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Water fund top amendment on Texas ballot

Proposed legislation is direct response to forecasted water shortages and growing population

By Chris Tomlinson and Will Weissert
Associated Press

AUSTIN — The GOP-controlled Legislature has left Texas voters to decide this week whether a growing population, booming economy and an ongoing drought are worthy of tapping $2 billion from the state's rainy day fund to deal with forecast water shortages.

Proposition 6, which would create the State Water Infrastructure Fund, is among nine constitutional amendments on the ballot for Tuesday's election. The water measure has attracted the most media attention and campaign funds of the proposals, with support coming from business and environmental groups alike. Some conservatives, though, oppose using the state's savings account to finance large-scale construction projects, while others are concerned the money could be misused.

"These constitutional amendment elections don't trend on Twitter, and they're not big ratings winners on cable television, but they are very, very important," House Speaker Joe Straus said in urging El Paso voters to support the bill.

Experts insist Texas needs to capture more fresh water to meet demand, at least 2.9 trillion gallons by 2060. The 2012 State Water Plan calls for 562 projects, with 34 percent of the water coming from conservation and reuse, 17 percent from new major reservoirs, 34 percent from other surface supplies and 15 percent from other sources.

The constitutional amendment would create a water infrastructure fund as an account available to buy down the cost of borrowing money to build large-scale projects such as reservoirs, long-distance pipelines or replacing old leaky water lines in order to boost conservation. Authorities using the money to issue cheaper bonds would have to pay the fund back over time.

Supporters say this revolving account will help leverage the $53 billion needed to implement the state water plan and guarantee Texas will meet the needs of a growing economy and population over the next 50 years.

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An early Christmas

Above: Noah Bela, 9, helps Santa adjust his glasses at the annual Christmas Celebration held Sunday at the Scarborough-Linebery House, built in 1907.

Right: A volunteer helps Simi Stilwell, 9, and Sam-Robert Stilwell, 4, decorate cookies.

The event gives Midlanders the chance to enjoy Christmas decorations and snacks while touring the second oldest home in Midland, which Tom and Evelyn Linebery gifted to the city.

Rachael Gleason/ Reporter-Telegram

Justice of the peace was hall-of-fame rodeo clown

By Ronald W. Erdrich
Abilene Reporter-News

COAHOMA — Your hat blowing up isn't the sort of thing you forget.

One of the acts during Quail Dobbs' 35 years as a rodeo clown centered around a faux hat-cleaning operation.

"He would buy these old cheap hats at the western store that nobody wanted and have some cowboy put it on and play like it was really his hat," Quail's wife, Judy, told the Abilene Reporter-News.

During the gag, the rodeo clown would put it on a machine, then pretend like he was cleaning it only to have the hat blow up, using a small charge.

It was fun and entertained the crowd. But there was another crowd in the arena looking for entertainment, too — bulldoggers, also known as steer wrestlers.

Quail and the bulldoggers enjoyed giving each other a hard time. Once, they sneaked into Quail's dressing room, nabbed his own hat and replaced the cheapo straw one in the act with Quail's.

By the time he figured it out, it was too late.

"It dawned on me, 'Yeah, those bulldoggers got to me again,'" Quail said, shaking his head.

"He got the hat and realized it was his own," Judy added. "But the show had to go on, right?"

Quail nodded.

"So I went ahead and 'blowed' it up," he said, chuckling. "And of course, all those bulldoggers were laughing and slapping each other on the back. The crowd didn't know what was happening, but those bulldoggers did."

Quail's rodeo clown career ended in 1998, and he started a new career as a Howard County justice of the peace right after. Quail served as J.P. for 15 years, retiring this year.

"I've tried the last 15 years, to weigh the consequences and do a fair job," he said.

That could be tough, he said. Sometimes as judge he had to be the bad guy.

"I look at it this way, if my friends can't understand what I've got to do, then they weren't really good friends to start with," he said.

Quail has been inducted into the Texas Cowboy Hall of Fame, the Texas Rodeo Cowboy Hall of Fame, the Pro Rodeo Hall of Fame and, most recently, the National Cowboy Hall of Fame.

"They've got so many of them, it's hard to keep up," he said.

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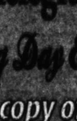

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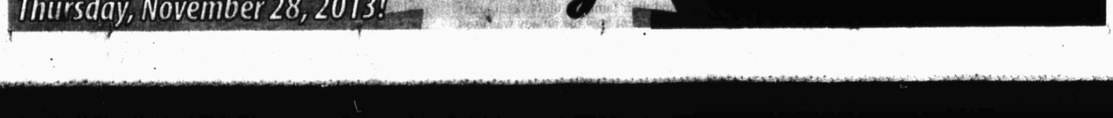

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Rachel Denny Clow/Corpus Christi-Caller-Times

An American alligator swims in a tank at the Texas State Aquarium in Corpus Christi in September. The aquarium gets a new batch of alligators every few years, allows them to grow to about two feet and then sends them back to Louisiana to be released into the wild.

State Aquarium works to build gator population

By Rachel Denny Clow
Corpus Christi Caller-Times

CORPUS CHRISTI — The largest reptile in America was nearly extinct by the 1970s.

But, efforts to protect the American alligator resulted in a conservation success story that led to its removal from the endangered species list in 1987.

The Texas State Aquarium uses that story of conservation and action resulting in big impacts to educate people visiting baby alligators.

A batch of alligators is growing in an exhibit before heading back to Louisiana to be released into the wild, the Corpus Christi Caller-Times reported.

The Rockefeller Wildlife Refuge in Louisiana, which is owned and operated by the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, loans American alligators to the Texas State Aquarium. The groups have worked together since around 2005.

"Alligators are the flagship of conservation in North America," said Jesse Gilbert, vice president and chief operating officer of the aquarium. "They were on the endangered species list. When we can take an alligator out and tell that story it helps us get the message across."

Alligator populations in Louisiana are doing well and are stable or rising based on annual nesting surveys, which shows about 1.5 million wild alligators, said Ruth Elsey, biologist manager for the Rockefeller Wildlife Refuge.

During peak years, alligators have an economic impact of $60 million in Louisiana based on harvesting for hides and meat, which is part of the sustained use harvest program.

Annually, the commercial harvest is 300,000-500,000 eggs and 33,000-35,000 wild alligators.

Alligators are ideal for aquarium education purposes because their ability to function in the wild isn't affected by time in captivity.

"Reptiles are one of those animals that always go back to their animal instinct," Gilbert said. "Reptiles are machines. Whatever they are programmed to do, that is what they will do for life."

Nine hatchlings about 6 inches long arrived at the aquarium in April. Typically the alligators stay at the facility until the reach about 2 feet long, which takes two to three years, but five will be returning home soon.

"We're really just feeding them and getting them to a point where they are at a size that is sustainable," Gilbert said. "Hatchlings are about 6 inches long and very pliable. It makes them more susceptible to other (predators). In the first couple of years, they put on a significant amount of weight."

A redesign of the exhibit, Near Shore, means less space to house as many alligators, said Gilbert.

Demolition on that space, which is one of the original aquarium exhibits, is expected to start this month and finish in February.

Blanco's country-western bar in Houston to close

Associated Press

HOUSTON — Blanco's Bar and Grill — a bastion of Southern cooking and country-and-western dancing located in the swanky River Oaks area of Houston — is closing after 30 years.

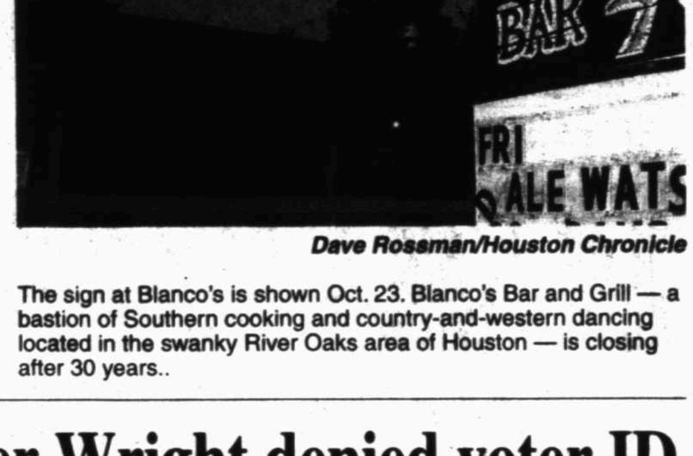
The Houston Chronicle reported that after the recent sale of the building, the establishment will close Nov. 30.

Co-owner Karin Barnes said she feels like she is losing an old friend.

A final bash by many musicians who play there regularly will be held on the closing day.

Blanco's was opened by the late Barry E. DeBakey, son of famed heart surgeon Dr. Michael DeBakey. Barry DeBakey died in 2007, leaving the establishment to his son and Barnes.

Country singer Gary P. Nunn said it's one of his favorite places to play. He says, "It's a funky neighborhood beer-joint dance hall."



Dave Rossman/Houston Chronicle

The sign at Blanco's is shown Oct. 23. Blanco's Bar and Grill — a bastion of Southern cooking and country-and-western dancing located in the swanky River Oaks area of Houston — is closing after 30 years..

Former US House Speaker Wright denied voter ID

Associated Press

FORT WORTH — Former U.S. Speaker of the House Jim Wright said he was denied a state ID card just before Election Day, which will be the first test of Texas' new voter ID law requiring many voters to obtain the proper documents.

Wright told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram that he visited a Texas Department of Public Safety office Saturday to obtain the necessary ID certificate to vote Tuesday. But his old driver's license, which expired three years ago, and his university faculty ID card weren't enough, he said.

"Nobody was ugly to us, but they insisted that they wouldn't give me an ID," Wright said.

He's since arranged to get a valid voter ID in time for the election by presenting a certified copy of his birth certificate. But Wright, the 90-year-old Democrat who served 34 years in Congress, said he wondered about others who weren't able to get IDs.

"I earnestly hope these unduly stringent requirements on voters won't dramatically reduce the number of people who vote," Wright said. "I think they will reduce the number to some extent."

Election officials said voters who don't have ID can cast a provisional ballot, get the correct ID and show proof to local election officials by Nov. 12.

"We want to make sure that every eligible Texan who wants to cast a ballot can," said Alicia Pierce, spokeswoman for the Texas secretary of state's office. "We want to help any Texan who needs additional information."

The law will require election judges for the first time to check one of seven government-issued photo ID cards before allowing someone to vote. Whenever there is a mismatch between the election rolls and the ID, an election judge will decide if the information is "substantially similar" enough to allow them to cast a regular ballot.

Supporters said the law stops election fraud, while opponents say it disenfranchises the poor and elderly who can't afford to obtain IDs.

More than 5 percent of voters in Texas may not have a valid ID to vote, according to statistics obtained by The Associated Press. Disproportionate numbers of these people live in counties with high poverty rates and large percentages of minorities.

Fort Hood charity tight-lipped about $1M collected

Associated Press

KILLEEN — A charity that collected $1 million after the Fort Hood shooting rampage says it's trying to distribute the money before the year's end but won't say how the remainder will be spent.

The vice president of the Central Texas-Fort Hood chapter of the Association of the U.S. Army said in April that it had raised $1 million after the 2009 shooting that left 13 dead and more than 30 people wounded.

But officials wouldn't tell the Killeen Daily Herald how much money they have now or what they will do with the rest of it.

"There have been documented examples of unscrupulous individuals who were not impacted by the shootings attempting to take advantage of victims of the tragedy," charity spokesman Bill Parry said in a statement. "Therefore, to avoid recurrence of those types of actions toward the victims and/or their family members, the chapter leadership has determined it is prudent not to discuss the amount of money remaining in the fund."

Four years after the shootings, the gunman has been convicted and sentenced to death. But many of Nidal Hasan's victims said they're still dealing with injuries from the shooting and a lack of recognition of their struggles. Some have been unable to find work. A lawsuit filed by victims against the federal government remains pending in federal court.

Parry said AUSA wants all of the money to go directly to victims and their families, and to eventually document how the money was used.

Retired Staff Sgt. Alonzo Lunsford, who was shot seven times by Hasan, said AUSA paid $500 stipends to witnesses for food and travel during the August court martial.

AUSA also helped him bring family to town soon after the shooting, he told the newspaper.

"It was a financial strain," Lunsford said. "All those soldiers had their back against the wall, and I was one of them."

Joleen Cahill, the widow of Michael Cahill, one of the 13 slain, said AUSA helped repair her car shortly before the trial. Both Joleen Cahill and Lunsford would testify during the proceedings.

"(AUSA) actually helped with that a lot because it was not a cheap deal," she said. "It really helped me, and I did not expect it."

Obituaries

Death Notices

Bobie Jean Gibbins McDaniel

Bobie Jean Gibbins McDaniel of Midland passed away on Thursday, October 31, 2013.

Graveside services will be held at 3:00 p.m. on Monday, November 4, 2013 at Fairview Cemetery. Services are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Midland.

Survivors are her husband, Gene McDaniel; sons J.P. "Pat" and David McDaniel; daughters Mary Jean McDaniel and Bonnie McDaniel Cerrito. Four grandchildren and three great granddaughters.

Delores 'Delo' Crowley

Delores 'Delo' Crowley passed away Friday, November 1, 2013, in Midland, Texas.

Delo is survived by her husband, John, sons, Daniel, Gregory and Bradley Crowley; daughters Karen Crowley and Patricia Crowley Jasina; and eight grandchildren.

Graveside services will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Monday, November 4, 2013, at Resthaven Memorial Park in Midland.

STATE BRIEFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

SAN ANTONIO

US Rep. Joaquin Castro marries

U.S. Rep. Joaquin Castro has gotten married.

The freshman Democrat from San Antonio said he and fiancee Anna Flores were married in a private ceremony on Saturday that was attended by family members.

He said, "Anna and I have had an eventful and very blessed year. We are excited to embark on our journey together as a family."

He and his twin brother, San Antonio Mayor Julian Castro, turned 39 on Sept. 16. The San Antonio Express-News reported that at the twins' birthday celebration, the congressman disclosed he and Flores were expecting their first child, a girl, in December.

Castro said the couple plans a Catholic ceremony next summer to celebrate with friends.

GALVESTON

Looming flood insurance rate hikes worry residents

Residents, business owners and officials in Galveston are worried about the prospect of flood insurance premiums spiking because of recent changes in federal law.

Legislation passed last year to eliminate the National Flood Insurance Program's multibillion-dollar shortfall will result in higher premiums for many homeowners along the Gulf Coast. In Galveston, a city councilwoman told the Houston Chronicle that some people could see premiums that are three to four times what they're currently paying.

"I think it's going to be catastrophic to us," said Terrilyn Tarlton, the city councilwoman and a local insurance agent.

Congress last year passed a law that allows flood premiums to rise heavily for people in flood-prone communities. The threat of rising premiums has hit homeowners on the East Coast rebuilding after Superstorm Sandy, and it's affecting residents of the Texas Gulf Coast who are still working to move on from the impact of Hurricane Ike five years ago.

In Galveston, City Manager Michael Kovacs worries about rising costs driving away middle- and working-class residents, leaving behind "the very affluent and then those on public assistance."

Many of the homes in Galveston were built before 1970, the year the city joined the national flood insurance program.

NATIONBRIEFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

WASHINGTON

Romney leaves Cruz off his list of 2016 GOP stars

Mitt Romney isn't including tea party favorite Ted Cruz among the Republicans' most electable potential presidential candidates in 2016.

Who does the 2012 GOP nominee put on his list of "very capable people?"

His ex-running mate, Wisconsin Rep. Paul Ryan. Florida Sen. Marco Rubio. Former Florida Gov. Jeb Bush.

But Romney said New Jersey Gov. Chris Christie "stands out as one of the very strongest lights."

Romney was asked on NBC's "Meet the Press" whether Cruz is a "potential light."

Romney said he's not going to disqualify anybody. But he made clear that he had given the names of those he thought were "the most effective in becoming elected."

Cruz led the GOP effort to shut down the government in an effort to dismantle Obama's health care law.

CONNECTICUT

Judge schedules hearing on Skakel bail arguments

VERNON — A Connecticut judge has scheduled a hearing for arguments on whether he has the authority to release Kennedy cousin Michael Skakel from prison while he awaits a new trial in the 1975 slaying of neighbor Martha Moxley.

Judge Thomas Bishop will hold the hearing Wednesday in Rockville Superior Court.

Bishop ordered a new trial for Skakel, saying his trial attorney failed to adequately represent him in 2002 when he was found guilty of bludgeoning Moxley with a golf club. Skakel and Moxley were 15-year-old neighbors in wealthy Greenwich at the time of her death.

Prosecutors said Bishop doesn't have the authority to grant bond because of an automatic stay of his ruling while they appeal.

Skakel's attorney said Bishop does have the authority and keeping Skakel in custody would be a miscarriage of justice.

WISCONSIN

Skydiving planes collide; minor injuries

Skydiving instructor Mike Robinson was at 12,000 feet, just seconds away from his fourth and final jump of the day, when a second plane carrying other skydivers struck the aircraft he was in, sending them all tumbling toward the ground.

None of the nine skydivers or two pilots sustained serious injury when the two planes collided in mid-air Saturday evening in far northwest Wisconsin near Lake Superior. Officials with the Federal Aviation Administration were in the area Sunday talking to those involved, and the cause of the incident was still being investigated, said FAA spokesman Roland Herwig.

Robinson, an instructor and safety adviser for Skydive Superior, said the skydivers had gone up for their last jump of the day — called the "sunset load" — and the two planes were flying in formation. It was supposed to be a routine jump, and a fun one for Robinson, who usually dives as a trainer.

All of the skydivers were instructors or coaches and had hundreds, if not thousands, of jumps under their belts. It was Robinson's 937th jump.

"We do this all the time," Robinson said. "We just don't know what happened for sure that caused this."

LOS ANGELES

'Ender's Game' blasts to top of weekend box office

Weekend moviegoers chose sci-fi over slapstick.

"Ender's Game" scored the No. 1 slot at the weekend box office, earning $28 million in its opening weekend and sending "Jackass Presents: Bad Grandpa" into second place, according to studio estimates Sunday.

Lionsgate's adaptation earned an additional $2 million in five international territories.

Based on the novel by Orson Scott Card, "Ender's Game" stars Asa Butterfield and Harrison Ford as intergalactic soldiers.

Comments made by Card expressing opposition to gay marriage led some to call for a boycott of the film. But a strong first-place opening met the studio's pre-weekend expectations.

Gunman tells police he acted alone in LAX shooting

By Tami Abdollah
Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — The gunman charged in the deadly shooting at Los Angeles International Airport lay bloodied and handcuffed on the floor of Terminal 3 after being gunned down by police, but he replied to critical questions that helped authorities lock down the scene.

Paul Ciancia, 23, was hauled away moments later on a stretcher and later heavily sedated for medical reasons, but not before he told investigators he had acted alone when he opened fire in the terminal, a law enforcement official who has been briefed on the investigation told The Associated Press on Sunday.

Ciancia, an unemployed motorcycle mechanic who recently moved to Los Angeles from the small, blue-collar town of Pennsville, N.J., also told police a friend had dropped him at LAX on Friday just moments before he shot a Transportation Security Administration officer at point-blank range and wounded three other people, including two more TSA workers.

Officials do not believe that the friend knew of the shooter's plans. Ciancia arrived at the airport in a black Hyundai and was not a ticketed passenger.

Ciancia was under 24-hour armed guard at the hospital Sunday after being shot four times, the official said. He was sedated for medical reasons, the official said, adding that one gunshot to the mouth blew a molar out of his jaw.

Ciancia is facing charges of murder of a federal officer and committing violence at an international airport. The charges could qualify him for the death penalty. It wasn't immediately clear when he would make a first court appearance given his medical condition.

In court documents and interviews, authorities spelled out a chilling chain of events, saying Ciancia walked into the airport, pulled a .223-caliber assault rifle from his duffel bag and fired repeatedly at 39-year-old TSA officer Gerardo I. Hernandez. He turned back to see Hernandez move and returned to finish him off, according to surveillance video reviewed by investigators.

He then fired on two other uniformed TSA employees and an airline passenger, who all were wounded, as he moved methodically through the security checkpoint before airport police shot him as panicked travelers hid in stores and restaurants.

It wasn't clear why Ciancia targeted TSA officers, but what he left behind indicated he was willing to kill any of them that crossed his path, authorities revealed.

The shooter's duffel bag contained a handwritten letter signed by Ciancia stating he'd "made the conscious decision to try to kill" multiple TSA employees and that he wanted to "instill fear in their traitorous minds," FBI Agent in Charge David L. Bowdich said.

"Black, white, yellow, brown, I don't discriminate," the note read, according to a paraphrase by a law enforcement official briefed on the investigation. The official spoke on the condition of anonymity because he was not authorized to speak publicly.

The screed also mentioned "fiat currency" and "NWO," possible references to the New World Order, a conspiracy theory that foresees a totalitarian one-world government.

The letter also talked about "how easy it is to get a gun into the airport," the law enforcement official said.

When searched, the suspect had five 30-round magazines, and his bag contained hundreds more rounds in boxes.

U.S. Rep. Michael McCaul, R-Texas, chairman of the House Homeland Security Committee, said on CNN's State of the Union on Sunday that Ciancia's actions show how difficult it is to protect travelers at a massive airport such as LAX.

The terminals are open and easily accessible to thousands of people who arrive at large sliding glass doors via a broad ring road that fronts the facility and is designed to move people along quickly.

"It's like a shopping mall outside the perimeter, it's almost like an open shopping mall," McCaul said.

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TODAY IN MIDLAND

Happy birthday, Laura Bush

Former first lady Laura Bush turns 67 today.

Election Day voting

7 a.m.-7 p .m. Tuesday

Vote centers:
- Annex Courtroom, 2110 North "A" Street
- Centennial Library, 2503 W. Loop 250 North
- Christ Church, 5501 N. Midkiff Road
- Cogdell Learning Center, 211 W. Florida Ave.
- Fairmont Park Church of Christ, 3813 N. Midland Drive
- Golf Course Church of Christ, 3500 W. Golf Course Road
- Greenwood Baptist Church, 10908 Farm-to-Market Road 307
- Manor Park, 5212 Sinclair Ave.
- Martin Luther King Jr. Community Center, 2300 Butternut Lane
- Odessa Country Club, No. 1 Fairway Drive
- Palmer Drug Abuse Program, 1208 W. Wall Street
- St. Paul's Methodist Church, 4501 Thomason Drive

Note: The voting center at the Midland College location has been moved to Midland County Centennial Library, 2503 W. Loop 250 North

Source: Midland County Elections Office

What you need
Voter registration card and one of these approve forms of photo identification:
- Texas driver's license issued by the Texas Department of Public Safety
- Texas Election Certificate issued by DPS
- Texas personal identification card issued by DPS
- Texas concealed handgun license issued by DPS
- United States military identification card containing your photograph
- United States citizenship certificate containing your photograph
- United States passport

*Voters can cast ballots without a registration card by presenting proof of identification and signing an affidavit at the polling place.

Meeting today

Planning and Zoning Commission
3:30 p.m.
City Council Chambers, City Hall
300 N. Loraine St.

Reading event

The George W. Bush Childhood Home monthly reading event is planned for 4:30-5:30 p.m Nov 21. This month's featured book is "The Night Before Thanksgiving."
Each child will receive a copy of the book. Refreshments will be served. To make a reservation, call 685-1112.

Support groups, club meetings today

- Midland Parkinson Support Group, 6:30 p.m., HealthSouth Rehabilitation Hospital, 699-6640.
— for miscarriage grief recovery, call 570-5935.
— for post-abortion healing, call 570-5935.
- Tall City VFW Post 7208, 1303 E. Taylor, bingo games 7 p.m.

Radio options

News Talk
KCRS (AM 550)
6-9 a.m. The Morning Drive with Robert Hallmark and Kurt Verlei
9-11 a.m. Lynn Woolley
11 a.m.-2 p.m. Rush Limbaugh
2-5 p.m. Dave Ramsey
5-6 p.m. Local news reports
6-9 p.m. Roger Hedgecock
9-midnight Hugh Hewitt
Midnight-6 a.m. Coast to Coast with George Noory
Web: http://www.newstalkkcrs.com

KWEL (AM 1070; FM 107.1)
6-10 a.m. Morning Show with Craig Anderson
10 a.m.-noon, Herman Cain
Noon-2 p.m. Glenn Beck
2-5 p.m. Sean Hannity
5-7 p.m. Jason Moore
Web: http://www.kwel.com

Sport talk
KMND (AM 1510)
6-9 a.m. Mike and Mike in the Morning
9 a.m.-noon The Herd with Colin Cowherd
Noon-3 p.m. The Dan Patrick Show

Other options
Contemporary Christian: KFRI (FM 88.7), KLVW (FM 90.5)
NPR: KOCV (FM 91.3)

First day of Muharram

Many Muslims in countries such as the United States observe the start of the Islamic New Year on the first day of Muharram, which is the first month in the Islamic calendar. It begins at sundown.

Source: http://www.timeanddate.com

Today in history

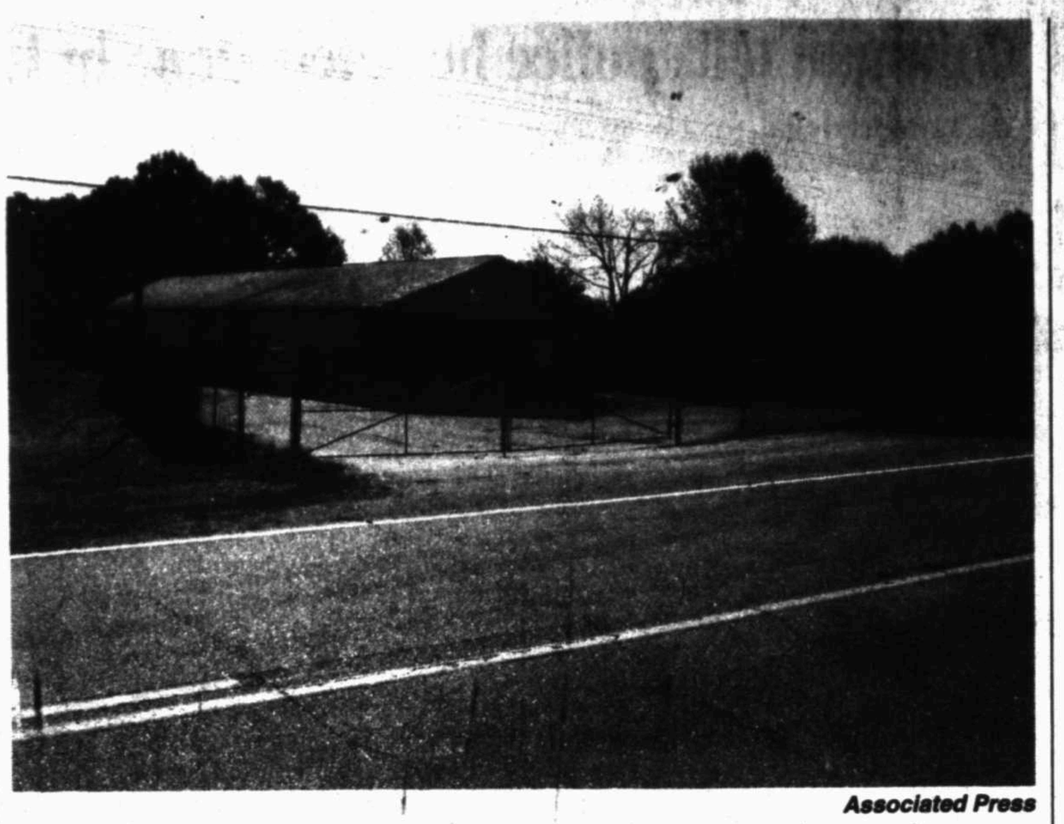
Today is Monday, Nov. 4, the 308th day of 2013. There are 57 days left in the year.

On this date:

In 1979, the Iran hostage crisis began as militants stormed the United States Embassy in Tehran, seizing its occupants; for some, it was the start of 444 days of captivity.

In 1980, Ronald Reagan won the White House as he defeated President Jimmy Carter by a strong margin.

Associated Press



Associated Press

The building that once housed Superbike Motorsports sits empty on Oct. 24 in Chesnee, S.C. The building has been abandoned since four people who worked in the shop were shot to death in November 2003. No arrests have been made in the killings.

10 years on, SC bike shop killings still unsolved

Associated Press

SPARTANBURG, S.C. — After nearly 10 years and more than 750 leads, law enforcement officials and victims', families remain stumped in one of South Carolina's most heinous killings: A gunman who walked into a motorcycle shop, killed the owner and three employees, and slipped out undetected.

Nov. 6 will mark a decade since the deaths at Superbike Motorsports in Spartanburg County, on a two-lane highway headed from the city toward the Blue Ridge Mountains. Sheriff Chuck Wright has vowed to get the killer off the street, but he now admits he may be waiting for a jailhouse confession.

For the families of the store's owner, service manager, mechanic and bookkeeper, the search for answers is taking a toll. The parents of one victim moved to South Carolina to find justice, but said their hopes that the killer will face justice are fading.

Veteran law enforcement officials said that in recent state history, they can't remember another mass shooting remaining unsolved for so long.

Investigators said all four victims were killed with the same 9 mm pistol. They think the killer came in the back, perhaps through an open garage door, and killed mechanic Chris Sherbert, 26, as he worked. Bookkeeper Beverly Guy, 52, was found just outside the bathroom in the middle of the showroom. Her son, shop owner Scott Ponder, 30, was found just outside the door in the parking lot, and service manager Brian Lucas, 29, in the doorway; officials said they may have been trying to run. They also cited evidence that the killer may have circled back and shot some victims in the head to ensure they were dead. He was a good shot: Officials say he missed his moving targets only a few times.

Wright said that just before the deaths, Ponder had started a bill of sale for a motorcycle about to be sold. He hadn't written down the customer's name, credit card number or other identifying information.

Investigators wouldn't say whether there were unidentified fingerprints or DNA in the shop — only that forensic evidence is limited.

"I think this one will be solved in the jailhouse," Wright recently told The Associated Press. "There are very few cold-blooded killers who won't talk."

