationwide players and a guest are invited to attend*

THURSDAY – Sept. 20, 2012
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SATURDAY – Sept. 22, 2012
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REPORT

From 1C

lot better football game to start with. But I thought we did some really great stuff against Shallowater and did some things that hurt them.

"We don't take anything away from Black. He's a hoss for them. Afterwards, the guys were like, "We couldn't stop him — but then, nobody else has either.'"

In contrast to the Mustangs, the Rangers relied heavily on the pass as Kam Williams was forced to have 61 pass attempts on the night. He completed only 33 of those passes, thanks in part to several drops, for 311 yards with two touchdowns and two interceptions. Greenwood attempted just 14 rushes and 12 of those came from Williams.

It's not the ideal ratio for Hanna, but considering that the Rangers' didn't handle Shallowater's size very well and the fact they've had to shuffle the offensive line because of injuries, Hanna said they had very little choice but to throw the ball.

"We had a lot of backup linemen and some inexperience in there," he said. "Because of that, we had some confusion on our run plays."

Key linemen senior guard Eddie Gabaldon (back) and senior center Blain Latham (hamstring) were out against Shallowater, and both are likely to be out again this week at San Angelo Lake View. In addition, running back/defensive back Anthony Salas (knee), who suffered an injury in practice last week is also expected to be out.

Despite the loss and the things that went against his team, Hanna said the game was good for his team.

"It's good to be tested, and the guys know that they are a better football team because of it," Hanna said. "I think we found out a lot of things about our football team and who we can count on. I think it was a great experience for us."

Greenwood looks to bounce back this week when they travel to San Angelo to face Lake View (1-2).

STEERS OVERCOME MISCUES FOR WIN

The Big Spring football team showed again how far it has come from a year ago when the Steers had to overcome turnovers and penalties in a 22-14 victory over San Angelo Lake View.

The Steers had three turnovers and were flagged 10 times for 78 yards. They also missed a field goal in the first half. But unlike last year when those things would have been devastating for the team's psyche, the Steers responded in a positive manner, according to head coach Phillip Ritchey.

"It was a very good win, especially since we had to face adversity with turnovers and penalties," Ritchey said. "That's big for our confidence. We are proving to ourselves that we can make the one or two plays that can turn a game around."

The game was tied at 7 at the half before Big Spring (3-0) scored nine unanswered points in a matter of 31 seconds in the third quarter thanks to a safety on a high snap to Lake View's quarterback and then a 2-yard TD run by Michael Oliva.

After Lake View cut it to 16-14 late in the third quarter, the Steers sealed the victory with a 14-yard TD pass from Tobyn Tannehill to Tate Kennedy early in the fourth quarter.

Some more good news for the Steers was that wide receiver/safety/kicker Devin Roberson played after injuring an ankle the week before against Midland Christian. Roberson caught seven passes for 90 yards as he was mostly used on offense. Ritchey said Roberson was only used in nickel packages and third-and-long situations on defense and that Kennedy started at safety and did a real good job.

Ritchey said his team should be as healthy as it has been all year in Friday's home game against 3-0 Andrews.

FOURTH QUARTER BIG FOR ANDREWS AGAIN

Andrews has made a habit of making key plays and stops in the fourth quarter this season and the 35-22 victory over Brownfield was no exception.

Brownfield had tied the game at 22 midway through the third quarter before Andrews took the lead for good late in the period when Shane Dolgener found Austin Luna for a 22-yard touchdown pass. Then late in the fourth, the Mustangs iced the game with a 21-yard TD pass from Dolgener to Coy Lopez as the they improved to 3-0 on the season.

"In the fourth quarter, the kids rose to the occasion when they had to," Andrews coach Ralph Mason said. "They had a few ups and downs and were inconsistent at times, but when it came down to it, our offense and our defense came through. That's kind of been the characteristic or trademark of this ballclub."

Even though the Mustangs punted seven times, Mason said the offense continues to show improvement in his more up-tempo version of the spread. The Mustangs had 400 total yards and 18 first downs on the night.

"We were able to move the chains and got first downs," Mason said. "I would like to have more big plays but you also don't want your offense to solely survive off that."

Mason said his team is also getting healthier as running back Joey Prieto came back on Friday night and scored on a 9-yard run.

Andrews (3-0) heads to Big Spring (3-0) on Friday in a renewal of an old rivalry.

BUFFALOES SEEK TO GET MENTALLY TOUGHER

It was a tough night all round for Stanton on Fiday's 28-7 loss to Forsan.

Not only did the Buffaloes (1-2) lose a rivalry game but lost one of their senior leaders to another knee injury.

Stanton coach John Peterson said Blake Evans — a running back and linebacker — was injured on the third defensive play of the game. Peterson said as Evans was running toward the Forsan sideline, his left knee "just gave out" and the prognosis is that it's a torn anterior cruciate ligament. That is devastating news for Evans, who missed all of the 2011 season with a right knee injury.

Peterson said when Evans went out, his team was never the same.

"We just didn't come in with the best attitude, and we were flat," Peterson said. "We've got to get up for a rivalry game like this.

"Once we got going, our kids played hard but they have to learn that it's mental game as much as it is a physical game."

In addition to getting his team mentally ready to play McCamey (1-2), Peterson said the team has a difficult task of replacing Evans on both sides of the ball.

COAHOMA IN RECOVERY MODE

Coahoma seemed to have taken the brunt of the physical play in a 20-6 loss to Colorado City.

In addition to RB Aaron Acevedo (knee and likely out for the season) and WR Ryan Reid (ankle), who were already out, the Bulldogs will be without RB/DB T.J. White (knee), OL/DL Daniel Solis (ankle) and DT David Mejia (back) for this week's game at Denver City, according to head coach Trey Gardner.

Gardner said it was such a physical game that two of Colorado City's players left the game with concussions, as well.

While the Bulldogs (1-2) got beat up, Gardner said his team didn't play very smart either as key penalties and mental errors compounded to the Bulldogs' woes. Coahoma was called for six penalties for 40 yards and lost three fumbles on the night.

"We just need to cut down on our mental issues," Gardner said. "Being physical is not the problem. We have to cut down on the mental stuff and worry about the things we can control. And it's going to take a good mindset to get over these injuries. Our backfield has been decimated, so now we have to move some guys around. And those guys will have to learn a new position in two or three days."

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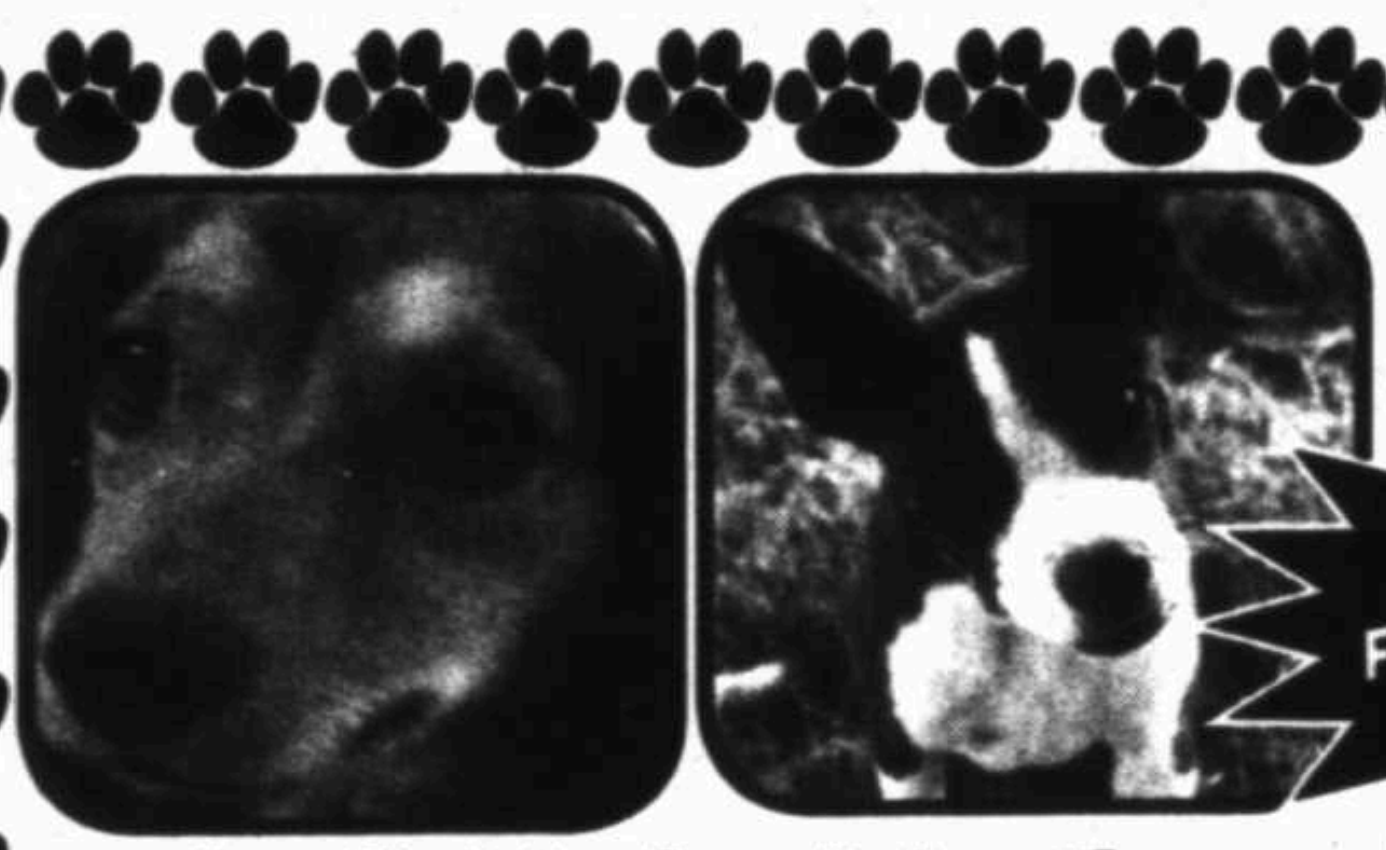

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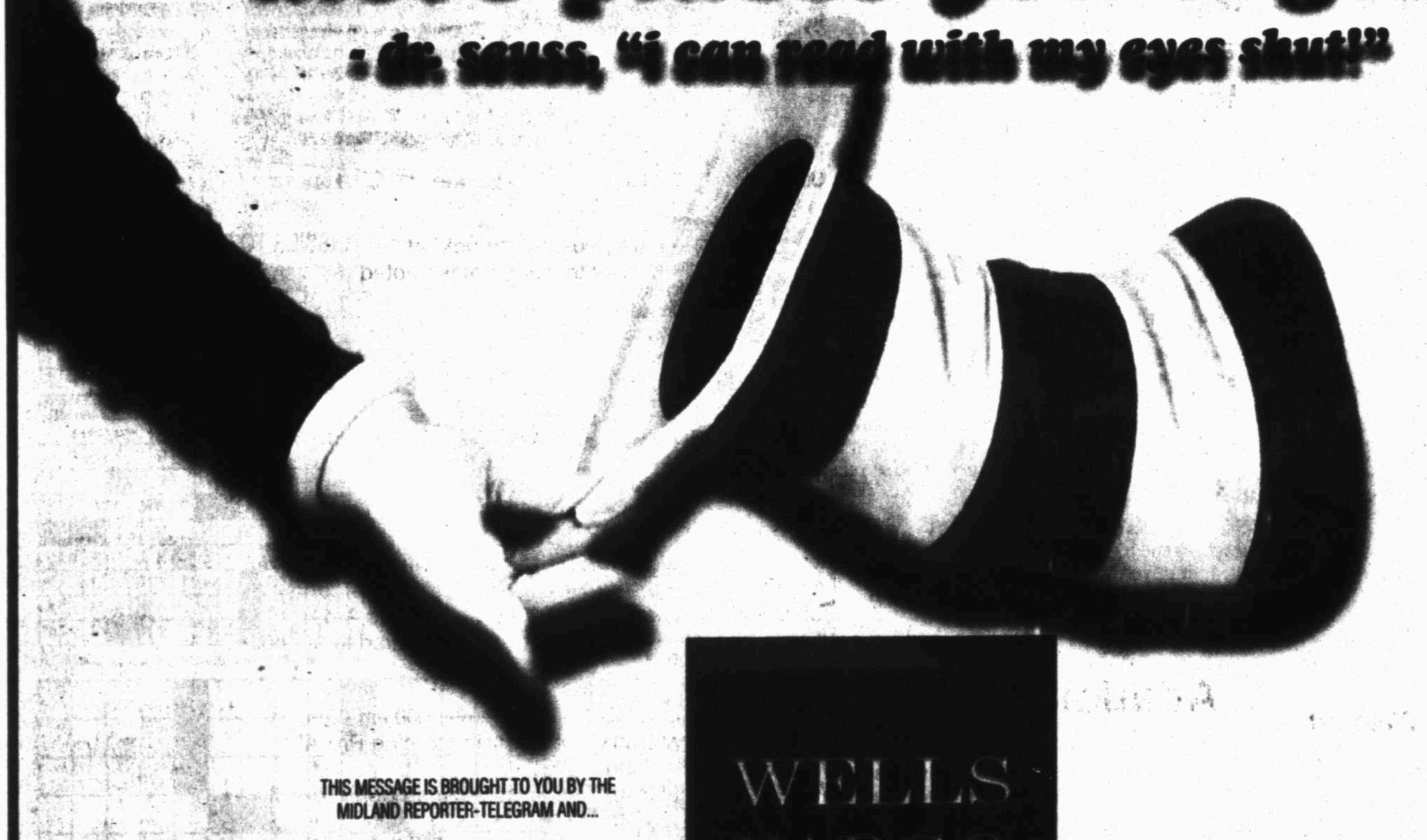

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Low 65	Low 66	Low 64

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Thursday, look for sunny skies with a high around 93, a low around 66 and south winds between 5 and 10 mph.

Friday, the forecast calls for mostly sunny skies with a high around 92 and a low around 64.

The high on Tuesday reached 81 while the low dropped to 61. The record high for Sept. 18 is 98 set in 2005. The record low is 47 set in 1991.