Wright was elected sheriff in 2004, about a year after the shootings. He said the investigation could have been handled better but wouldn't give specifics, mentioning only that crime scene technicians missed processing an entire room and had to return the next day.

Wright and his investigators are pushing hard a revised sketch of a customer who was in the store less than an hour before the killings. When Wright released the drawing in March 2012, he said he thought that man was the killer. Now Wright said he's not so sure, but he still believes the man has information to crack the case.

Investigators do think the killer was a disgruntled customer. Through the Internet, Ponder sold nationwide. A map in the sheriff's office has pushpins where Ponder's motorcycles were sold. Each pin is somewhere a suspect might live, a place where investigators want to get the word out.

The victims' families have their theories, too. "It runs through my mind constantly," said Lorraine Lucas, the mother of Brian Lucas. "I run that day through my head when I first wake up, and it is the last thing I do at night."

Time has given the families plenty of chances to come up with motives. Some are bizarre, they admit, but with no arrests, they say no one can be sure.

Ponder was searching for his biological father, who disappeared decades ago — maybe the killer didn't want the shop owner to learn about his dad. Maybe a rival motorcycle owner was angry about Ponder's success and decided to cut out the competition. Maybe the man who discovered the bodies should be looked at — he saw Ponder and Lucas bleeding just outside the shop and stepped over his dead friends to call 911 from inside the shop even though he had a cellphone.

CLOWN

From 1A

He is only one of three clowns to work as both barrel man and bullfighter at the National Finals Rodeo. He was also named the PRCA Clown of the Year twice.

"I set some goals," he said. "I wanted to go to the National Finals as a bullfighter and I did. I wanted to go to the National Finals as a barrel man and I did, so I fulfilled my dream."

Perhaps one of his biggest honors, though, was having his picture painted on the side of the water tank off Interstate 20. Wearing full rodeo clown makeup, it greets eastbound travelers coming from Big Spring.

While Coahoma has been his adopted home, Quail was born as Marvin Dobbs on the other side of the Big Country in Albany some 72 years ago.

"My dad had a boot and shoe repair, we lived in the back of that shop," he remembered.

They moved to Abilene, then later to Colorado City where he acquired his nickname from a childhood friend.

Apparently the hair on young Marvin's scalp in those days was possessed with something of a wild twist up near the back. He recalled asking his friend, "Why 'quail?'"

"He said that it looked like I had a topknot and because I ran like one," Quail recalled.

After high school, Quail went to a bareback-riding school in South Dakota. During that time, he dropped by a rodeo in Buffalo, Minn.

"George Doak was the rodeo clown and he showed up with a barrel and nobody to get in it," Quail said. "I told him, 'Hey let me try that barrel, I've been a clown all my life.'"

"That's what my teachers in high school said," he added.

Judy said her husband wasn't normally much of a prankster during his rodeo career.

"He was pretty serious about the rodeo clowning," she said. "That sounds funny, but in order to be successful you have to know what you're doing and, you know, there's some skills to comedy."

One of which is being able to roll with the changes, despite distractions like the bulldoggers.

In another of his acts, Quail had a small baby pig he kept in a sack on his back. The gag went that there was supposes to be a huge Russian boar on the loose and Quail was looking for it. He'd fire a blank from a gun and the piglet would come running out.

But when he wasn't looking, a bulldogger stole the baby bottle the rodeo clown used to feed the piglet. Dumping out the formula, they replaced it with something they felt was a lot more "fun".

"I couldn't work her in the arena because I didn't know what was wrong with her and nobody else knew," Quail said. "I got a hold of the baby bottle, opened it, and it was straight whiskey."

What's a drunk piglet like? Not anything you'd want in a rodeo.

"Crystal Gayle was performing and I was the act before hers," he said.

He approached the stock contractor, a cigar-chomping man he remembered as Mr. Steiner.

"Hey, I can't work that pig," Quail told him.

"How come?"

"Well, 'cause the bulldoggers got her drunk."

"They WHAT?"

That night, Quail and Judy drove to another town, hoping their porcine partner would sleep it off.

"The next morning, poor little Petunia or whatever her name was, was still drunk," Quail said. "Had her a big hangover."

And those bulldoggers? Why get mad when you can get even?

At a rodeo in North Dakota, he caught up to one of them

"I don't know if he was guilty completely or not, but he looked it anyways," Quail said with a chuckle.

During Quail's old hat gag, this time it was the cowboy's brand-new Stetson that ended up feathering the air over the arena.

"Oh, my mama's going to kill me!" the young man exclaimed.

Well, Quail thought, if there's one person you don't want to mess with it, it's Mama.

"I told him I'd pay for it," he said, chuckling. "I needed it."

NATIONBRIEF

FROM WIRE REPORTS

NEW YORK
'Saturday Night Live' pokes fun at diversity issue

With Kerry Washington as guest host, "Saturday Night Live" wasted no time poking fun at itself after receiving criticism for having no black women among its 16 regular cast members.

In the opening skit, the "Scandal" actress portrayed first lady Michelle Obama, talking with her husband about an upcoming state dinner at the White House.

"Michelle, this is such a treat," said the president, impersonated by Jay Pharoah. "I feel like it's been years since I've seen you."

An aide came in, saying Oprah Winfrey had arrived for the dinner and wanted to see the president. "Don't you think you should get changed?" he asked Washington. She wondered whether cast member Kenan Thompson couldn't play Winfrey; both Thompson and Pharoah have said recently they will no longer impersonate women on the NBC late-night comedy institution.

Washington left the stage and returned as Winfrey. She was then asked to portray Beyonce — before show producer Steve Higgins interrupted with a voiceover.

Higgins said producers would like to apologize to Washington for the number of black women she would be asked to play in the show.

"We make this request both because Ms. Washington is an actress of considerable range and talent, and also because 'Saturday Night Live' does not currently have a black woman in the cast," he said.

Day of prayer gives thanks for NM, Texas rain

Associated Press

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. — A similar chorus was repeated in congregations throughout eastern New Mexico and West Texas on Sunday as parishioners gathered for a special day of prayer to give thanks for recent moisture that has helped ease drought conditions across the region.

"Truly a miracle," Hoyt Skabelund said of the improvements seen in the last six months.

Skabelund, an active church member and administrator of the Plains Regional Medical Center in Clovis, helped to organize the first day of prayer at the beginning of May when large swaths of New Mexico and Texas were struggling with extreme to exceptional drought conditions.

At the time, ranchers continued to sell off their cattle as countless acres of farmland were left fallow. Reservoirs had reached record lows and major rivers that supply drinking and irrigation water to farmers in both states had started to dry up.

Then things began to turn around as the clouds started to form and the monsoon season picked up steam. Parts of southeastern New Mexico saw storms in August that dumped a few inches of rain in just 24 hours. The next month, the state recorded its second wettest September as historic amounts of rain fell.

"September was epic, historic, whatever you want to call it," Chuck Jones of the National Weather Service said in his latest report for a state drought monitoring workgroup. "A major dent has been made in the short-term drought."

In Texas, portions of the South Plains were drenched with about a month's worth of rain and hail during just one storm three weeks ago.

Areas in both states are still recovering from flash flooding spurred by all the rain, but Skabelund and others said the region could not have weathered much more of what had seemed to be such a relentless drought without any moisture.

WATER FUND

From 1A

The issue would likely be debated again in the 2015 legislative session if the measure fails.

Gov. Rick Perry has barnstormed the state for the amendment and each of the two top candidates vying to replace Perry next year when he steps down — Republican Attorney General Greg Abbott and Democratic Sen. Wendy Davis — support it.

A vocal voice against the measure is tea party favorite David Simpson of Longview, who said it "unnecessarily expands state government into investment banking."

"Intervention in the market by the state will no doubt favor some at the expense of others," Simpson wrote in urging voters to oppose the measure.

Also, Linda Curtis, director of the advocacy group Independent Texans, said in a statement that "career bureaucrats will determine which projects are built, which investment bankers, lawyers, engineers, construction firms and consultants are hired to work on them."

Also before voters, Proposition 1 would provide property tax breaks to the spouses of military veterans killed in the line of duty. No. 2 seeks to eliminate requirements for a State Medical Education Board and a State Medical Education Fund, neither of which is operational.

Proposition 3 would extend tax exemptions for aircraft parts brought into the state for resale, while No. 4 provides property tax exemptions for disabled military veterans and their spouses.

Proposition 5 seeks to expand "reverse mortgage" lending, No. 7 would allow the appointment of city leaders when an elected official resigns with less than a year left in office, and No. 8 asks voters whether to increase the taxing authority of a Hidalgo County hospital district.

Proposition 9 would expand the powers of the state commissioner on judicial conduct.

FELONY ARRESTS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Elton C. Boyd, 33, of Big Spring, was arrested Saturday on a charge of injury of a child, elderly or disabled person with the intent to cause bodily injury.

Kregg Caston, 48, unknown address, was arrested Saturday on a charge of violating parole.

Desi P. Covarrubias, 49, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a third or more charge of driving while intoxicated and a charge of obstruction or retaliation.

Timothy D. Hines, 46, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of possession of a controlled substance.

Arthur Lane III, 56, of Crane, was arrested Saturday on a third or more charge of driving while intoxicated and a charge of violating parole.

Junior Sager, 40, unknown address, was arrested Saturday on a charge of assault of a family or household member by impeding breath.

Source: Midland County Sheriff's Office

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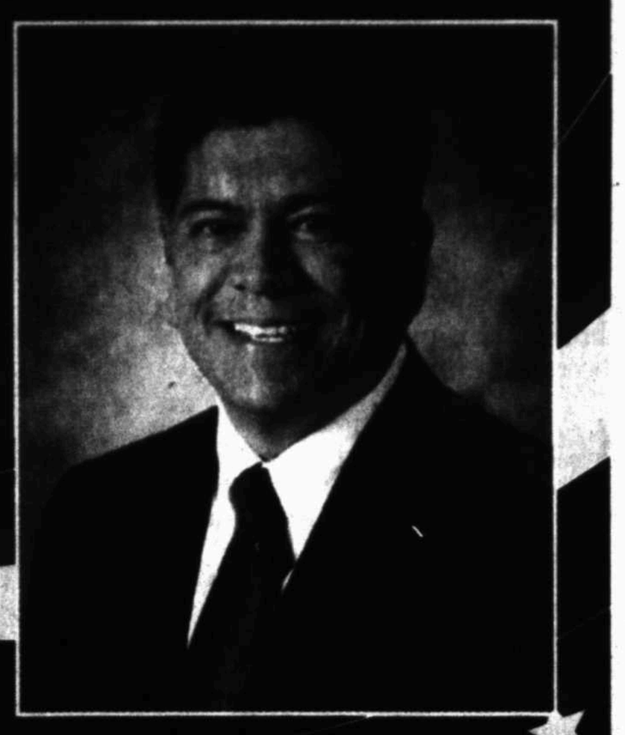
JERRY F. MORALES For Mayor



Mayor Wes Perry Endorses and Votes Jerry F. Morales for Mayor

"When you describe Midland, it's about entrepreneurship, conservative values and family." Perry said. Jerry represents that. He's a family man, a conservative guy and an entrepreneur."

Five of Midland's former mayors have endorsed mayoral candidate Jerry Morales, third from right. The men gathered for a press conference Oct. 2, 2013, at City Hall. The former mayors are Ernie Angelo, from left, Mike Canon, Carroll Thomas, J.D. Faircloth and Ed Magruder.

Members of the Midland community give their support to mayoral candidate Jerry Morales

Esmeralda Abalos
Arelia Acosta
Gabe Acosta
YS Acosta
Yvonne Acosta
Kathryn Adams
Ruthie Aguirre
Sydonae Allen
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Reece L. Boudreaux
Doug Bowen
Sue Branson
Jonathan Brazell
Jessica Bretten
Hal Brenner
Leana Brenner
Angelita Britol
Scott Britton
Jessica Brooke
Dale Brown
Debbie Brown
Rita Bowen
Tawas Brown
Linda Brown-Phillips
Candy Burnt
Gayle Butts
Howard Butts
Carol Bynum
William (Bill) Bynum
Emilia Cabrera
Sherry Campbell
Dana Canard
Diana Cano
Dolores Cano
Mary Cano
Judy Canon
Mike Canon
Sue Carnes
Melissa Carney
Dee Carter
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Delma Chavez
Matt Chevez
Pascual Chevira
AJ Christopher
Alice Church
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Chad Clark
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Pat Clark
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Johnna Clements
Michael Cobb
Kelly Cockerell
Michelle Colburn
Patricia Collazo
Pat Collier
Tom Collier
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Taylor Collins
Tokyo Collyer
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Robyn Downey
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Candy Drummond
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Tiffany Drummond
Clifton DuBose
Judy Duke
Robert Duke
Donna Dumas
Evan Dunkerson
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Robin Elland
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Paul Guerrero
Ruth Guevara
Scott Gunn
Herman Gunter
Donna Hacker
Linda Hagler
Vicky Hailey
Aaron Hale
Heather Hale
Charles Hall
Linda Hall
John Halldorson
Becki Hammontree
Joe Don Hancock
Jolene Hancock
Dexter Harmon
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Sharon Harris
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David Harris
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Linda Holt
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April Howard
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John Hudgins
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Yasmine Ibarra
Drew Ingram
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Audrey Iniguez
Andy Iverson
Tony Iverson
Carole Jacobs
Josh Jacobs
Terry Jacobs
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Emily James
Lisa Jasso-Olgin
Bertha Jimenez
Natalie Johnson
Lauren Jondrow
Michaela Jones-Rinard
Diana Jones
Stephen Jones
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Tonia Kemper
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David Kennedy
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OPINION

Dems suffer through Obamacare's rocky start

■ The president's credibility is shot, and his party stuggles with the much-anticipated rollout

MICHAEL GERSON
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In one of the few political jokes attributed to a physicist, Ernest Rutherford once described a public official as being "like a Euclidean point: he has position without magnitude."

With a change of pronoun, he could have been describing Secretary of Health and Human Services Kathleen Sebelius, who ignored internal warnings about flaws in HealthCare.gov, botched its rollout, minimized her involvement and blamed her contractors. Now, in congressional testimony, she has accepted responsibility without the inconvenience of accountability or the demonstration of competence.

Administration incompetence is not the final word on Obamacare, but it is the initial impression. In the realm of branding, the Affordable Care Act, so far, bears less resemblance to Britain's popular National Health Service than it does to the local department of motor vehicles. This may be temporary. But it is not politically insignificant that the largest recent expansion of government should exactly confirm the worst stereotypes of government.

For the Obama administration, however, the consequences of incompetence are not only ideological.

Any vastly ambitious law produces winners and losers. The losers, in this case, include millions of people who currently have what Obamacare regards as the wrong sort of insurance — not comprehensive enough to cover, say, prescription drugs or pediatric dental care. These citizens are losing coverage because the government no longer approves of the product they are buying, forcing them to purchase a different — and often more expensive — product instead.

Eventually there will be other losers: people dropped from full-time to part-time employment to skirt Obamacare mandates, people forced out of private coverage into Medicaid, people who live in rural areas where the choices in the exchanges will be limited.

Obamacare has winners as well; particularly those with pre-existing conditions and young adults who want to stay on their parents' health insurance. The problem for Democrats right now is that the winners can't be effectively highlighted. The administration had hoped to spend November and December countering stories about the losers with positive, emotional stories of people with cancer or some other ailment finally getting coverage. The administration's incompetence has made this impossible. Instead, it has gotten headlines like this one from NBC News: "Obama Administration Knew Millions Could Not Keep Their Health Insurance."

The case for Obamacare was never going to be easy. The program was sold as a middle-class benefit but it actually benefits a subset of the middle class. Federal subsidies go up to 400 percent of poverty — $45,960 for an individual — with much larger help at the bottom than the top. The law also mandates that younger and healthier people purchase comprehensive coverage. So the program benefits older, lower-middle class people while placing new burdens on younger, upper-middle class people. Like elsewhere in the welfare state, the young come out behind.

So there is a serious gap between the simplicity of the message that sold Obamacare and the complexity of the law's outcomes. And the karmic consequences for the president and his party are considerable.

First, Obama's credibility is undermined. "If you like your health care plan," he said, "you will be able to keep your health care plan. Period." It was the most emphatic, unqualified, high profile public policy promise since "Read my lips" — and its violation is at least as discrediting.

Second, Democrats have muddied their central political appeal of siding with the middle class. Some in that large, elastic category will come out ahead. Others will see their premiums dramatically increase without qualifying for subsidies. One self-employed pregnant woman who has recently lost coverage is quoted in the Los Angeles Times: "It doesn't seem right to make the middle class pay so much more in order to give health insurance to everybody else." Democrats will be forced to answer: It depends on what you mean by middle class.

Third, these challenges are beginning to divide the Democratic coalition. Many unions, already unhappy about Obamacare fees on group plans, are not rallying to defend the law. And many Democratic politicians will be tempted to distance themselves from Obamacare as dysfunction extends from weeks to months. It is far from clear whether the exchange risk pools will be large enough and diverse enough a year from now to work properly.

These last few weeks offer some hard lessons for Democrats: Those who pass a partisan health law, own it. And those who believe in government are not necessarily capable of running one.

OUR VIEW

Bringing back end-of-semester exams is right call

On Friday, the Reporter-Telegram provided a rude awakening for many MISD students. Lee High School Principal Jeanette McNeely and Midland High School Principal Jeff Horner made a joint decision this summer to eliminate an incentive program that allowed students who had passed state assessments, earned high semester grades and had near-perfect attendance to be exempt from semester exams.

With the passage of House Bill 5 this summer, the number of end-of-course exams required for high school graduation was lowered from 15 to five. With the majority of these exams — English 1, biology and algebra — completed before sophomore year, both McNeely and Horner said they felt the need to immediately reinstate cumulative exams that count for 25 percent of the semester grade for high school students.

The move, we believe, was right on and is a needed step to restoring academic rigor. It also holds students to a higher academic standard. And, yes, we agree eliminating exemptions will better prepare students for college.

Our hope is teachers take advantage of the opportunity that McNeely and Horner have presented them. We should require examinations that challenge students and demonstrate whether students learned material presented in class.

We were disappointed the incentives offered didn't produce upswings in the student attendance rate. McNeely said attendance is a real concern, and our district can't allow such a problem to linger.

We appreciate the communication between principals that led to this decision. We also feel McNeely's move to Lee High School from the much-heralded Early College High School is paying off.

But again, we go back to Midland education leaders making the decisions that will make our school district what Midlanders expect. We do expect all students to grow through their high school years, not breeze through with minimum effort. We are paying our teachers at a rate similar to comparable districts around the state. Well, it's time to see similar results. Achievement isn't optional. Requiring students to take the end-of-the-semester tests shouldn't be optional, either. They traditionally are among the hardest examinations students will take the entire year.

If we want our students performing at the highest level, we must opt-in to what our school leaders have decided.

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The tea party has jumped the shark

■ An election in Virginia may be the tipping point for a tea party movement that has seen its better days

DANA MILBANK
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If Ken Cuccinelli loses his bid to be the next governor of Virginia on Tuesday, as polls suggest he will, the date of the Republican defeat will be traced back to May 18.

That was the day the Republican Party in the commonwealth took what had been a sure thing and instead allowed the tea party to give the Democrats an opening.

Supporters of Cuccinelli, the state attorney general, had scrapped the Republican gubernatorial primary, which probably would have resulted in the nomination of Lt. Gov. Bill Bolling, a mainstream conservative who likely would have cruised to victory.

But Cuccinelli's supporters forced the party to cut the electorate out of the process, replacing the primary with a convention. There, a smaller number of tea-party activists handed the nomination to Cuccinelli, a man so conservative he did not challenge his opponent's accusation in a debate that he would outlaw birth control.

Unfortunately for Republicans, the convention chose not just Cuccinelli but also, as the nominee to be lieutenant governor, E.W. Jackson, a man who has said that gays are "very sick people" whose "minds are perverted"; who has argued that Planned Parenthood has been worse for blacks than the Ku Klux Klan; and who has also said that non-Christians practice "some sort of false religion."

Suddenly, Democrats were in contention.

The off-year elections in Virginia and New Jersey have, in the past, been national bellwethers, measuring the sentiment of the electorate. This year, there are no clear national trends in either election, but the pattern in Virginia and New Jersey does suggest a pivotal moment in the Republican Party: the moment the tea party jumped the shark.

In New Jersey's gubernatorial race, highly popular incumbent Chris Christie, who conspicuously spurned the tea-party wing, is cruising to re-election. In Virginia, a seat that should be safely Republican has been put in jeopardy.

The tea party has caused Republicans to lose other races in recent cycles, including Senate contests in Delaware, Nevada, Indiana and Colorado. But the Virginia race, following a federal-government shutdown forced by the tea party, could finally provide some impetus for what remains of mainstream Republicans to reclaim their primaries.

The tea party has been in steep decline from its 2010 peak, but it retains power where it matters: in the ability to force the nomination of far-right candidates and to defeat Republican officeholders who aren't sufficiently extreme. The primary process is the sole source of power for the tea party, but it has become a stranglehold.

Certainly, Cuccinelli has problems that aren't related to the tea party: the gifts scandal surrounding Gov. Bob McDonnell, the fundraising advantage enjoyed by Democrat Terry McAuliffe, and the overall shift toward Democrats in Virginia driven by growth in the Washington suburbs.

I've known McAuliffe for almost 20 years, and I admire his boundless enthusiasm. But he shouldn't have a chance in this race. He's a liberal from New York, a McLean millionaire, a former Democratic National Committee chairman who served as chief money-man to Bill and Hillary Clinton. A company he led as chairman until last year, GreenTech, is under federal investigations, and he failed to disclose his investment in a Rhode Island insurance scam that used the identities of dying people.

On May 9, the Daily Beast published an article titled "How Terry McAuliffe and the Dems Lost Virginia." It cited a Washington Post poll showing McAuliffe trailing Cuccinelli by 10 points among the likeliest voters.

But then came a fuller examination of Cuccinelli's positions (opposing transportation spending and immigration reform and proposing to bestow full "personhood" on fetuses), the Jackson nomination, and a split in the tea-party movement that allowed the emergence of a Libertarian candidate, Robert Sarvis. Sarvis has forced Cuccinelli, in the closing days of the campaign, to shore up his conservative base by bringing in former Rep. Ron Paul, R-Texas, and Sen. Rand Paul, R-Ky.

Finally came the government shutdown, instigated by Sen. Ted Cruz, R-Texas, from whom Cuccinelli tried to keep his distance. But in the middle of the shutdown, both men spoke at the same "Family Foundation" dinner in Richmond. Cuccinelli insisted that he disagreed with Cruz's tactics, but that was hardly tenable: Cuccinelli, and the rest of the Republican ticket in Virginia, had gained their nominations because of the very movement that had elevated Cruz.

Cruz, at the dinner, declared "how proud I am of my friend Ken Cuccinelli." It may have been the kiss of death.

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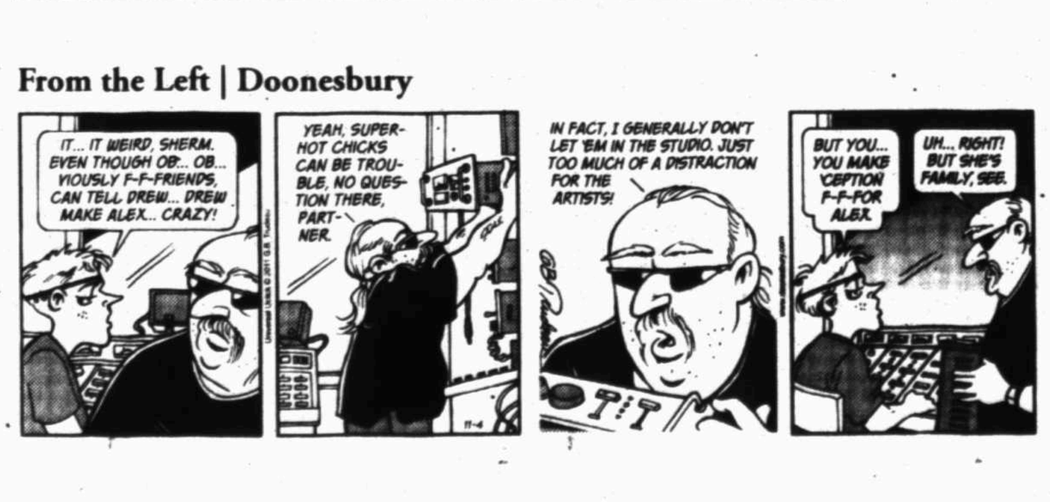

From the Right | Mallard Fillmore

Employers' wariness thwarts many blind jobseekers

By David Crary
Associated Press

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. — Back in the late 1980s, when Maura Mazzocca was a human resources administrator with a Boston-area firm, a blind man showed up to apply for a job. Today, she remembers the encounter ruefully.

"What I kept thinking about was, 'How can this man work in a manufacturing company?'" Mazzocca recalled, saying she looked past his abilities and saw only his disability.

"I wish now I'd given him a chance."

That reflectiveness is heartfelt. Mazzocca lost her own eyesight in 1994 through complications related to diabetes. Now as a jobseeker herself, she knows firsthand the many hurdles the blind must overcome in pursuit of full-time work.

At a job fair last month for blind and low-vision people, there she was going table to table, with a sighted volunteer by her side. Some of the other 80 jobseekers carried white canes, a few had guide dogs.

Like the rest, Mazzocca was greeted with firm handshakes and encouraging words — but none of the employers she spoke with had job openings matching her interests and qualifications.

The venue was the former Radcliffe College gymnasium where Helen Keller exercised en route to becoming the first deaf/blind person to earn a bachelor of arts degree in 1904. Over the ensuing decades, Keller helped increase public awareness of blindness and empathy for those affected by it.

Yet blind people remain largely unwanted in the U.S. workplace, despite technological advances that dramatically boost their capabilities. Only about 24 percent of working-age Americans with visual disabilities had full-time jobs as of 2011, according to Cornell University's Employment and Disability Institute.

"There's a lot of stigma, a lot of obstacles," said Mazzocca, 51. "It comes down to educating employers... It's going to take a really long time, if ever, for them to see us for who we are and what we bring to the table."

What they bring, according to national advocates for the blind, is a strong work ethic, plus deeper-than-average loyalty to their employers. That's in addition to whatever talents and training they bring, just like any other applicant.

In the current economy, good jobs are hard to come by for anyone, even the sighted. But the blind face added challenges. Even employers professing interest in hiring blind people often don't follow through out of concern that they might be a bit slower with key tasks or require assistance that could be burdensome.

In some cases, said Mazzocca, who has held professional jobs since she lost her sight, "They're thinking, 'What if I have to fire them? Will they sue me?'"

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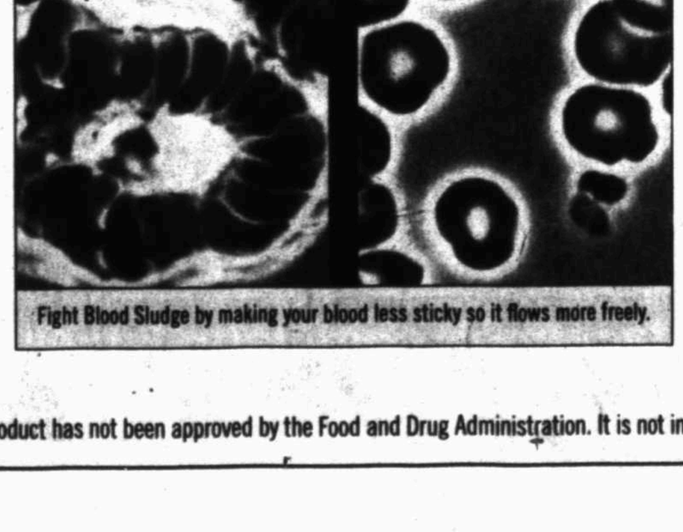

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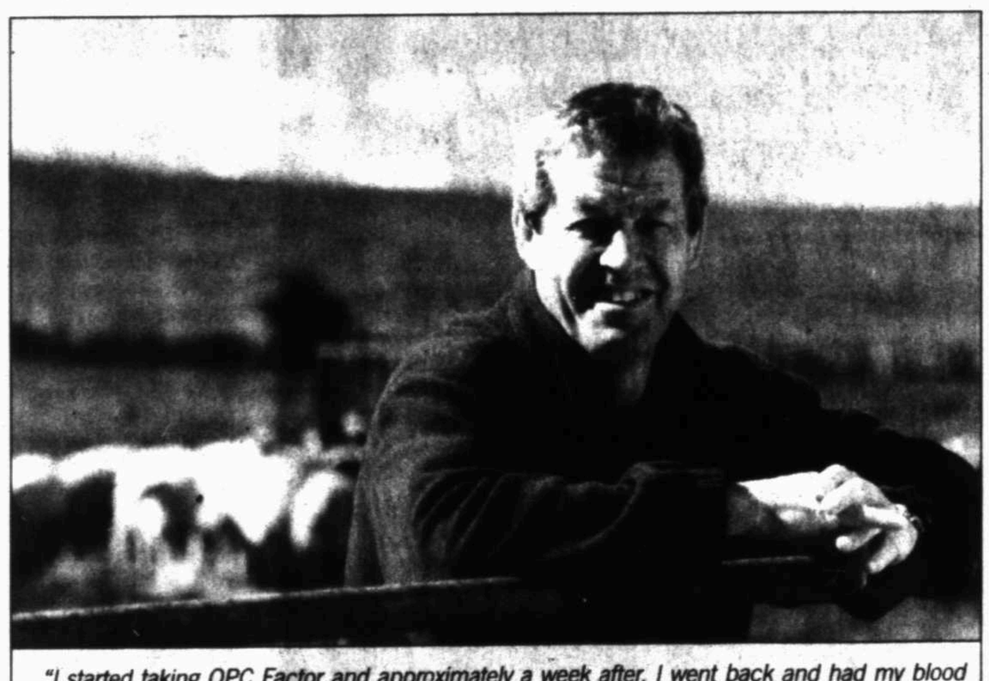

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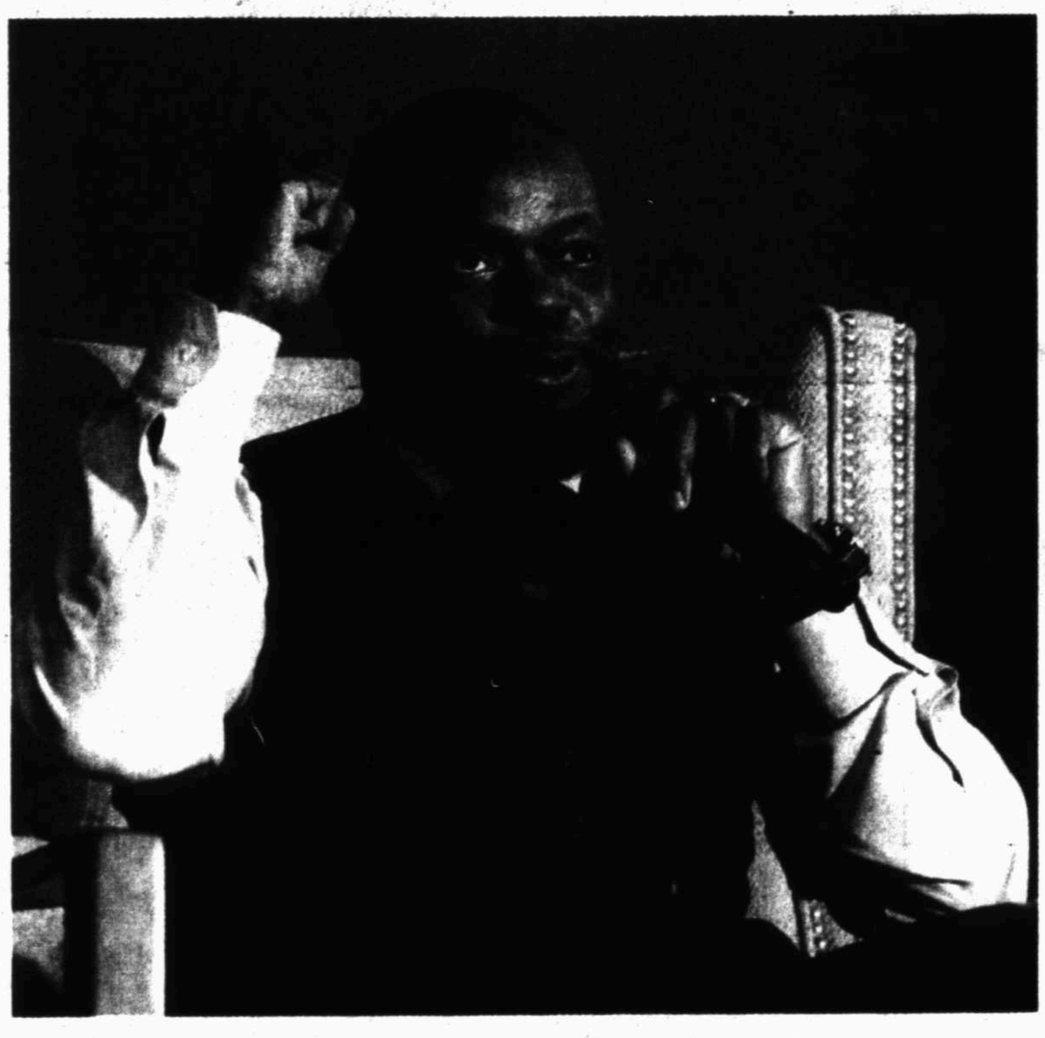

RIGHT
Ben Wall, director of Opportunity Camp, talks about the program and what they do Oct. 24 before former Dallas Cowboy Emmitt Smith speaks during a fundraiser for Op Camp.

Photos by Tim Fischer

Former Dallas Cowboy Emmitt Smith took part in charitable event at the Midland County Horseshoe Arena Oct. 24 benefiting Unlock Ministries and Opportunity Camp (Op Camp), which helps "at risk" kids forge meaningful relationships with fellow students and adults.

AT TOP
Local TV personality Jay Hendricks talks with Smith Oct. 24 during a fundraiser for Opportunity Camp.

ABOVE
Cowboys fans look over and bid on items during the silent auction at the fundraiser for Op Camp.

TEXAS TOP PRODUCERS

Permian Basin operators were well represented among the recipients of the 2013 Texas Top Producers Awards from the Texas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners Association. Pictured at the Oct. 29 dinner at the Houston Petroleum Club are the Top CEOs of Large Companies. Midland's Tim Dunn, CEO of CrownQuest Operating, and Tim Leach, CEO of Concho Resources, were among those receiving this award. Midlanders were also named Top CEOs of medium-size and small companies and Top Landmen.

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CRIME STOPPERS

Midland Crime Stoppers representatives — Dale Seago, board president, from left; Angie Valenzuela, executive director; Carolyn Hatcher, board member; Sgt. Ben Chavez, Midland Police Department coodinator; and Sgt. Ray Weatherby, Midland County Sheriff's Office coordinator — attended the 25th annual Texas Crime Stoppers Conference Oct. 23-25 in Corpus Christi. The local program was recognized statewide and received the 2012 Productivity Award (for cities' Midland's size) for most cases cleared. In 2012, Midland Crime Stoppers cleared 331 cases, made 336 arrests, recovered property valued at $76,420, seized narcotics valued at $23,500 and paid out $10,700 in rewards, Valenzuela said.

MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Courtesy photos

Keep Midland Beautiful's annual Make a Difference Day annual fall cleanup was Oct. 19. Among the groups that participated were Lee High School AFJROTC, the Solis family and Boy Scout Troop No. 175. After trash was collected from around the city, the volunteers were treated to a picnic lunch at Hogan Park, where they were entertained by the H-E-B and KMB mascots. Doreen Womack, executive director of KMB, said close to 90 groups — 1,430 individuals — picked up 1,069 bags of trash during the month of October.

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KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Dancing With the Stars (N)				Castle "Like Father, Like Daughter" (N)		KMID News	(:35) Jimmy Kimmel Live (N)		(:35) News Nightline
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	7 News	Ent. Tonight	Mother (N)	2 Broke Girls (N)	Mike & Molly (N)	Mom (N)	Hostages "Hail Mary" (N)		CBS 7 News	(:35) D.Letterm Woody Harrelson, The Wanted		(:35) Late Late (N)
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	Seinfeld	Rules of Engage.	Hart of "How Do You Like Me Now?" (N)		Beauty and the Beast "Reunion" (N)		Rules of Engage.	Seinfeld "The Dog"	Commu-nity	Commu-nity	That '70s Show	That '70s Show
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Bones "The Nazi Honeymoon" (N)		Sleepy Hollow "The Sin Eater" (N)		Modern Family	Modern Family	The Arsenio Hall Show		Met Your Mother	Met Your Mother
KMLM IND	11	11	12	11	11	Dr. William	Joe McGee	Update News	Day of Discovery	Light of the Southwest				House Call	Mani Erfan	Crossover Project	Y.Sala-manca
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	NewsWest 9 at 6 p.m.		The Voice "The Live Playoffs" The top 20 artists perform live in front of coaches. (N)				The Blacklist "Frederick Barnes" (N)		News-West 9	(:35) Jay Leno Sting, Anthony Hopkins (N)		(:35) LateNight
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	PBS NewsHour		Antiques Rd. "Junk in the Trunk 3" (N)		Antiques Roadshow "Dallas (Hour Three)"		Independent L. "The Graduates" 2/2 (N)		Charlie Rose (N)		BBC News	Tavis Smiley
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	Corazon Indomable		Porque el Amor Manda		La Tempestad		Mentir Para Vivir		Noticias Tejas	Noticiero noctu.	Una familia con suerte	
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		Fam.Feud	Million..	Law&O.:SVU "Greed"		SVU "Justice"		My News	Million..	30 Rock	Sunny	Access H.	OMG!
FLIX	340	65			165	(5:00) Holy Man		The Apostle ('97, Dra) Robert Duvall.				(:15) The Scarlet Letter ('95, Dra) Demi Moore.					Movie
HBO	300	68	14	14		(:15) Wrath of the Titans Sam Worthington.		Tales From the Organ Trade		Down		2 Days (:15) Boxing HBO After Dark					
HBO2	302	69	15	101	23	(5:20) Rushmore		Bill Maher		Boardwalk E. (N)		Magic Mike Channing Tatum.				Kiss the Girls	
HBO5	304	70	16	102		(5:25) The Girl		The Sopranos		Wanderlust		1stLook		Trouble With the Curve Clint Eastwood.			
MAX	380	71	17	120	24	(5:15) The Termin...		(:10) Broken City ('12, Cri) Mark Wahlberg.				Prometheus ('12, Adv) Noomi Rapace.				(:05) Strike Back Orig	
MAX2	382	72	18	122		(5:50) Rock of Ages Tom Cruise.				Payback Mel Gibson.		(:40) Child's Play				Science	Movie
PLEX			96			(:20) Little Nikita Sidney Poitier.				Dirty Work			Dancer, Texas Pop. 81			(:10) Dream a Li...	
SHOW	320	66	19	140	25	Time of Death		Homeland		Masters of Sex		Homeland		Masters of Sex		Time of Death	
TMC	336	67	22	155	26	(5:20) Step Up Re...		The Darkest Hour		Man on a Ledge				(:15) Universal Soldier: Day of Reckoning			
A&E	27	32	28	35	47	Gangsters: America's Most Evil		Gangsters: America's Most Evil		Gangsters: America's Most Evil		Gangster "Sex, Money, Murder, Inc"		Gangsters: America's Most Evil		Gangsters: America's Most Evil	
AMC	40	21	23	42	51	(4:30) Escape Fro...		Above the Law Steven Seagal.				Had to Kill ('90, Act) Steven Seagal.				Above the Law	
BET	58	26		40		106&Park		All About the Benjamins ('01, Act) Ice Cube.				Menace II Society Tyrin Turner.				Wendy Williams	
BRAVO	65	63		41		Beverly Hills "Finale"		Beverly Hills "Vanderpump Rules" (SP) (N)				House Miami (N)		Watch (N)	Vanderpump R. (N)	Beverly	
CNBC	46	45		39	72	Special	On/Money	60 Minutes		American Greed		Car	Car	CNBC Special		60 Minutes	
CNN	43	24	51	30	56	OutFront		A. Cooper 360		Piers Morgan Live		AC360 Later		OutFront		Anthony Bourdain	
DISC	50	20	31	24	42	(5:00) Toddlers/Tiara		Secretly Pregnant		Secret "Amy/Destiny"		Secret "Kelly/ Lauren"		Secret "Amy/Destiny"		Secret "Kelly/ Lauren"	
DISNEY	56	27	36	25	36	Dog Blog	Wander	Jessie		Frenemies Bella Thorne.		(:10) Shake	(:35) Good.	A.N.T.	Dog Blog	GoodLuck	GoodLuck
ESPN	32	29	48	31	30	(5:30) Monday Night Countdown		(:25) NFL Football Chicago Bears vs. Green Bay Packers (L)							SportsCenter		
ESPN2	34	28	49	32	31	Baseball		Poker World Series Final Table (L)						SportsC.	Olbermann (N)		NBA
FAMILY	53	54	34	42	33	(5:00) The Last Song				The Princess Diaries ('01, Fam) Julie Andrews.				The 700 Club		Fresh P.	Fresh P.
FNC	45	58	53	23	55	On the Record		The O'Reilly Factor		The Kelly File		Hannity		The O'Reilly Factor		The Kelly File	
FOOD	64	59	27	68	54	Guy's Grocery Games		Diners...	Diners...	Diners...	Diners...	Diners...	Diners...	Diners...	Diners...	Diners...	Diners...
FSSW	37	43	50	45	29	(5:30) WPT Poker	SportsDay OnAir	NCAA Basketball Exhibition Game Oklahoma Christian vs. Oklahoma (L)				Bull Riding Championship		Instant Replay	Cowboys/ Conf.	Texans Press	SportsD-ay OnAir
FX	31	31	59	64	69	(5:00) Colombiana								Salt ('10, Act) Liev Schreiber, Angelina Jolie.			
HALLMARK	54	49	58		34	(5:00) Santa Jr.		The Christmas Card Edward Asner.				Mistletoe Over Manhattan				Carroll's Chris...	
HGTV	63	50	26	48	44	Love It or List It		Love It or List It		Love It or List It (N)		HouseH	House (N)	Love It or List It		Love It or List It	
HISTORY	71	62	29	50	43	Ancient Aliens		Ancient Aliens		Ancient Aliens		Ancient Aliens		10 Things You Don't		Ancient Aliens	
LIFETIME	28	25	25	28	48	Wife Swap		The Breakfast Club (1985, Drama) Emilio Estevez, Molly Ringwald, Judd Nelson.				Fool's Gold ('08, Adv) Kate Hudson, Donald Sutherland, Matthew McConaughey.				The Breakfast Club	
MSNBC	47	51		49	73	Hardball		All in With C. Hayes		Rachel Maddow		The Last Word		All in With C. Hayes		Rachel Maddow	
NBCSN	38	39				NHLLive	NHL Hockey Anaheim Ducks vs. New York Rangers (L)					Overtime	Barclay's Show		EPL Soccer		
NICK	55	34	39	34	37	Dora	Awesome	F.House	F.House	F.House	F.House	F.House	F.House	Friends	Friends	G. Lopez	G. Lopez
SPIKE	30	22	55	53	58	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Jail	Jail
SYFY	66	64	41	57	67	(5:30) The Adjustment Bureau				The Bourne Ultimatum ('07, Act) Julia Stiles.				Star Trek VI: The Undiscov...			
TBS	25	11	44	66	41	Seinfeld	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy "Blue Harvest"		Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Conan		Pete Holmes	Conan
TCM	41	61	24	63	66	(5:30) Torch Song		My Brilliant Career Judy Davis.				(:15) Picnic at Hanging Rock				(:15) Alice in the ...	
TELE	20	8	10	20		Caso cerrado		Marido en Alquiler				Santa Diabla		Al rojo	(:35) Titular.	Marido en Alquiler	
TLC	51	33	32	38	52	(5:00) Tiaras "Universal Royalty: Galaxy Queen"		Secretly Pregnant "Bethany/Cecily"		Secretly Pregnant "Amy/Destiny"		Secretly Pregnant "Kelly/ Lauren"		Secretly Pregnant "Amy/Destiny"		Secretly Pregnant "Kelly/ Lauren"	
TNT	24	23	40	26	50	Castle "A Chill Goes Through Her Veins"		Castle "Always Buy Retail"		Castle		Major Crimes "The Deep End"		CSI: NY "Clean Sweep"		CSI: NY "Who's There?"	
TVLAND	49	48	35	54	35	Griffith	A. Griffith	Griffith	Griffith	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Friends	Friends	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens
USA	26	30	42	27	49	NCIS "Call of Silence"		WWE Monday Night Raw						(:05) Covert Affairs "No. 13 Baby"		(:05) NCIS: Los Angeles "Skin Deep"	
WGN	19	18				America's Funniest Home Videos		America's Funniest Home Videos		America's Funniest Home Videos		WGN News at Nine		Met Your Mother	Rules of Engage.	Rules of Engage.	Parks and Rec

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Ann Servatius-Aggie Anguish, Don Troy-Dorothy Brenneman, Marlene Blumentritt-Paula Baggett, Marilyn Higgins-Patti Witt

Oct. 15
Brenda Brauner-Higgins, Kay Arrell-Ricki Perry, Tommie Strack-Anguish, Betty Marlow-Bitsy Loewenstein, Liza Philpy-Judy-Duke-Miller, Dorothy Baird-Patti Heard

Oct. 17
Amanda Shaw-Blumentritt, Bill Dent-Brenneman, Carol Hastings-Philpy, Edward McPherson-Richard Stein, John Seymour-Les Neal

Oct. 18
Helen South-Strack, Dottie Duncan-Charlie Grimes, Vangie Lindsey-Perry, Debbie Kemp-Anguish, Bonnie Hubbard-Janet Stoltz, Brauner-Servatius-Jane Myers-Blumentritt, Sue Marshall-Frances Mills

Oct. 20
Brauner-Servatius, Duncan-Grimes, Jean Banks-Frances Levin, Blumentritt-Myers, South-Brenneman, Mills-Stoltz

Oct. 22
Duncan-Grimes, Gloria Crites-Jean Pistole, Servatius-Anguish, Bob Bennett-Phyllis Berkowitz, Loewenstein-Ann Parish, Baird-Heard

Oct. 23
Roberta Bacon-Bob Bacon, Servatius-Grimes, Perry-Anguish, Blumentritt-Flo Curry-Higgins-Marty Massie, Stein-Troy

Oct. 24
Neal-Seymour, Georgia Temple-Higgins, Brenda Leonard-Pistole, Brenneman-Parish-Baggett-Linda Scarpelli-Kay Sewell-Troy

Oct. 25
Marjorie McDonald-Sandy Thomas, Pistole-Crites, Duncan-Grimes-South-Perry

Oct. 27
Blumentritt-Servatius, Strack-Crites, R. Bacon-B. Bacon, Belle Harris-Sarana Savage

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MUSEUM OF THE SOUTHWEST

Mary Kennedy, from left, Lissa Noel Wagner, Jane Williams, Kay Bird, Rosalind Redfern Grover and Victoria Price.

MC RECEPTION

Brad Bullock, back row from left, Kenny Mwansa, Luke Mace, Jay Isaacs and Jeremy Bishop; Bill Hill, from left front row, Robin Richey, Diana Miller, Ed Viesturs, Bethany Etheredge and John Bergman.

HALEY SHOW

ABOVE
Don Parks, from left, Doris Spires, Mary Rasmussen and Charles Pruitt.

RIGHT
Sarah Holcomb, from left, Barbara Hartwell and Ron Holcomb.

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Jessica Johnson holding daughter Anne Katherine, from left, Lucy Lennox, Cliffy Beal and Allison Davis.

SCOTTS' ANNIVERSARY

LEFT
Laura and Tom Scott.

ABOVE
Helen Scott, from left, Will Scott, Megan and Dan Scott and Jessica Sheldon.

MUSEUM OF THE SOUTHWEST DINNER

The Museum of the Southwest hosted an elegant dinner on Oct. 24 for its Presidents' Club members.

Special guest for the occasion was Victoria Price, daughter of the late actor, Vincent Price. Following cocktails and a seated dinner in the Turner Gallery, the group adjourned to the Blakemore Planetarium to hear Price as she discussed art collecting and talked about her father's well-known love for art. She left her audience with the message that art should be collected — not because it is something they feel compelled to do, but because it is something they love to do.

The event concluded with coffee and dessert in the Durham Children's Museum, where guests had the opportunity to meet the guest speaker and mingle with the other club members.

Among those in attendance were Lissa Noel Wagner, Mary Kennedy, Rosalind Redfern Grover, Rhonda and Lynn Durham, Jaime and Roger Alexander, Debra and Fred Westmoreland, Carolyn Roden, Marianne and Will Green, Claire and Jim Woodcock, Nancy and Richard Gibson, Carol and Bill Bynum and Jane Williams.

MC LECTURE SERIES

The latest in Midland College's Davidson Distinguished Lecture Series featured Ed Viesturs, the world's premier high-altitude climber, as its fall speaker.

Preceding his lecture at Chaparral Center on Oct. 17, Viesturs was the special guest at a reception hosted by First-Capital Bank of Texas in the Scharbauer Student Center Carrasco Room. In between meeting the other guests, he autographed copies of his various books, including the latest, "The Mountain," which was released Oct. 8.

Bank president Jay Isaacs greeted the guests as they entered the reception. Also present was his daughter, Lesley Isaacs, who serves as Midland College's multimedia promotions coordinator.

Guests included Distinguished Chaparral Circle Donors and Friends of the Series. Among them were Sonia Ford and Tomas Hernandez, Marianne and Will Green, Jennifer and Dan Hart, Dale Westfall, James Hunnicutt, Linda and Dr. Richard Jolly, Virginia and Bob Jones, Beth Mitchell, Luke Musselman, Becky and Gene Needham, Dr. Deana Savage and Glenn Brown and Schatzie and Charles Tighe.

Following the lecture, Judge Robert A. Junell hosted a private dinner at the Petroleum Club in Viesturs' honor.

HALEY ART SHOW

It has been a quarter of a century since four Midland artists banded together to form a group they named the Southwest Impressionists. They engage primarily in the plein-air school of painting, which represents the effects of outdoor light and atmosphere.

As is tradition, the Haley Memorial Library & History Center is hosting the annual Art Show and Sale of new works by the four — Don Parks, Charles Pruitt, Mary Rasmussen and Doris Spires.

The show opened with a reception Oct. 24. Guests enjoyed wine and hors d'oeuvres during a meet-and-greet session with the artists.

The highlight of the event was the raffle drawing of four paintings donated by the artists to benefit the Haley Library. Winners were Mary Garay, of Parks' "Trans Pecos Sunrise;" Charlotte Whitaker, Spires' "Jose and Friends;" Erich Hardaway, Pruitt's "Church;" and Donna Landreth, Rasmussen's "Abandoned Adobe."

Greeting guests were Brian McLaughlin, president of the library's board of trustees, and library director Pat McDaniel.

Among those seen in the crowd were Lindsay and Adam Elliot and daughter, Capri; Sharon Yeager with her daughter, Elizabeth Yeager of Austin; Ann Kleine, Lou Matson, Corinne and Toby Carleton, Elizabeth Greaves, Sue Mullins, Sandra and George Staley, Jan and Ron Genter, Joyce Hauke and Gretchen and Scott Davis.

Paintings will be available for viewing and purchase through Nov. 22. Library hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

PI BETA PHI ALUMS

For their October meeting, members of the Midland Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Club visited Miss Cayce's Christmas Store at its new location on Andrews Highway.

Before looking over the 20,000-square-foot facility, the women assembled for a catered box lunch and a brief business meeting, with President Jessica Johnson presiding.

Hostesses were Cliffy Beal, Courtney Renaud and Joan Baskin.

Introduced as new members were Bryttany Bradley, Cindy Hoffman, Lanie Moerbe and Kristin Schultz. Among others present were Suzanne Martin, Gladys Hickman, Melanie Hurta, Bryan Riggs, Karla Davis, Roni Duke and Frances Carlton.

SCOTTS' ANNIVERSARY

Surrounded by family and friends, Laura and Tom Scott celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary on Oct. 13. The party was at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Evelyn and Richard Dearstyne.

Co-hosts were the Scotts' other children and spouses, Eleanor Sheldon and husband, Ken, and Sam Scott and wife, Leanne, all of Houston.

Also in town for the celebration were the Scotts' grandchildren, Dan Scott and wife, Megan, of Philadelphia, and Will and Helen Scott and Jessica Shelton, all of Houston.

The couple were presented with a beautiful oil painting — depicting the Trans Pecos wilderness at sunrise — by local artist Fan D. Mowles.

The glorious rain Midland received that Sunday afternoon may have kept away guests who were hesitant to venture out onto the flooded streets, but it only added to the festiveness and warmth of the occasion, Evelyn said.

Tom and the former Laura Shea were married on Oct. 18, 1958, at St. Paul's Church in San Antonio, with the Rev. Charles Sumners officiating. The couple moved to Midland from Amarillo in 1966. Tom is an attorney with the firm of Freeman-Mills, which recently merged with the Bullock Scott law firm.

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MORENAMES

Several members of the Midland Fire Department were honored Thursday at a promotion ceremony at Central Station.

■ Inspector Michael Cota was promoted to assistant fire chief;

■ Assistant Fire Marshal David Hickman was promoted to fire marshal;

■ Capt. Charles Blumenauer was promoted to administrative battalion chief;

■ Capt. Drew Peters was promoted to battalion chief;

■ Tailboardsmen Dustin Ivy and Joe Eric Rivera were promoted to inspector/investigator;

■ Drivers James Martin and K.C. Ward were promoted to captain; and

■ Tailboardsmen Francisco Bejarano, Daniel Azcarate, Jeff Coleman, and Kris Hickman were promoted to driver.

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Allen Orthotics & Prosthetics, of Midland, recently received the 2013 OPGA/POINT Freedom Award for its service to veterans and active duty military personnel.

The award recognizes OPGA and POINT members who have provided orthotic and prosthetic fitting and/or rehabilitation for soldiers wounded in action, according to a press release.

Orthotics & Prosthetics Group of America/POINT is an organization comprised of independently owned orthotic and prosthetic facilities.

MEETINGS

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
hotline 580-7868.

■ Serenity Group, 8 p.m. daily, 3101 N. A St., Building C; 685-3100.

■ 710 Group, 7 a.m., noon and 8 p.m. Wednesdays, 710 Ohio Ave.; 682-8162.

■ Alpha Omega, 8 p.m Tuesdays and 11 a.m. Saturdays and Sundays, 311 S. Pecos St.

■ 12-Step Group of Alcoholics Anonymous, 7:30 p.m. Mondays and Tuesdays, 10 a.m. Saturdays; 206 N. Midkiff Road; 697-0272.

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS
hotline 582-2926

■ Laundry Group, 8 p.m. daily and noon Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, 104 N. Marshall St.

■ Xodus Group, 5:30 p.m. Sundays, Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, 7 a.m. and 8:30 p.m. Wednesdays and 8:30 p.m. Saturdays, 206 N. Midkiff Road.

■ CODA Group, 12-step program for relationships, 7 p.m. Thursdays, 206 N. Midkiff Road; 697-0272.

■ La Hacienda Alumni, support group for former patients, 7 p.m. Thursdays, 206 N. Midkiff Road; 697-0272.

TOASTMASTERS CLUBS

■ Slyker's Professional Toastmasters Club, 10 a.m. second and fourth Saturdays, Texas Tech University Health Science Building, Room 1C12 (west side), 800 W. Fourthth St., Odessa; 522-2716, marken1986-slykers1@yahoo.com, http://slykersprofessional-toastmastersclub.blogspot.com.

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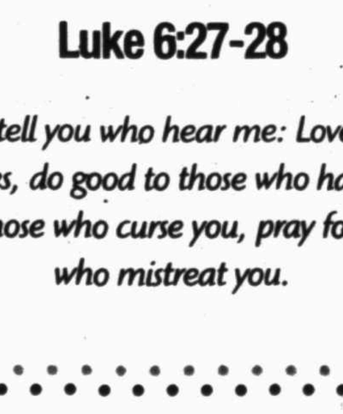
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PAID CONTENT

To appear here call Paul Wiseman at 697-7468 or your Midland Reporter-Telegram account executive at 682-5311.

Octogenarian B. W. Haskins went to Missy Dwyer at In Balance to help him improve his walking. What he found was not only that he walked better, without falling, but he also saw improvement in his visual acuity, his thought processing and other aspects. Call Missy at 685-3556 to learn how she could help you. The program helps people from ages 3 on up.

In Balance boosts senior's confidence in walking

B. W. Haskins had a fear of falling, for several good reasons. First of all, he had indeed fallen, including the time he tripped over a pipe. Second, he had been on blood thinners for about four years, so when he did fall he was concerned about excessive bruising or even bleeding.

When he read in the Midland Reporter-Telegram's Healthy Living section about the In Balance program, he thought, "I ought to do that—I have nothing to lose!"

Right after he started In Balance he fell one more time, but has not fallen since, gaining confidence with each visit. He is now walking with better posture, looking ahead and around rather than at the ground. "Now I see the world instead of my toes," he says.

Haskins is pleased but not completely surprised that his walking has improved—it's why he went to In Balance in the first place. What does surprise him is his improvement in visual acuity and memory.

In fact, the In Balance program is designed for learning disabilities such as ADD, dyslexia, reading comprehension issues, brain injuries and autism.

The difference is great enough, Haskins reports, that his children and grandchildren have noticed.

The In Balance program consists of a number of balancing activities that help the brain develop nerve synapses between the left and right hemispheres. This enables the brain to process and retain information better, improving balance and the previously mentioned learning issues.

Haskins says working on the balancing activities with In Balance owner Missy Dwyer is fun. "She is very nice, very helpful. She understands that, at my age, I can get a little confused. She has a lot of patience."

While he went to In Balance to improve his walking, B. W. Haskins walked out with a better outlook on every phase of his life.

Whatever age you are—or your children—from 3 years to 80s or 90s, In Balance can work for you. Call Missy Dwyer today to learn more.

In Balance Vestibular Therapy is located at 3303 N. Midkiff Ste. 166, in the San Miguel Atrium. The phone number is 685-3556.

AUDIO ACOUSTICS

Take these steps when wearing hearing aids in the workplace

By Orland Purcell, Au. D., CCC-A

It may surprise you to know that 60 percent of all people who wear hearing aids are in the workforce or in educational settings. This goes against the conventional wisdom that only retirees suffer from hearing loss.

If you have hearing loss and are in the workplace, there are several ways in which you can continue to succeed. Here are a few guidelines to help make that easier.

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If coworkers don't know you have hearing loss, please tell them. Otherwise they may think you're not paying attention if you ask a speaker to repeat words, or if you don't answer a question right away. Let everyone know what is your best hearing situation: without background noise—in person or on the phone, or any other restrictions.

Take notes whenever possible, with pen and paper, a laptop or tablet. If you are at a meeting that features a Powerpoint presentation, ask to receive that file before you go into the meeting.

Use email, texting or electronic chats whenever possible so you do not miss any important information.

Let others know that it's helpful if they face you when speaking, so you can combine hearing with lip reading.

When meeting with a team, ask if you can meet in small groups at a round table so you can see and hear everyone clearly. Reserve a quiet room for the meeting to minimize distractions and outside noises. Use printed materials in the meeting and don't be afraid to ask if you missed something. Also, consider using an assistive listening device that includes a receiver so that the voices can be amplified in your hearing aids.

It's important for you to let others know how they can best help you. Some feel that speaking louder will help someone with a hearing aid—but the truth is, the hearing aid does the amplification. Speaking louder may just cause distortion. Let them know that speaking in a normal voice is best.

Many hearing aids today include a t-coil, which opens the door to assistive listening devices that can improve your life in many settings at home and in the office. For example, you can use one while enjoying television with family members, so you can control your own volume separately.