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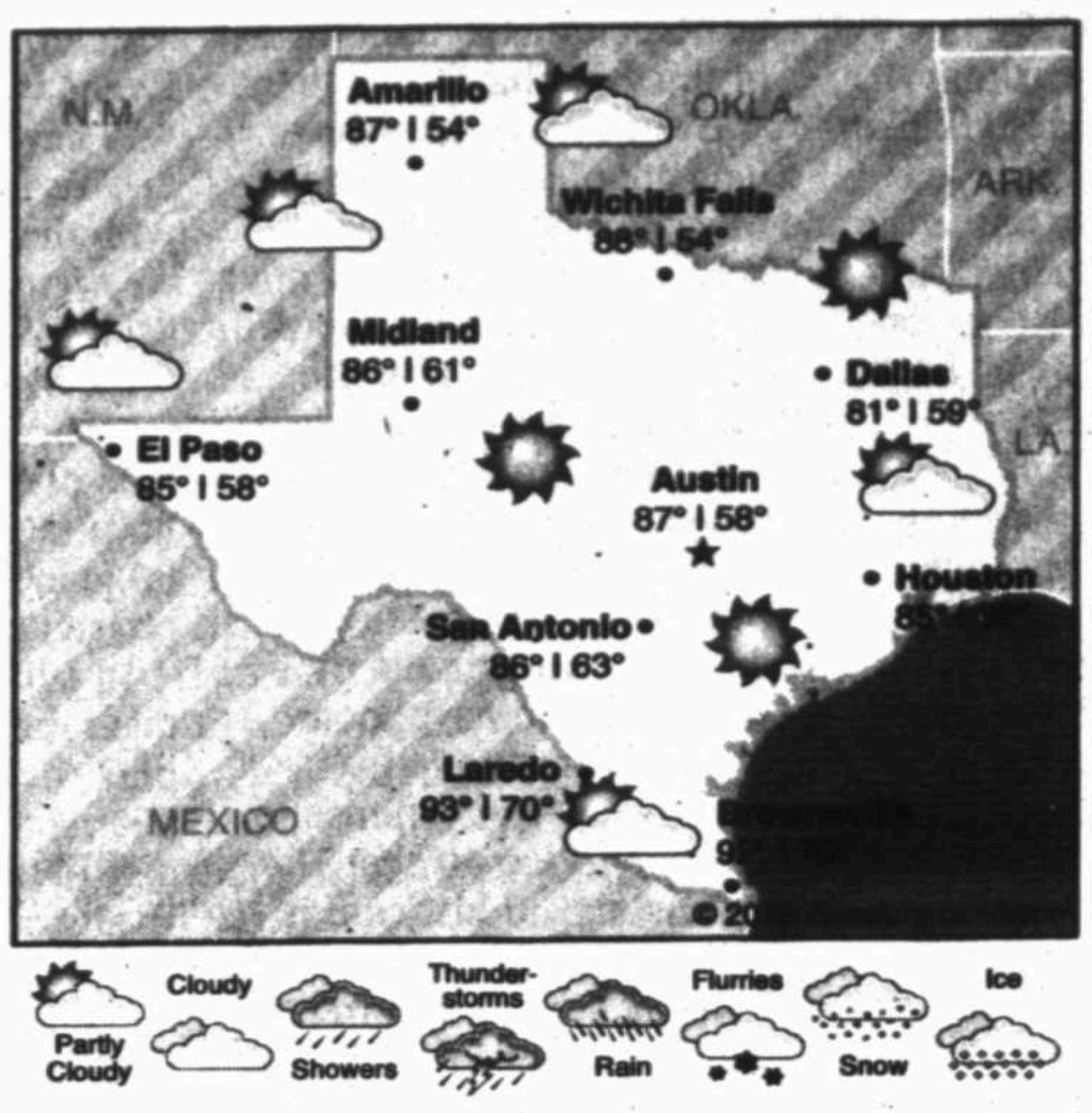
In the East today, the front responsible for heavy rain, strong winds and severe thunderstorms recently will move into the Atlantic Ocean. High pressure will build across the Appalachians to the Mississippi Valley, bringing a return of sunshine and lower temperatures and humidity. The exception will be the Florida Peninsula and the immediate coastal areas of Georgia and the Carolinas. In the West, a northern bulge in steering winds high in the atmosphere will continue the sunny, warm weather pattern. The pattern will continue to direct storms well to the north.

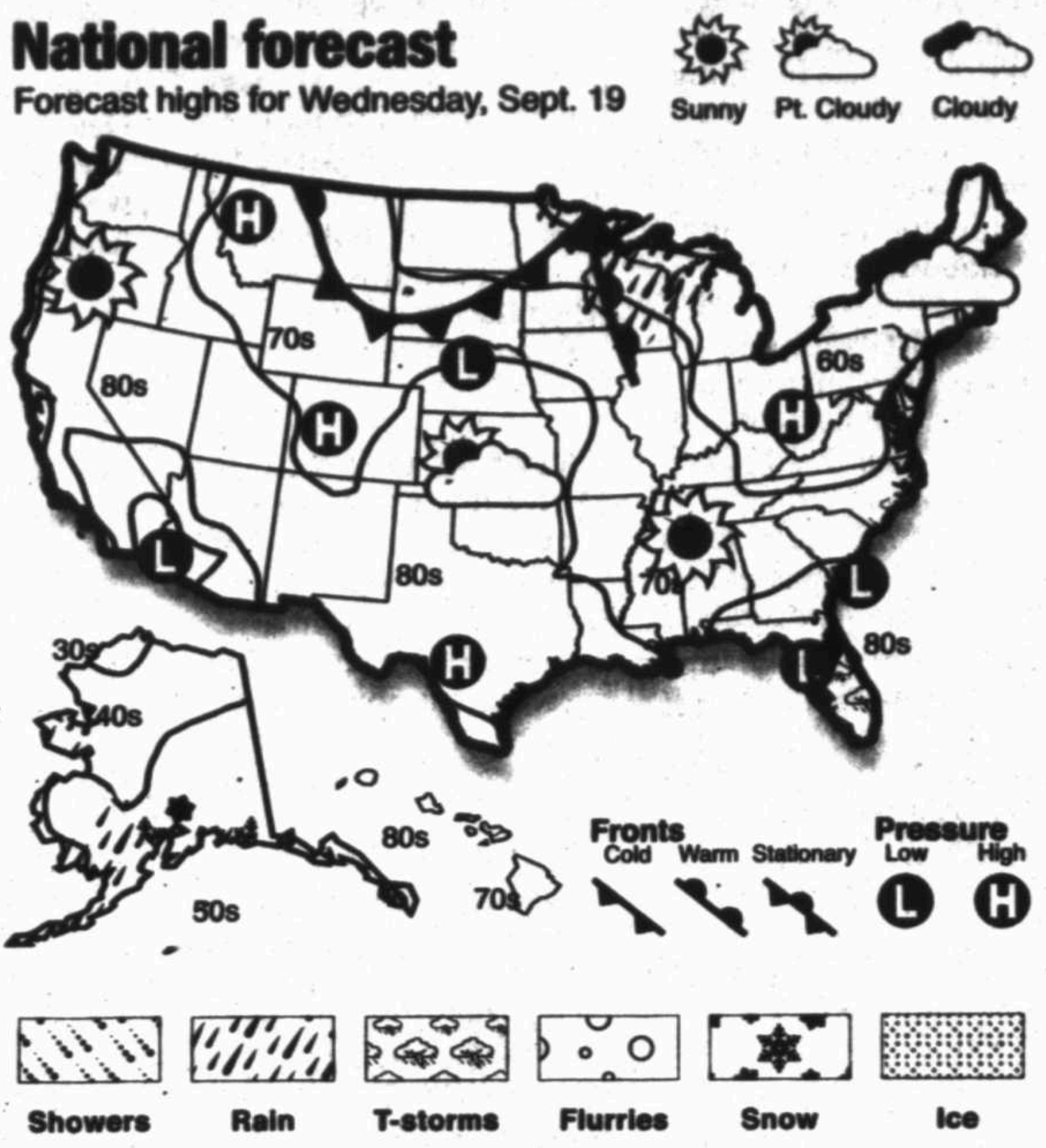


Precipitation	
Monday	0.00 in.
Tuesday	trace
Total for month	0.45 in.
Total for year	7.16 in.
Normal total (year to date)	10.90 in.

Tuesday's temperatures	
High	81
Low	61
Normal high	86
Normal low	61
Sunrise	7:35 a.m.
Sunset	7:50 p.m.

National forecast

Forecast highs for Wednesday, Sept. 19



Young flasher tries to cover up his exposure

DEAR ABBY

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DEAR ABBY: My daughter "Anissa" is 3 and has an older cousin, "Billy," on my fiance's side who is 5. Billy has been caught on several occasions showing his "manhood" to little girls, and we recently found out he took Anissa into a pop-up tent and showed her, as well. This was not on my watch, because I don't feel comfortable leaving them alone together.

After I learned about the incident, I was told that Billy had done this with another cousin and told her it was a "secret" and not to tell.

Abby, as far as I know, Billy was spoken to at great length and reprimanded after the first few occurrences, but he continues to do this, it seems, at every opportunity he gets.

Is this normal behavior for boys? I think the parents are burying their heads in the sand. They get defensive when the subject is brought up. Personally, all I can do is keep Anissa within arm's reach when Billy is around. What do you think? — NOT ON MY WATCH

DEAR NOT: I think that's intelligent. Although children naturally are curious when they learn there's a difference between boys and girls (hence the genesis of playing "doctor"), Billy appears to be overly preoccupied. Because he is telling the girls to keep what he's doing a secret, he knows he is doing something wrong. Repeated naughty actions can be corrected only if there are consequences for them, and it appears a lengthy talking-to and a reprimand haven't gotten through to the child.

DEAR ABBY: I need your assistance resolving an awkward situation. I have noticed other women experiencing "wardrobe malfunctions." In each instance, they were otherwise tastefully dressed but seemingly unaware of the sheerness of their clothing. For example, one was wearing white slacks through which the patterned fabric of her underwear clearly could be seen.

Is there a polite way to alert them of the problem, or is it better to say nothing? Most of these women were strangers, but I couldn't think of tactful wording even when it happened to a friend. — JUST TRYING TO HELP

DEAR JUST TRYING: If it's a friend, say, "Honey, I can see the pattern of your underwear through your slacks," and it will probably be appreciated. However, if it's a stranger, keep your comment to yourself because it probably won't be.

DEAR ABBY: My late partner and I had matching wedding rings, as we had a civil marriage. Since my partner's death, I have met someone else. We have become a couple and also want to have a civil same-sex marriage.

Do you think it would be wrong to use the same wedding rings I had with my first partner? I'm not sure how I feel about it and need some input. — ALLEN IN FLORIDA

DEAR ALLEN: Far more important than what I think about it is what your significant other thinks. Personally, I would "retire" the rings from your former marriage and start with new ones because it's a new relationship.

While no rule of etiquette says there is anything wrong with using the old ones, this really isn't a question of etiquette.

GOREN BRIDGE

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Two chances are better than one

Both vulnerable. South deals.

NORTH
♠ K J
♡ K Q 8 5
◊ A 5 3 2
♣ 8 4 2

WEST
♠ 10 4 2
♡ 6 4
◊ J 10 9 4
♣ K 6 5 3

EAST
♠ 9 8 7 6 5 3
♡ J 2
◊ 7 6
♣ J 10 9

SOUTH
♠ A Q
♡ A 10 9 7 3
◊ K Q 8
♣ A Q 7

The bidding:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
2NT	Pass	3♣	Pass
3♡	Pass	6♡	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Opening lead: Jack of ◊

This deal is from Bracket III of the Weekend Knockout Teams at the recent ACBL Summer North American Championships in Philadelphia.

North's three clubs was Puppet Stayman, three hearts promised a five-card suit and North needed to hear no more. Slam was reached in short order.

Declarer won the diamond lead in hand, drew trumps in two rounds and set about guarding against a second club loser should the finesse fail. The spades were cashed, and declarer continued by cashing another diamond and then leading a diamond to the ace. When East showed out, declarer led another diamond, discarding a club from hand. No matter what West returned, declarer's club loser would vanish. Try it.

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DAILY CROSSWORD

Edited By Rich Norris and Joyce Nichols Lewis

ACROSS
1 1983 movie about a taxi company
6 Place for a sala
10 Home on the range
14 Kukla's dragon friend
15 Israeli weapons
16 Optic layer
17 Leader for whom Houston's airport is named
19 Really tired
20 Highlands honey
21 Narrow-bodied river fish
22 Intrinsically
23 Christmas __
24 "The Chimpanzees of Gombe" writer
27 Fixed, in a way
29 Farm feed item
30 Salon supply
31 Saloon orders
32 Hot tub reaction
33 Bit of background in a Road Runner cartoon
34 "Superfudge" novelist
38 Nick and Nora's pooch
41 Cold War agcy.
42 Shell propellers
45 Starfish arm
46 WWII craft
47 Not a good thing to be at the wheel
49 Pro Football Hall of Famer nicknamed "Crazylegs"
53 Traffic cops gp.?
54 Maxim
55 Do lunch, e.g.
56 Speaker with a .345 career batting average
57 Stallion feature
58 TV series that first aired 9/23/1962 whose family shares first names with 17-, 24-, 34- and 49-Across
61 Henry VIII's fourth
62 Verdi slave
63 Squander
64 Ponies up
65 Office furnishing
66 Some McFlurry ingredients

DOWN
1 Zigzag hole feature
2 Chop chopper
3 __ held: in few hands, as stock
4 Snob's affectations
5 Avoid, as an issue
6 Like many Miamians, by birth
7 Clear blue
8 Girl sib
9 Campfire remains
10 Like ice or dice
11 Run-of-the-mill
12 Spotty condition?
13 Kneecap
18 "I say!"
22 Patio planter
24 Savior in a Bach cantata
25 Purpose
26 Interstate H-1 locale
28 __ vu
32 "Modern Family" network
33 Square food?
35 Salt sprinkle
36 Himalayan myth
37 Dance in a pit
38 Visitors center handout
39 Zoe of "Avatar"
40 Abuse of power
43 Flower for one's honey
44 Foreknow, as the future
46 Caustic stuff
47 Part of a Molière comédie
48 Avoids an F
50 Arches with pointed tops
51 Oboist's supply
52 Noted vowel seller
56 Nicholas II, e.g.
58 Wee bit
59 Hotfoot it, old-style
60 Pair