Bluetooth technology is great if you spend a lot of time on the phone. With the flip of a switch you can connect to your cell phone digitally and avoid the interference that is common when talking on the phone with hearing aids. You can also connect directly to the sound system in your computer or tablet to listen to presentations or internet communications such as Skype.

If you are having trouble adapting hearing aids to the workplace, be sure to call us or your audiologist. Recognizing the problem and taking an effort to work it out are important step to take.

Audio Acoustics, a full-service hearing center owned by Orland Purcell, Au. D., has been in business since 1975. Ginger Peugh, Au. D., is his associate. They offer industrial hearing conservation, diagnostic audiology and a wide variety of hearing aids. They are located at 2101 North Midland Drive, Suite Four. The phone number is 689-4327.

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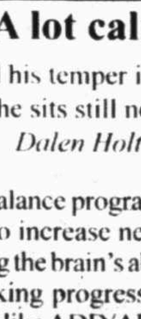
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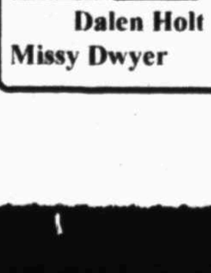
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Campbell takes break from PGA to return to Andrews

By Len Hayward
lhayward@mrt.com

ANDREWS — Chad Campbell admits the new PGA Tour schedule is something that's taken a while to get used to for players.

But the more he thinks about it and the more he plays, he knows that it could be a good thing in the long run for the health of the tour.

The tour began the 2014 season in early October with the Frys.com Open in Las Vegas and will continue through next year's Tour Championship in September. Campbell has played in two tournaments so far this season, and will play in at least two more later this calendar year.

"Everybody is still kind of getting a grasp of it," said Campbell, who was back in his hometown on Saturday for the 2nd annual Chad Campbell Classic at Andrews County Golf Course. "Some really don't know what's going on yet. But I think it's great for the tournaments and great for everybody. These tournaments all are getting FedEx Cup points and they are going to get better field. I think in the long run it's going to be great."

Campbell is hoping that 2014 will certainly go better than what 2013 did.

Campbell

Campbell finished a frustrating 2013 at 136th on the money list, and he currently doesn't have full status on the tour so far this year. He admits that he's been working to regain the consistency in his game that just a few years ago made him one of the up-and-coming players on the tour.

"Well, I keep saying it's coming around but we are still waiting on it. It seems like we've been waiting for a couple of years," Campbell said with a smile. "I've been working pretty hard, and working as hard as I ever have at it. Hopefully things will turn in the right direction, and I feel like they are. You've just got to be patient with it and see what happens."

Campbell said the patience part has been the hardest as he works his way back up the tour ladder.

Campbell made the cut in 14 of the 25 events he competed in during the 2013 season but only had one top-10 finish. He's used some sponsor exemptions to get into tournament's this year

"You have to be really patient because the game will beat you up ... it's brutal," said Campbell, who also went to Midland College. "One day when you think you've got it all figured out that's when it's the worst. You've just got to be patient and keep working, and know that you are working on the right things. And stay confident."

This weekend, though, Campbell was able to take a break from the grind of the tour to return to this hometown to help raise money for the program he once starred at. Campbell actually auctioned himself off on Saturday night for a chance to play with him at next year's tournament.

But he said the best part is being able to help the program that helped shape the way he plays golf today. He said booster club presidents Bill Morrison and Torrey Jennings "take of everything, and I just show up and donate a few things."

"It makes it real easy on me, and I'm happy to be here and do it," Campbell said. "There's such a tradition here with golf and the kids, especially after the success they had last year. It's nice that we got it going for two years and hopefully keep it going."

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Texas teams split

Tim Sharp/AP

Dallas' Tony Romo (9) hugs head coach Jason Garrett, right, after the Cowboys scored against the Minnesota Vikings late in the second half Sunday in Arlington.

Cowboys win on Romo's late touchdown pass

By Tom Orsborn
San Antonio Express-News

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ARLINGTON — Tony Romo just won the Super Bowl.

Or so it seemed when he jumped into Jason Witten's arms, toppled over and then recovered quickly to sit upright with his arms raised triumphantly.

The quarterback's spontaneous celebration punctuated his 7-yard touchdown pass to Dwayne Harris with 35 seconds left, a clutch pitch-and-catch that lifted the Dallas Cowboys to a 27-23 win over Minnesota on Sunday before 85,360 at AT&T Stadium.

With the season quite possibly on the brink, Romo coolly completed 7-of-9 passes for 90 yards while marching the Cowboys 90 yards in nine plays. The 2-minute, 9-second drive came one week after the 31-30 meltdown in Detroit and allowed Dallas (5-4) to retain sole possession of first place in the NFC East.

It also saved the Cowboys from trying to explain how they lost to a team that entered the game 1-6 with one of the NFL's worst defenses.

Given all that, Romo had good reason to go goofy.

"It's a joy — you won the football game," he said of his celebration. "... I just picture a Michael Jordan-over-Xavier McDaniel kind of look, where he's just kind of aggressive being, 'Yes!'

"That's the feeling you have. Without swearing, you want to be like that."

The 19th game-winning drive in the fourth quarter or overtime of Romo's career began with 2:44 left and included passes of 11 yards to Witten, 18 yards to Cole Beasley and a 34-yard strike to Dez Bryant that placed Dallas at the Minnesota 21. Four plays later, Romo looked off a covered Witten, stepped up in the pocket and delivered the ball to Harris, who made the grab at the 3 before diving into the end zone between two defenders.

"It was as important of a drive was we've had all year long," coach Jason Garrett said.

Once again the Cowboys struggled to move the ball in the first half, producing only a pair of field goals to trail 10-6 at the break.

"It was important for us to win," said Romo, who was 31-of-54 for 337 yards with two TDs and an interception. "We never doubted we'd find a way."

Center Travis Frederick said Romo was a calming influence in the huddle.

"He worked to keep everybody else steady," Frederick said. "He's very

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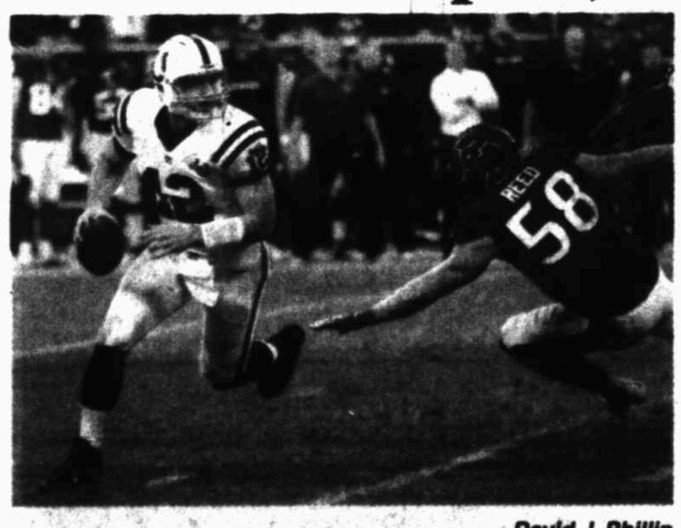
Kubiak collapses, Colts rally to beat Texans



David J. Phillip

Indianapolis' Andrew Luck (12) gets by the pursuit of Houston's Brooks Reed (58) on Sunday in the third quarter in Houston.

By Kristie Rieken
Associated Press

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HOUSTON — Houston coach Gary Kubiak collapsed leaving the field at halftime and was taken by ambulance to a hospital, and the Indianapolis Colts rallied for a 27-24 victory over the Texans on Sunday night.

Kubiak hunched over and dropped to his knees at the 24 yard line and was immediately surrounded by medical personnel. He was lifted off the field on a stretcher and taken by gurney to the ambulance.

The Texans didn't say what was wrong with Kubiak, but did say he didn't have a heart attack. The team said the 52-year-old coach was conscious and was with his family as he was taken to the hospital.

"He had an episode, he was light-headed and dizzy," Texans general manager Rick Smith said after the game. "He was evaluated by a number of specialists ... he is awake and coherent.

"He went to a knee, and they laid him on the ground. He is stable; for precautionary reasons we wanted to get him to the hospital. We have to assess ... obviously, there's a lot of info. Hopefully, Gary will be back with

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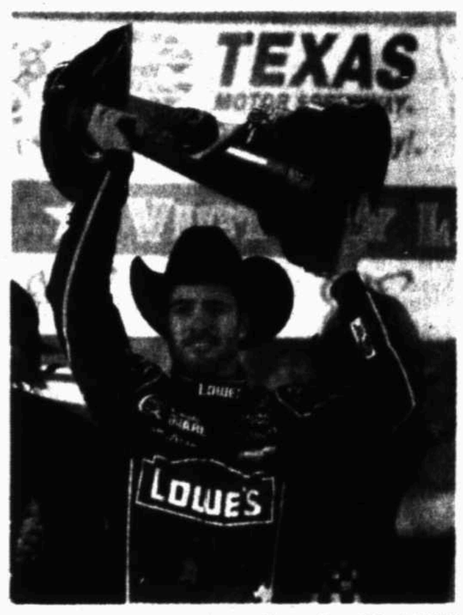
Sunday's Week 9 NFL Scoreboard

Kansas City	23	N.Y. Jets	26	Philadelphia	49
Buffalo	13	New Orleans	20	Oakland	20
Carolina	34	Tennessee	28	Seattle	27
Atlanta	10	St. Louis	21	Tampa Bay	24 (OT)
Dallas	27	Washington	30	Cleveland	24
Minnesota	23	San Diego	24 (OT)	Baltimore	18
New England	55				
Pittsburgh	31				
Indianapolis	27				
Houston	24				



Brandon Wade/AP

Jimmie Johnson celebrates winning the a Sprint Cup series race at Texas Motor Speedway in Fort Worth on Sunday.

Johnson takes Cup lead with dominating Texas win

By Stephen Hawkins
Associated Press

FORT WORTH — Jimmie Johnson led 255 of 334 laps for a dominating victory Sunday that put the five-time champion back in the Chase for the Sprint Cup lead with two races left in the season.

Johnson and Matt Kenseth arrived at Texas Motor Speedway tied in points, though Kenseth was the leader based on his seven wins.

Johnson got his sixth victory this season, becoming only the second three-time Cup winner at Texas. The No. 48 Hendrick Chevrolet team takes a seven-point lead to Phoenix next week.

"I've been watching a lot of MMA fighting lately, and you'll fall into a rhythm and think that somebody's got a fight won, and it doesn't end that way," Johnson said. "It's how this is going to be. Matt didn't have maybe the best day, but he still finished fourth. This thing is going to the last lap at Homestead. It's

Please see **JOHNSON**/4C

Florida State back in 2nd in BCS

By Ralph D. Russo
Associated Press

Florida State is back in second place in the BCS standings, edging past Oregon behind first-place Alabama.

The Seminoles' lead is thin and their stay at No. 2 could be short again.

Third-place Oregon plays Stanford Thursday night and a win is likely to push the Ducks back into second. The Seminoles and Ducks have exchanged positions in the BCS standings the last two weeks.

Inside

See the full BCS standings

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The top two in the final standings play in the BCS championship game.

Florida State (.9525 BCS average) is third in both the USA Today coaches' poll and Harris poll, though the Seminoles gained ground on the Ducks after a 41-14 victory over Miami on Saturday night. Florida State is No. 1 in the computer ratings.

Oregon is second in the polls and third in the computers.

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FROM STAFF & WIRE REPORTS

ON THE AIR

WHAT'S ON TV

NFL

Chicago at Green Bay, 7:25 p.m., ESPN

NHL

Anaheim at N.Y. Rangers, 6:30 p.m., NBC Sports Network

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Oklahoma Christian at Oklahoma, 7 p.m., Fox Sports Southwest

WHAT'S ON DECK

HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS BASKETBALL

Amarillo High at Lee, 5:30 p.m.

COLLEGE SOCCER

Men, Dallas Baptist at UTPB, Noon

Women, Dallas Baptist at UTPB, 2:30 p.m.

JUNIOR COLLEGE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Southwest Texas Junior College at Midland College, 6 p.m.

JUNIOR COLLEGE MEN'S BASKETBALL

Southwest Texas Junior College at Midland College, 8 p.m

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS GOLF

Midland High at Lakeridge Six Man, Lakeridge CC, Lubbock

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

American League

DETROIT TIGERS — Named Brad Ausmus manager and agreed to terms with him on a three-year contract. Agreed to terms with bench coach Gene Lamont on a two-year contract.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

DETROIT RED WINGS — Recalled D Adam Almquist from Grand Rapids (AHL).

MINNESOTA WILD — Recalled F Carson McMillan from Iowa (AHL).

MONTREAL CANADIENS — Assigned F Mike Blunden to Hamilton (AHL). Recalled F Martin St. Pierre from Hamilton.

PHOENIX COYOTES — Assigned D Brandon Gormley to Portland (AHL).

WASHINGTON CAPITALS — Re-assigned D Dmitry Orlov to Hershey (AHL).

WINNIPEG JETS — Recalled D Zach Redmond from St. John's (AHL). Reassigned D Ben Chiarot and Julian Melchiori to St. John's.

Central Hockey League

QUAD CITY MALLARDS — Announced D Corbin Baldwin was recalled by Iowa (AHL).

TULSA OILERS — Signed F Blair Macaulay and D Scott Macaula.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

AP Top 25

	Record	Pts	Pvs
1. Alabama (52)	8-0	1,491	1
2. Oregon (2)	8-0	1,418	2
3. Florida St. (6)	8-0	1,409	3
4. Ohio St.	9-0	1,315	4
5. Baylor	**7-0**	**1,234**	**5**
6. Stanford	7-1	1,214	6
7. Auburn	8-1	1,082	8
8. Clemson	8-1	1,059	9
9. Missouri	8-1	956	10
10. LSU	7-2	863	11
11. Texas A&M	**7-2**	**861**	**12**
12. Oklahoma	7-1	816	13
13. South Carolina	7-2	769	14
14. Miami	7-1	737	7
15. Oklahoma St.	7-1	662	18
16. UCLA	6-2	515	17
17. Fresno St.	8-0	493	16
18. Michigan St.	8-1	478	24
19. UCF	6-1	472	19
20. Louisville	7-1	385	20
21. Wisconsin	6-2	342	22
22. N. Illinois	9-0	322	21
23. Arizona St.	6-2	197	25
24. Notre Dame	7-2	164	NR
25. Texas Tech	**7-2**	**102**	**15**

Others receiving votes: Texas 34, Georgia 32, BYU 28, Mississippi 17, **Houston 9,** Minnesota 7, Michigan 6, Washington 6, Ball St. 4, Duke 1.

USA Today Top 25 Poll

	Record	Pts	Pvs
1. Alabama (54)	8-0	1,540	1
2. Oregon (5)	8-0	1,475	2
3. Florida State (3)	8-0	1,436	3
4. Ohio State	9-0	1,369	4
5. Baylor	**7-0**	**1,299**	**5**
6. Stanford	7-1	1,222	7
7. Clemson	8-1	1,121	8
8. Oklahoma	7-1	971	9
9. Missouri	8-1	961	10
10. Auburn	8-1	959	11
11. Oklahoma State	7-1	864	12
12. LSU	7-2	835	13
13. Texas A&M	**7-2**	**800**	**14**
14. Miami (Fla.)	7-1	747	6
15. South Carolina	7-2	722	16
16. Louisville	7-1	569	17
17. Fresno State	8-0	567	18
18. UCLA	6-2	494	19
19. Michigan State	8-1	446	24
20. Northern Illinois	9-0	409	20
21. Central Florida	6-1	340	22
22. Wisconsin	6-2	333	23
23. Texas Tech	**7-2**	**217**	**15**
24. Arizona State	6-2	130	NR
25. Notre Dame	7-2	108	25

Others receiving votes: Texas 77; Georgia 25; **Houston 24;** Brigham Young 19; Minnesota 18; Michigan 14; Nebraska 12; Duke 11; Louisiana-Lafayette 5; Ball State 4; Mississippi 3; Oregon State 2; Arizona 1; Southern California 1.

Harris Top 25

	Record	Pts	Pvs
1. Alabama (95)	8-0	2,613	1
2. Oregon (8)	8-0	2,491	2
3. Florida State (2)	8-0	2,444	3
4. Ohio State	9-0	2,317	4
5. Baylor	**7-0**	**2,167**	**5**
6. Stanford	7-1	2,102	6
7. Clemson	8-1	1,890	8
8. Missouri	8-1	1,725	9
9. Auburn	8-1	1,672	11
10. Oklahoma	7-1	1,572	10
11. LSU	7-2	1,467	12
12. Texas A&M	**7-2**	**1,426**	**13**
13. Miami (FL)	7-1	1,344	7
14. Oklahoma State	7-1	1,315	15
15. South Carolina	7-2	1,175	17
16. Louisville	7-1	1,013	16
17. Fresno State	8-0	989	18
18. Michigan State	8-1	789	23
19. UCLA	6-2	768	19
20. Northern Illinois	9-0	727	20
21. Central Florida	6-1	567	22
22. Wisconsin	6-2	450	24
23. Texas Tech	**7-2**	**409**	**14**
24. Arizona State	6-2	255	25
25. Notre Dame	7-2	155	NR

Others receiving votes: Texas 77; Georgia 47; Michigan 46; **Houston 44;** BYU 21; Mississippi 11; Ball State 9; Minnesota 8; Nebraska 8; Oregon State 7; Arizona 2; USC 2; Duke 1.

BCS Standings

	Harris			USA Today			Computer		BCS	
	Rk	Pts	Pct	Rk	Pts	Pct	Rk	Pct	Avg	Pv
1. Alabama	1	2613	.9954	1	1540	.9935	2	.950	.9797	1
2. Florida St	3	2444	.9310	3	1436	.9265	1	1.000	.9525	3
3. Oregon	2	2491	.9490	2	1475	.9516	3	.930	.9435	2
4. Ohio St	4	2317	.8827	4	1369	.8832	4	.850	.8720	4
5. Stanford	6	2102	.8008	6	1222	.7884	t5	.790	.7930	5
6. Baylor	**5**	**2167**	**.8255**	**5**	**1299**	**.8381**	**9**	**.660**	**.7745**	**6**
7. Clemson	7	1890	.7200	7	1121	.7232	8	.740	.7277	8
8. Missouri	8	1725	.6571	9	961	.6200	t5	.790	.6890	9
9. Auburn	9	1672	.6370	10	959	.6187	7	.750	.6686	11
10. Oklahoma	10	1572	.5989	8	971	.6265	11	.600	.6084	10
11. Miami	13	1344	.5120	14	747	.4819	12	.580	.5246	7
12. South Carolina	15	1175	.4476	15	722	.4658	10	.620	.5111	14
13. LSU	11	1467	.5589	12	835	.5387	t18	.260	.4525	13
14. Oklahoma St	14	1315	.5010	11	864	.5574	t18	.260	.4395	18
15. Texas A&M	**12**	**1426**	**.5432**	**13**	**800**	**.5161**	**21**	**.250**	**.4365**	**12**
16. Fresno St.	17	989	.3768	17	567	.3658	16	.360	.3675	16
17. Michigan St	18	789	.3006	19	446	.2877	13	.430	.3394	22
18. N. Illinois	20	727	.2770	20	409	.2639	14	.410	.3169	17
19. UCLA	19	768	.2926	18	494	.3187	t18	.260	.2904	20
20. Louisville	16	1013	.3859	16	569	.3671	t27	.000	.2510	19
21. UCF	21	567	.2160	21	340	.2194	23	.210	.2151	23
22. Arizona St.	24	255	.0971	24	130	.0839	17	.350	.1770	NR
23. Notre Dame	25	155	.0590	25	108	.0697	15	.370	.1662	25
24. Wisconsin	22	450	.1714	22	333	.2148	t27	.000	.1288	24
25. Texas Tech	**23**	**409**	**.1558**	**23**	**217**	**.1400**	**t27**	**.000**	**.0986**	**15**

NHL STANDINGS

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Tampa Bay	14	10	4	0	20	47	35
Toronto	15	10	5	0	20	48	36
Detroit	15	9	4	2	20	38	37
Boston	13	8	5	0	16	36	25
Montreal	15	8	7	0	16	41	31
Ottawa	14	4	6	4	12	42	47
Florida	14	3	8	3	9	28	49
Buffalo	16	2	13	1	5	26	49

Metropolitan Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Pittsburgh	15	11	4	0	22	48	33
N.Y. Islanders	14	6	5	3	15	45	44
Washington	14	7	7	0	14	44	40
N.Y. Rangers	13	6	7	0	12	25	38
Carolina	14	4	7	3	11	27	44
Columbus	13	5	8	0	10	33	36
New Jersey	14	3	7	4	10	26	42
Philadelphia	13	4	9	0	8	21	37

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Central Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Colorado	13	12	1	0	24	42	19
Chicago	15	9	2	4	22	52	42
Minnesota	15	8	4	3	19	38	34
St. Louis	12	8	2	2	18	44	29
Nashville	14	7	5	2	16	31	40
Dallas	14	6	6	2	14	37	42
Winnipeg	15	5	8	2	12	35	45

Pacific Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
San Jose	14	10	1	3	23	53	27
Anaheim	15	11	3	1	23	50	39
Phoenix	15	10	3	2	22	51	46
Vancouver	16	10	5	1	21	46	41
Los Angeles	15	9	6	0	18	43	40
Calgary	14	6	6	2	14	42	49
Edmonton	15	3	10	2	8	36	59

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

Sunday's Scores

Dallas 4, Ottawa 3, SO

Calgary 3, Chicago 2, OT

Minnesota 4, New Jersey 0

Today's Games

Anaheim at N.Y. Rangers, 6:30 p.m.

Detroit at Winnipeg, 7 p.m.

SUNDAY'S TEXAS SUM

STARS 4, SENATORS 3, SO

Dallas .... 1 1 1 0 — 4

Ottawa .... 0 2 1 0 — 3

Dallas won shootout, 1-0

First Period—1, Dallas, Whitney 1 (Seguin, Chiasson), 17:03.

Second Period—2, Dallas, Nichushkin 1 (Dillon, Eakin), :30. 3, Ottawa, E.Karlsson 4 (Ryan, Turris), 7:41. 4, Ottawa, Spezza 8 (Turris, E.Karlsson), 16:40 (pp).

Third Period—5, Dallas, Roussel 1, 3:11. 6, Ottawa, Ryan 8 (Michalek, Spezza), 19:50.

Overtime—None.

Shootout—Dallas 1 (Seguin NG, Ja.Benn G), Ottawa 0 (Michalek NG, Spezza NG, Ryan NG).

Shots on Goal—Dallas 19-12-5-2—38. Ottawa 9-16-9-2—36.

Goalies—Dallas, Lehtonen. Ottawa, Anderson, Lehner. A—18,106 (19,153). T—2:52.

MLS

KNOCKOUT ROUND

Eastern Conference

Thursday, Oct. 31: Houston 3, Montreal 0

Western Conference

Wednesday, Oct. 30: Seattle 2, Colorado 0

CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS

Eastern Conference

New York vs. Houston

Leg 1 — Sunday: New York 2, Houston 2

Leg 2 — Wednesday, Nov. 6: Houston at New York, 7 p.m.

Sporting KC vs. New England

Leg 1 — Saturday, Nov. 2: New England 2, Sporting KC 1

Leg 2 — Wednesday, Nov. 6: New England at Sporting KC, 8 p.m. Western Conference

Portland vs. Seattle

Leg 1 — Saturday, Nov. 2: Portland 2, Seattle 1

Leg 2 — Thursday, Nov. 7: Seattle at Portland, 11 p.m.

Real Salt Lake vs. LA Galaxy

Leg 1 — Sunday: LA Galaxy 1, Real Salt Lake 0

Leg 2 — Thursday, Nov. 7: LA Galaxy at Real Salt Lake, 8 p.m.

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP

Eastern Conference

Leg 1 — Saturday, Nov 9: East (lower seed) vs. East (higher seed), 1:30 p.m.

Leg 2 — Saturday, Nov. 23: East (higher seed) vs. East (lower seed), TBA

Western Conference

Leg 1 — Sunday, Nov. 10: West (lower seed) vs. West (higher seed), 8 p.m.

Leg 2 — Sunday, Nov. 24: West (higher seed) vs. West (lower seed), TBA

MLS CUP

Saturday, Dec. 7: at higher seed, 3 p.m.

SUNDAY'S TEXAS SUM

DYNAMO 2, RED BULLS 2

New York .... 2 0 — 2

Houston .... 0 2 — 2

First half—1, New York, Cahill 12 (Henry), 22nd minute. 2, New York, Alexander 5 (Cahill, McCarty), 32nd.

Second half—3, Houston, Clark 5, 51st. 4, Houston, Cummings 1, 90th+.

Goalies—New York, Luis Robles; Houston, Tally Hall.

Yellow Cards—Steele, New York, 36th; Henry, New York, 54th; Garcia, Houston, 62nd; Cahill, New York, 84th; Barklage, New York, 84th.

Red Cards—Olave, New York, 65th.

A—20,626 (22,000)

HSVOLLEYBALLPAIRINGS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

CLASS 5A

Bi-district

Southlake Carroll (W4, 41-1) vs. Arlington Lamar (F3, 20-21), 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Keller Central HS

El Paso Americas (R1) vs. Lubbock Coronado (T2, 26-14), 8 p.m. Tuesday, Fort Stockton HS

Arlington High (W3, 36-7) vs. Keller Timber Creek (F4, 15-11), 7 p.m., Tuesday, Hurst L.D. Bell HS

San Angelo Central (R2, 30-9) vs. El Paso Franklin (T1), 6 p.m. Tuesday, Fort Stockton HS

Copperas Cove (W8) vs. Duncanville (F7, 12-22), 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Hewitt Midway HS

Lewisville Hebron (R5, 33-11) vs. Hurst L.D. Bell (T6, 18-17), 7 p.m. Tuesday, Irving MacArthur HS

Mansfield (W7, 27-11) vs. Killeen Ellison (F8), 6 p.m. Tuesday, Hewitt Midway ISD Arena

Euless Trinity (R6, 36-7) vs. Flower Mound (T5, 23-13), 7 p.m. Tuesday, Southlake Carroll HS

Amarillo Tascosa (W2, 26-13) vs. El Paso Eastwood (F1), 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, Andrews HS

Arlington Martin (R3, 31-11) vs. Keller Central (T4, 27-18), 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Grapevine

El Paso Coronado (W1) vs. Midland High (F2, 26-15), 5 p.m. Tuesday, Gallego Center, Sul Ross State University, Alpine

Justin Northwest (R4, 27-12) vs. North Crowley (T3, 21-19), 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Haltom HS

Colleyville Heritage (W6, 31-5) vs. Flower Mound Marcus (F5), 7 p.m. Monday, Irving MacArthur HS

Mansfield Timberview (R7, 21-21) vs. Belton (T8), 6:30 p.m. Monday, Corsicana HS

Coppell (W5, 39-3) vs. Grapevine (F6, 22-15), 7 p.m. Monday, Trophy Byron Nelson HS

Waco Midway (R8) vs. Midlothian (T7, 16-19), 7 p.m. Tuesday, Corsicana HS

CLASS 3A

Abilene Wylie (W4, 29-9) vs. Clint (F3, 6-8), 7 p.m. Monday, Permian Fieldhouse

Borger (R1) vs. Shallowater (T2, 30-12), TBA

Fabens (W3, 19-2) vs. Sweetwater (F4, 13-21), 5 p.m. Tuesday, Crane HS

Seminole (R2, 24-13) vs. Pampa (T1), 7 p.m. Tuesday, Plainview HS

Liberty Hill (W8) vs. Venus (F7), 7:30 p.m. Monday, Waco Robinson HS

Burkburnett (R5) vs. Lake Worth (T6), 8 p.m. Tuesday, Chico HS

Stephenville (W7) vs. Brownwood (F8), 7 p.m. Monday, Dublin HS

Kennedale (R6) vs. Vernon (T5), 6 p.m. Monday, Bowie HS

Lubbock Cooper (W2, 25-11) vs. Amarillo River Road (F1), TBA

Fort Stockton (R3, 26-9) vs. Big Spring (T4, 27-13), 8 p.m. Tuesday, Odessa College Sports Center

Dalhart (W1) vs. Levelland (F2), TBA

Monahans (R4, 30-8) vs. Pecos (T3, 16-20), 7 p.m. Tuesday, Kermit HS

Springtown (W6, 29-8) vs. Wichita Falls Hirschi (F5), 6 p.m. Tuesday, Chico HS

Glen Rose (R7) vs. Burnet (T8), 7 p.m. Tuesday, Lampasas HS

Iowa Park (W5) vs. Mineral Wells (F6), 8 p.m. Tuesday, Jacksboro HS

Gatesville (R8) vs. Alvarado (T7), 7 p.m. Tuesday, Waco HS

OTHER PAIRINGS

CLASS 2A

Kermit (R5, 14-20) vs. Wall (T6), 6 p.m. Midland Classical Academy

CLASS A

Wink (R3, 18-18) vs. Water Valley (T4), 7 p.m. Tuesday, Greenwood HS

Sterling City (R4) vs. McCamey (T3, 13-11), 7 p.m. Tuesday, Lee HS

Chaps end Classic with loss to Trinity Valley

From staff reports

PLANO — The Midland College men's basketball team finished the weekend at the Collin County Classic with a 2-1 record after a 75-64 loss to Trinity Valley Community College on Sunday afternoon.

The Chaps were down by four points at halftime, and were able to keep it close through much of the second half but the Cardinals pulled away late in the game for the victory.

"We would've loved to bring all three wins home, and I was really proud of the effort," Midland College men's basketball coach Jordan Dreiling said. "It was tough going to play three schools that are really, really good. Trinity Valley is very, very talented. We fought hard."

Demetric Austin had a double-double with 17 points and 14 points, and Kevin Thomas added 16 points. Cory Scott added 12 and Dominque Bull had 10 in the loss.

Midland College defeated Jacksonville College and Lee College over the weekend.

The Chaps will return home to take on Southwest Junior College at 8 p.m. at Chaparral Center.

NBASTANDINGSANDBOXES

FROM WIRE REPORTS

Standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Philadelphia	3	0	1.000	—
Toronto	2	1	.667	1
New York	1	2	.333	2
Brooklyn	1	2	.333	2
Boston	0	3	.000	3

Southeast Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Miami	2	2	.500	—
Orlando	2	2	.500	—
Atlanta	1	2	.333	1/2
Charlotte	1	2	.333	1/2
Washington	0	3	.000	1 1/2

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Indiana	3	0	1.000	—
Detroit	2	1	.667	1
Chicago	1	2	.333	2
Milwaukee	1	2	.333	2
Cleveland	1	2	.333	2

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Southwest Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Houston	3	0	1.000	—
San Antonio	2	1	.667	1
Dallas	2	1	.667	1
New Orleans	1	2	.333	2
Memphis	1	2	.333	2

Northwest Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Minnesota	3	0	1.000	—
Portland	2	1	.667	1
Oklahoma City	2	1	.667	1
Denver	0	2	.000	2 1/2
Utah	0	3	.000	3

Pacific Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
L.A. Clippers	2	1	.667	—
Golden State	2	1	.667	—
Phoenix	2	1	.667	—
L.A. Lakers	2	2	.500	1/2
Sacramento	1	2	.333	1

Sunday's Scores

Orlando 107, Brooklyn 86

Miami 103, Washington 93

Detroit 87, Boston 77

Oklahoma City 103, Phoenix 96

Minnesota 109, New York 100

L.A. Lakers 105, Atlanta 103

Today's Games

Golden State at Philadelphia, 6 p.m.

Minnesota at Cleveland, 7 p.m.

Boston at Memphis, 8 p.m.

Houston at L.A. Clippers, 10:30 p.m.

SUNDAY'S BOXES

HEAT 103, WIZARDS 93

WASHINGTON (93): Ariza 4-16 2-2 13, Booker 4-6 0-1 8, Gortat 7-14 0-0 15, Wall 4-12 2-2 11, Beal 6-14 3-6 19, Webster 4-7 3-4 13, Harrington 0-6 0-0 0, Seraphin 4-5 1-1 9, Maynor 2-2 0-0 5, Temple 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 35-82 11-16 93.

MIAMI (103): James 9-14 4-5 25, Haslem 2-4 0-0 4, Bosh 8-12 6-8 24, Chalmers 2-4 0-0 6, Wade 8-15 4-8 20, Allen 2-5 0-0 4, Cole 3-6 0-0 9, Andersen 2-3 4-6 8, Battier 0-4 0-0 0, Lewis 1-3 0-0 3. Totals 37-70 18-27 103.

Washington 27 21 16 29—93

Miami 33 28 26 16—103

3-Point Goals—Washington 12-30 (Beal 4-8, Ariza 3-9, Webster 2-4, Gortat 1-1, Maynor 1-1, Wall 1-4, Harrington 0-3), Miami 11-27 (Cole 3-4, James 3-5, Bosh 2-3, Chalmers 2-4, Lewis 1-3, Allen 0-2, Wade 0-2, Battier 0-4). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Washington 47 (Gortat 11), Miami 47 (Bosh 7). Assists—Washington 22 (Wall 9), Miami 32 (Chalmers 8). Total Fouls—Washington 26, Miami 18. Technicals—Washington defensive three second, Miami defensive three second 2. Flagrant Fouls—Ariza. A—19,600 (19,600).

CELTICS 87, PISTONS 77

BOSTON (77): Wallace 2-6 0-0 5, Bass 2-8 2-2 6, Faverani 4-6 0-0 8, Bradley 6-14 0-0 13, Green 3-5 1-1 7, Crawford 5-10 2-2 13, Lee 2-5 2-2 6, Sullinger 1-6 2-2 4, Bogans 0-1 0-0 0, Olynyk 6-11 3-3 15, Brooks 0-2 0-0 0. Totals 31-74 12-12 77.

DETROIT (87): Smith 7-15 1-3 15, Monroe 7-14 1-4 15, Drummond 7-13 1-4 15, Bynum 2-5 0-0 4, Billups 2-4 0-0 5, Jennings 5-12 3-6 14, Stuckey 1-5 8-9 10, Singler 2-6 3-3 7, Jerebko 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 34-76 17-29 87.

Boston 21 14 23 19—77

Detroit 24 21 18 24—87

3-Point Goals—Boston 3-16 (Bradley 1-2, Wallace 1-3, Crawford 1-4, Faverani 0-1, Bogans 0-1, Olynyk 0-1, Sullinger 0-2, Lee 0-2), Detroit 2-13 (Jennings 1-2, Billups 1-3, Stuckey 0-1, Singler 0-1, Bynum 0-2, Smith 0-4). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Boston 43 (Bass, Olynyk, Bradley 8), Detroit 54 (Drummond 12). Assists—Boston 15 (Bradley, Bass 3), Detroit 16 (Jennings, Bynum 4). Total Fouls—Boston 22, Detroit 15. Technicals—Crawford. A—14,578 (22,076).

MAGIC 107, NETS 86

BROOKLYN (86): Pierce 6-11 4-4 16, Garnett 3-11 2-2 8, Lopez 8-15 5-5 21, Williams 4-12 0-0 9, Johnson 1-5 0-0 2, Blatche 1-7 0-0 2, Livingston 3-5 0-0 6, Anderson 2-5 2-2 7, Terry 3-5 0-0 8, Kirilenko 1-5 1-2 3, Evans 0-1 0-0 0, Teletovic 1-6 0-0 2, Plumlee 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 34-89 14-15 86.

ORLANDO (107): Harkless 3-8 2-4 10, Maxiell 3-6 0-0 6, Vucevic 9-14 1-2 19, Nelson 5-15 0-0 11, Afflalo 5-14 3-5 16, Oladipo 8-13 3-4 19, Nicholson 6-13 5-5 17, Moore 2-3 0-0 5, O'Quinn 1-2 2-2 4, Price 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 42-89 16-22 107.

Brooklyn 22 16 21 27—86

Orlando 22 19 33 33—107

3-Point Goals—Brooklyn 4-17 (Terry 2-2, Williams 1-3, Anderson 1-3, Blatche 0-1, Garnett 0-1, Teletovic 0-2, Johnson 0-2, Pierce 0-3), Orlando 7-17 (Afflalo 3-5, Harkless 2-2, Moore 1-1, Nelson 1-5, Oladipo 0-1, Nicholson 0-3). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Brooklyn 45 (Pierce 7), Orlando 64 (Vucevic 12). Assists—Brooklyn 23 (Livingston, Williams 7), Orlando 19 (Afflalo 8). Total Fouls—Brooklyn 23, Orlando 19. Technicals—Brooklyn defensive three second. A—15,297 (18,500).

THUNDER 103, SUNS 96

PHOENIX (96): Tucker 2-5 0-0 6, Frye 7-14 2-2 19, Plumlee 0-2 0-0 0, Bledsoe 7-17 10-12 26, Dragic 5-9 0-0 10, Mark.Morris 2-8 2-2 6, Marc.Morris 1-6 0-0 3, Green 7-14 2-2 21, Kravtsov 0-1 1-2 1, Smith 0-2 0-0 0, Christmas 1-2 1-2 4. Totals 32-80 18-22 96.

OKLAHOMA CITY (103): Durant 10-19 11-13 33, Ibaka 4-12 1-1 9, Perkins 1-3 1-2 3, Westbrook 5-16 11-14 21, Sefolosha 1-5 0-0 2, Lamb 3-5 2-2 8, Jackson 5-12 0-0 10, Collison 1-2 2-2 4, Fisher 3-4 3-3 9, Jones 1-1 0-0 2, Adams 1-3 0-0 2. Totals 35-82 31-37 103.

Phoenix 24 21 25 26—96

Oklahoma City 21 23 23 36—103

3-Point Goals—Phoenix 14-37 (Green 5-10, Frye 3-8, Tucker 2-4, Bledsoe 2-8, Christmas 1-2, Marc.Morris 1-3, Mark.Morris 0-1, Dragic 0-1), Oklahoma City 2-18 (Durant 2-5, Fisher 0-1, Ibaka 0-1, Lamb 0-2, Westbrook 0-2, Sefolosha 0-3, Jackson 0-4). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Phoenix 54 (Green 8), Oklahoma City 51 (Ibaka, Durant 10). Assists—Phoenix 21 (Bledsoe 14), Oklahoma City 20 (Westbrook 7). Total Fouls—Phoenix 23, Oklahoma City 22. Technicals—Oklahoma City defensive three second. A—18,203 (18,203).

TIMBERWOLVES 109, KNICKS 100

MINNESOTA (109): Brewer 3-8 4-6 10, Love 10-19 12-15 34, Pekovic 4-10 3-4 11, Rubio 3-11 2-2 8, Kev.Martin 9-12 7-9 30, Barea 3-8 0-0 7, Shved 1-2 0-0 3, Cunningham 0-4 0-0 0, Williams 2-5 1-2 6. Totals 35-79 29-38 109.

NEW YORK (100): Anthony 8-21 4-5 22, Bargnani 6-10 0-0 14, Chandler 3-4 4-4 10, Shumpert 5-8 0-0 12, Felton 3-12 2-2 8, Hardaway Jr. 3-12 0-0 6, Ken.Martin 3-4 0-0 6, Prigioni 2-5 0-0 5, World Peace 7-13 1-2 17. Totals 40-89 11-13 100.

Minnesota 40 24 29 16—109

New York 19 30 29 22—100

3-Point Goals—Minnesota 10-27 (Kev.Martin 5-5, Love 2-8, Shved 1-2, Williams 1-2, Barea 1-5, Brewer 0-2, Rubio 0-3), New York 9-32 (Bargnani 2-4, Shumpert 2-4, World Peace 2-5, Anthony 2-6, Prigioni 1-3, Felton 0-3, Hardaway Jr. 0-7). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Minnesota 51 (Love 15), New York 53 (Anthony 17). Assists—Minnesota 23 (Rubio 10), New York 21 (Felton 12). Total Fouls—Minnesota 16, New York 26. Technicals—Minnesota defensive three second, Ken.Martin, Prigioni, World Peace. A—19,812 (19,763).

LAKERS 105, HAWKS 103

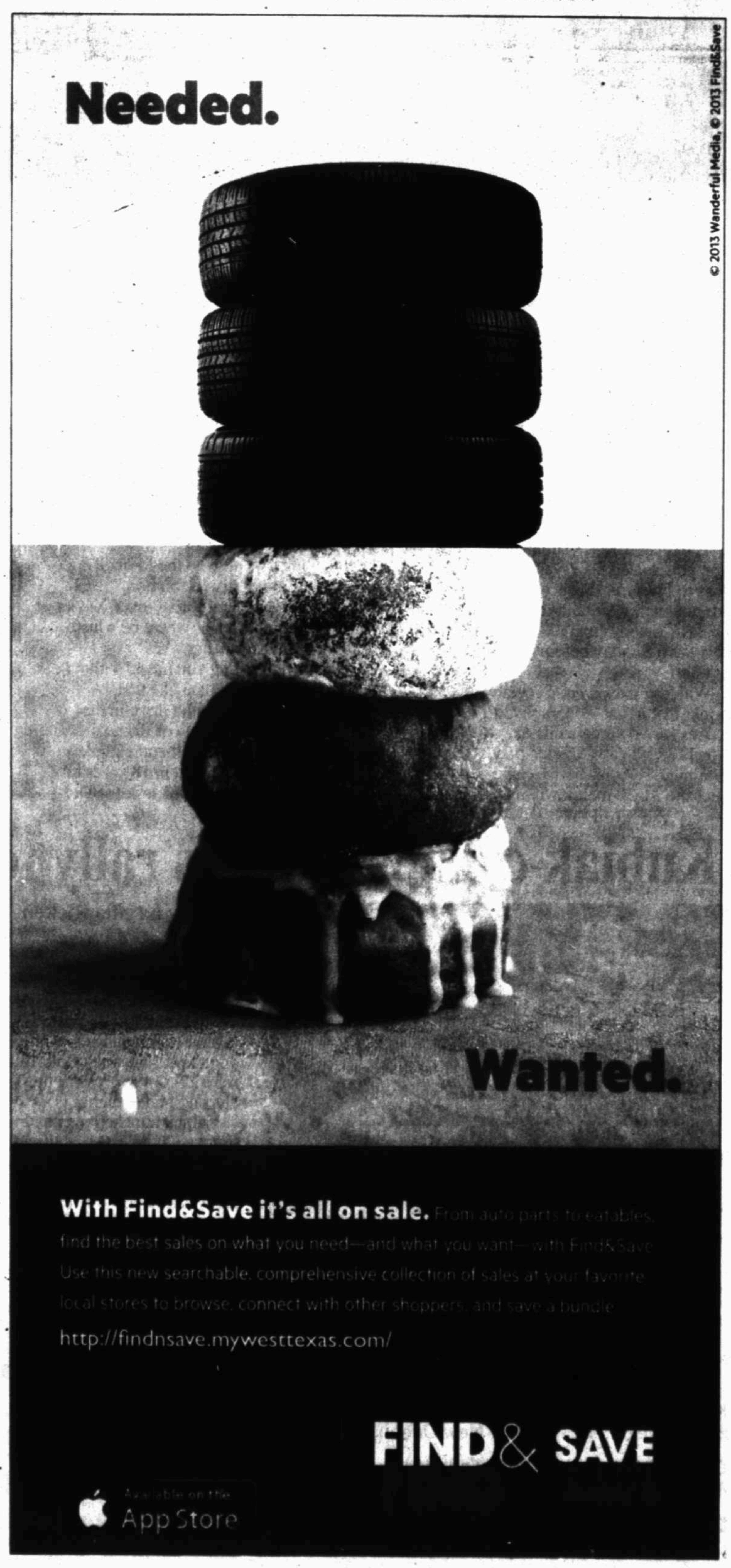
ATLANTA (103): Carroll 2-5 1-2 5, Millsap 4-9 6-10 14, Horford 5-12 2-4 12, Teague 7-18 0-0 14, Korver 8-10 0-0 22, Schroder 4-11 2-4 10, Scott 5-13 3-4 13, Martin 3-7 0-0 9, Brand 0-0 0-2 0, Jenkins 1-2 0-0 2, Antic 1-3 0-0 2. Totals 40-90 14-26 103.

L.A. LAKERS (105): Henry 5-11 6-8 18, S.Williams 3-5 0-0 7, Gasol 5-18 5-7 16, Nash 5-13 2-2 13, Blake 1-5 0-0 3, Kaman 5-7 0-0 10, Young 5-9 2-2 13, Farmar 2-8 0-0 5, Meeks 2-5 0-0 5, Johnson 3-6 3-3 9, Hill 2-2 2-2 6. Totals 38-89 20-24 105.

Atlanta 22 27 27 27—103

L.A. Lakers 33 29 26 17—105

3-Point Goals—Atlanta 9-22 (Korver 6-6, Martin 3-6, Scott 0-1, Antic 0-1, Schroder 0-2, Teague 0-3, Carroll 0-3), L.A. Lakers 9-25 (Henry 2-4, Meeks 1-2, S.Williams 1-2, Nash 1-2, Gasol 1-2, Young 1-4, Blake 1-4, Farmar 1-4, Johnson 0-1). Fouled Out—S.Williams. Rebounds—Atlanta 59 (Horford 16), L.A. Lakers 58 (Gasol 13). Assists—Atlanta 26 (Schroder, Korver, Teague, Millsap 4), L.A. Lakers 27 (Blake 7). Total Fouls—Atlanta 22, L.A. Lakers 24. A—18,997 (18,997).



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SUNDAY'S NFL ROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

EAGLES 49
RAIDERS 20

OAKLAND, Calif. — Nick Foles tied an NFL mark with seven touchdown passes and threw for 406 yards to revitalize Philadelphia in a 49-20 victory over the Oakland Raiders on Sunday.

The backup quarterback connected three times with Riley Cooper to become the seventh passer in NFL history with seven TD tosses in a game. Peyton Manning did it for Denver on opening night this season against Baltimore.

Foles also threw scoring passes to Brent Celek, Zach Ertz, LeSean McCoy and DeSean Jackson as the Eagles (4-5) looked nothing like the offense that failed to score a touchdown in each of the past two weeks.

Foles completed 22 of 28 passes as he frequently exploited mismatches and blown coverages, starting with a 42-yard screen pass to Cooper on the opening drive when the Raiders (3-5) had two defenders trying to match up with three receivers.

Foles tied the record with a 5-yard pass to Cooper with 4:28 remaining in the third quarter, matching the mark also held by Sid Luckman, Adrian Burk, George Blanda, Y.A. Tittle and Joe Kapp.

SEAHAWKS 27
BUCCANEERS 24, OT

SEATTLE — Steven Hauschka kicked a 27-yard field goal with 8:11 left in overtime, and the Seahawks overcame a 21-point deficit to beat the Buccaneers for their greatest comeback in franchise history.

Trailing 21-0, Russell Wilson rallied Seattle (8-1). He threw a 10-yard touchdown pass to Doug Baldwin with 1:51 left in regulation to pull the Seahawks even. Wilson then led Seattle on a nine-play, 51-yard drive in overtime capped by Hauschka's winner.

Tampa Bay fell to 0-8 for the first time since 1985 when the Buccaneers started the season 0-9. Mike James rush for a career-best 158 yards for the Buccaneers.

CHIEFS 23
BILLS 13

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y. — Sean Smith returned an interception 100 yards for a touchdown and Tamba Hali scored on an 11-yard fumble return in the Chiefs' win over Buffalo.

The defense made up for a sputtering offense that managed just 210 yards, and for its own deficiencies.

The Chiefs gave up a season-worst 470 yards to a Bills (3-6) offense that was led by undrafted rookie Jeff Tuel, making his first career start. Tuel finished 18 of 39 for 229 yards passing, including a 59-yard touchdown to Marquise Goodwin. Tuel, however, threw two interceptions that led to 10 points for the Chiefs.

Kansas City (9-0) remained the NFL's only undefeated team and matched the best start in franchise history set in 2003.

The Chiefs held an opponent to 17 points or fewer for the ninth straight time — matching the NFL record set by the Atlanta Falcons in 1977.

JETS 26
SAINTS 20

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — Nick Folk remained perfect this season by kicking four field goals, Rex Ryan's defense held Drew Brees and the high-scoring Saints to six points in the second half, and New York had seven plays of at least 19 yards in an upset of New Orleans.

Ryan is now 7-3 against his brother, Rob, and the Jets (5-4) maintained their string of alternating wins and losses. They tied the 2005 New England Patriots for the longest such string to begin a season, according to STATS.

Folk is 23 for 23 on field goals and 14 of 14 on extra points.

Interceptions by Demario Davis and Antonio Cromartie highlighted New York's solid defensive performance, and former Saints running back Chris Ivory rushed for 139 yards and a touchdown.

New Orleans (6-2) got two touchdown catches from Jimmy Graham, giving him 10 this season.

BROWNS 24
RAVENS 18

CLEVELAND — Jason Campbell threw three touchdown passes — two to Davone Bess — and the Browns ended an 11-game losing streak against Baltimore.

Campbell's 3-yard pass to Bess on fourth down with three minutes left helped the Browns (4-5) seal their first win over Baltimore since 2007.

The Ravens (3-5) lost their third straight and didn't win in the week following a bye for the first time in six tries under coach John Harbaugh.

Baltimore's Joe Flacco had a pair of TD passes to rookie Marlon Brown. Flacco finished 24 of 41 for 250 yards.

Making his second straight start after Brandon Weeden was benched, Campbell completed 23 of 35 passes for 262 yards. The nine-year veteran was at his best in the closing minutes, when the Browns ran 6:30 off the clock to finish off the Ravens, who have lost four of five.

PATRIOTS 55
STEELERS 31

FOXBOROUGH, Mass. — Tom Brady threw for season highs of 432 yards and four touchdowns, Rob Gronkowski had a career-high nine receptions and the Patriots racked up the most points ever scored against Pittsburgh.

Brady had 252 yards passing in the first half, more than he had in five of his other eight games for New England (7-2).

New England piled up 610 yards overall, third most in team history.

Three Patriots had more than 100 yards receiving, Gronkowski with 143, Aaron Dobson with 130 and Danny Amendola with 122.

Pittsburgh (2-6) wasted a solid performance by Ben Roethlisberger, who threw for 400 yards and four touchdowns with two interceptions.

PANTHERS 34
FALCONS 10

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — Cam Newton threw for one touchdown and ran for another to overcome a shaky start, the defense intercepted Matt Ryan three times and Carolina beat the Falcons for its fourth straight victory.

Newton had two first half interceptions and wasn't sharp on his deep balls, regularly overthrowing his receivers. Yet he bounced back to throw for 249 yards, including a 14-yard touchdown pass to tight end Greg Olsen. He also ran for an 8-yard touchdown for the Panthers (5-3).

Fullback Mike Tolbert scored his fifth touchdown in the last four games on a 4-yard burst and cornerback Drayton Florence intercepted Ryan and returned it 38 yards for a score to seal the win.

Ryan was 20 of 27 for 219 yards.

The Falcons (2-6) continued to struggle without Julio Jones and Roddy White. Tony Gonzalez had six catches for 81 yards and a touchdown but the Falcons were held to 78 yards rushing.

REDSKINS 30
CHARGERS 24, OT

LANDOVER, Md. — Darrel Young scored three times, including a 4-yard run in overtime that gave the Redskins a win over the Chargers.

Young stormed his way into the end zone 6:01 into the extra period, with the Redskins scoring on their first drive after winning the coin toss at the end of regulation.

Washington blew a 10-point lead in the final minutes of the fourth quarter, but a goal-line stand at the 1-yard line helped send the game to overtime.

Robert Griffin III completed 23 of 32 passes for 291 yards with one interception and ran six times for 17 yards, including a 10-yard ramble that ended when he was flung to the turf by Thomas Keiser near the sideline.

Alfred Morris rushed 25 times for 121 yards and a score, Pierre Garcon had seven receptions for 172 yards, and the defense intercepted Philip Rivers twice as the Redskins (3-5), despite their record, remained competitive in the weak NFC East.

Rivers was 29 for 46 for 341 yards with two touchdowns for the Chargers (4-4).

TITANS 28
RAMS 21

ST. LOUIS — Chris Johnson ran for 150 yards and two touchdowns and the Titans got the best of Jeff Fisher, who coached them for 16 seasons, and the Rams.

Johnson's 19-yard scoring run snapped a tie with 2:54 to go and came a snap after Jurrell Casey sacked and stripped quarterback Kellen Clemens, and Derrick Morgan recovered.

The Rams (3-6) got a second straight 100-yard game from rookie Zac Stacy, who had 127 yards on 27 carries and two touchdowns.

The Titans (4-4) snapped a three-game losing streak and won after their bye against a team on short rest.

The 100-yard game was Johnson's first since Week 7 last season against Buffalo. In the previous four games, he'd totaled 110 yards with a 2.4-yard average per carry.

BASIN NFL CONNECTION

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Winston

ERIC WINSTON
OT, ARIZONA CARDINALS
(LEE HIGH SCHOOL)

Winston and the Cardinals had a bye this week, and will take on the Houston Texans in Arizona next Sunday.

Tannehill

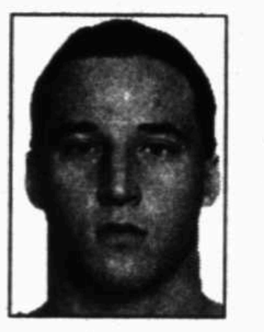
RYAN TANNEHILL
QB, MIAMI DOLPHINS
(BIG SPRING HIGH SCHOOL)

Tannehill was efficient in a 22-20 upset victory in overtime for the Dolphins against the Cincinnati Bengals on Thursday. Tannehill completed 20 of 28 passes for 208 yards with no TDs or interceptions, but he did have a 1-yard rushing touchdown.

Cannon

MARCUS CANNON
OL, NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS
(ODESSA HIGH SCHOOL)

Cannon started at right tackle for the Patriots in their 55-31 victory against the Pittsburgh Steelers on Sunday in Foxborough, Mass. Quarterback Tom Brady threw for 432 yards and four touchdowns. He was sacked three times in the game.



Bird

BRONT BIRD
LB, SAN DIEGO CHARGERS
(ODESSA PERMIAN HIGH SCHOOL)

Bird entered Sunday's game against the Washington Redskins as a defensive replacement at linebacker and had one assisted tackle in the game. The Chargers lost, 30-24, in overtime.

NFL STANDINGS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
New England	7	2	0	.778	234	175	5-0-0	2-2-0	4-2-0	3-0-0	3-1-0
N.Y. Jets	5	4	0	.556	169	231	4-1-0	1-3-0	2-4-0	3-0-0	2-1-0
Miami	4	4	0	.500	174	187	2-2-0	2-2-0	3-3-0	1-1-0	0-2-0
Buffalo	3	6	0	.333	189	236	2-3-0	1-3-0	2-5-0	1-1-0	1-2-0

South

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Indianapolis	6	2	0	.750	214	155	3-1-0	3-1-0	4-2-0	2-0-0	2-0-0
Tennessee	4	4	0	.500	173	167	2-2-0	2-2-0	3-2-0	1-2-0	0-1-0
Houston	2	6	0	.250	146	221	1-3-0	1-3-0	2-3-0	0-3-0	1-1-0
Jacksonville	0	8	0	.000	86	264	0-4-0	0-4-0	0-5-0	0-3-0	0-1-0

North

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Cincinnati	6	3	0	.667	217	166	4-0-0	2-3-0	4-2-0	2-1-0	1-1-0
Cleveland	4	5	0	.444	172	197	3-2-0	1-3-0	3-3-0	1-2-0	2-1-0
Baltimore	3	5	0	.375	168	172	2-1-0	1-4-0	3-4-0	0-1-0	1-2-0
Pittsburgh	2	6	0	.250	156	208	1-2-0	1-4-0	2-4-0	0-2-0	1-1-0

West

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Kansas City	9	0	0	1.000	215	111	5-0-0	4-0-0	6-0-0	3-0-0	1-0-0
Denver	7	1	0	.875	343	218	5-0-0	2-1-0	3-1-0	4-0-0	1-0-0
San Diego	4	4	0	.500	192	174	2-1-0	2-3-0	2-3-0	2-1-0	0-1-0
Oakland	3	5	0	.375	146	199	3-2-0	0-3-0	3-3-0	0-2-0	1-2-0

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	NFC	AFC	Div
Dallas	5	4	0	.556	257	209	4-1-0	1-3-0	5-1-0	0-3-0	3-0-0
Philadelphia	4	5	0	.444	225	231	0-4-0	4-1-0	3-2-0	1-3-0	2-2-0
Washington	3	5	0	.375	203	253	2-2-0	1-3-0	1-4-0	2-1-0	0-2-0
N.Y. Giants	2	6	0	.250	141	223	1-2-0	1-4-0	2-4-0	0-2-0	1-2-0

South

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	NFC	AFC	Div
New Orleans	6	2	0	.750	216	146	4-0-0	2-2-0	4-0-0	2-2-0	2-0-0
Carolina	5	3	0	.625	204	106	3-1-0	2-2-0	5-2-0	0-1-0	2-0-0
Atlanta	2	6	0	.250	176	218	2-2-0	0-4-0	2-3-0	0-3-0	1-2-0
Tampa Bay	0	8	0	.000	124	190	0-4-0	0-4-0	0-6-0	0-2-0	0-3-0

North

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	NFC	AFC	Div
Green Bay	5	2	0	.714	212	158	3-0-0	2-2-0	3-1-0	2-1-0	2-0-0
Detroit	5	3	0	.625	217	197	3-1-0	2-2-0	4-2-0	1-1-0	2-1-0
Chicago	4	3	0	.571	213	206	3-1-0	1-2-0	2-3-0	2-0-0	1-1-0
Minnesota	1	7	0	.125	186	252	1-3-0	0-4-0	0-6-0	1-1-0	0-3-0

West

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	NFC	AFC	Div
Seattle	8	1	0	.889	232	149	4-0-0	4-1-0	5-0-0	3-1-0	3-0-0
San Francisco	6	2	0	.750	218	145	3-1-0	3-1-0	3-1-0	3-1-0	2-1-0
Arizona	4	4	0	.500	160	174	3-1-0	1-3-0	4-4-0	0-0-0	0-3-0
St. Louis	3	6	0	.333	186	226	2-3-0	1-3-0	1-5-0	2-1-0	1-2-0

Thursday's Score
Miami 22, Cincinnati 20, OT

Sunday's Scores
Dallas 27, Minnesota 23
Tennessee 28, St. Louis 21
Carolina 34, Atlanta 10
N.Y. Jets 26, New Orleans 20
Kansas City 23, Buffalo 13
Washington 30, San Diego 24, OT
Philadelphia 49, Oakland 20
Seattle 27, Tampa Bay 24, OT
Cleveland 24, Baltimore 18
New England 55, Pittsburgh 31
Indianapolis 27, Houston 24
Open: Arizona, Denver, Detroit, Jacksonville, N.Y. Giants, San Francisco

Today's Game
Chicago at Green Bay, 7:40 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 7
Washington at Minnesota, 7:25 p.m.

Sunday, Nov. 10
Detroit at Chicago, Noon
Philadelphia at Green Bay, Noon
Jacksonville at Tennessee, Noon
Cincinnati at Baltimore, Noon
St. Louis at Indianapolis, Noon
Seattle at Atlanta, Noon
Oakland at N.Y. Giants, Noon
Buffalo at Pittsburgh, Noon
Carolina at San Francisco, 3:05 p.m.
Denver at San Diego, 3:25 p.m.
Houston at Arizona, 3:25 p.m.
Dallas at New Orleans, 7:30 p.m.
Open: Cleveland, Kansas City, N.Y. Jets, New England

Monday, Nov. 11
Miami at Tampa Bay, 7:40 p.m.

TEXANS

From 1C

us tomorrow."

Andrew Luck got off to a slow start before throwing three second-half touchdowns to T.Y. Hilton to overcome an 18-point halftime deficit and give the AFC-South-leading Colts (6-2) the victory.

Case Keenum threw for 350 yards and three touchdowns in his second career start, but had trouble moving the offense after halftime as the Texans, up 21-3 when Kubiak collapsed, lost their sixth straight game after opening the season 2-0 with Super Bowl hopes.