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

L	B	J	■	■	R	A	P	T	■	L	E	A	P	T
I	O	U	S	■	O	P	I	E	■	E	X	T	R	A
R	U	N	U	P	A	T	A	B	■	G	O	R	E	S
A	T	O	N	E	D	■	N	O	R	■	R	I	O	T
■	■	■	N	A	R	R	O	W	E	S	C	A	P	E
D	E	L	I	L	A	H	■	■	P	H	I	■	■	■
A	D	A	■	■	G	E	N	E	■	O	S	H	E	A
I	N	C	O	M	E	T	A	X	R	E	T	U	R	N
S	A	Y	H	I	■	T	W	E	E	■	■	N	I	T
■	■	■	B	F	A	■	■	R	A	V	A	G	E	S
O	U	T	O	F	C	O	N	T	R	O	L	■	■	■
I	N	I	T	■	E	X	E	■	S	U	P	R	A	S
L	I	T	H	O	■	L	A	T	E	S	H	I	F	T
U	T	L	E	Y	■	I	T	Z	A	■	A	S	E	A
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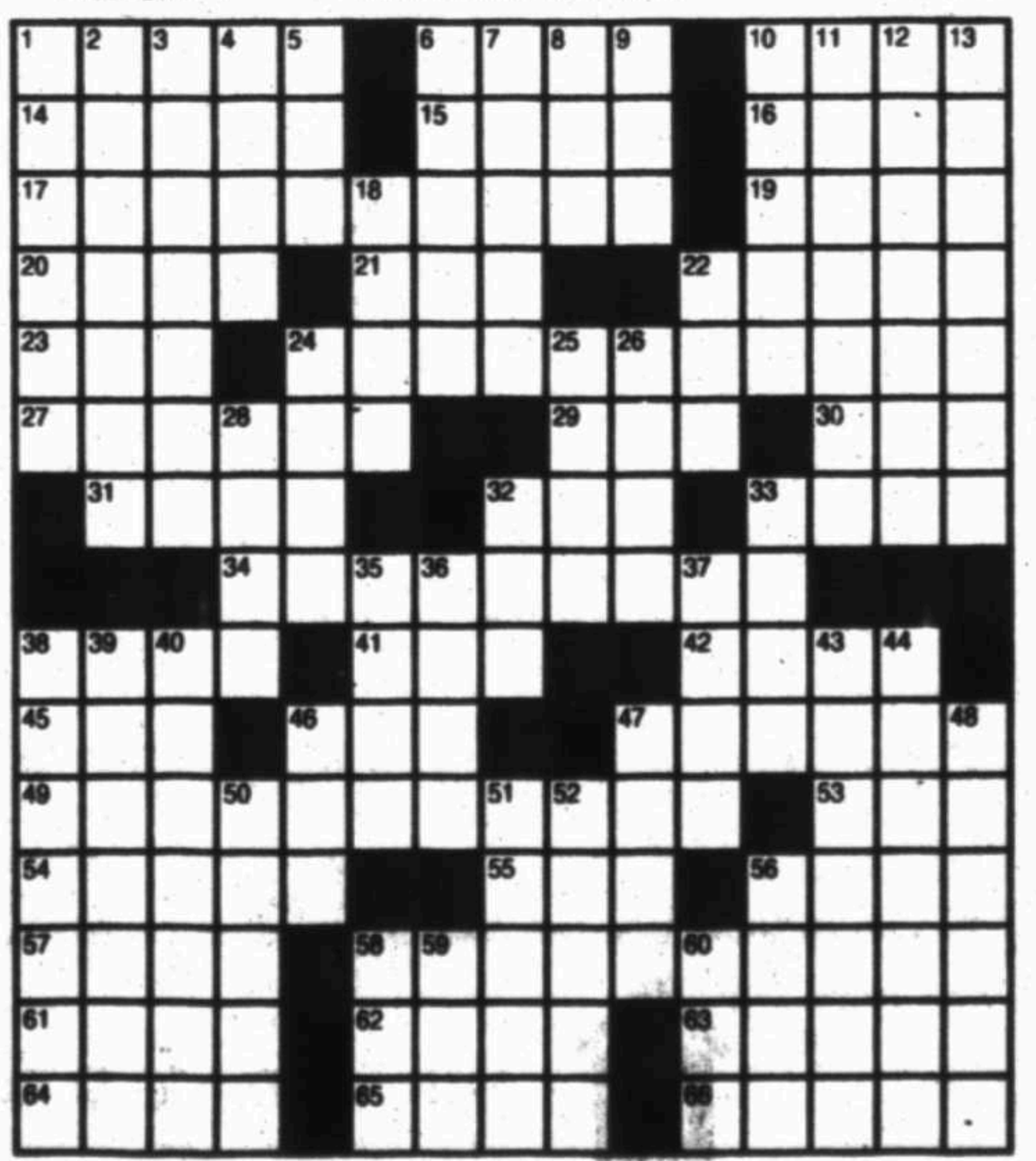

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JACQUELINE BIGAR'S STARS

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

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Wednesday, Sept. 19, 2012:

This year you will be encouraged to greet change with greater ease. If you fight progress, you could encounter your share of bumps along the way. Learn to let go, and head down the path that greets you with energy and optimism. If you are single, you meet more people than usual. You will fall into an intense tango with many of your potential sweeties. Take your time deciding. If you are attached, nothing seems to be a "maybe" or an "if." You will find that everything is either black or white. Hopefully, you will be on the same page. SCORPIO is nothing if not deep and mysterious.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★★ Deal with others directly. You might not like what comes down the path, but know that you can transform a situation. Emotions expressed could help everyone involved. Strong energy directs you. Push as hard as possible to get a project done. Tonight: Listen to a suggestion.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★ Others clearly command the stage. You will be very happy if you do not try to interfere with this trend. An unexpected change encourages you to let go of what has not been working. You have tinkered to get this situation more in sync, to no avail. Tonight: Just do not be alone.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★ You want to mix in a happier or more social part of your life. You could be jolted by what heads your way. The unexpected forces you to transform the way you deal with a key person. As a result, you might decide to open up. Tonight: Handle a personal matter.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★★★ Your creativity opens you up to a new possibility when faced with a difficult and unpredictable situation. You feel good and empowered. Share some of your more intense feelings. Indirectly, you mobilize others by revealing more. Tonight: Paint the town red.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★★ A sudden insight or new information heads your way. You might want to slow down, as this novel perspective could change a lot in your daily life. For a while, make fewer commitments until you review certain facets of your life. A close friend or associate could become insecure. Do your best to let this person know your feelings. Tonight: Mosey on home.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★ You could be seeing a situation very differently from in the past. You'll discover that a person you counted on no longer is predictable. He or she has been more uptight and now chooses more off-the-wall ideas and actions. Tonight: Visit with a pal.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★ Be aware of how much you offer. Sometimes you give away too much of yourself. The unexpected impacts your daily life. You can work with sudden change, yet something within you seems to be building. Could it have to do with a loved one? Tonight: Treat yourself well.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★★★ Be more upbeat, and work with a child or very lively friend. Sudden ideas come from out of left field. Discuss them before you act. Impulsiveness plays a strong role in what goes on. Tonight: Ask for what you want with the expectation of receiving it.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★ You might want to step back from a sudden change involving your domestic or personal life. You could be wondering what might be best to do. Take a hard look at your finances before making a decision. Tonight: Chill out.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★ An unexpected situation could create a lot of tension. What you can be sure of is that stability is not an option, especially in your home or personal life. Express your feelings to someone who seems to understand you. Tonight: Where your friends are.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★ You might want to take a break from a demanding situation. Unfortunately, that option is not on the table right now. A heart-to-heart talk could shock you and prevent you from moving forward with a key situation. Tonight: Let the fun begin.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★ If you feel uncomfortable by what you are hearing, you might want to pull back some and make your own decisions. In fact, you really might not want any more input at this moment. You could feel at odds with certain events happening around you. Tonight: Where you can let your mind wander.

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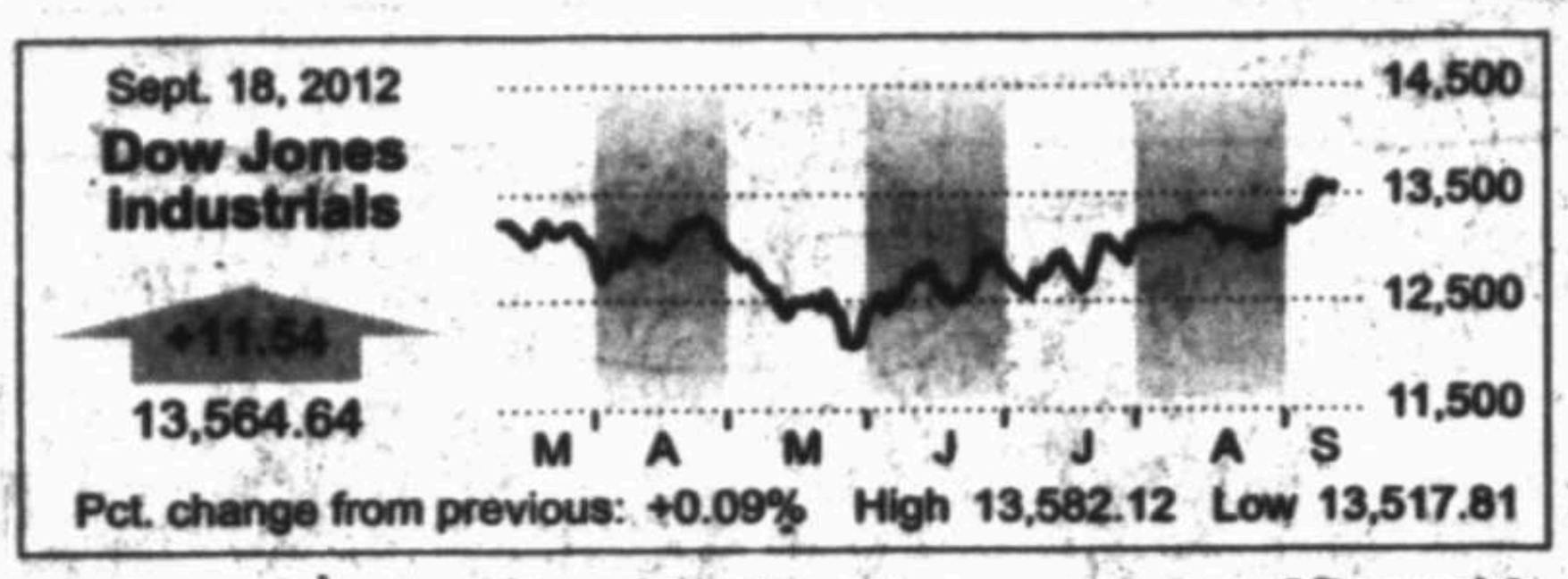
BORN TODAY

Comedian Jimmy Fallon (1974), model Lesley Lawson aka Twiggy (1949), actor Adam West (1928)

WEDNESDAY
September 19, 2012

Business & Oil

A DAY ON WALL STREET



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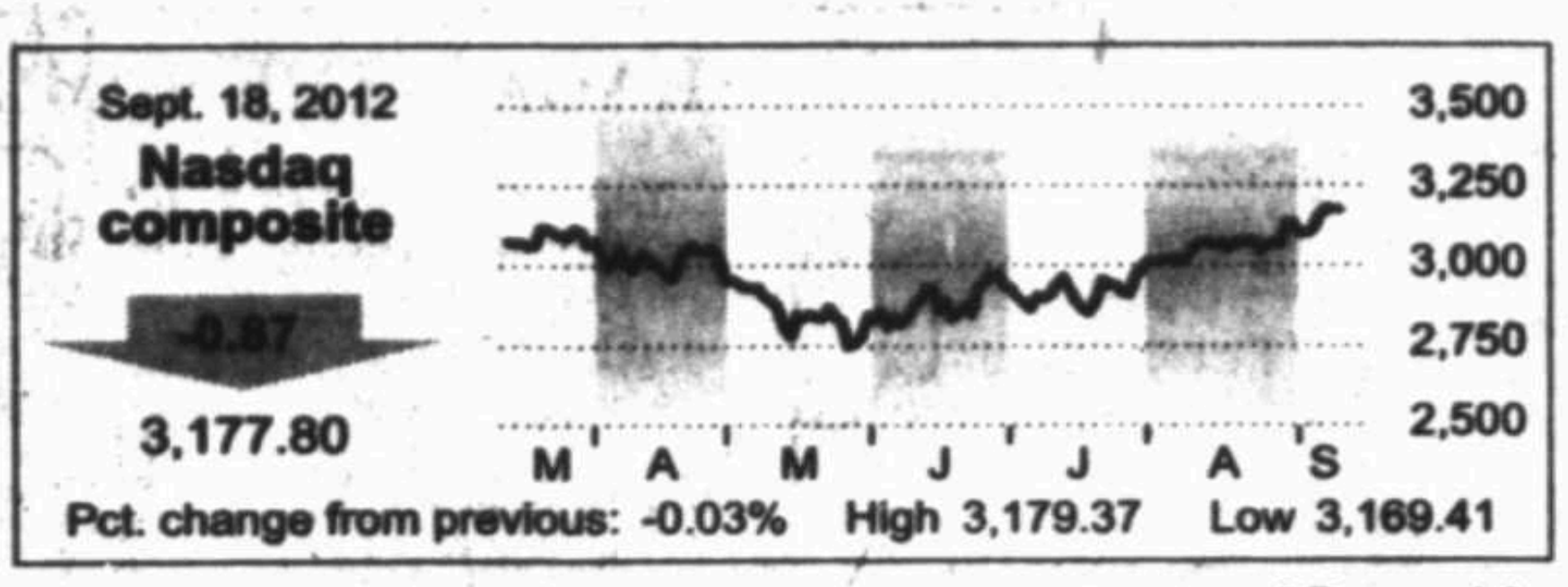