Houston had a chance to tie it, but Randy Bullock's 55-yard field goal attempt as time expired sailed wide left.

The Colts took their first lead of the game when Hilton grabbed a 9-yard touchdown reception and Coby Fleener caught the 2-point conversion to make it 27-24 with 4 minutes left.

Bullock missed a field goal early in the fourth quarter and the Colts cut it to 24-19 when Luck found Hilton on a 58-yard touchdown pass two plays later.

Houston built the halftime on Keenum's three touchdown passes to Andre Johnson. Johnson had 190 yards receiving at halftime, but just 39 yards after that.

The Colts scored nine points in the third quarter, highlighted by a 10-yard TD pass from Luck to Hilton on a third-and-10 to make it 24-12.

Adam Vinatieri kicked field goals of 30 and 35 yards in the second and third quarters for the Colts.

Keenum hit Johnson, who had gotten in front of Vontae Davis, for a 62-yard touchdown pass on the third play of the game to give Houston a 7-0 lead. It was the first touchdown reception of the year for Johnson.

J.J. Watt blocked a field goal attempt by the Colts on their first possession and rookie D.J. Swearinger returned it 37 yards.

But Houston couldn't convert and Indianapolis got the ball back when Ben Tate was stuffed on fourth-and-1 from the Indianapolis 16.

Johnson added a 41-yard touchdown reception with 4:21 left in the first quarter. It marked the first time since 2010 that Johnson caught two TD passes in a game.

The Colts had a first down at the Houston 7 late in the first quarter after a 46-yard pass interference call on Kareem Jackson. But the Texans sacked Luck on second down and an incompletion on third down forced Indianapolis to settle for a 30-yard field goal that made it 14-3.

SUNDAY'S BOXES

FROM WIRE REPORTS

COLTS 27, TEXANS 24

Indianapolis	0	3	9	15	—27
Houston	14	7	3	0	—24

First Quarter
Hou—A.Johnson 62 pass from Keenum (Bullock kick), 14:00.
Hou—A.Johnson 41 pass from Keenum (Bullock kick), 4:13.
Second Quarter
Ind—FG Vinatieri 30, 3:30.
Hou—A.Johnson 5 pass from Keenum (Bullock kick), :34.
Third Quarter
Ind—FG Vinatieri 35, 11:54.
Hou—FG Bullock 43, 4:25.
Ind—Hilton 10 pass from Luck (pass failed), :05.
Fourth Quarter
Ind—Hilton 58 pass from Luck (Vinatieri kick), 9:46.
Ind—Hilton 9 pass from Luck (Fleener pass from Luck), 4:00.
A—71,778.

	Ind	Hou
First downs	17	22
Total Net Yards	314	483
Rushes-yards	14-69	33-143
Passing	245	340
Comp-Att-Int	18-40-0	20-34-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	4-26	1-10
Punts	5-44.4	4-41.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	3-15	5-86
Time of Possession	23:48	36:12

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Indianapolis, D.Brown 6-49, Richardson 8-20. Houston, Tate 22-81, D.Johnson 8-36, Keenum 3-26.
PASSING—Indianapolis, Luck 18-40-0-271. Houston, Keenum 20-34-0-350.
RECEIVING—Indianapolis, Hilton 7-121, Fleener 3-64, Whalen 3-32, Richardson 2-33, Heyward-Bey 1-11, Brazill 1-9, Havili 1-1. Houston, A.Johnson 9-229, G.Graham 4-46, Hopkins 3-54, Posey 3-23, Tate 1-(minus 2).
MISSED FIELD GOALS—Indianapolis, Vinatieri 42 (BK). Houston, Bullock 49 (WL), 43 (WR), 55 (WL).

REDSKINS 30, CHARGERS 24, OT

San Diego	0	14	0	10	0	—24
Washington	0	7	7	10	6	—30

Second Quarter
SD—Lissemore 0 interception return (Novak kick), 11:35.
Was—Morris 5 run (Forbath kick), 5:25.
SD—Royal 15 pass from Rivers (Novak kick), :42.
Third Quarter
Was—Young 1 run (Forbath kick), 9:43.
Fourth Quarter
Was—Young 1 run (Forbath kick), 14:17.
Was—FG Forbath 47, 6:59.
SD—Allen 16 pass from Rivers (Novak kick), 4:10.
SD—FG Novak 19, :03.
Overtime
Was—Young 4 run, 8:59.
A—80,115.

	SD	Was
First downs	25	27
Total Net Yards	410	500
Rushes-yards	16-69	40-209
Passing	341	291
Comp-Att-Int	29-46-2	23-32-1
Sacked-Yards Lost	1-0	0-0
Punts	4-40.0	3-41.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	7-63	7-65
Time of Possession	25:58	40:03

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—San Diego, Mathews 7-34, Woodhead 7-21, Rivers 2-14. Washington, Morris 25-121, Helu Jr. 2-23, Moss 1-18, Reed 1-18, Griffin III 6-17, Young 5-12.
PASSING—San Diego, Rivers 29-46-2-341. Washington, Griffin III 23-32-1-291.
RECEIVING—San Diego, Woodhead 9-77, Allen 8-128, Gates 6-53, Royal 4-56, V.Brown 1-17, Green 1-10. Washington, Garcon 7-172, Hankerson 5-55, Reed 4-37, Paulsen 3-9, Helu Jr. 1-6, Paul 1-6, A.Robinson 1-4, Moss 1-2.
MISSED FIELD GOALS—Washington, Forbath 25 (BK), 59 (BK).

JETS 26, SAINTS 20

New Orleans	7	7	3	3	—20
N.Y. Jets	3	17	3	3	—26

First Quarter
NYJ—FG Folk 39, 5:41.
NO—Graham 51 pass from Brees (Hartley kick), 2:45.
Second Quarter
NYJ—FG Folk 21, 10:04.
NO—Graham 10 pass from Brees (Hartley kick), 7:51.
NYJ—Ivory 3 run (Folk kick), 2:39.
NYJ—Smith 3 run (Folk kick), :37.
Third Quarter
NYJ—FG Folk 47, 11:57.
NO—FG Hartley 55, 1:46.
Fourth Quarter
NYJ—FG Folk 45, 11:56.
NO—FG Hartley 43, 3:08.
A—76,957.

	NO	NYJ
First downs	23	14
Total Net Yards	407	338
Rushes-yards	13-41	36-198
Passing	366	140
Comp-Att-Int	30-51-2	9-20-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-16	2-0
Punts	2-41.0	5-44.4
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	9-59	8-62
Time of Possession	29:32	30:28

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—New Orleans, Thomas 6-24, Ingram 4-19, Collins 1-7, Brees 1-(minus 1), Hill 1-(minus 8). N.Y. Jets, Ivory 18-139, Powell 9-29, Smith 6-18, Cribbs 3-12.
PASSING—New Orleans, Brees 30-51-2-382. N.Y. Jets, Smith 8-19-0-115, Cribbs 1-1-0-25.
RECEIVING—New Orleans, Graham 9-116, Thomas 7-66, Moore 6-70, Meachem 4-93, Stills 3-35, Sproles 1-2. N.Y. Jets, Salas 2-57, Sudfeld 2-46, Cribbs 2-6, Nelson 1-19, Bohanon 1-11, Kerley 1-1.
MISSED FIELD GOALS—New Orleans, Hartley 43 (WL).

CHIEFS 23, BILLS 13

Kansas City	0	3	10	10	—23
Buffalo	7	3	3	0	—13

First Quarter
Buf—Goodwin 59 pass from Tuel (Carpenter kick), 1:52.
Second Quarter
KC—FG Succop 27, 7:30.
Buf—FG Carpenter 26, 1:47.
Third Quarter
KC—S.Smith 100 interception return (Succop kick), 10:58.
KC—FG Succop 41, 3:57.
Buf—FG Carpenter 30, :20.
Fourth Quarter
KC—Hali 11 fumble return (Succop kick), 12:47.
KC—FG Succop 39, 2:13.
A—68,159.

	KC	Buf
First downs	15	25
Total Net Yards	210	470
Rushes-yards	23-95	38-241
Passing	115	229
Comp-Att-Int	19-29-0	18-39-2
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-9	0-0
Punts	6-52.8	3-36.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	5-38	6-48
Time of Possession	29:46	30:14

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Kansas City, Charles 17-90, A.Smith 4-7, Sherman 1-2, McCluster 1-(minus 4). Buffalo, Spiller 12-116, Jackson 16-77, Choice 5-17, Tuel 3-17, Johnson 1-10, Summers 1-4.
PASSING—Kansas City, A.Smith 19-29-0-124. Buffalo, Tuel 18-39-2-229.
RECEIVING—Kansas City, Bowe 7-67, Charles 6-6, Avery 3-22, McCluster 2-9, Fasano 1-20. Buffalo, Johnson 5-36, Woods 4-44, Chandler 3-26, Goodwin 2-64, Spiller 2-39, Jackson 1-22, Graham 1-(minus 2).
MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

PANTHERS 34, FALCONS 10

Atlanta	0	10	0	0	—10
Carolina	7	7	3	17	—34

First Quarter
Car—Tolbert 4 run (Gano kick), 6:13.
Second Quarter
Atl—FG Bryant 28, 14:09.
Car—Olsen 14 pass from Newton (Gano kick), 4:14.
Atl—Gonzalez 17 pass from Ryan (Bryant kick), 1:55.
Third Quarter
Car—FG Gano 55, 12:00.
Fourth Quarter
Car—Newton 8 run (Gano kick), 9:00.
Car—Florence 38 interception return (Gano kick), 8:30.
Car—FG Gano 20, 1:13.
A—73,720.

	Atl	Car
First downs	12	27
Total Net Yards	289	373
Rushes-yards	20-78	33-131
Passing	211	242
Comp-Att-Int	20-27-3	23-37-2
Sacked-Yards Lost	1-8	1-7
Punts	5-45.0	3-42.7
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	7-59	2-15
Time of Possession	23:35	36:25

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Atlanta, Jackson 13-57, Rodgers 5-19, Ryan 2-2. Carolina, Stewart 9-43, D.Williams 13-42, Tolbert 6-24, Newton 5-22.
PASSING—Atlanta, Ryan 20-27-3-219. Carolina, Newton 23-37-2-249.
RECEIVING—Atlanta, Gonzalez 6-81, Rodgers 6-25, Douglas 3-82, Jackson 3-19, D.Johnson 1-10, Dr.Davis 1-2. Carolina, LaFell 6-74, Olsen 4-66, Smith 4-52, Stewart 3-22, Tolbert 3-13, D.Williams 2-12, Ginn Jr. 1-10.
MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

TITANS 28, RAMS 21

Tennessee	7	0	7	14	—28
St. Louis	0	7	7	7	—21

First Quarter
Ten—Greene 5 run (Bironas kick), 11:53.
Second Quarter
StL—Stacy 3 run (Zuerlein kick), 9:37.
Third Quarter
StL—Stacy 9 run (Zuerlein kick), 9:09.
Ten—C.Johnson 14 run (Bironas kick), 4:58.
Fourth Quarter
Ten—Locker 5 run (Bironas kick), 9:42.
StL—Cook 10 pass from Clemens (Zuerlein kick), 6:15.
Ten—C.Johnson 19 run (Bironas kick), 2:54.
A—54,617.

	Ten	StL
First downs	22	21
Total Net Yards	363	363
Rushes-yards	35-198	32-160
Passing	165	203
Comp-Att-Int	13-22-2	20-35-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	4-20	2-7
Punts	5-45.6	5-48.4
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-2
Penalties-Yards	3-30	6-44
Time of Possession	27:09	32:51

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Tennessee, C.Johnson 23-150, Greene 9-38, Locker 3-10. St. Louis, Stacy 27-127, Clemens 1-16, Cunningham 3-11, Austin 1-6.
PASSING—Tennessee, Locker 13-22-2-185. St. Louis, Clemens 20-35-0-210.
RECEIVING—Tennessee, Wright 3-69, C.Johnson 3-20, Hunter 2-13, Walker 2-13, Greene 1-28, Mooney 1-22, Williams 1-20. St. Louis, Stacy 6-51, Givens 4-55, Cook 3-36, Kendricks 3-13, Quick 2-30, Pettis 1-13, Bailey 1-12.
MISSED FIELD GOALS—St. Louis, Zuerlein 44 (WR).

EAGLES 49, RAIDERS 21

Philadelphia	7	21	21	0	—49
Oakland	3	10	0	7	—20

First Quarter
Phi—Celek 2 pass from Foles (Henery kick), 5:18.
Oak—FG Janikowski 24, 2:02.
Second Quarter
Phi—Cooper 17 pass from Foles (Henery kick), 14:17.
Phi—Cooper 63 pass from Foles (Henery kick), 11:17.
Oak—Jennings 8 run (Janikowski kick), 7:34.
Phi—Ertz 15 pass from Foles (Henery kick), 4:03.
Oak—FG Janikowski 53, :03.
Third Quarter
Phi—McCoy 25 pass from Foles (Henery kick), 14:14.
Phi—Jackson 46 pass from Foles (Henery kick), 11:33.
Phi—Cooper 5 pass from Foles (Henery kick), 4:28.
Fourth Quarter
Oak—Stewart 2 run (Janikowski kick), :52.
A—51,751.

	Phi	Oak
First downs	21	29
Total Net Yards	542	560
Rushes-yards	24-128	33-210
Passing	414	350
Comp-Att-Int	24-31-0	29-56-2
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-5	3-25
Punts	6-43.2	7-45.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	2-0
Penalties-Yards	7-52	8-70
Time of Possession	22:06	37:54

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Philadelphia, Brown 7-54, McCoy 12-44, Cooper 0-18, Foles 3-14, Barkley 2-(minus 2). Oakland, Jennings 15-102, Pryor 10-94, McFadden 5-12, Stewart 2-2, Reece 1-0.
PASSING—Philadelphia, Foles 22-28-0-406, Barkley 2-3-0-13. Oakland, Pryor 22-41-2-288, McGloin 7-15-0-87.
RECEIVING—Philadelphia, Jackson 5-150, Cooper 5-139, Ertz 5-42, McCoy 4-36, Celek 3-27, Maehl 1-19, Brown 1-6. Oakland, Jennings 7-74, Streater 5-98, D.Moore 5-82, Rivera 4-36, Criner 3-32, Ford 2-28, Reece 2-22, McFadden 1-3.
MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

SEAHAWKS 27, BUCCANEERS 24

Tampa Bay	0	21	3	0	0	—24
Seattle	0	7	7	10	3	—27

Second Quarter
TB—Wright 12 pass from Glennon (Lindell kick), 11:50.
TB—Underwood 20 pass from Glennon (Lindell kick), 2:55.
TB—Crabtree 2 pass from James (Lindell kick), 2:16.
Sea—Kearse 16 pass from Wilson (Hauschka kick), 1:40.
Third Quarter
TB—FG Lindell 33, 9:48.
Sea—Wilson 10 run (Hauschka kick), 5:00.
Fourth Quarter
Sea—FG Hauschka 36, 14:47.
Sea—Baldwin 10 pass from Wilson (Hauschka kick), 1:51.
Overtime
Sea—FG Hauschka 27, 8:11.
A—67,873.

	TB	Sea
First downs	24	26
Total Net Yards	350	415
Rushes-yards	38-205	35-198
Passing	145	217
Comp-Att-Int	18-24-0	19-26-2
Sacked-Yards Lost	3-25	0-0
Punts	6-44.7	2-42.5
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	8-99	6-67
Time of Possession	36:37	30:12

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Tampa Bay, James 28-158, Leonard 5-20, Dawson 1-14, Glennon 4-13. Seattle, Lynch 21-125, Turbin 8-37, Wilson 6-36.
PASSING—Tampa Bay, Glennon 17-23-0-168, James 1-1-0-2. Seattle, Wilson 19-26-2-217.
RECEIVING—Tampa Bay, Wright 4-58, Leonard 4-48, Lorig 3-14, Underwood 2-29, Jackson 2-11, James 2-8, Crabtree 1-2. Seattle, Baldwin 6-75, Lynch 4-16, Miller 3-49, Tate 3-29, Kearse 2-43, Lockette 1-5.
MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

BROWNS 24, RAVENS 18

Baltimore	3	7	0	8	—18
Cleveland	7	7	7	3	—24

First Quarter
Cle—Bess 1 pass from Campbell (Cundiff kick), 8:24.
Bal—FG Tucker 51, 3:38.
Second Quarter
Cle—Bess 20 pass from Campbell (Cundiff kick), 10:08.
Bal—M.Brown 19 pass from Flacco (Tucker kick), :09.
Third Quarter
Cle—Barnidge 4 pass from Campbell (Cundiff kick), 5:11.
Fourth Quarter
Bal—M.Brown 7 pass from Flacco (M.Brown pass from Flacco), 12:09.
Cle—FG Cundiff 22, :14.
A—71,513.

	Bal	Cle
First downs	18	19
Total Net Yards	278	315
Rushes-yards	21-55	28-73
Passing	223	242
Comp-Att-Int	24-41-1	24-37-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	5-27	3-18
Punts	7-42.6	7-48.1
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-1
Penalties-Yards	9-80	6-55
Time of Possession	29:10	30:50

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Baltimore, Flacco 3-25, Rice 11-17, Pierce 6-11, Leach 1-2. Cleveland, McGahee 21-31, Campbell 3-20, Whittaker 2-11, Gordon 1-10, Gray 1-1.
PASSING—Baltimore, Flacco 24-41-1-250. Cleveland, Campbell 23-35-0-262, Weeden 1-2-0-(minus 2).
RECEIVING—Baltimore, T.Smith 5-78, M.Brown 5-54, J.Jones 4-27, Thompson 3-24, Rice 3-21, Doss 2-29, Clark 1-14, Dickson 1-3. Cleveland, Little 7-122, Ogbonnaya 5-39, Gordon 3-44, Bess 3-24, Whittaker 3-13, Edwards 1-10, Barnidge 1-4, Cameron 1-4.
MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

PATRIOTS 55, STEELERS 31

Pittsburgh	0	10	14	7	—31
New England	7	17	3	28	—55

First Quarter
NE—Amendola 34 pass from Brady (Gostkowski kick), 4:00.
Second Quarter
NE—Gronkowski 19 pass from Brady (Gostkowski kick), 10:30.
Pit—FG Suisham 30, 7:36.
NE—FG Gostkowski 20, 3:51.
Pit—A.Brown 27 pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick), 1:55.
NE—Ridley 1 run (Gostkowski kick), :10.
Third Quarter
Pit—Cotchery 20 pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick), 11:02.
Pit—Cotchery 8 pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick), 7:10.
NE—FG Gostkowski 32, 2:39.
Fourth Quarter
NE—Dobson 17 pass from Brady (Gostkowski kick), 13:46.
NE—Ridley 5 run (Gostkowski kick), 9:16.
Pit—Cotchery 6 pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick), 6:15.
NE—Dobson 81 pass from Brady (Gostkowski kick), 5:15.
NE—Blount 5 run (Gostkowski kick), 2:41.
A—68,756.

	Pit	NE
First downs	24	33
Total Net Yards	479	610
Rushes-yards	20-108	35-197
Passing	371	413
Comp-Att-Int	28-48-2	23-33-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	5-29	3-19
Punts	3-46.7	2-50.5
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-1
Penalties-Yards	8-96	3-30
Time of Possession	31:12	28:48

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Pittsburgh, Bell 16-74, Dwyer 1-30, F.Jones 1-5, Roethlisberger 2-(minus 1). New England, Ridley 26-115, Blount 5-47, Bolden 3-36, Brady 1-(minus 1).
PASSING—Pittsburgh, Roethlisberger 28-48-2-400. New England, Brady 23-33-0-432.
RECEIVING—Pittsburgh, Cotchery 7-96, Sanders 6-98, A.Brown 5-71, Bell 4-65, Miller 4-43, Dwyer 1-23, F.Jones 1-4. New England, Gronkowski 9-143, Dobson 5-130, Amendola 4-122, Ridley 3-9, Hoomanawanui 1-17, Edelman 1-11.
MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

AUTO RACING RESULTS

Sprint Cup

AAA Texas 500 Results
Sunday
At Texas Motor Speedway
Fort Worth
Lap length: 1.5 miles
(Start position in parentheses)

1. (3) Jimmie Johnson, Chevrolet, 334 laps, 150 rating, 48 points, $484,211.
2. (7) Dale Earnhardt Jr., Chevrolet, 334, 115, 42, $337,810.
3. (12) Joey Logano, Ford, 334, 117.7, 42, $251,193.
4. (6) Matt Kenseth, Toyota, 334, 119.4, 41, $238,776.
5. (11) Kasey Kahne, Chevrolet, 334, 105.1, 39, $180,585.
6. (2) Brad Keselowski, Ford, 334, 112.5, 39, $204,726.
7. (14) Denny Hamlin, Toyota, 334, 93.7, 37, $160,960.
8. (19) Kevin Harvick, Chevrolet, 334, 98.7, 36, $175,621.
9. (13) Ryan Newman, Chevrolet, 334, 89.4, 36, $161,593.
10. (26) Clint Bowyer, Toyota, 334, 96.6, 34, $160,968.
11. (33) Mark Martin, Chevrolet, 334, 86.7, 33, $161,185.
12. (18) Greg Biffle, Ford, 334, 86.1, 33, $129,760.
13. (5) Kyle Busch, Toyota, 334, 102.3, 32, $153,368.
14. (15) Martin Truex Jr., Toyota, 334, 90.2, 30, $141,685.
15. (4) Paul Menard, Chevrolet, 333, 80.4, 29, $139,476.
16. (9) Ricky Stenhouse Jr., Ford, 332, 78.1, 28, $153,896.
17. (31) Kurt Busch, Chevrolet, 332, 70.5, 27, $133,505.
18. (23) Parker Kligerman, Toyota, 332, 61.8, 0, $124,868.
19. (25) Elliott Sadler, Toyota, 331, 63.5, 0, $114,235.
20. (16) Juan Pablo Montoya, Chevrolet, 331, 71.5, 24, $134,199.
21. (10) Marcos Ambrose, Ford, 331, 71, 23, $132,674.
22. (21) Austin Dillon, Chevrolet, 331, 62.4, 0, $121,243.
23. (36) Kyle Larson, Chevrolet, 331, 58.5, 0, $126,943.
24. (20) Jeff Burton, Chevrolet, 331, 61.5, 20, $112,485.
25. (30) Danica Patrick, Chevrolet, 331, 49.2, 19, $104,735.
26. (28) David Gilliland, Ford, 330, 52, 18, $115,543.
27. (17) Aric Almirola, Ford, 330, 63, 17, $140,521.
28. (39) David Reutimann, Toyota, 330, 45.8, 16, $112,832.
29. (32) Trevor Bayne, Ford, 330, 53, 0, $103,085.
30. (43) J.J. Yeley, Chevrolet, 329, 38.4, 14, $103,875.
31. (24) Jamie McMurray, Chevrolet, 329, 58.9, 13, $126,005.
32. (38) Travis Kvapil, Toyota, 329, 38.6, 12, $107,435.
33. (27) Casey Mears, Ford, 328, 39.5, 11, $107,235.
34. (37) Landon Cassill, Chevrolet, 328, 36.9, 0, $99,010.
35. (42) Dave Blaney, Chevrolet, 326, 32.5, 9, $98,810.
36. (41) Joe Nemechek, Toyota, rear gear, 190, 27.8, 0, $98,580.
37. (1) Carl Edwards, Ford, engine, 187, 88, 8, $152,951.
38. (8) Jeff Gordon, Chevrolet, 147, 62.7, 6, $139,736.
39. (34) Josh Wise, Ford, vibration, 145, 29.4, 0, $88,800.
40. (22) Bobby Labonte, Toyota, engine, 144, 42.1, 4, $92,800.
41. (40) Timmy Hill, Ford, engine, 125, 27.9, 3, $80,800.
42. (29) David Ragan, Ford, engine, 81, 42.2, 3, $84,800.
43. (35) Michael McDowell, Ford, vibration, 27, 27.5, 2, $73,300.

Race Statistics

Average Speed of Race Winner: 151.754 mph.

Time of Race: 3 hours, 18 minutes, 5 seconds.

Margin of Victory: 4.390 seconds.

Caution Flags: 5 for 26 laps.

Lead Changes: 28 among 10 drivers.

Lap Leaders: C.Edwards 1-9; J.Johnson 10-15; C.Edwards 16; M.McDowell 17; C.Edwards 18-32; J.Johnson 33-57; Ky.Busch 58; D.Ragan 59; C.Edwards 60-70; J.Johnson 71-74; C.Edwards 75; B.Keselowski 76-79; C.Edwards 80; B.Keselowski 81-91; J.Johnson 92-124; M.Kenseth 125-126; J.Johnson 127-171; M.Kenseth 172; J.Johnson 173-189; Ky.Busch 190; J.Johnson 191-239; R.Newman 240-241; B.Keselowski 242-255; J.Johnson 256; B.Keselowski 257; J.Johnson 258-298; J.Logano 299; G.Biffle 300; J.Johnson 301-334.

Leaders Summary (Driver, Times Led, Laps Led): J.Johnson, 10 times for 255 laps; C.Edwards, 6 times for 38 laps; B.Keselowski, 4 times for 30 laps; M.Kenseth, 2 times for 3 laps; R.Newman, 1 time for 2 laps; Ky.Busch, 2 times for 2 laps; J.Logano, 1 time for 1 lap; G.Biffle, 1 time for 1 lap; D.Ragan, 1 time for 1 lap; M.McDowell, 1 time for 1 lap.

Top 13 in Points: 1. J.Johnson, 2,342; 2. M.Kenseth, 2,335; 3. K.Harvick, 2,302; 4. Ky.Busch, 2,290; 5. D.Earnhardt Jr., 2,280; 6. J.Gordon, 2,273; 7. C.Bowyer, 2,273; 8. G.Biffle, 2,269; 9. J.Logano, 2,251; 10. Ku.Busch, 2,246; 11. C.Edwards, 2,226; 12. R.Newman, 2,224; 13. K.Kahne, 2,209.

NASCAR Driver Rating Formula

A maximum of 150 points can be attained in a race.

The formula combines the following categories: Wins, Finishes, Top-15 Finishes, Average Running Position While on Lead Lap, Average Speed Under Green, Fastest Lap, Led Most Laps, Lead-Lap Finish.

Formula One

Abu Dhabi Grand Prix Results
Sunday
At Yas Marina circuit
Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates
Lap length: 3.45 miles

1. Sebastian Vettel, Germany, Red Bull, 55 laps, 1:38:06.106, 118.046 mph.
2. Mark Webber, Australia, Red Bull, 55, 1:38:36.935.
3. Nico Rosberg, Germany, Mercedes, 55, 1:38:39.756.
4. Romain Grosjean, France, Lotus, 55, 1:38:40.908.
5. Fernando Alonso, Spain, Ferrari, 55, 1:39:13.287.
6. Paul di Resta, Scotland, Force India, 55, 1:39:24.280.
7. Lewis Hamilton, England, Mercedes, 55, 1:39:25.373.
8. Felipe Massa, Brazil, Ferrari, 55, 1:39:28.992.
9. Sergio Perez, Mexico, McLaren, 55, 1:39:37.304.
10. Adrian Sutil, Germany, Force India, 55, 1:39:39.363.
11. Pastor Maldonado, Venezuela, Williams, 55, 1:39:42.095.
12. Jenson Button, England, McLaren, 55, 1:39:49.873.
13. Esteban Gutierrez, Mexico, Sauber, 55, 1:39:50.401.
14. Nico Hulkenberg, Germany, Sauber, 54, +1 lap.
15. Valtteri Bottas, Finland, Williams, 54, +1 lap.
16. Daniel Ricciardo, Australia, Toro Rosso, 54, +1 lap.
17. Jean-Eric Vergne, France, Toro Rosso, 54, +1 lap.
18. Giedo van der Garde, Netherlands, Caterham, 54, +1 lap.
19. Charles Pic, France, Caterham, 54, +1 lap.
20. Jules Bianchi, France, Marussia, 53, +2 laps.
21. Max Chilton, England, Marussia, 53, +2 laps.

Not Classified

22. Kimi Raikkonen, Finland, Lotus, 0, Accident.

Drivers Standings
(After 17 of 19 races)

1. Sebastian Vettel, Germany, Red Bull, 347 points.
2. Fernando Alonso, Spain, Ferrari, 217.
3. Kimi Raikkonen, Finland, Lotus, 183.
4. Lewis Hamilton, England, Mercedes, 175.
5. Mark Webber, Australia, Red Bull, 166.
6. Nico Rosberg, Germany, Mercedes, 159.
7. Romain Grosjean, France, Lotus, 114.
8. Felipe Massa, Brazil, Ferrari, 106.
9. Jenson Button, England, McLaren, 60.
10. Paul di Resta, Scotland, Force India, 48.
11. Nico Hulkenberg, Germany, Sauber, 39.
12. Sergio Perez, Mexico, McLaren, 35.
13. Adrian Sutil, Germany, Force India, 29.
14. Daniel Ricciardo, Australia, Toro Rosso, 19.
15. Jean-Eric Vergne, France, Toro Rosso, 13.
16. Esteban Gutierrez, Mexico, Sauber, 6.
17. Pastor Maldonado, Venezuela, Williams, 1.

Constructors Standings

1. Red Bull, 513 points.
2. Mercedes, 334.
3. Ferrari, 323.
4. Lotus, 297.
5. McLaren, 95.
6. Force India, 77.
7. Sauber, 45.
8. Toro Rosso, 32.
9. Williams, 1.

JOHNSON

From 1C

going to come down to mistake."

Kenseth was running second behind Johnson for much of the first half of the race before getting penalized for speeding. That dropped Kenseth to 16th place and more than 28 seconds back, though the No. 20 Joe Gibbs Racing Toyota recovered to finish fourth.

"We were just being too aggressive. Honestly, the 48 had us ... they were just dominant all weekend," Kenseth said. "That speeding penalty got us behind us. We definitely didn't need that, but really don't know if the end of the day that it really affected our finish much."