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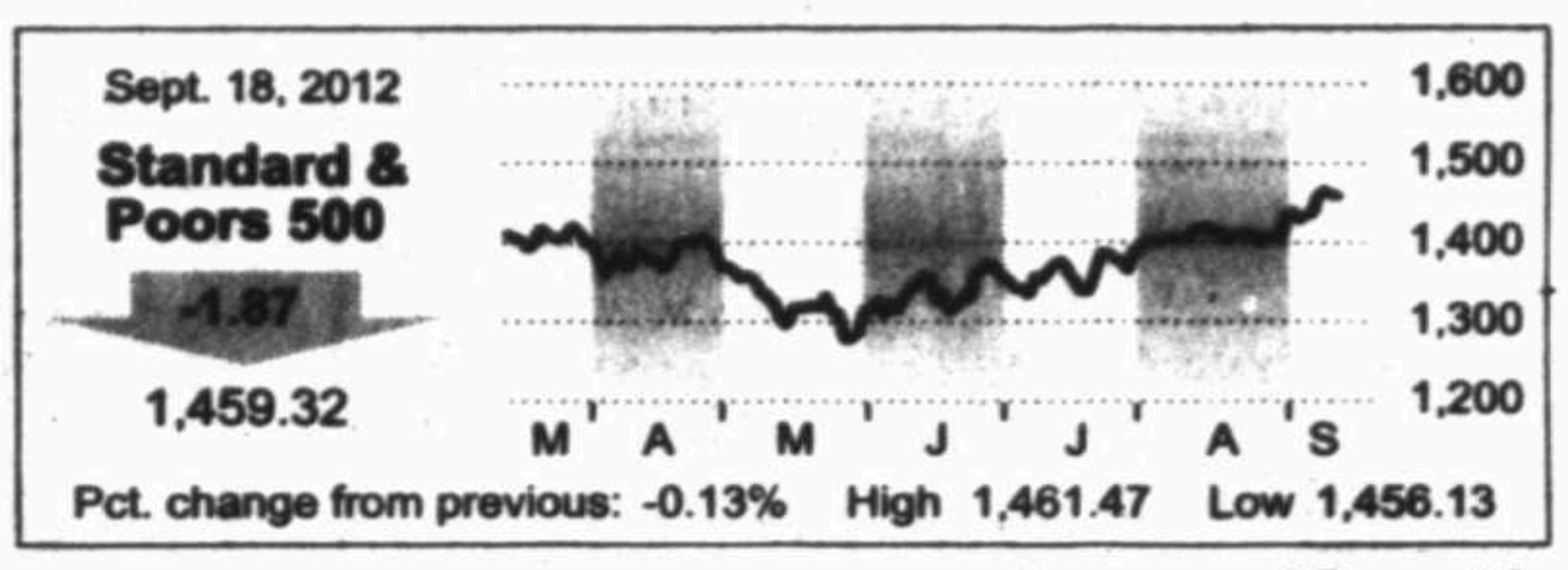

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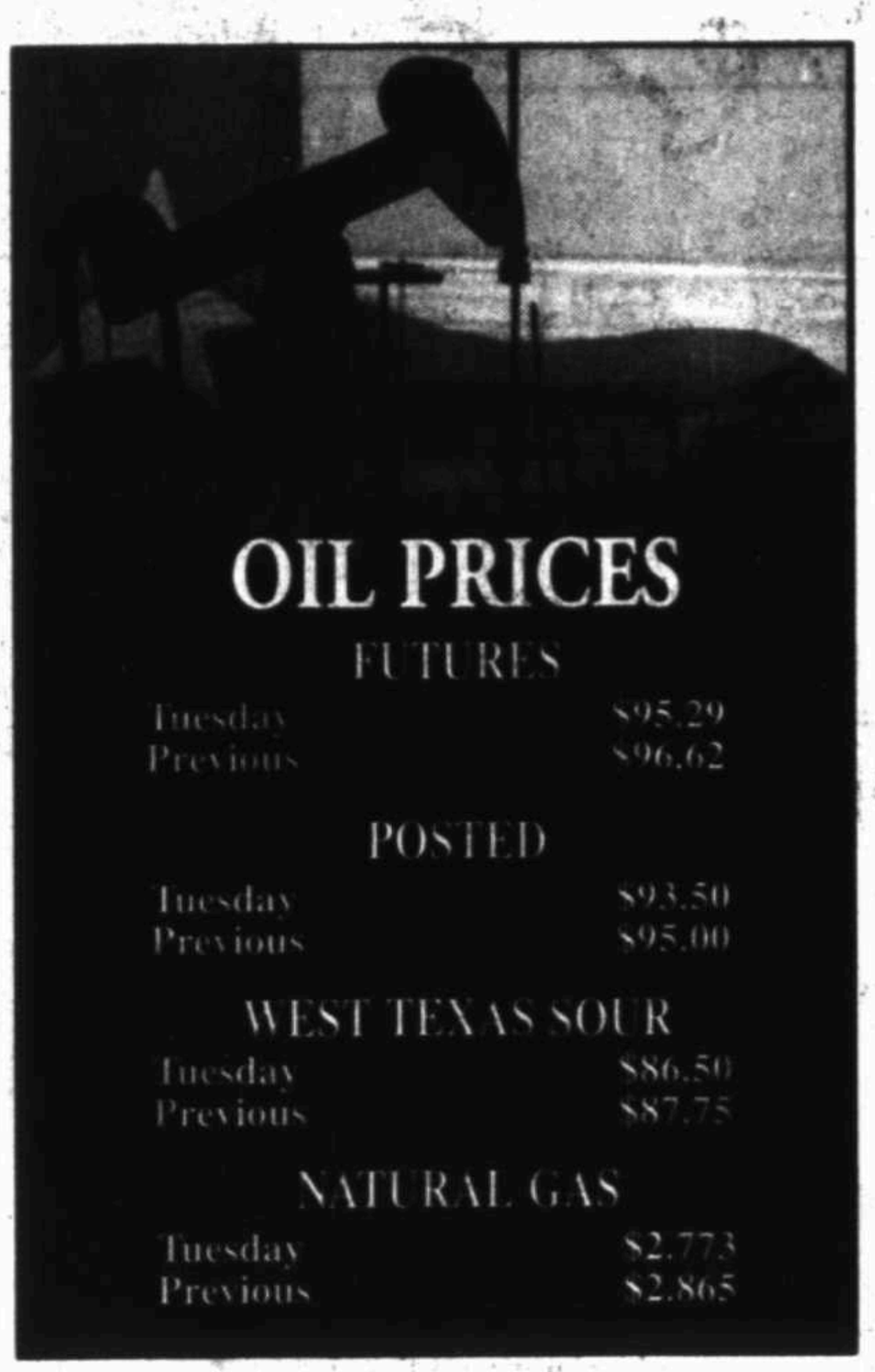

OIL PRICES

FUTURES	
Tuesday	$95.29
Previous	$96.62
POSTED	
Tuesday	$93.50
Previous	$95.00
WEST TEXAS SOUR	
Tuesday	$86.50
Previous	$87.75
NATURAL GAS	
Tuesday	$2.773
Previous	$2.865

NYSE

MOST ACTIVE ($1 OR MORE)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
BkofAm	1453392	9.23	-.07
S&P500ETF	833955	146.62	-.12
AMD	794445	3.62	-.39
SPDR Fncl	569659	16.05	-.08
NokiaCp	488239	2.90	-.07

GAINERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
SchiffNutr	24.37	+3.47	+16.6
Kngswy rs	2.10	+.29	+16.0
Dolan Co	5.22	+.59	+12.7
PrisaB	2.34	+.24	+11.4
Natuzzi	2.32	+.23	+11.0

LOSERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
HNI Corp	26.05	-4.64	-15.1
CSVS2xPall	51.00	-5.67	-10.0
RBS OilTrd	25.22	-2.78	-9.9
AMD	3.62	-.39	-9.7
Frontline	3.92	-.35	-8.2

DIARY

Advanced	1,335
Declined	1,681
Unchanged	119
Total issues	3,135
New Highs	111
New Lows	5
Volume	3,298,452,937

AMEX

MOST ACTIVE ($1 OR MORE)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
DenisnM g	137934	1.72	+.27
Vringo	57015	3.34	-.05
NwGold g	51455	12.50	+.16
NovaGld g	46757	5.83	+.12
Neuralstem	45553	1.40	+.09

GAINERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Arrhythm	2.46	+.31	+14.4
ImpacMtg	7.50	+.88	+13.3
NDynMn g	4.40	+.46	+11.7
Aerosonic	3.42	+.26	+8.2
Medgen wt	4.75	+.29	+6.5

LOSERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
AvalnRare	2.26	-.14	-5.8
Espey	24.40	-1.34	-5.2
InvCapHld	3.76	-.20	-5.0
Augusta g	2.74	-.12	-4.2
eMagin	4.17	-.18	-4.1

DIARY

Advanced	219
Declined	204
Unchanged	41
Total issues	464
New Highs	9
New Lows	2
Volume	106,833,038

NASDAQ

MOST ACTIVE ($1 OR MORE)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
SiriusXM	953071	2.43	+.04
Cisco	436179	19.05	-.12
Yahoo	422272	15.91	+.23
Intel	374512	23.37	+.06
Facebook n	361175	21.87	+.35

GAINERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Telestone	2.45	+.76	+45.0
TrioMergr	11.55	+1.75	+17.9
Misonix	3.60	+.51	+16.5
CharmCom	6.01	+.69	+13.0
Velti	9.70	+1.10	+12.8

LOSERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Galectin un	5.32	-1.13	-17.5
GeoMet pf	4.54	-.96	-17.5
BioFuel rs	8.90	-1.31	-12.8
MCG Cap	4.70	-.57	-10.8
SthcstFn	3.80	-.46	-10.8

DIARY

Advanced	1,195
Declined	1,258
Unchanged	133
Total issues	2,586
New Highs	95
New Lows	17
Volume	1,664,245,642

Jeff Chiu/AP

Apple CEO Tim Cook, left, talks with musician Dave Grohl, of the Foo Fighters, as they look at an iPhone 5 during an Apple event in San Francisco on Sept. 12. Apple's stock reached $700 for the first time Tuesday, the day after it announced that orders for its iPhone 5 topped 2 million in the first 24 hours.

Apple shares hit $700 for first time on iPhone sales

By Barbara Ortutay
Associated Press

NEW YORK — Apple's stock reached $700 for the first time Tuesday, the day after it announced that orders for its iPhone 5 topped 2 million in the first 24 hours.

The stock traded as high as $701.44 in the morning, up a quarter of a percent from Monday's close. It later fell slightly. It had come within 20 cents of $700 on Monday.

The rally in Apple's stock price puts the company's market value at $656 billion.

The $700 mark is somewhat of an arbitrary milestone for Apple's stock, representing little more than a nice round number and a record high trading level.

The company, after all, already enjoys the distinction as the world's most valuable public company ever, at least if one ignores inflation. Google Inc., its Silicon Valley neighbor, saw its stock price surpass $700 in 2007. On Tuesday, Google's stock was trading at $715.24. But the online search leader's market capitalization is well below Apple's at $234.1 billion.

Apple started taking orders for the iPhone 5 at 3 a.m. EDT Friday. Orders during the first 24 hours more than doubled what Apple had for its predecessor, the iPhone 4S, over the same period last October.

"This was despite somewhat lukewarm reviews and some claiming it had 'lack of a wow factor,' Sterne Agee analyst Shaw Wu said in a note to investors. "We continue to believe many underestimate iPhone 5 in that it is a significant update and will drive a powerful product cycle."

Wu estimates that Apple likely will ship 27 million iPhones in the current quarter. That's up from his earlier estimate of 26 million.

Apple said on Monday that while most orders will be delivered this Friday, when the phone goes on sale in stores in the U.S. and eight other countries, demand for the iPhone 5 exceeds the initial supply. That means some of the devices will be delivered in October.

Buyers who have a two-year service agreement with AT&T, Sprint or Verizon Wireless are able to order the phone for $199 (16 gigabyte model), $299 (32 GB) or $399 (64 GB).

The iPhone 5 represents the first major revision of the iPhone's screen size since the first model was introduced in 2007. The new iPhone has an elongated screen, at 4 inches measured diagonally. That allows room for another row of icons and lets widescreen movies fit better. Earlier models had 3.5-inch screens. The new phone also is thinner and weighs less than previous versions. It can operate on LTE cellular networks and sports a new processor and updated software.

Apple share have risen 87 percent since Oct. 5, when CEO Steve Jobs died. The stock was up 15 cents at $699.93 in Tuesday morning trading after briefly surpassing $700.

Oil falls below $96

The price of oil fell for a second day, as a major shipping company gave investors reason to question the strength of oil demand.

Benchmark crude closed down $1.33 to $95.29 Tuesday in New York, a drop of 1.4 percent. That followed Monday's decline of 2.4 percent, giving oil its biggest two-day percentage decrease in nearly two months.

FedEx Corp. lowered its outlook for global growth and industrial production when it reported fiscal first-quarter earnings. That has negative implications for energy demand. The world's No. 2 package delivery company forecast a continued slowdown in global trade.

Brent crude dropped $1.76 to $112.03 a barrel in London. Reports that Saudi Arabia is keeping production high to drive oil prices lower may have pressured Brent, which is the benchmark for many international crudes.

On Monday oil dropped more than 3 percent during a rapid sell-off that mystified traders. Some analysts suggested the price of oil had gotten too high given continued weakness in the global economy. The forecast from FedEx seemed to bolster that argument.

This week's drop has wiped out gains made last week when the Federal Reserve unveiled new steps to boost the U.S. economy.

Stocks mixed

Glum economic news from FedEx left stocks mixed on Tuesday.

The Dow Jones industrial average posted a slight gain, but other indexes fell. Declining stocks outnumbered those that advanced. And seven of the 10 industries tracked by the Standard & Poor's 500 index declined.

The S&P 500 index fell 1.87 points to close at 1,459.32. The Nasdaq closed down 0.87 point at 3,177.80. The Dow rose 11.54 points to 13,564.64.

December gold's gain was tiny, up 60 cents to $1,771.20 per ounce.