Johnson got his 66th career victory, and won at Texas for the second fall in a row. He has a record 24 Chase victories.

Last November, Johnson also left the Lone Star State with a seven-point lead. Brad Keselowski overcame that the last two races to give Roger Penske his first Cup championship.

Dale Earnhardt Jr. had his fifth runner-up finish of the season, rolling across the line more than 4 seconds after his Hendrick teammate. Earnhardt has finished in the top 10 of all but one of the eight Chase races so far, but has still gone 55 races since he has won.

Joey Logano finished third ahead of Kenseth.

At Phoenix, where the Chase goes next Sunday, Johnson is a four-time winner and finished second. His average finishing spot of 6.4 there is significantly better than the 17.2 for Kenseth, who had one victory at Phoenix and finished seventh there eight months ago.

Kenseth was running second just past the midway point at the high-banked 1 1/2-mile Texas track when Johnson pulled down pit road, a lap before Kenseth came in as the last to pit on a cycle of green-flag stops.

COWBOYS

From 1C

confident and there's never any change in his demeanor."

The same can't be said of Bryant. One week after the mercurial receiver made headlines for sideline outbursts he chalked up to his "passion" for the game, Bryant drew a 15-yard unsportsmanlike conduct penalty late in the third for arguing with the officials with his helmet off. He was upset he had been flagged for pass interference, which Minnesota declined.

The Vikings accepted Bryant's second infraction, forcing Dallas to punt rather than attempt a field goal of 50-plus yards while leading 20-17.

"I was shocked," Bryant said. "I didn't know that was a penalty."

Bryant also erred when he dropped a pass after Romo hit him in stride with Dallas still up 20-17 in the fourth. It was one of eight drops for the Cowboys.

"That was a touchdown," Bryant said. "I knew it before the ball was even thrown."

The Vikings went ahead 23-20 with 5:40 left on an 11-yard run by Adrian Peterson in which he carried three Cowboys into the end zone. Minnesota's Blair Walsh missed the extra point wide right.

On the ensuing possession after Peterson's TD, Romo threw an interception while trying to hit Terrance Williams on a sideline route. Four plays later, the Vikings punted, giving Romo a chance to redeem himself. With the pressure on, he delivered.

"I know a lot of people want to talk about some of these plays or games where things didn't work out," Garrett said. "But if you really look at his body of work and you look at it objectively, he's done this kind of stuff a lot.

"...Anybody who knows football and understands football and has followed our team, understands what a fantastic player he is. That was on display again today."

COWBOYS 27, VIKINGS 23

Minnesota	3	7	7	6	—23
Dallas	3	3	14	7	—27

First Quarter

Dal—FG Bailey 41, 6:51.

Min—FG Walsh 23, 2:08.

Second Quarter

Dal—FG Bailey 44, 6:35.

Min—Ponder 6 run (Walsh kick), 1:41.

Third Quarter

Dal—Witten 26 pass from Romo (Bailey kick), 11:38.

Dal—Hayden fumble recovery in end zone (Bailey kick), 11:28.

Min—Rudolph 31 pass from Ponder (Walsh kick), 8:11.

Fourth Quarter

Min—Peterson 11 run (kick failed), 5:40.

Dal—Harris 7 pass from Romo (Bailey kick), :35.

A—85,360.

	Min	Dal
First downs	22	20
Total Net Yards	393	350
Rushes-yards	29-169	9-36
Passing	224	314
Comp-Att-Int	25-37-1	34-51-1
Sacked-Yards Lost	2-12	3-23
Punts	3-37.7	5-44.4
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	4-35	5-45
Time of Possession	31:27	28:33

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Minnesota, Peterson 25-140, Ponder 4-29. Dallas, Murray 4-31, Romo 1-8, Randle 1-3, Dunbar 3-(minus 6).

PASSING—Minnesota, Ponder 25-37-1-236. Dallas, Romo 34-51-1-337.

RECEIVING—Minnesota, Jennings 6-56, Carlson 4-23, Peterson 3-37, Wright 3-31, Patterson 3-13, Rudolph 2-35, Simpson 2-24, Felton 1-11, Gerhart 1-6. Dallas, Witten 8-102, Beasley 6-68, Bryant 6-64, Murray 6-19, Dunbar 3-17, Williams 2-33, Harris 2-13, Hanna 1-21.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

BCS

From 1C

Alabama is first in the polls by a hefty margin and second in the computers with five weeks left in the regular season. The Crimson Tide remains on course for a fourth trip to the BCS title game in five seasons. Alabama was won three of the last four national championships, including the last two.

Though it's a big week coming up for the Tide, with LSU coming to Tuscaloosa on Saturday.

Unbeaten Ohio State is fourth in the standings, followed by Stanford and unbeaten Baylor. The rest of the top 10 is Clemson, Missouri, Auburn and Oklahoma.

Baylor hosts Oklahoma on Thursday night, in the other huge game of the week.

Of the potential BCS busters, teams from non-automatic qualifying conferences looking to earn an automatic bid, Fresno State from the Mountain West is in 16th place and Northern Illinois from the Mid-American Conference is 18th. Both the Bulldogs and Huskies are unbeaten. The highest-rated team from the non-AQ conferences earns an automatic bid by finishing in the top 12 of the final BCS standings or by finishing in the top 16 ahead of a champion from an automatic qualifying conference.

Louisville (20th) and Central Florida (21st) are the highest-ranked teams from the American Athletic Conference, which gets an automatic bid.

GOLF SCORES

WGC

HSBC Champions Scores
Sunday
At Sheshan International Golf Club
Shanghai
Purse: $8.5 million
Yardage: 7,266; Par: 72
Final

Dustin Johnson (550), $1,400,000	66—264
Ian Poulter (315), $850,000	66—267
Graeme McDowell (200), $480,000	66—268
Sergio Garcia (140), $365,000	63—270
Justin Rose (115), $300,000	68—272
Graham DeLaet (100), $231,500	69—273
Rory McIlroy (100), $231,500	69—273
Jamie Donaldson, $161,667	67—274
Bubba Watson (83), $161,667	68—274
Martin Kaymer (83), $161,667	68—274
Keegan Bradley (69), $116,667	68—275
Ernie Els (69), $116,667	66—275
Boo Weekley (69), $116,667	69—275
Phil Mickelson (62), $100,000	65—276
WC Liang, $93,500	66—277
Louis Oosthuizen (58), $93,500	67—277
Jordan Spieth (55), $90,000	69—278
Tommy Fleetwood, $87,000	72—279
Jin Jeong, $87,000	69—279
Paul Casey (51), $84,000	69—280
Gregory Bourdy, $75,100	71—281
Bill Haas (46), $75,100	68—281
Peter Hanson (46), $75,100	68—281
Scott Hend, $75,100	72—281
Mikko Ilonen, $75,100	68—281
Matteo Manassero, $75,100	69—281
Francesco Molinari, $75,100	70—281
Scott Piercy (46), $75,100	68—281
Bo Van Pelt (46), $75,100	71—281
Jaco Van Zyl, $75,100	68—281
Luke Donald (39), $68,000	71—282
Henrik Stenson (39), $68,000	65—282
Nick Watney (39), $68,000	66—282
Mark Brown, $64,000	71—283
Jason Dufner (35), $64,000	72—283
Billy Horschel (35), $64,000	71—283
Wenyi Huang, $64,000	70—283
Kevin Streelman (35), $64,000	68—283
Thomas Bjorn, $58,000	68—284
Gonzalo Fdez-Castano (29), $58,000	76—284
Branden Grace, $58,000	69—284
Haotong Li, $58,000	67—284
David Lynn (29), $58,000	71—284
Richard Sterne, $58,000	63—284
Chris Wood, $58,000	69—284
Ken Duke (24), $52,500	70—285
Brian Gay (24), $52,500	70—285
Thongchai Jaidee, $52,500	73—285
Jimmy Walker (24), $52,500	70—285
Hiroyuki Fujita, $49,000	73—286
Mike Hendry, $49,000	68—286
Masahiro Kawamura, $49,000	71—286
Ryan Moore (19), $49,000	73—286
Michael Thompson (19), $49,000	72—286
Kiradech Aphibarnrat, $46,250	72—287
Rickie Fowler (14), $46,250	73—287
John Merrick (14), $46,250	71—287
Brandt Snedeker (14), $46,250	70—287
Peter Uihlein, $46,250	70—287
Lee Westwood (14), $46,250	75—287
Derek Ernst (10), $44,250	72—288
Darren Fichardt, $44,250	69—288
Gaganjeet Bhullar, $43,500	74—289
Jonas Blixt (7), $43,500	70—289
Stephen Gallacher, $43,500	71—289
Ryo Ishikawa (5), $42,875	69—290
Daniel Popovic, $42,875	73—290
D.A. Points (3), $42,375	75—291
Ashun Wu, $42,375	72—291
David Howell, $42,000	72—292
Seuk-hyun Baek, $41,750	75—293
Miguel A. Jimenez, $41,500	74—295
Raphael Jacquelin, $41,250	74—296
George Coetzee, $41,000	71—297
Mu Hu, $40,750	75—299
Brett Rumford, $40,500	72—303
Huang Ming-jie, $40,250	83—323

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Mark O'Meara (428), $214,333	70—273
Peter Senior (428), $214,333	69—273
Bart Bryant (228), $113,750	70—274
Mark Calcavecchia (228), $113,750	65—274
Rocco Mediate (228), $113,750	68—274
Kenny Perry (228), $113,750	68—274
Jay Don Blake (152), $76,000	66—275
Fred Funk (152), $76,000	64—275
Tom Lehman (152), $76,000	71—275
Mike Goodes (128), $64,000	71—276
David Frost (118), $59,000	69—277
Russ Cochran (104), $52,000	70—279
Tom Pernice Jr. (104), $52,000	66—279
Duffy Waldorf (104), $52,000	67—279
Gene Sauers (86), $43,167	69—280
Esteban Toledo (86), $43,167	70—280
Jay Haas (86), $43,167	71—280
John Cook (74), $37,000	70—281
Jeff Sluman (74), $37,000	72—281
Michael Allen (68), $34,000	71—282
Chien Soon Lu (64), $32,000	70—283
John Riegger (60), $30,000	75—285
Steve Elkington (58), $29,000	70—286
Kirk Triplett (54), $26,500	77—287
Mark Wiebe (54), $26,500	72—287
Corey Pavin (50), $25,000	72—288
Dan Forsman (50), $24,500	76—292
Craig Stadler (48), $24,000	77—302

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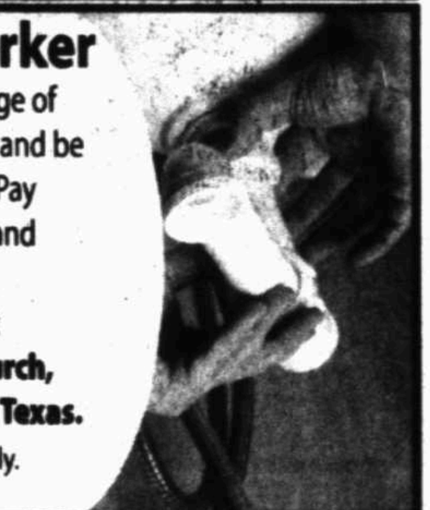

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Games of Nov. 7-10

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136 TOTAL POINTS

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HOW TO PLAY

Select a winner from each of the week's games, listed below. Select in descending order of your CONFIDENCE in your choices. Win points at left for each correct selection toward possible total of 136 points. See complete rules below. You must be at least 8 (eight) years old to enter. To enter, clip along dotted line, then place game entry in POWER POINTS container at Midland Reporter-Telegram. Entrants must list name, address and phone number below.

LIMIT: You may enter the contest only once per week.

DEADLINE: 2 P.M. THURSDAY

TIEBREAKER 1 ☐ Total points scored (both teams) in EAGLES game.

TIEBREAKER 2 ☐ Total offensive yards (both teams) in this game.

THIS WEEK'S GAMES

Washington at Minnesota	Jacksonville at Tennessee
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2. Any entry form that does not contain a legible name, address, etc., will be disqualified.
3. Entries that fail to forecast a winner from each and every game will be disqualified, as will entries that fail to distinguish between the Jets and Giants of New York and other similar-sounding team names.
4. No points are awarded on tie games or in case any game is not played for any reason during its scheduled week.
5. Entering POWER POINTS constitutes permission by contestant for his or her name and photograph to be used for news and reasonable promotional purposes at no charge.
6. Employees of this newspaper and their immediate families are ineligible to participate.
7. Any inquiry about or protest of weekly results must be made by noon on the Friday following the announcement of winners.
8. No purchase necessary. Facsimile game entry forms will be accepted. Enter contest by dropping entry form into POWER POINTS container at participating co-sponsors.
9. Weekly deadline for entry will be 2 p.m. Thursdays except when noted otherwise on weekly entry form.
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11. Limit: one entry per person per week. Each entry must represent the original work of one entrant, "group" entries, "systems" or other attempt to enter multiple entries will be disqualified. Filling out extra forms and putting your friends' and relatives' names on them violates this rule. Any such entries are destroyed prior to grading.
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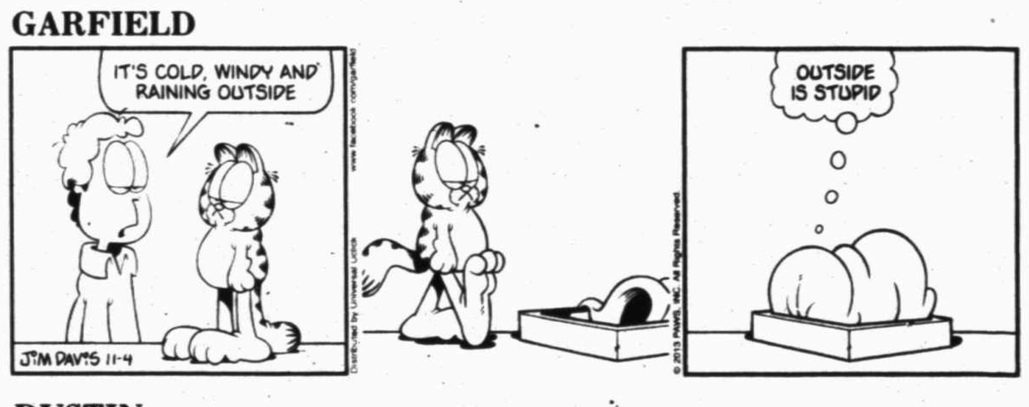

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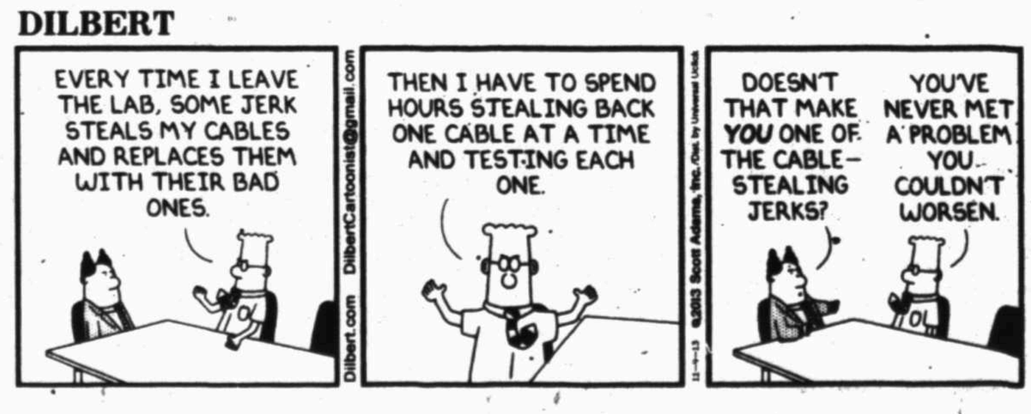

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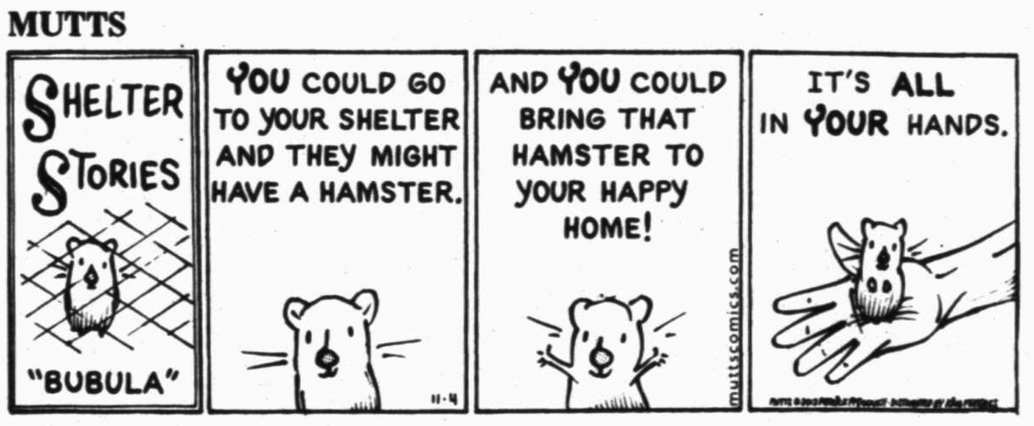

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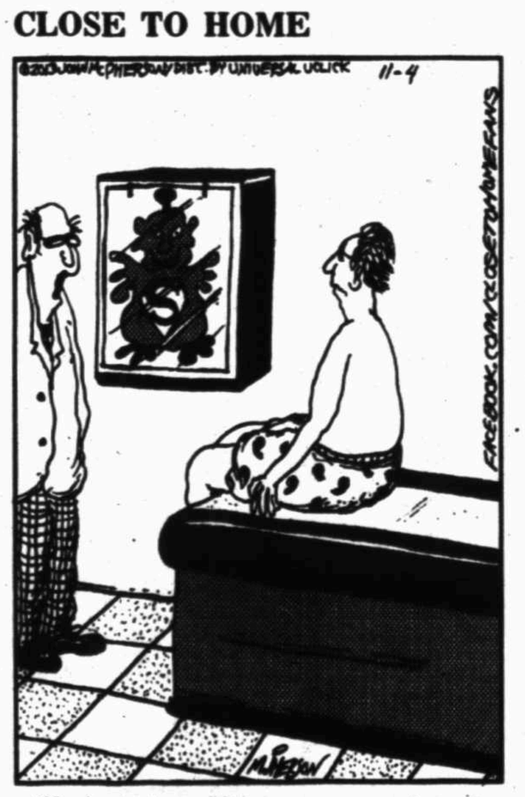

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TODAY: Mostly sunny
High: 72
Low: 58

TUESDAY: Partly sunny
High: 75
Low: 47

WEDNESDAY: Sunny
High: 64
Low: 38

Local forecast

Expect mostly sunny skies today with a high around 72 and south wind between 10 to 20 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph. Tonight's forecast calls for mostly cloudy conditions with a low around 58 and south wind around 15 mph. There's a 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms at night.

Tuesday, look for partly sunny skies with a high around 75 and southwest wind around 15 mph. Tuesday night, expect partly cloudy conditions with a low around 47. There's a 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms during the day.

Wednesday, look for sunny skies during the day with a high around 64 and mostly clear conditions at night with a low around 38.

The high on Sunday reached 60 while the low dropped to 41. The record high for Nov. 3 is 86 set in 1988. The record low is 22 set in 1991.

National forecast

High pressure will promote dry weather across most of the East today. Despite abundant sunshine, the day will be the coolest since the spring for most of the Northeast. Sunday's cold winds will be lighter Monday. Sunshine will also dominate most of the South.

Partly Cloudy | Cloudy | Showers | Thunder-storms | Rain | Flurries | Snow | Ice

Precipitation

Saturday	0.00 in.
Sunday	0.00 in.
Month total	0.00 in.
Year total	6.50 in.
Normal total (year to date)	13.40 in.

Sunday's temperatures

High	60
Low	41
Normal high	72
Normal low	45
Sunrise	7:08 a.m.
Sunset	5:56 p.m.

National forecast

Forecast highs for Monday, Nov. 4

Showers | Rain | T-storms | Flurries | Snow | Ice

Woman offering thanks to vets finds it's not always welcome

DEAR ABBY

Write Dear Abby at www.DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069. Her column is distributed by Universal Press Syndicate.

DEAR ABBY: Recently I took a cue from my sister and her career Navy husband. They always make it a point to thank anyone they see in military uniform for his/her service and sacrifice.

I am somewhat shy by nature. But I am so thankful to these men and women who fight for our continued freedom that I stepped out of my comfort zone to verbalize my feelings and encourage those who cross my path.

Abby, the first and second thank-yous I offered did not go well. The first gentleman I spoke to gave me a scornful look and proceeded to tell me I should be thankful for ALL military personnel — not just him — and especially those who gave the ultimate sacrifice of their lives.

I felt 3 inches tall and very embarrassed, but I chalked it up to perhaps having said thanks the wrong way, so I tried again. This time I thanked a World War II veteran. I recognized him as a vet by the emblem on the bill of the cap he was wearing. His response was, "Didn't have a choice — it was the draft or jail."

Maybe I'm not cut out for verbalizing my thankfulness, or maybe I'm doing it wrong. Now my shyness has taken over again. Should I silently offer a prayer of thanks instead? — TWICE BITTEN IN WASHINGTON

DEAR TWICE BITTEN: The first person you spoke to may have lost some friends recently, which is why he spoke to you the way he did. Your response to the service member's statement should have been: "Of course you are right. And I AM grateful. But you are here, which is why I'm expressing my thanks to YOU." Period.

As to the WWII vet who entered the service one jump ahead of the law — give him marks for honesty in admitting his reason for entering the military was less than patriotic. But please don't stop offering thanks. What you experienced was some bad beginner's luck, but each time you express your gratitude, the odds will improve.

DEAR ABBY: A little over a year ago, my husband and I were pulled over after a day on our boat. We had been drinking. My husband was charged with a DUI, went through everything that was required and decided to stop drinking. I am very proud of him. Going to AA meetings has kept him strong, and he has become a better person.

I, on the other hand, like to relax with a beer once in a while, but if I do, I feel guilty. My husband says it's OK, but I feel it might tempt him.

Am I doomed not to be able to drink anymore to support his sobriety, or can I have a beer once in a while and hope he has learned to cope? Is having an occasional beer selfish? — NEEDS A DRINK IN NEW YORK

DEAR NEEDS A DRINK: When someone describes not imbibing alcohol as being "doomed" and signs off as "needs a drink," I suspect that the individual may be alcohol-dependent to some degree. If there is any chance that your sober husband might crave alcohol if he sees you having a beer, then do it when you're not in his presence. I call that being considerate and "sacrificing" for the greater good.

DEAR ABBY: What do you do when your daughter chooses to raise her kids entirely differently than she was raised, and when she comes for a visit, there's no regard or respect for your stuff? — UP IN ARMS IN FLORIDA

DEAR UP IN ARMS: You childproof your home, or make sure to see your grandchildren only at THEIR home.

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 Monday, Nov. 4, 2013:

This year you often feel as if you are navigating in a fog, not exactly sure of where you are heading. Nevertheless, you will make many friends. Your ability to detach yet empathize becomes stronger. If you are single, you might meet someone quite unique and different. You could learn a lot by relating to each other. If you are attached, the two of you often have silly misunderstandings. Just maintain a sense of humor and be willing to open up. Tune in to your psychic ability when dealing with others. SAGITTARIUS can be extremely irritating, especially when you are in one of your deep, reflective moods.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★★ You'll want to be more in sync with someone. Realize that you might have to initiate a conversation with this person. It could seem as though neither of you is getting the whole story. Maintain a sense of humor, and the process will be a lot easier. Tonight: Surf the Web.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★ Deal with a partner or key person directly in the afternoon. You tend to be on different pages, and you need to bridge the gap. Try to understand the logic behind his or her thinking. This person might wonder where you are coming from, too. Tonight: Opt for dinner for two.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★ Listen to others, but ultimately know that you need to make your own decision. How you handle a personal matter could change once you clear up an assumption that you and someone else made. If need be, bring in an expert for another opinion. Tonight: Say "yes" to an offer.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★★ Your creativity soars early in the day. Funnel your high energy into some task that could be made better through an infusion of this trait. Detaching from a situation will help you choose the right direction for you to head in. Tonight: As early as you can, go off and have some fun.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★ You might move slowly, but once you get going, your creativity seems to soar. Apply some of your imagination to the tasks at hand. You will find that they are more interesting and allow greater flexibility. Tonight: Tap into a loved one's way of thinking.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★ Go with the flow, and honor what is happening with someone in your daily life. You might want to stay close to home or make contact with that special person in your life. Don't assume that you know what a close friend or loved one is feeling. Tonight: Open up to a suggestion.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★ Handle a financial matter in the morning. Later, you will want to check in with a key person you really care about. You might be confused or overwhelmed by everything this person shares. Encourage a discussion with a new associate in the afternoon. Tonight: With friends.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★ You are in your element in the morning, so use that time to do anything important. In the afternoon, you will not have the same energy or charisma to argue your case or make a good impression. You also will be more biased. Tonight: Do some shopping on the way home.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★ Know that your strong suit is not dealing with real estate or any matter involving your home. There is an underlying theme of confusion present in one of the abovementioned areas. It would be best to play it low-key today. Tonight: Be spontaneous, and you'll have more fun!

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★ Though you might feel you are being clear and receptive, you will find out otherwise. You easily could misread someone's message as well. Use care in your conversations. You don't want to be misunderstood or misunderstand someone else. Tonight: Return calls.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★★★ Friendship is more important to you than nearly anything else. Use care if you find yourself mixing money and friendship in an unconventional manner. Pull back and try to separate the two. This disengagement could be touchy. Tonight: Join some friends.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★ Getting a clear vision, much less being able to verbalize the idea, takes talent. You could feel as if you have to take a stand and lead others with a project. If you can't establish clear communication, let the chips fall as they may. Tonight: Up till the wee hours.

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Bidding Quiz

Q 1 — Neither vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ A K 9 3 ♡ A Q 9 3 ◇ J 10 6 ♣ J 2
The bidding has proceeded:

WEST	NORTH	EAST	SOUTH
1♠	Pass	1◇	?

What action would you take?

A — Double. This hand would routinely open one no-trump, but don't make that bid now. You don't have a stopper in either of their suits and you are four-four in the unbid suits. Double is perfect.

Q 2 — Both vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ K J 4 ♡ 8 6 ◇ A K 6 5 3 ♣ Q J 7
The bidding has proceeded:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1◇	Pass	1♠	Pass

What is your re-bid?

A — It is sometimes correct to raise partner's major suit with only three-card support. Good trump quality and a ruffing value are keys telling you when to do it. Bid two spades.

Q 3 — East-West vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ 7 ♡ A J 9 8 6 2 ◇ K Q 5 4 ♣ 8 3
You are the dealer. Pass one heart or two hearts?

A — With exciting distribution and two decent suits, this hand is worth opening at the one level. Bid one heart.

Q 4 — Neither vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ J ♡ K 8 5 ◇ Q J 5 ♣ A K J 10 7 5
The bidding has proceeded:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1♣	Pass	1◇	Pass

What is your re-bid?

A — It is tempting to jump to three clubs, but overcome the temptation and settle for two clubs. This hand is not quite worth a jump re-bid.

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ACROSS

1 Credit card choice
5 Woman's address
10 Nosegay
14 Blogger's "That's what I think"
15 Like beer in a cooler
16 Vogue rival
17 Mathematician's "Stay cool!"?
19 Radiant look
20 Signed up for, as a contest
21 Bacon hunks
22 Comida cry
23 Hors d'oeuvres liver spread
25 Waist-tied kitchen protectors
29 Golfer's "Stay cool!"?
33 Pinot __: red wine
34 Remove wool from
35 Half of the word "inning"
36 Diver's "Stay cool!"?
40 "Ewww!"
41 Whistlestop places
42 Former Sony brand
43 Refrigeration mechanic's "Stay cool!"?
45 Take out a loan
47 Senior advocacy gp.
48 Help out
49 Roller coaster segments
52 Bedroom shoe
57 "If __ a Hammer"
58 Realtor's "Stay cool!"?
61 Arty NYC section
62 Last new Olds
63 Vicinity
64 Ruffian
65 Black __ spider
66 Legis. meeting

DOWN

1 '80s TV's "Miami __"
2 "That's my cue!"
3 Closed
4 Top-shelf
5 Refuges for overnighters
6 Battery terminal
7 Morse code character
8 Stretchy bandage brand
9 "All the President's __"
10 Limb for Ahab
11 Spanish stewpot
12 Dinner's often on him
13 Conifers with pliable wood
18 1982 Disney sci-fi flick
21 Drummer Ringo
23 Chirps from chicks
24 Run __: get credit at the pub
25 Bit of foolishness
26 Cook by simmering
27 Kipling's "__-Tikki-Tavi"
28 Mined find
29 Treaty of __: War of 1812 ender
30 Show again
31 Halved
32 "Horsefeathers!"
34 Clinch, as a deal
37 Sky holder of myth
38 "Let's Make a Deal" choice
39 Listening organ
44 What 46-Down totally isn't
45 Puff up in the wind, as a sail
46 "Garfield" pooch
48 Houston baseballer
49 Shopper's aid
50 "This can't be good"
51 Waikiki's island
53 High-tech hand-held gadgets, briefly
54 Go (over) in detail
55 Baaing mas
56 Genetic messengers
58 Espied
59 Yalie
60 Turner of broadcasting

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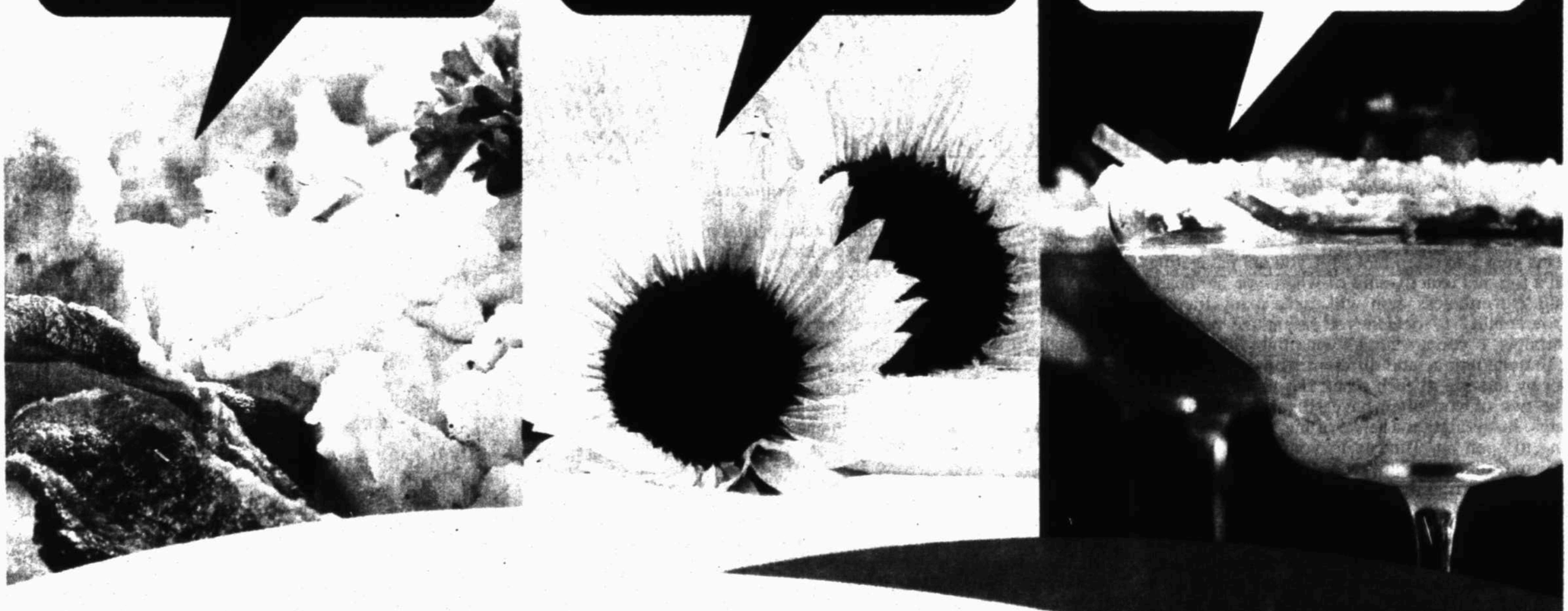

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Long Star Well Testing Services Hiring flow back operators and hands with 2 years with Well Testing experience. Pay is based on experience. Company health benefits provided. Please call the office at 432-686-7640 or stop by 903 W. Industrial Midland, TX 79701.