MIDLAND STOCKS

Midland-Headquartered Publicly Traded Companies

Basic Energy Services (BAS)
Closing Price $12.64 Down 0.45

Clayton Williams Energy (CWEI)
Closing Price $58.76 Up 0.23

Concho Resources (CXO)
Closing Price $97.92 Down 1.88

Dawson Geophysical (DWSN)
Closing Price $24.34 Down 1.25

Legacy Reserves (LGCY)
Closing Price $29.16 Up 0.21

Mexco Energy (MXC)
Closing Price $7.00 Unchanged

Natural Gas Services Group (NGS)
Closing Price $14.67 Down 0.18

HOW STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST FARED

Name	Div	PE	Last	Chg	YTD %Chg
AT&T Inc	1.76	50	37.66	+.06	+24.5
Abraxas	...	10	2.30	+.05	-30.3
AdamsEx	.65e	...	11.42	-.06	+18.5
AMD	...	...	3.62	-.39	-33.0
Alcoa	.12	35	9.49	-.09	+9.7
AlonUSA	.16	37	13.79	-.37	+58.3
AlphaNRs	...	...	7.88	-.20	-61.4
AmIntlGrp	...	3	34.40	-.35	+48.3
Amgen	1.44	18	82.04	-.05	+27.8
Anadarko	.36	...	73.42	-.75	-3.8
A123 Sys h	...	...	.28	-.03	-82.6
Apache	.68	11	90.65	-1.45	+.1
Apple Inc	10.60	17	701.91	+2.13	+73.3
ApldMatl	.36	13	11.71	-.23	+9.3
ArenaPhm	...	...	9.26	+.64	+395.2
ATMOS	1.38	15	35.37	+.12	+6.1
AutoData	1.58	21	58.47	+.06	+8.2
BP PLC	1.92	6	42.87	-.40	+.3
BabsCCInv	1.20	...	16.63	-.04	-7.5
BakrHu	.60	13	48.90	-1.20	+.5
BkofAm	.04	10	9.23	-.07	+66.0
Bar iPVix	...	...	8.86	-.21	-75.1
BasicEnSv	...	6	12.64	-.45	-35.8
BerkHa A	...	19	132898.00	+213.00	+15.8
BerryPet	.32	...	41.40	-.73	-1.5
BlkHillsCp	1.48	29	35.31	-.24	+5.2
BostonSci	...	14	5.75	-.03	+7.7
BrMySq	1.36	16	32.90	-.17	-6.6
BrownFA s	.93	26	62.40	+1.06	+18.1
BrownFB s	.93	26	64.86	+.83	+20.8
CVS Care	.65	17	47.40	+.50	+16.2
Cameron	...	24	58.01	-.14	+17.9
Caterpillar	2.08f	10	93.07	+1.08	+2.7
Celestic g	...	7	7.72	+.05	+5.3
CntryLink	2.90	47	42.45	+.37	+14.1
ChesEng	.35	6	19.97	-.20	-10.4
Chevron	3.60	9	116.97	-.17	+9.9
Chicos	.21	19	18.49	-.42	+66.0
Cimarex	.48	13	62.39	-.62	+.8
Cisco	.56f	13	19.05	-.12	+5.7
Citigroup	.04	10	33.94	-.12	+29.0
ClayEng	...	7	58.76	+.23	-22.6
Clearwire	...	...	1.38	-.16	-28.9
CocaCola s	1.02	20	38.62	+.27	+10.4
ColgPal	2.48	21	106.01	+.86	+14.7
ConAgra	.96	23	25.64	+.04	-2.9
ConchoRes	...	17	97.92	-1.88	+4.4
ConocPhil s	2.64	7	57.82	-.48	+4.1
CrackerB	1.60f	17	63.62	-.36	+26.2
CrosTim	2.48e	11	33.18	-1.00	-32.1
DCP Mid	2.68f	30	44.96	+.46	-5.3
DTE	2.48f	16	58.46	-.06	+7.4
Dataram h	...	...	.68	+.04	-16.0
Dawson	...	15	24.34	-1.25	-38.4
Dell Inc	.32	6	10.57	-.14	-27.8
DenisnM g	...	...	1.72	+.27	+37.6
DevonE	.80	10	61.96	-1.18	-.1
DirSCBear	...	...	13.93	+.11	-47.4
Disney	.60f	17	51.90	-.25	+38.4
DitechNt h	...	...	1.41	+.60	+48.4
DowChm	1.28	20	31.02	-.11	+7.9
EMC Cp	...	23	27.67	+.09	+28.5
EOG Res	.68	23	115.88	-.52	+17.6
EmpDist	1.00	17	21.46	...	+1.8
Energen	.56	14	53.55	-.54	+7.1
EngyTsfr	3.58	9	42.13	-.24	-8.1
EnPro	...	18	37.80	-.75	+14.6
EntPrPt	2.54f	21	54.42	+.18	+17.3
Ericsson	.35e	...	9.53	-.14	-6.0
ExterranH	...	...	19.20	+.04	+111.0
ExxonMbl	2.28	12	91.65	-.26	+8.1
Facebook n	...	...	21.87	+.35	-42.8
FordM	.20	9	10.42	+.03	-3.2
ForestOil s	...	13	8.57	-.24	-36.8
FMCG	1.25	12	41.48	+.07	+12.7
FrozenFd	...	...	2.16	-.03	+67.4
GATX	1.20	18	43.38	-.13	-.6
GabMultT	.80	...	7.59	+.05	+21.8
Gap	.50	20	36.01	-.04	+94.1
GAInv	.50e	...	29.40	-.02	+18.0
GenElec	.68	18	22.24	+.19	+24.2
GileadSci	...	20	66.77	+.97	+63.1
GtPlainEn	.85	17	22.01	-.08	+1.1
HalconR rs	...	...	7.43	-.17	-20.9
Hallibrtn	.36	11	36.57	-.65	+6.0
Heinz	2.06	19	56.16	+.02	+3.8
HewlettP	.53	6	18.25	+.04	-29.2
Hitachi	...	...	63.70	...	+22.2
iShGold	...	...	17.25	+.14	+13.3
iShJapn	.20e	...	9.39	+.01	+3.0
iShSilver	...	...	33.71	+.72	+25.1
iShChina25	.93e	...	34.52	-.23	-1.0
iShEMkts	.82e	...	41.93	+.01	+10.5
iS Eafe	1.72e	...	54.63	-.23	+10.3
iShR2K	1.23e	...	85.72	-.28	+16.2
IntegrysE	2.72	19	52.90	-.36	-2.4
Intel	.90f	10	23.37	+.06	-3.6
InterDig	.40	23	34.34	-.76	-21.2
JPMorgCh	1.20	9	41.26	+.07	+24.1
JohnJn	2.44	22	68.55	+.30	+4.5
Keycorp	.20	9	8.89	-.02	+15.6
KimbClk	2.96	18	83.63	+.61	+13.7
KindME	4.92f	...	82.82	-.18	-2.5
KindMM	4.92t	...	75.01	-.39	-4.5
Kinross g	.16f	...	10.22	+.03	-10.4
Kraft	1.16b	20	40.43	+.73	+8.2
LegacyRes	2.24f	8	29.16	+.21	+3.3
Lowes	.64	19	29.18	-.05	+15.0
Lubys	...	26	6.62	+.14	+46.8
MktVGold	.15e	...	54.32	+.43	+5.6
McDnlds	2.80	17	93.08	+.94	-7.2
Merck	1.68	20	44.08	+.08	+16.9
MeritMed	...	30	15.13	-.08	+13.1
MexcoEn	...	88	7.00	...	...
MicronT	...	...	6.48	-.09	+3.0
Microsoft	.92f	16	31.18	-.04	+20.1
Molycorp	...	...	13.85	+.42	-42.2
MorgStan	.20	14	17.63	-.17	+16.5
Nabors	...	12	15.97	-.28	-7.9
NatGrid	3.11e	...	55.64	+.31	+14.8
NOilVarco	.48	15	82.76	-1.04	+21.7
NokiaCp	.26e	...	2.90	-.07	-39.8
NvMAd	.91a	...	15.27	+.02	+4.0
NvPMI	.88	...	15.06	+.08	+1.7
NuvPI	.92	...	15.23	+.09	+5.3
NSTFI3	.66a	...	15.67	+.10	+9.5
NTXQI	.77	...	16.85	-.01	+3.1
OcciPet	2.16	12	89.25	-.81	-4.7
Oracle	.24	17	33.02	-.09	+28.7
PacEthan h	...	9	.56	-.13	-47.4
ParTech	...	17	5.45	+.01	+38.3
ParkDrl	...	...	4.48	-.14	-37.5
PattUTI	.20	7	17.22	-.11	-13.8
PennaRE	.64	...	16.57	-.22	+58.7
Prmian	1.27e	11	15.93	-.14	-21.8
Petrobras	1.03e	...	23.88	+.03	-3.9
Pfizer	.88	14	24.01	-.01	+11.0
PioNtrl	.08	35	108.72	-3.30	+21.5
PlainsAA	4.26f	16	90.54	+.20	+23.3
PwShs QQQ	.51e	...	70.27	+.06	+25.9
Praxair	2.20	19	108.27	+.31	+1.3
PrmEgy	...	7	27.00	...	+19.5
ProctGam	2.25	18	69.22	-.03	+3.8
PulteGrp	...	69	15.76	-.37	+149.8
RangeRs	.16	...	68.97	-.47	+11.3
RegionsFn	.04	17	7.28	-.11	+69.3
RschMotn	...	3	7.42	+.17	-48.9
Rowan	...	27	36.85	+.47	+21.5
RoyDShllA	3.44	14	72.51	-.14	-.8
SpdrDJIA	3.60e	...	135.61	+.08	+11.3
SpdrGold	...	...	171.72	+1.32	+13.0
S&P500ETF	2.70e	...	146.62	-.12	+16.8
SabnR	3.81e	13	53.03	-.24	-15.9
SanderFm	.68	46	44.44	+.13	-11.4
SandRdge	...	...	7.39	-.19	-9.4
Sapient	...	21	10.41	+.17	-17.4
Schlmbrg	1.10	19	76.23	-.91	+11.6
SigmaAld	.80	20	73.70	-.30	+18.0
SiriusXM	...	4	2.43	+.04	+33.5
Smucker	2.08f	21	86.62	-.40	+10.8
SprintNex	...	...	5.19	-.08	+121.8
SPDR Fncl	.23e	...	16.05	-.08	+23.5
SunocoL s	1.88f	13	49.35	-.47	+25.3
TelefEsp	...	...	14.74	-.19	-14.3
TenetHlth	...	...	6.09	+.18	+18.7
Tesoro	.48	9	40.74	+.18	+74.4
3M Co	2.36	15	93.43	-.35	+14.3
Torchmark	.60	11	52.09	-.15	+20.1
TriContl	.50e	...	16.28	-.04	+14.4
TylerTech	...	47	41.87	+.32	+39.1
UBWV	1.24	15	25.39	+.20	-10.2
USSteel	.20	...	20.77	-.54	-21.5
Vale SA	1.16e	...	19.55	+.18	-8.9
ValeroE	.70f	8	31.60	-.44	+50.1
VangEmg	.91e	...	42.81	-.04	+12.0
VulcanM	.04	...	46.21	-.01	+17.4
Walgrn	1.10f	12	35.66	-.04	+7.9
WellsFargo	.88	12	35.44	+.11	+28.6
WstnRefin	.32f	9	25.89	-.41	+94.8
WhitingPet	...	10	49.38	-1.61	+5.8
WmsCos	1.25f	20	34.08	-.46	+26.4
XcelEngy	1.08f	16	27.45	-.13	-.7
Xerox	.17	8	7.60	-.10	-4.5
Yahoo	...	18	15.91	+.23	-1.4

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52-Week High	52-Week Low	Name	Last	Chg	Net %Chg	YTD % Chg	52-wk % Chg
13,653.24	10,404.49	Dow Jones Industrials	13,564.64	+11.54	+.09	+11.03	+18.90
5,390.11	3,950.66	Dow Jones Transportation	5,083.00	-57.46	-1.12	+1.26	+12.48
499.82	411.54	Dow Jones Utilities	467.68	-1.58	-.34	+.65	+5.45
8,515.60	6,414.89	NYSE Composite	8,387.43	-21.54	-.26	+12.18	+16.22
2,498.89	1,941.99	Amex Index	2,490.15	+32.27	+1.31	+9.30	+12.22
3,195.67	2,298.89	Nasdaq Composite	3,177.80	-.87	-.03	+21.98	+22.68
1,474.51	1,074.77	S&P 500	1,459.32	-1.87	-.13	+16.04	+21.40
15,432.54	11,208.42	Wilshire 5000	15,261.51	-26.64	-.17	+15.71	+20.93
868.50	601.71	Russell 2000	856.93	-1.97	-.23	+15.66	+24.20

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...DADDY? —I DON'T FEEL WELL.
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HAGAR THE HORRIBLE

THEY SAY: "EARLY TO BED AND EARLY TO RISE, MAKES A MAN HEALTHY, WEALTHY, AND WISE"
HA! HA!
HAW HAW
HEE, HEE!
BUT I'M WILLING TO TAKE MY CHANCES!
HA!
9-19
BROWNE

FUNKY WINKERBEAN

REALLY?! YOU WANT TO HOLD THE WEDDING HERE!?
ISN'T THAT THE KIND OF THING WE SHOULD'VE DISCUSSED TOGETHER?
I BELIEVE YOU WERE CLIMBING KILIMANJARO AT THE TIME.
LISTEN, YOU WERE INVITED TO COME ALONG WITH US, MISS 'I ONLY DO HOTELS.'
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IN P.E., HAVE YOU NOTICED HOW EVERYONE CHECKS EVERYONE ELSE OUT?
YEAH. LOTS OF COMPARING GOES ON
YOU KNOW WHO'S GOT THE BEST FIGURE? MELODY
IT'S ALL IN THE HORMONES
MAYBE WE COULD GET A HORMONE TRANSFUSION
SURE. MELODY COULD DONATE A COUPLE OF BARRELS
GREG
9-19

BLONDIE

HA! CAN YOU BELIEVE THE CRAZY COLLECTIONS THESE WHACKOS HAVE ACCUMULATED?
...SO, I BUILT A REPLICA OF THE OVAL OFFICE IN MY BEDROOM
WHOA, MAMA!
HAR! HAR! THESE NUT JOBS WILL STOCKPILE ANYTHING!! ONE GUY HAD AN OTTOMAN FILLED WITH ELVIS' SOCKS!!
...AND YOU OWN 150 YODA ALARM CLOCKS?
...AND 50 MORE IN THE LAUNDRY ROOM?!
...SO HOW IS THIS DIFFERENT FROM YOUR BBQ SPATULA COLLECTION?!
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MARY WORTH

MOY + GIELLA 9-19
MY ACCIDENT HAPPENED WHEN THE FERRY I WAS ON RAN INTO THE PIER AFTER THE CAPTAIN PASSED OUT!
SOUNDS TERRIBLE! I EXPERIENCED SOMETHING SIMILAR!
MOUNTVIEW HOSPITAL
MY FATHER AND I WERE ON THE ITALIAN CRUISE SHIP THAT'S BEEN IN THE NEWS! THE CAPTAIN OF MY SHIP RAN US INTO A ROCK!
IT SEEMS WE HAVE MARITIME ACCIDENTS IN COMMON.
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BEETLE BAILEY

I THINK I NEED TO BRIGHTEN UP MY SUMMER REPORT TO THE GENERAL
ANYTHING I CAN DO TO HELP?
GREG + MORT WALKER
WHY, YES! WILL YOU POSE FOR THE SWIMSUIT SECTION?
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ZITS

JEREMY, WE WANT TO TALK TO YOU ABOUT SOMETHING.
IS THIS A ONE EAR BUD REMOVAL, OR A TWO EAR BUD REMOVAL TALK?
SCOTT AND BORGMAN

CLASSIC PEANUTS

I DON'T UNDERSTAND YOU!
THE WHOLE WORLD IS COMING APART, AND YOU'RE DANCING!
I CAN'T HELP IT... MY FEET LOVE TO DANCE...
I HAVE AN OBLIGATION TO MY FEET!
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SCHULZ

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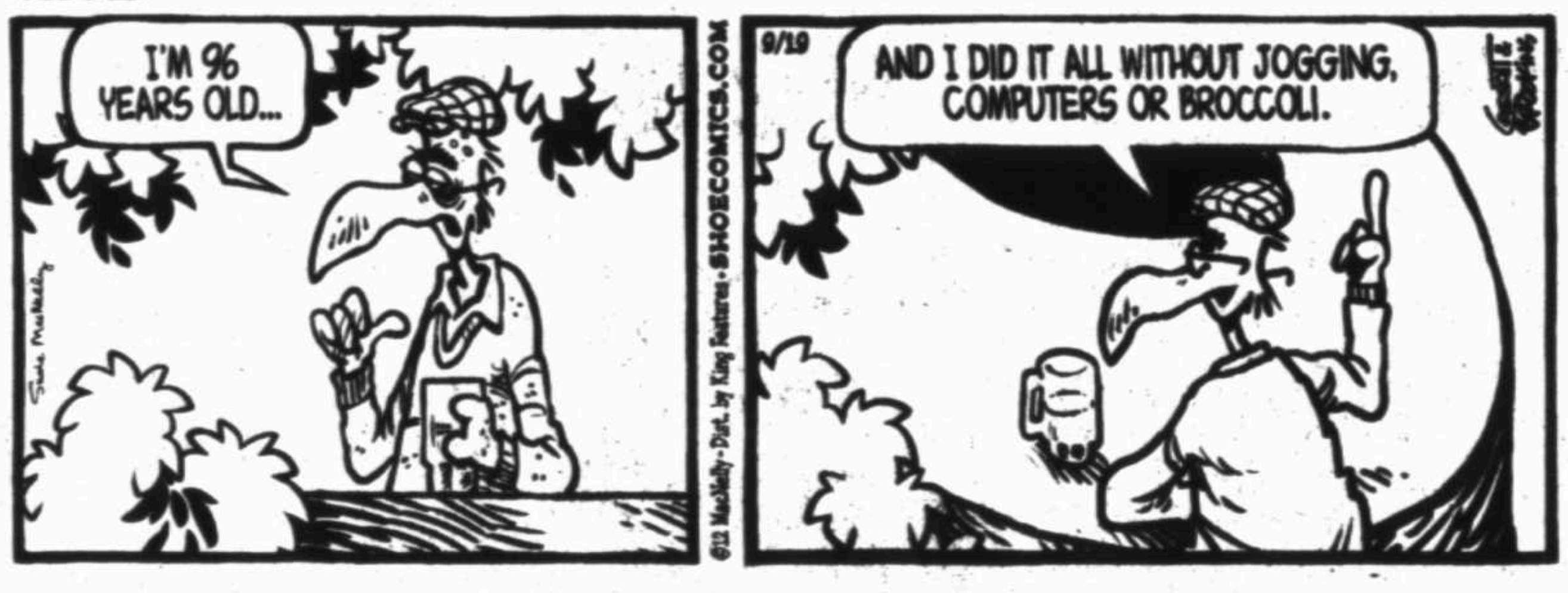
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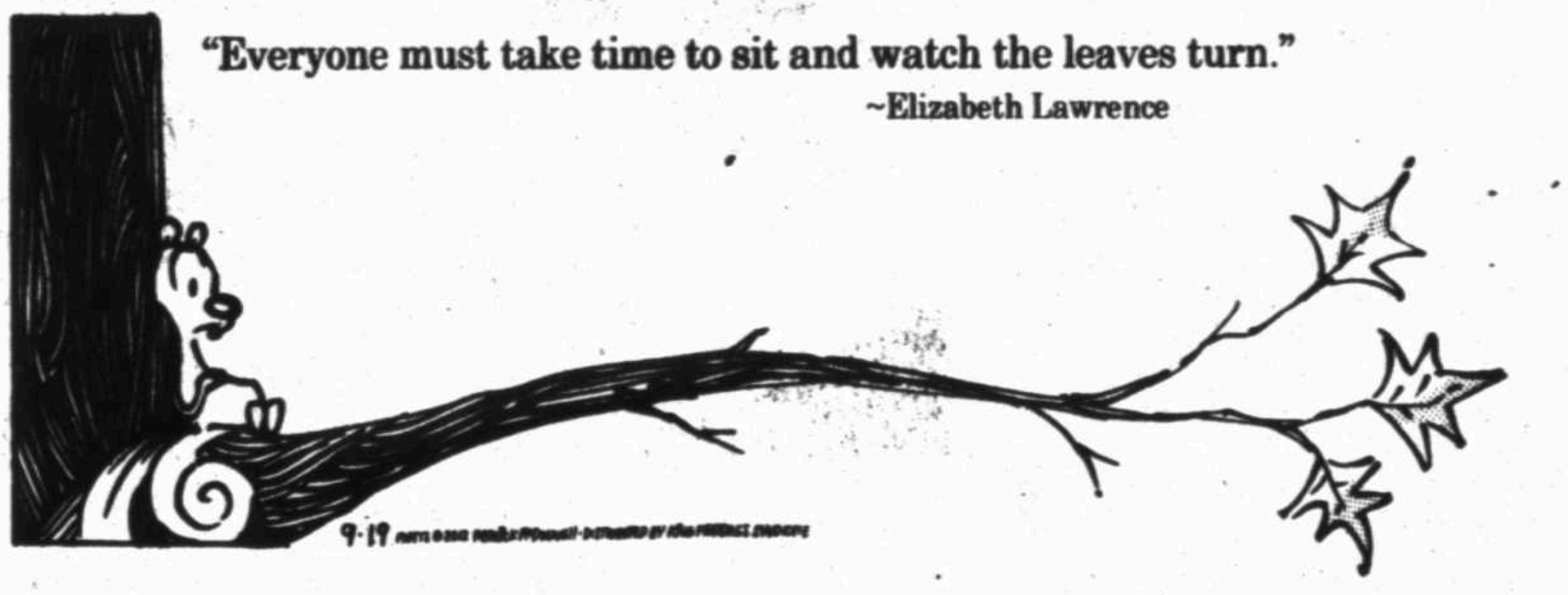
"Everyone must take time to sit and watch the leaves turn."
~Elizabeth Lawrence
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GARFIELD

AS YOU PROBABLY ALREADY KNOW, CATS ARE RELATED TO LIONS
ROWR
BOY, I COULD GO FOR A GAZELLE BURGER ABOUT NOW
JIM DAVIS 9-19
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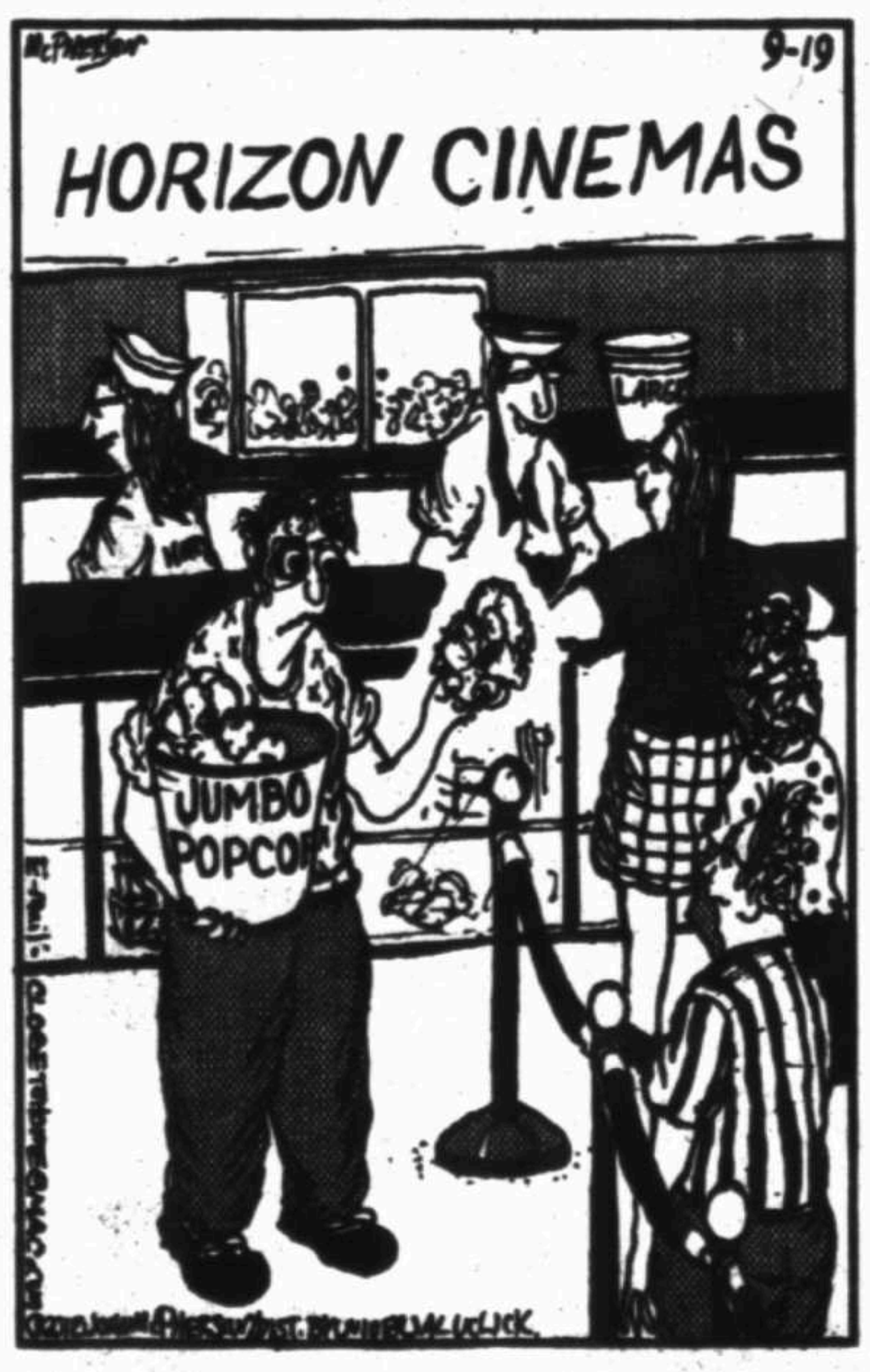

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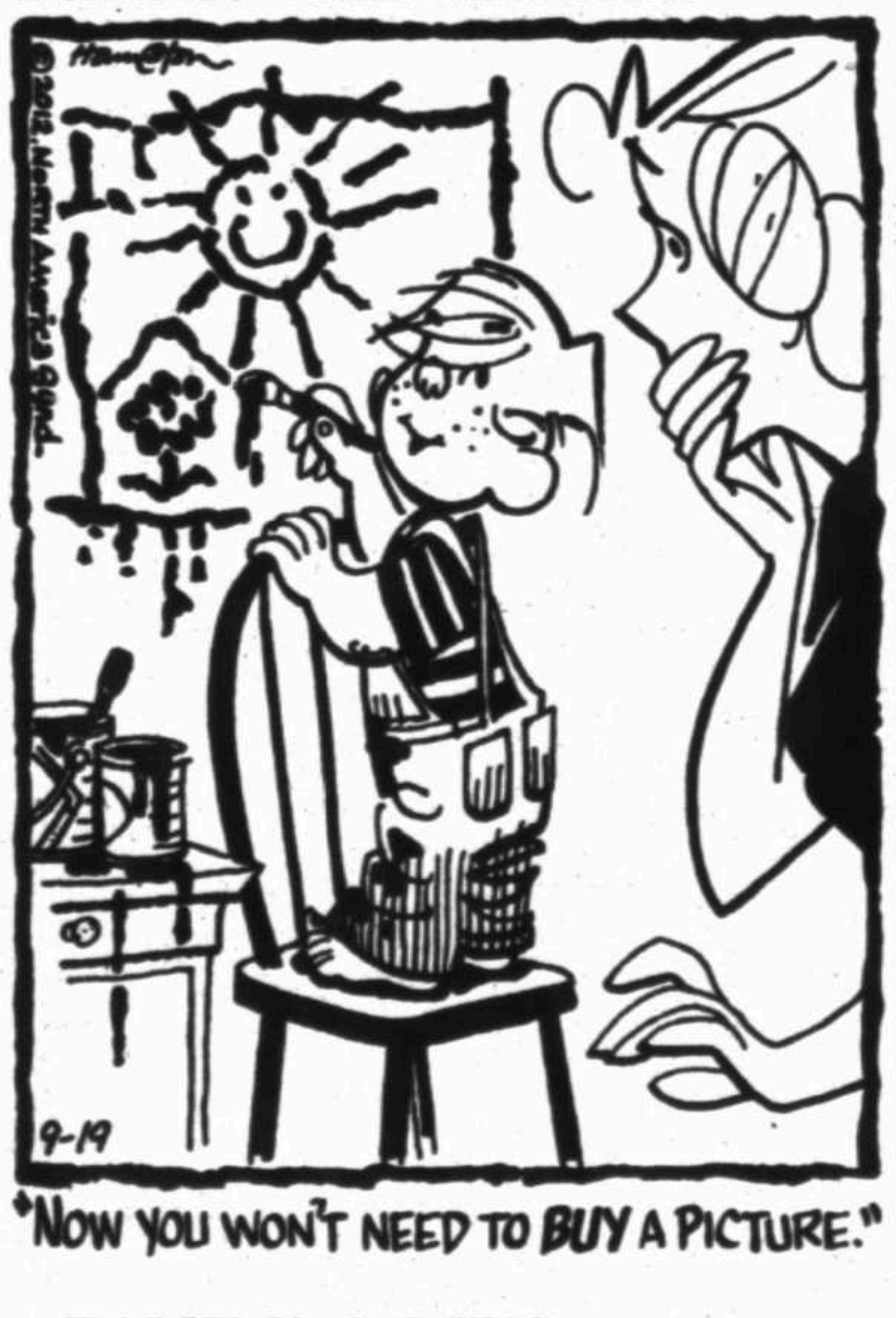

"NOW YOU WON'T NEED TO *BUY* A PICTURE."