Heavy Equipment Operators
Diggers Oilfield Services, LLC **FT**
Experienced heavy equipment operators needed for a rapidly expanding dirt work construction company. Frac pit and receiving pit experience a plus, and oilfield construction experience a must. Especially needing Dozer operators. We offer medical and dental insurance. To apply, please send resume to dhunt@diggersoilfieldservices.com or call Daniel Hunt **(432)889-7832**.

Swab Rig Operator
Swabbing Services, Inc **FT**
Local oilfield service company seeking Swab Rig Operator. Full benefits. Must have a CDL license and pass drug test. Apply at 14 East Industrial Loop. Midland, TX. 79701. Call 432-699-1200

HEALTHCARE

Dental Hygienist and Dental Assistant
Confidential **FT**
Dental office is looking to hire a friendly outgoing Dental Assistant and Dental Hygienist to join our staff. Must be aggressive and ready to work as a team player. Experience preferred, but not necessary. If interested, please call 432-570-7080 or email resume: mscharm11@aol.com

LPC/LPC Intern/LCDC
Midland/Odessa Addiction Treatment Center **PT**
Monday-Friday 6:00am-10:30am
Treatment planning/Case management. Personal days/CEU days. Paid holidays. Fax resume to 800-671-8364.

LVN
Confidential
LVN needed for Internal Medicine office. Benefits offered include paid vacation/sick leave and health insurance. Competitive pay. Email resume to monicaofficemgr@ymail.com, fax 432-682-9990 or mail to PO BOX 50850, Midland, Texas 79710-0850

Multiple Positions
Advanced Neuroscience Clinic **FT**
Hiring an Office Assistant and a Medical Assistant. Experience preffered. **Medical assistant must be billingual.** Email your resume to: Irma@brainanc.com or Call Irma: 432-570-9991

Premier Physicians
Biller needed with 1 year experience in medical billing and accounts receivable. Requires good customer service skills with patients. Please fax resumes to 682-2284 or mail to Premier Physicians, Attn: Anita Routh, P.O. Box 5291, Midland, Texas 79704
PO#7193

HOSPITALITY & TRAVEL

Housekeeping Manager
LaQuinta Inn & Suites - Loop 250 & Hwy 191 **FT/PT**
Hiring Housekeeping Manager for LaQuinta Inn & Suites on Loop 250 (next to Kohls). Previous hotel experience a plus. Salary Negotiable. Please send resume to **crest_hotels@yahoo.com** or apply in person.

INTERNET

Web Designer Needed
Web Designer will have overall responsibility for working on a variety of projects primarily involved in our company's web site maintenance and ecommerce development. Responsible for maintaining the user interface and overall customer experience for our web sites and applications. This includes overall navigation flow, layout of specific pages, and creation of individual graphic elements. Must have knowledge of HTML, CSS, Javascript and CMS. Please send resume to Hiring Manager, PO Box 8309, Midland, TX 79708

OTHER JOBS

Church Nursery / Preschool Worker
Cornerstone Christian Fellowship is accepting applications to staff its church nursery in Midland, TX. Must love children and be committed to Christ. Hours include Sunday mornings, Wednesday nights, and occasional special events on weekends. Experience desired. Email resumes to maritza@cornerstonemidland.com or call 432-288-2325

Housekeeper
Villa Chateau Apartments **FT**
Full time Housekeeper needed. Physical/Drug screen & Background check done. Apply in person at: Villa Chateau Apts., 1603 N. Midkiff Rd, Midland, TX 79701. No phone calls please.

Janitorial Help
Part-time Janitorial work in the evening. Apply at: 2311 Elizabeth Ave or call 432-570-9903.

Part Time Assistant
America's Storage Center **PT**
Storage Center seeking part time assistant. Please fax resume to 432-689-7356 or stop by 4011 N. Midland Dr. to fill out an application. Please no phone calls.

Part - Time Dispatcher
Permian Petroleum Services, Inc. **FT**
Oilfield trucking company needs experienced and reliable part-time dispatcher for night duty, approximately 25-30 hours per week. Apply to Permian Petroleum Services, 4601 Rankin Highway in Midland, 432-682-0434, or mail resume to P. O. Box 3663, Midland, TX 79702, fax to 432-687-1643, or email rvmaskell@gmail.com

Positions Needed
Wyndham Garden Hotel Positions needed:
Hotel: Front Desk Agents AM - PM. Night Auditor, Housekeepers, Laundry Attendant. Housemen. Restaurant & Banquet Dept.: Food & Beverage Manager & Supervisor, Cooks, Servers/Hostesses, Breakfast Attendants. Bar- Bar Managers, Bartenders, Servers/Hostesses. Full/Part Time Hotel experience a plus. Will train the right people. Pay based on experience. Please email or hand deliver resume, wyndhammidlandgm@gmail.com / 3100 W. Wall Street, Midland, TX.

OTHER JOBS

Assistant District Manager

The Midland Reporter-Telegram has an immediate opening for an Assistant District Manager – this is an entry-level part-time position; offering competitive compensation/benefits package ~ flexible work schedule, must be available to work at night and/or weekends during our production/delivery window.

This position will assist in the distribution and delivery of Home Delivery and Single Copy newspapers. The successful candidate may also receive work assignments within many areas of the distribution function, which may include route delivery, transportation, customer service, and redelivery operations. The primary role of the Asst. District Manager is to provide exceptional customer service to both our subscribers and our independent contractor carrier force. This position works part of the time in an office or distribution center environment and the majority of the time within the assigned newspaper district or distribution area. Flexible work hours are required and may accommodate the applicants other obligations. Must have reliable transportation, high school diploma & positive work attitude.

The Hearst Corporation is one of the largest diversified communications companies. Its major interests include magazine, newspaper and business publishing, cable networks, television and radio broadcasting, Internet businesses and more. As an associate of the Midland Reporter-Telegram, you join more than 20,000 in the Hearst family. If you are the one we are looking for, contact:

HEARST *media services*

Vincent Cone, V.P. of Circulation
email to: vcone@hearstnp.com
Please come by the Midland Reporter-Telegram,
201 E. Illinois Ave. Midland, TX 79701 to complete an application.
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Delivering life...every day.

OTHER JOBS

The Midland Reporter Telegram has an opening in its Production Department for the position of:

Pressman/Pressman Trainee

for our Harris N 1650 Printing presses. This 5-6 day per week, fast paced, deadline oriented position, requires: night shift/weekend work, with a strong emphasis on safety. The Midland Reporter Telegram offers a full package of company benefits including 401K program. Salary DOE.

Send resume and salary requirements to:
John Maddox, Production Director
c/o Midland Reporter Telegram
201 E. Illinois St., Midland, TX 79701
E-mail: jmaddox@hearstnp.com
or
come by 201 E. Illinois Street to fill out an application.

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NO PHONE CALLS, PLEASE

OTHER JOBS

McCOY'S BUILDING SUPPLY

McCoy's Building Supply has Full-Time & Part-Time Yard Crewmember positions available. The successful candidate must have excellent customer service skills and knowledge of lumber and building supplies. Applicant must be at least 18 years of age to work in the yard.

Compensation is starting at $13.00 per hour, depending upon experience!

Full benefits available for full-time employees. We are closed Sundays, except for inventory weekend.

If you are interested in pursuing an opportunity in this fast-paced, hard-working, retail building supply environment, please apply online at:
http://www.mccoys.com/why-mccoys/careers
Full-Time Requisition Number: 13-0708
Part-Time Requisition Number: 13-0971
or
McCoy's Building Supply
3112 W Front St — Midland, TX 79701

Please no calls to the Store. Drug & Background Screen Required
EOE, AAP, VA, F, D

QA & QUALITY CONTROL

Safety/QC Representative
Mid-West Glass is now taking resumes for a Safety/QC Representative. Experienced not required but may impact starting salary. Must be computer literate. Full benefits. Apply at office at 906 W. Front St., Midland, Tx. 432-682-7373

RESTAURANT & FOOD SERVICE

DOMINO'S PIZZA NOW HIRING!
•**Drivers:** Make cash everyday, Great part time & full time shifts, Starting wage of $7.50 an hour (no split tip/wage here) plus delivery reimbursement, plus tips. •**CSRs:** Great part time & full time shifts, Starting wage of $8.25 an hour, Bright & Friendly people only! •**Shift Leaders:** Great part time & full time shifts, Starting wage of $10 an hour, Flexible Schedules. Apply at any **Domino's Pizza** Midland or Odessa or send resume:**dominos@clearwire.net**. Senior citizens & stay at home moms always welcome. EOE

General Manager & Assistant Manager
JumBurrito **FT**
Midland/Odessa
We are looking for self-motivated leaders to join our team. As a Restaurant Manager at one of our restaurants, you will be an important member of a team who will drive the JumBurrito Brand and deliver on the JumBurrito promise of "the prefect burrito experience". You will be generously compensated for managing the team, and meeting our operational/financial goals and objectives. If you exceed our expectations you can progress rather quickly in our company. Salary/bonus/401k/vacation. Email resumes to sgallego@jumburrito.com

Strawberry Fields Cafe has an opening for a motivated individual with a great attitude and self starter. Great work environment, great management, pleasant customers. Part time and Full time positions available. Apply in person at 2311 W. Wadley Ave, Midland, TX. Hours of operation are 9:00 am to 7:00 pm Monday through Friday, 9:30 am to 7:00 pm on Saturday and Closed on Sundays.

RETAIL JOBS

Now hiring!
Seeking individual with good computer skills to manage office and museum store duties. Retail expedence a plus. Some weekends and evenings. Salary DOE. Send resume to Petroleum Museum, 1500 Interstate 20 West, Midland, Texas 79701.

SALES JOBS

Aministrative/Parts Assistant
Accepting applications at Deer Horn Aviation in Midland, Texas for Administrative/Parts assistant. Knowledgeable of Microsoft Office and TFBO. Competitive wages with excellent package, including medical insurance for employee & family. 100% matching 401K up to 15% of salary, sick leave, paid vacation. Candidates must be energetic & team player oriented. Fax resume to 432-561-5662, or email resume to parmstrong@deerhornaviation.com. Deer Horn Aviation Ltd. is a drug free work place.

STORE MANAGERS and CASHIERS
Smoker's Outlet is looking for **Store Managers** and **Cashiers** in the Midland area. We offer competitive wages and a good work environment. Paid weekly. Go by your nearest **Smoker's Outlet** to apply.

SKILLED LABOR

Diesel Mechanic
LPC Crude Oil Marketing, LLC **FT**
Midland, TX **1-5 Years Exp.**
LPC Crude Oil Marketing LLC is seeking an Experienced Diesel Mechanic. The qualified candidate will be responsible for performing routine maintenance as well as a variety of repair work on Cummins and Cat engines. In doing so, the candidate must be able to safely drive the service truck to perform the repairs. All work done in this capacity is crucial to the safe and productive operation of the fleet. A class A or B CDL is preferred, but not required. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to, performing repairs in an efficient, effective and timely manner. The qualified candidate must be able to communicate effectively. The job requires 24 hour on call one week per month. LPC offers a full benefit package including health, dental, vision and life insurance, as well as a retirement package. Please contact Darryl Mulkey at (432) 934-6148 or dmulkey@lpccrude.com.

Drill Collar Inspector
Confidential **FT**
Magnetic Particle, Ultrasonic and Dye Penetrant Level II certified. Call Don at 432-559-4007.

Flow Back Operators
3D Oilfield Services **FT**
Looking for experienced Senior and Junior flow back operators and well testers. Apply online at 3doilfield.com

Rig Operators and Crews
Universal Oilwell Services **FT**
Big Spring, TX
Looking experienced Rig Operators and crews. Apply at 1402 W. I20, Big Spring, TX. 79720 or call 432-264-0775

Fax Your Ad 682-6999

SALES JOBS

Multi-Media Sales Consultant

The Midland Reporter-Telegram and mywesttexas.com advertising department is looking for a Multi-Media Sales Consultant. The ideal candidate will have a proven track record of personal sales successes, preferably in a newspaper/media environment. Some knowledge of the advertising industry would be helpful, but not required.

Duties for this position will include, but are not limited to selling advertising in all print publications of the Midland Reporter-Telegram and all online products, including mywesttexas.com.

Qualifications & Skills:

- *Ability to work in a fast-paced, deadline oriented environment*
- *Excellent customer service and time management skills*
- *Highly organized with the ability to work independently with minimal supervision*
- *Detail-oriented with good communication, spelling and math skills*

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If you are the one we are looking for, please send current resume to:

Jeri Houston, Advertising Sales Manager
Midland Reporter-Telegram, 201 E. Illinois Avenue, Midland, TX 79701
or email to: jhouston@mrt.com

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Midland Reporter-Telegram monster.com

SKILLED LABOR

Now Hiring
Oil field construction company hiring experienced heavy equipment operators, foremen/leadmen, & experienced CDL truck drivers. Paid time off and medical benefits. Please call 432-258-1339 for more information. Hablamos Espanol.

Roustabout, S/B Coater, Pushers & Mechanic
We are looking for experienced roustabout, s/b,coater, (pushers). a mechanic in diesel and gas. if you are interested please call 432-563-8018 or come buy to fill out a application at 8215 west county rd. 115 .

TRANSPORTATION & LOGISTICS

CDL and Non CDL Drivers
B & B Wrecker Service is looking to hire **CDL and Non CDL Drivers.** Must be 21 years or older. Good driving record. Paid every Friday. Health insurance provided. Please come by **2823 S. Rankin Hwy.**

CDL Drivers
South Environmental Services, Inc. FT
CDL Drivers Needed: South Environmental Services is looking to hire CDL drivers for belly dump and dump truck. Class A CDL required. $16.00/hour depending on experience. Please call Mike Mon-Fri. between 8am and 4pm. 432-664-6316

Frac Sand Pusher
Boomerang Trucking FT
Midland, TX 79706
Now hiring Frac Sand Pusher. 2 weeks on, 1 week off. Guaranteed hours with competative pay. Apply at 4801 SCR 1200, Midland TX. 79706 or call 432-685-6058. email: boomerangtrucking@yahoo.com

Frac Water Haulers
Frac Water Haulers. $20-$21/hour. 3 months or more experience.
Call Talana: (214) 677-6918.

SKILLED LABOR

JW POWERLINE

MIDLAND ★ LUBBOCK ★ ANDREWS ★ BIG SPRING

JW Powerline is seeking to hire an qualified candidates for the following positions:

- **Controller**
- **Admin Assistants**
- **Safety Coordinator**
- **Foreman**
- **Linemen**
- **Ground Hands**

Competitive Salary & Full Benefits Package!

Email resume to hr@jwpwr.com or fax to 432-695-6256 or call 432-254-4693

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY

EARN UP TO $500 PER WEEK!

Do you have a reliable car with insurance and a phone?? Become an independent contractor delivering the Midland Reporter-Telegram.

Contact: Tony 687-9002

Fax Your Ad 682-6999

GARAGE SALES

Estate Sales

10% OFF Storewide Sale!
PACKRAT ANTIQUES
All of November
307 Dodson, Midland,TX 79701
closed Mondays

Yard & Garage Sales

79701

1306 E Taylor Rent your tables now for November 8,9,10th indoor sale. Table $25 each. Rent 3 and get 4th free.Contact Patsy 684-6079 Melissa 325-262-1550.

Residential Rentals

Apartments for Rent Unfurnished

NEW MANAGEMENT Spacious 2 Bedroom Apartments. Call 432-687-4514.

SUNRISE AT Fairgrounds is pre-leasing for Dec. 1st Move in special $200 off per month with a 12-18 month lease. Call 432-262-2444

Townhouse/ Condo for Rent Unfurnished

VERY CLEAN, 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath, private backyard. No pets, 2 story, 4425 Croket Ave. $1,300 per month. Call 602-432-0888.

Houses for Rent Furnished

CORPORATE RENTAL
Greenwood, 2 bed, 2 bath, 1 garage, central A/H. No pets, $2000/mo. Call 432-296-3659.

FURNISHED efficiency for rent for one person only. all bills paid. $650/ month 432-682-5157

SPACIOUS REMODELED 1600 +/- sf., 2/2 w/garage & fenced patio. $1,950. 432-631-8100 or 432-266-1212

Residential Rentals

Houses for Rent Unfurnished

2406 NORTHTOWN Ct. 3 bedroom, 2 bath. Low maintenance yard, Emerson, Goddard, Midland HS schools. No pets. Non smoking. $2500/mo plus $2500 deposit. 432-770-6631

2 BEDROOM, 1 1/2 Bath Duplex, 1350 SF. $1800 month. $500 deposit. 432-528-7810

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, 2 car, fireplaced, fenced. Non-smoking. $1950 monthly, $1800 deposit. No pets. 432-631-7833 available December 7th.

703 DIMAGGIO 3/2/2, Scharbauer $2250, UP Group 889-2934.

COUNTRY HOUSE for rent 3 bedroom 2 bath. 432-553-9008 or 432-634-0978 $1500 per month $500 deposit no pets.

PATIO HOUSE 1593 Sqft, 2 Bed /2 F/Bath, Tiled Floors Fireplace, 2 car Garage Remote, Central Air/Heat, No Pets No Smoking, Background Check. Midland Dr & Wadley Call (281) 807-1579

Classifieds Can! Call 432-682-6222

Residential Rentals

Rooms for Rent

FULLY FURNISHED room. Private entrance. Basic cable, WiFi. All utilities paid. $725/mo plus $200 deposit. Must have references. Call 432-683-2614.

Residential Sales

Homes for Sale

NEW TODAY!

1000 SINCLAIR - beautiful 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 living areas, huge kitchen, 2400sqft. $223,000, will assist in closing costs. OPEN HOUSE @ 1pm-2:30pm every Saturday/Sunday until sold. 432-683-2243

3611 BAUMANN Ave. Well Maintained 3/2/2 Large living with lava rock fireplace with gas logs. Nice kitchen, dining with breakfast bar, dbl closets, walk in closet in master. large back yard with storage $195K 432-218-8869

4 BEDROOM, House, Mobile home with 10' addition, living room plus 2 rooms, inground pool. shop on 1 acre. SW Midland. $110,000. No owner finance. Call Pedro 432-352-8251

614 STOREY
Cottage plus guest house. Open Sun., 2-4. $129,950.
Up Group,
432-889-2934

702 MOGFORD 3 bed room 1 1/2 bath 1 car garage. New water heater, 16 SEER ac, cabinets and paint. Metal roof, wood floors and a huge back yard. $162,500 Call for appointment 432-664-6587

BY OWNER 2 bedroom, 2 bath. New roof. Enclosed day room, 52ns and Grandview. No traffic, Cul-de-sac. Fenced, all electric. 1 owner, very large closets. Call 325-573-0632.

Residential Sales

Homes for Sale

COMPLETELY REMODELED - 313 S. Bentwood, cute 4bd, 2ba, 1 living area + great room, $149,900, will assist with closing costs. OPEN HOUSE 2:30pm-4pm every Saturday/Sunday until sold. 432-683-2243

ELITE COUNTRY
6500 Gladiola,
open Sunday 1-3
4/2/2 $239,500 UP group 889-2934.

ENJOY SMALL town life in quiet, friendly Stanton, 18 miles from Midland. 510 W. 2nd St. Beautiful architect designed older home, 4,000 square feet, quality upgrades, meticulous shape, tasteful interior, mature landscaping, move in ready. $389,000. By appointment. 432-697-6530 or 432-301-4505.

HOUSE WITH Inground Pool for Sale. 432-260-8696

LAMESA TX. 2509 N. Hartford Ave. Large lot, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, updated bathrooms and kitchen, carport, nice metal fence. 806-790-0116

NICE ALL BRICK Home. 3 bedroom 2 bath room. In desired location on Lake LBJ with private access to lake $210,000. 830-265-1222

OWNER FINANCE 3 bedroom, 2 bath. car port, fenced yard, Appliances. Large down payment required. Serious inquiries only. Please call Michael @ 806-928-6494

OWNER FINANCE
4803 Thomason Drive. 3/2, Central Air/heat. needs remodeling $119,500.
432-631-8100 or 432-266-1212

OWNER FINANCING 7305 NCR 1297 Spacious 3/2/2 built in 2011 that sits on 1.3 acres in NW Midland. Traditional or owner financing accepted. $230K Call 432-978-3742 for information.

Residential Sales

Homes for Sale

REDUCED $25K: 2201 W. Golf Course, 2,871 sqft., indoor pool, 4 car garage, $299k. Check zillow.com 432-530-8844.

WE BUY HOMES! Fair prices, quick cash! Call 432-266-1212, 432-631-8100.

Vacation & Resort Property

NEW TODAY!

FABULOUS 3000 Sq. ft. home on 10 acres in Christoval, Tx. River frontage. Many trees. Refurbished "party" caboose. Guest apt. Horse stables. Great home or stylish weekend retreat. Spectacular value. $639,000. Call James at San Angelo Real Estate. (325) 277-5478 or james@sanangeloreal estate.com

RUIDOSO NM beautiful mountain get away 3 bedroom 2 baths large living room with fire place valley view a large lot $275,000 Trades consider guns or cars. Contact Jim Douglas Owner Agent 575-937-3811 or Bill Pippen Real Estate 575-257-4228

Lots & Land

Acreage

1 TO 3.2 Acre lots, Greenwood area, new roads, electricity, some include water wells, mobile or modular OK.- $19,900 and up. Britt 512-573-5479

NEW TODAY!

362 ACRES: edge of San Angelo, views of lake, adjoins Twin Mtns., nice building sites, hunt and invest! $2985/AC 325-315-3127

40 ACRES I-20
Odessa location,
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Ask for Don
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527 IMPROVED Acres Morgan Texas 817-247-1222 $2,800,000 texasbigskyranch.com

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FSBO 268 AC. high fence, cabin, well and ponds. Comanche Co. 972-832-5475

I-20 MIDLAND
location, 27 acres.
$60,000 per acre
Ask for Don
432-352-2067.

Lots & Land

Acreage

Owner finance 5 acres water, restricted to Site built, off Hwy 349, 20 mins. south of Midland.$59,500 432-631-8100/ 266-1212

TWO DEEP irrigation wells for lease on Hwy 285 South in Reeves County. Great for fracking and drilling. 432-448-2123 or 601-395-6978

WEST ODESSA, IH 20 Frontage, 2 tracks totaling 200 acres, $8,500 per acre. Owner/Agent, 512-656-6667.

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BOOK YOUR WHITE TAIL meat hunt in Water Valley TX area 325-484-2400.

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Hunting Leases

Hunting Lease
11,000 acres. north of Snyder, Tx. 2 houses, great hunting.
Whitetail and Mule Deer, Etc. $11/acre.
Call:(432) 664-7764 and/or (432) 934-7777

Ranches

STEPHENS RANCH REAL ESTATE
750 + - acres
2 homes, water well, electricity.
Reagan County.
1-800-880-0769

STEPHENS RANCH REAL ESTATE
Highway frontage
137 North of Big Lake, will subdivide into tracks for oilfield yards
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Fax Your Ad 682-6999

Ranches

WILL DIVIDE 1842 acres with 40 acre lake located minutes from Stephenville TX. $3,000 per acre. 254-592-2573.

MIDWAY RV Park conveniently located near Big Spring, TX. Spaces available, includes all utilities with TV cable and internet. For more information call, 325-206-2874.

Tejas RV Park
Located at 2500 Elkins Road. New Park with plenty of spaces available. $400 a month with utilities paid. Call: Clayton Alexander
(432) 631-4631

Fax Your Ad 682-6999

Condos/Townhouses

Real Estate Quick Sale
(Private Parties Only)
- 14 days in the Midland Reporter-Telegram
- 14 days on mywesttexas.com
- Up to 10 lines of text
- New Today Banner-1st Day Only
- (1) Homes Gallery listing with photo

$75
(each additional line $5)

Call 682-6222 today!

Houses for Rent Unfurnished

GREENWOOD SCHOOLS
3 bedrooms, 2 baths, sequestered master, all new kitchen & baths.
Pet free & smoke free environment. Owner/Realtor, $2000 month, $2000 deposit.
Call to view 432-638-3819.

Houses for Rent Unfurnished

3400 Travis Ave. Home For Lease.
Great 2br 1ba home. Very well taken care of. Tile floor in kitchen with Granite counter tops. Comes with a stove and refrigerator. Large back yard. Washer/Dryer connection in the garage. Available the first of November. $1700 per month; Deposit same as rent; Pet Deposit $500; Size limit and must be approved by Broker. All applicants 18 or older MUST have a 600 or greater credit score. Application fee is $50 per adult. Call Kathy Jones at McCourt Real Estate. 432-520-8334

Homes for Sale

Real Estate Sure Sell
Call 682-6222 Today!
(Private Parties Only)
- 30 days - Midland Reporter-Telegram
- 30 days - mywesttexas.com
- New Today Banner on 1st Day Only
- Up to 10 lines of text

$55
(each additional line $5)

EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY

ALL real estate advertising herein is subject to the Federal Fair Housing Act, which makes it illegal to indicate any preference, limitation or discrimination based on race, color, age, religion, sex, handicap, familial status or national origin, or intention to make any such preferences, limitations or discrimination.

We will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. All persons are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised are available on equal opportunity basis.

To file a complaint, contact www.hud.gov or 1-800-669-9777

Commercial

FOR LEASE 2 Offices large shop 1/2 acre fenced yard, close to 1788 and I20, 3 or 5 year lease. 432-559-0877

FOR LEASE 3,850 SQFT. 436 Andrews Highway, 3 or 5 year lease. $2,900 monthly. 432-559-0877

FOR LEASE: 9,000 sq ft building with overhead doors, fenced 1 acre yard, I-20 frontage, Martin county, call 432-894-1748

FOR LEASE /Build to Suit
Commercial shop with 5 acre yard East of Midland.
432-664-7764
432-934-7777

"MAN CAVE"
New storage on 1788. 1500-4500 square ft starting at $650 RV's/cars/industrial ask for Don 352-2067.

Mobile Homes for Rent

Mobile Homes for Rent

LOOKING FOR a place to stay with the luxuries of home. We have 3 bedrooms, 3 baths mobile homes for rent as low as 25.00 per room per night or $2,200 per month. The home comes fully furnished with flat screen TV in each bedroom. Amenities include cable, wireless internet, electric, and water. All bills are paid. Call 432-212-3329 for more information.

Mobile Homes for Sale

SOMEWHAT OLDER MOBILE HOME, totally redone & upgraded, nice & spacious, clean white interior, 2 bedrooms, 2 full baths, extra large kitchen area, 14.0 x 72.0 Redman, 1008 sqft., central air & heat, washer/dryer connections. All that's needed to make a comfortable home $10,500. Located in Big Spring, TX area. Call 432-263-3547 or 432-270-0547

Vacation & Resort Property

RUIDOSO N.M - Mountain Retreat- Perfect for the Family Gathering or Corporate Retreat. 4 bedroom/ 3 bath, 2000 sq. ft. Now only $189,900. Call A+ Realty services 575-258-4574

Commercial

ATTENTION
oil companies, long term lease available for 7 bedroom house, can sleep up to 16. Located in Andrews, Tx. For info call 432-238-7066

Commercial

READY-RANCH
WWW.READY-RANCH.COM
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- **Kent County**
*11,155 ac, n. of Snyder, 4 houses, pens/roping arena, 800 ft. mtn., creek, lakes, Whitetail deer, mule deer and quail $795/ac
*4,212 ac, Maverick Creek, canyons, whitetail and mule deer and quail $825/ac
*1,771 ac, windmill, creek, blinds and feeders, great w-tail and mule deer, turkey, hogs, quail $850/ac
- **Nolan County**
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