DUSTIN

HERE YOU GO, SWEETIE. I THOUGHT YOU COULD USE SOME LEMONADE SINCE YOU'VE BEEN WORKING SO HARD.
THANKS. BUT I STILL DON'T SEE THE POINT IN RAKING ALL THESE LEAVES.
IT'S USELESS! THE MINUTE I FINISH GETTING THEM UP, ANOTHER HUGE PILE WILL JUST TAKE THEIR PLACE!
YES... IT REMINDS ME OF YOUR LAUNDRY...
KELLY PARKER
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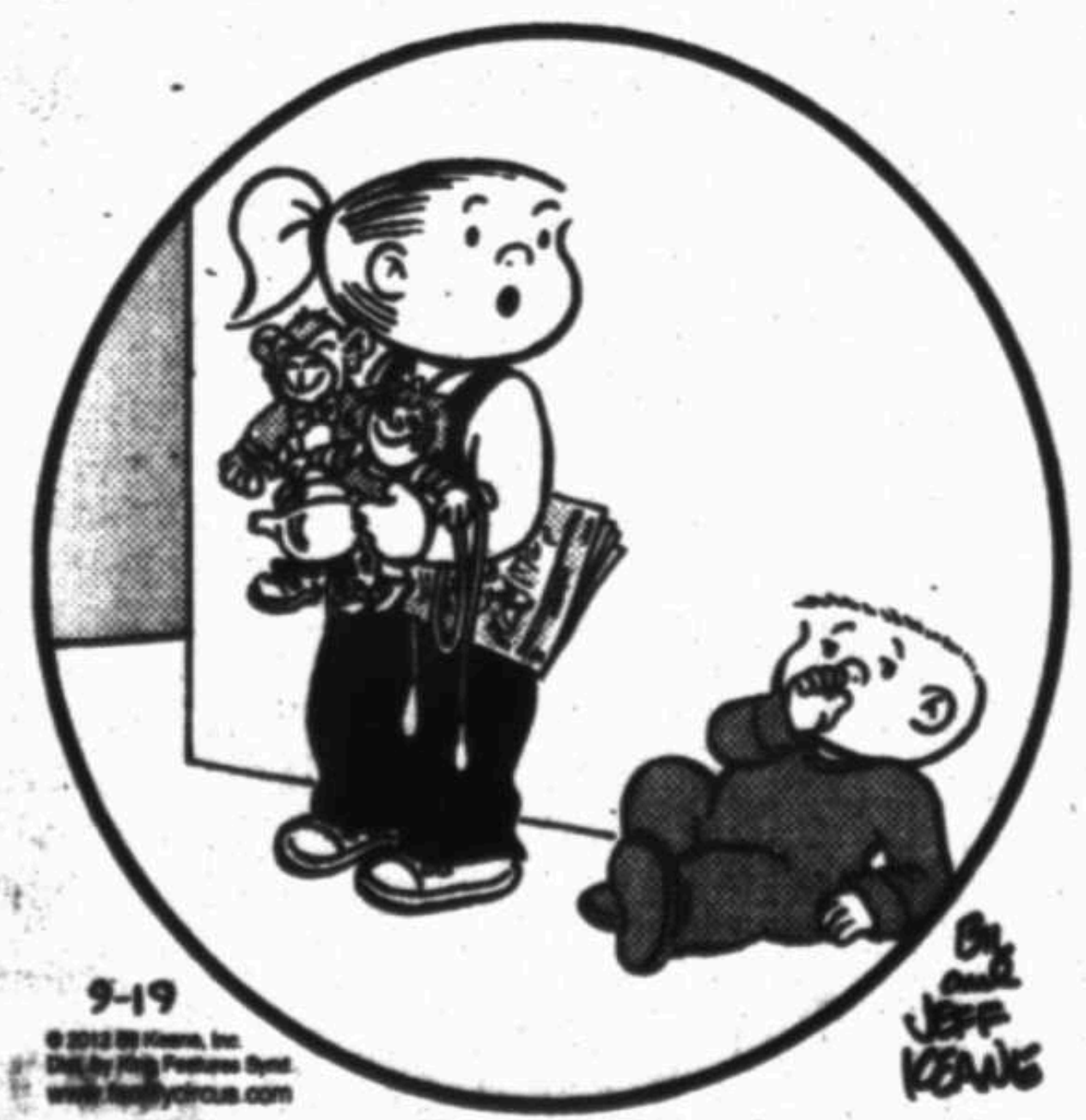
FAMILY CIRCUS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By Bil and Jeff Keane

"Mommy, PJ needs a hug and my arms are already busy!"

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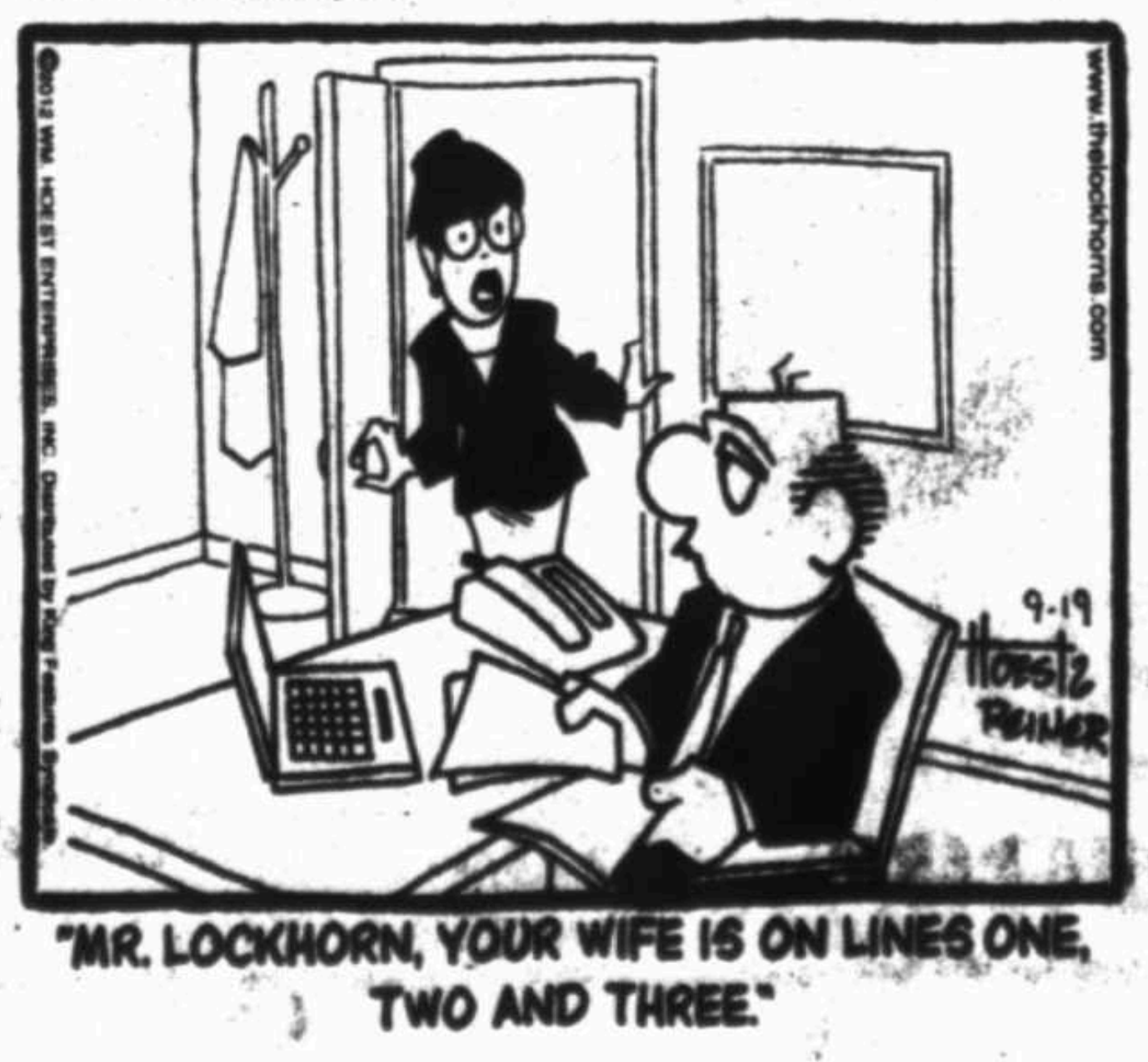
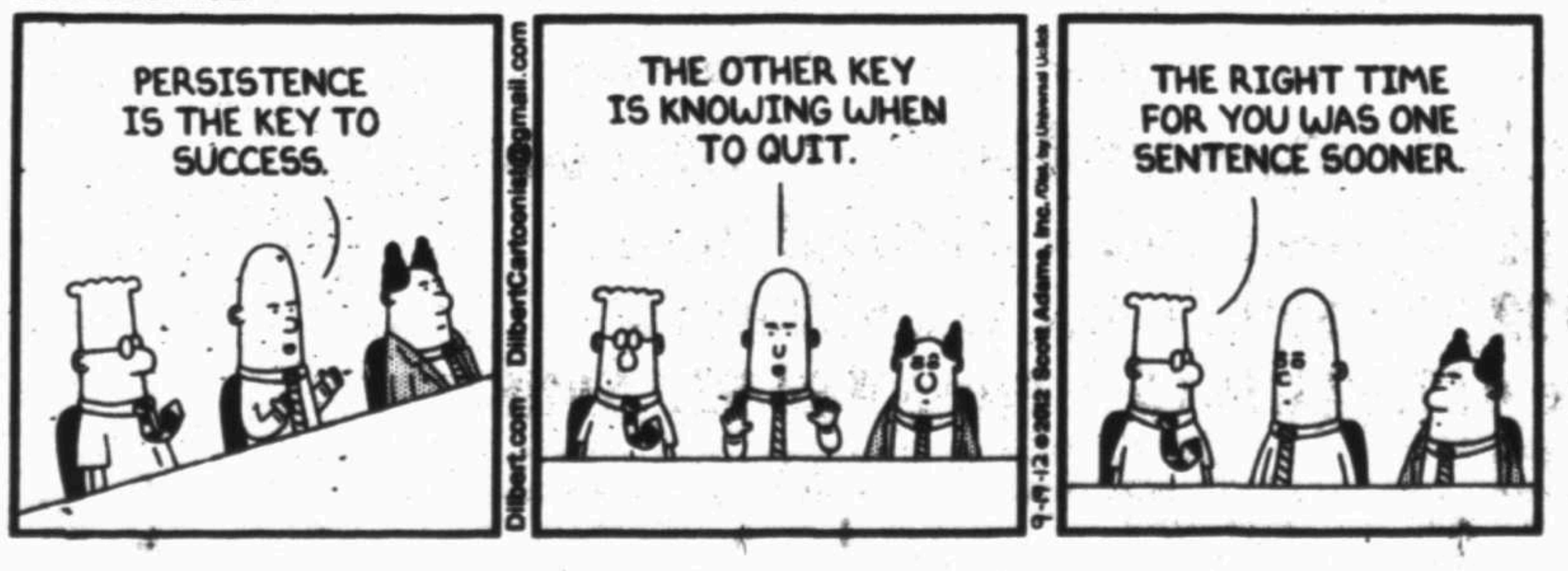
DIST. BY CREATORS
PARKER

LOCKHORNS



"MR. LOCKHORN, YOUR WIFE IS ON LINES ONE, TWO AND THREE."

DILBERT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THE OTHER KEY IS KNOWING WHEN TO QUIT.
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Legal & Public Notices

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed Request for Proposals will be received until 11:00 AM, October 3, 2012, in the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas for the following:

RFP 5438-13: Request for Proposals for Federal Reimbursement Opportunities and Consultant Services.

The RFPs will be available on or about 09/10/12. To receive a copy of the RFP you must submit a written request to the City of Midland Purchasing Manager, P. O. Box 1152, Midland, TX 79702 or 432-685-0523 (fax) or purchasing@midlandtexas.gov. Proposals must be submitted no later than 10/03/12 at 11:00 AM to the City Secretary's Office, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas.

City of Midland, Texas

Legal & Public Notices

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed Bid(s) will be received until 11:00 A.M., October 3, 2012 to be opened at 11:00 A.M., in the Office of the City Secretary City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas for the following Bid(s):

Bid #5589-13
1,500 ton - Aluminum Sulfate

If the Contract is awarded, it will be awarded to either the lowest responsible bidder, or to the bidder who provides goods or services at the best value for the City of Midland. In determining the best value for the City of Midland, the City of Midland may consider the criteria enumerated in Section 252.043 of the Texas Local Government Code. Information for Bidders, Proposal Forms, Specifications and General conditions for bidding may be obtained from the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas.

Purchasing Division
City of Midland, Texas

Legal & Public Notices

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Kelly Rhodes Grover, Deceased, were issued on August 23, 2012, in Cause No. P-17,151, pending in the County Court of Midland County, Texas, to David B. Grover, Independent Executor, whose residence address is 3717 Northfield Drive, Midland, Texas 79707.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law, in care of the Executor.

Dated the 18th day of September, 2012

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By: /s/ Robert H. Dawson
State Bar No. 05605000
ATTORNEY FOR INDEPENDENT EXECUTOR

Legal & Public Notices

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR COMMERCIAL FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT

W&T OFFSHORE, INC. Nine Greenway Plaza, Suite 300, Houston, Texas 77046 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil and gas. The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the San Andres Formation, Pinotage SWD Lease, Well Number 1. The proposed injection well is located 19.7 miles northwest of Lenorah, Texas in the Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, in Martin County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 5550 to 6175 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-6792).

Legal & Public Notices

Notice Of Application For Fluid Injection Well Permit

XTO Energy, Inc., Opr. No. 945936, 200 N. Loraine Street, Suite 800, Midland, Texas 79701 applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas to convert an existing producing well to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil and gas.

The applicant proposes to dispose of these fluids into the Clear Fork Formation in the Goldsmith C. A., Et al Lease, well number: 635W. The proposed injection well is located 18 miles northwest from the city of Odessa in the Goldsmith Field, in Ector County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 4969' – 7867' feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

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Legal & Public Notices

PUBLIC NOTICE FOR BID

Midland County Hospital District is accepting bids for **Handheld Bar Code Scanners** for Midland Memorial Hospital.

Specifications may be secured at the Purchasing Office of Midland Memorial Hospital on or after **September 19, 2012.**

All bids must be received in the Department of Materials Management of Midland Memorial Hospital by **12:00 p.m. (noon), Thursday, October 4, 2012.**

All bids must be sealed and labeled **"BID #1085-091912."**

Under no circumstances will faxed or emailed bids from bidders be accepted.

All bids must be price protected until **October 4, 2013.**

All bids will remain confidential until after an award has been made. Vendors will then be allowed to review the bids in the purchasing office according to the policy/procedure of Midland Memorial Hospital. Midland County Hospital District reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive formalities.

Bids shall be addressed to:
Rachel Hanna Jones
Director of Materials Management
Midland County Hospital District
Midland Memorial Hospital
2200 West Illinois
Midland, Texas 79701

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FOUND 3 month old male tan and white Terrier Mix, near 2300 block of Kansas St. being kept at Shannon Animal clinic. 432-683-3001.

FOUND 6 month old Heeler, area of Pioneer Park, people friendly. call 432-352-0827

FOUND FEMALE Calico Cat near Midland/ Wadley Dr. Call 432-352-4323.

FOUND GERMAN Pointer near downtown area by YMCA. Call 432-352-3579.

FOUND LAST Wed. B&W Male cat w/blue collar. Raymond & Avondale. 432-413-1108 or 413-8992.

Legal & Public Notices

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed Bid(s) will be received until 11:00 A.M., September 26, 2012 to be opened at 11:00 A.M., in the Office of the City Secretary City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas for the following Bid(s):

Bid No. 5458-13
For: Seat Replacement at the Scharbauer Sports Complex.

If the Contract is awarded, it will be awarded to either the lowest responsible bidder, or to the bidder who provides goods or services at the best value for the City of Midland. In determining the best value for the City of Midland, the City of Midland may consider the criteria enumerated in Section 252.043 of the Texas Local Government Code. Information for Bidders, Proposal Forms, Specifications and General conditions for bidding may be obtained from the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas.

Purchasing Division
City of Midland, Texas

Legal & Public Notices

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of LORNA L. RAVEN, Deceased, were issued on September 11, 2012, in Cause No. P17156, pending in the County Court of Midland County, Texas, to: Marvin James Raven and Marcia Kaderli.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

c/o **L. SHANE STOKES**
Attorney at Law
300 North Marienfeld, Suite 700
Midland, TX 79701

DATED the 17th day of September, 2012.

/s/ L. SHANE STOKES
Attorney for Marvin James Raven and
Marcia Kaderli
State Bar No.: 19273500
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Midland, TX 79701
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FOUND SMALL female dog, possibly a terrier mix. Call 979-777-1969 for details.

Lost & Found

FOUND YOUNG Calico cat, declawed & no collar. West Sandon & Midkiff area. 689-8342

MINIATURE PINCHER, black and tan. Found on S. Main 9/13. Un nueterd male, no collar or tags. 432-553-0012.

OXYGEN TANK with breathing apparatus in hard case found in middle of residential street owner will know color of case, color of tank and special markings on tank. Please call 432-978-7455

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LOST 9 year old black and white male Shih Tzu on Garfield, between Wadley and Neely. Anwers to "Presly". Chipped, but no collar. Call 432-553-7617, 664-8785.

LOST DOMESTIC short hair neutered cat, orange color male, with black specks on nose and a black spot on center of lower lip, microchiped. In North Green Tree and Island Circle on 9-14 Call 686-2020. REWARD.

LOST SMALL grey Terrier mix, has chip in neck, answers to Scrappy, vicinity of San Jancinto Jr. High in Midland. Lost on 9/13. Call 432-559-7058.

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2nd & 4th Thurs.
7:30pm
Centennial Lodge
#1448
1st & 3rd Sat.
8:30am
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Community Events

Notice of Public Auction

City of Midland will hold a Public Vehicle Auction at Action Wrecker Service Inc., on Saturday, September 22,2012. All vehicles will be sold to the highest bidder. Full Payment is due at the time of purchase. Buyer has five days to remove vehicles from impound lot. Gates will open at 8:00 AM. Auction begins at 10:00 AM for more information visit www.actionwrecker.com or contact Action Wrecker Service Inc., 1109 S. Midland Drive Midland, Tx. (432)697-8697

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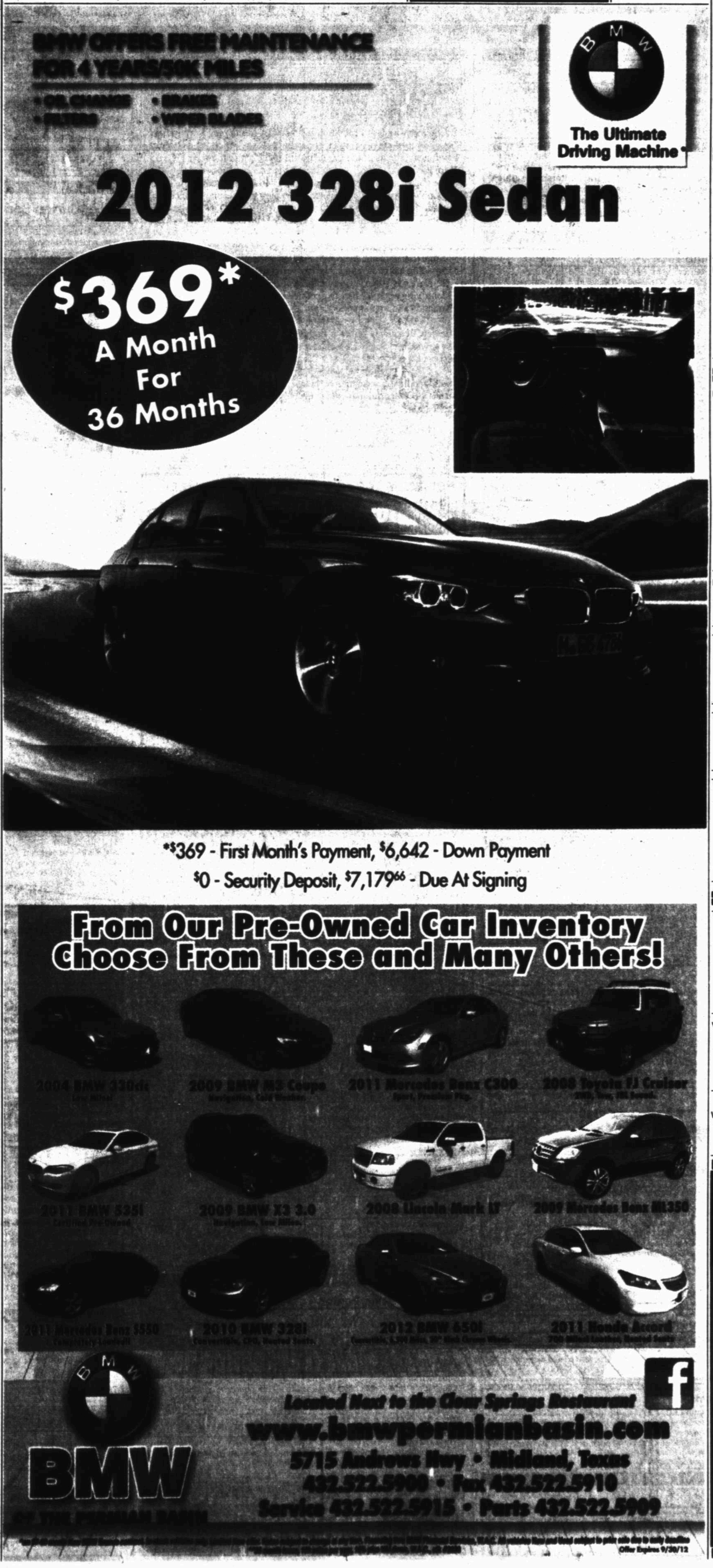

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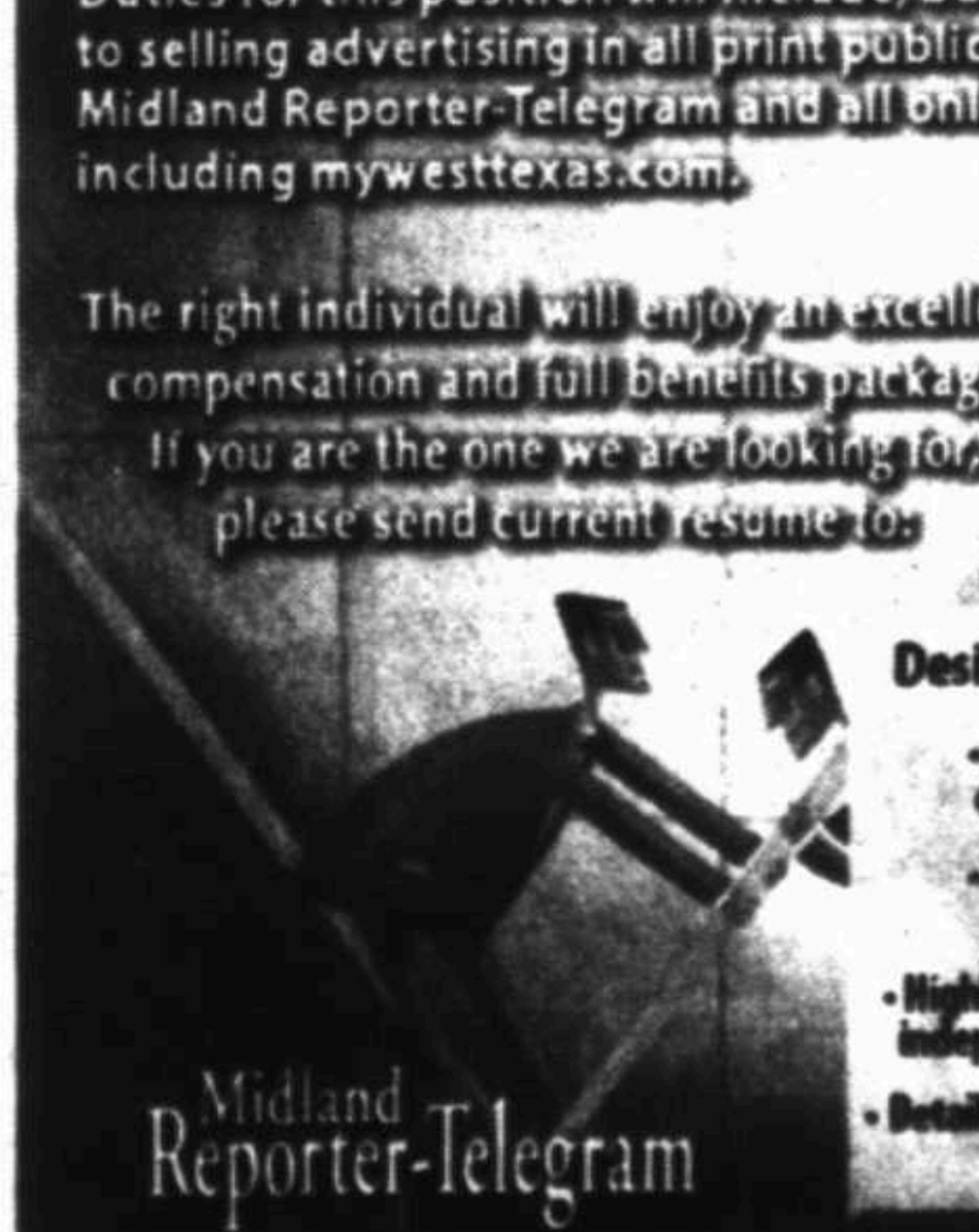

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Rule 38 Case No. 08-0278294
Status/Permit No. 747566

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the PIONEER NATURAL RES. USA, INC., [RRC Operator No. 665748] has made application for a density exception permit under the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 38 (16 Tex. Admin. Code section 3.38). Applicant seeks exception to the DENSITY requirement of the field rules for the NEW DRILL permit in Sec. 49, Bk. 6, UL Survey, A-U187, SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) Field, ANDREWS County, being 17.5 miles NE direction from ANDREWS, Texas.

PURSUANT TO THE TERMS of Railroad Commission rules and regulations, this application may be granted **WITHOUT A HEARING** if no protest to the application is received within the deadline. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A Protestant should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the hearing. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission's Docket Services Department at **(512) 463-6848.**

IF YOU WISH TO REQUEST A HEARING ON THIS APPLICATION, AN INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE RAILROAD COMMISSION'S AUSTIN OFFICE AT THE ADDRESS, FAX NUMBER, OR E-MAIL ADDRESS SET OUT ABOVE BY Oct 23, 2012 at 5:00 p.m. IF NO PROTEST IS RECEIVED WITHIN SUCH TIME, YOU WILL LOSE YOUR RIGHT TO PROTEST AND THE REQUESTED PERMIT MAY BE GRANTED ADMINISTRATIVELY.

THIS NOTICE OF APPLICATION REQUIRES PUBLICATION

The location and identity of the well is as shown below:

FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA)

Lease/Unit Name : UNIVERSITY 6-49
Lease/Unit Well No. : 5
Lease/Unit Acres : 320.0
Nearest Lease Line (ft) : 602.0
Nearest Well on Lease (ft) : 1380.0

Lease Lines : 602.0 F SOUTH L, 660.0 F WEST L
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As part of this application, applicant also seeks permit authority in 2 additional fields: (1) BREEDLOVE (STRAWN), (2) LOWE (ATOKA). No rule exception is necessary pursuant to the field rules for these fields.

Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows:

SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) : Special Rules 467/0, 80.0 acres.

BREEDLOVE (STRAWN) : OIL Statewide rules 467/1200, 40.0 acres.

LOWE (ATOKA) : Special Rules 467/0, 320.0 acres.
Optional Rules 467/0, 40.0 acres.

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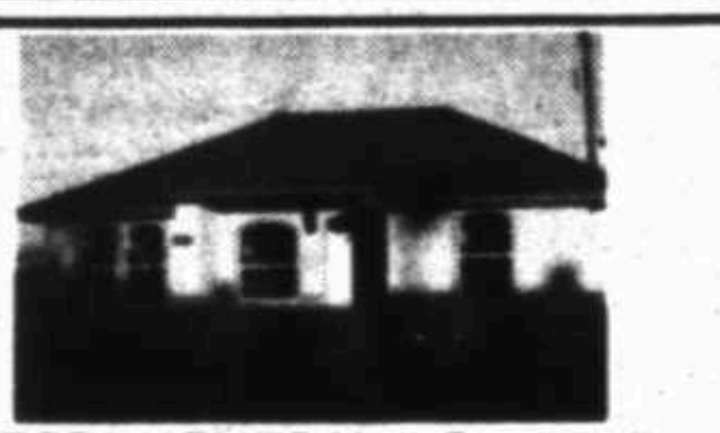

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