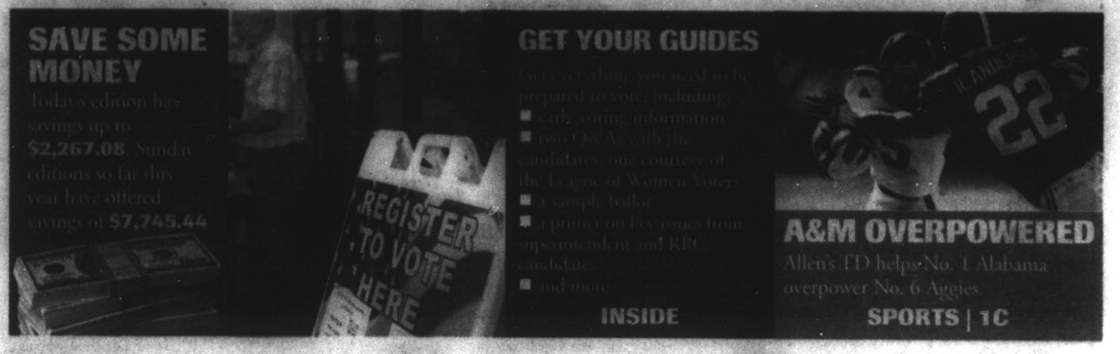

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As election nears, school board leadership under fire

Change in culture is necessary to foster improvement, candidate says

Editor's note: There is more coverage of how each candidate stands on the issues in our election section. **Section B**

By Stewart Doreen
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Last week's school board candidate forum wasn't without a sense of urgency for those seeking education reform to one of Texas' worst performing school districts.

"We need change, dramatic change," District 4 candidate John Kennedy said.

"This is a vital time to be part of the school district," said Bryan Murry, District 7 candidate.

"Hold the superintendent accountable, hold the board accountable. ... If we don't get the job done, fire us," District 4 candidate Rachel Stone said.

While a future superintendent selection received a lion's share of attention during Thursday's debate hosted by the League and Women Voters and Negro Business and Professional Women, a close second was leadership coming from the school board.

"Obviously, the superintendent is a big deal, but it is part of total leadership," Kennedy said after the forum. "We have to change the culture, and it starts at the top — the leadership. The school board and superintendent have to be held accountable. They have to be involved and engage the community and teachers.

"The leadership of the school board has to lead and not just let the administrator or superintendent tell them what to do," he said. "That is the biggest thing."

Under Ryder Warren's watch, Midland ISD's academic performance finished a nearly decade-long free-fall from being an above-average district to ranking near the bottom of the largest 200 districts in the state.

The frustration of a community was demonstrated earlier this month when a

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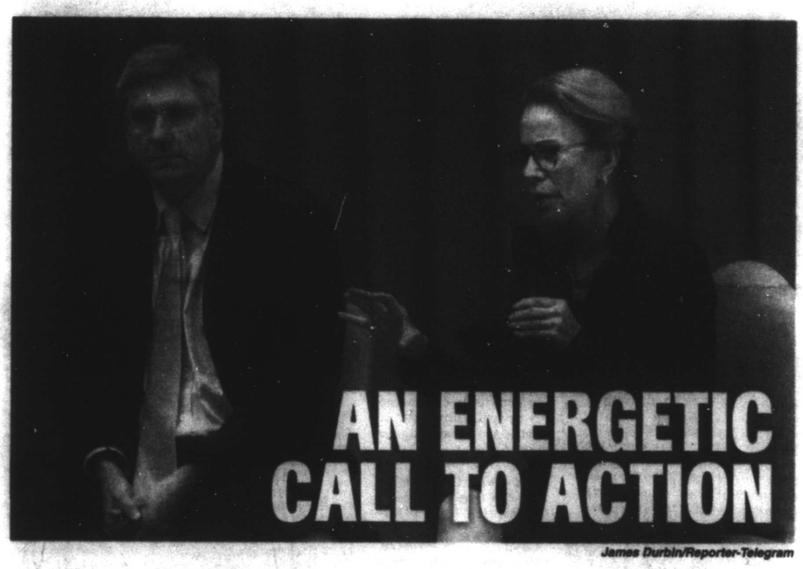

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Authors Kathleen Hartnett White and Stephen Moore speak during a book signing and reception about their book titled "Fueling Freedom: Exposing the Mad War on Energy," on Wednesday at Green Tree Country Club.

Fueling Freedom speakers: There needs to be a fight over future energy sources

■ Guests at Texas Public Policy Foundation talk Clinton energy policies

By Stewart Doreen
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"(Hillary Clinton) has advisors in the Sierra Club mind of thinking."
— Stephen Moore at Wednesday's Fueling Freedom event.

That quote is why the thought of a Clinton presidency scares Midland oilmen such as Jim Henry. He joined an older guard of Midlanders such as Dale Brown, Ernie Angelo and Ed Magruder last week at the Texas Public Policy Foundation event at Green Tree Country Club.

They have seen the damage done to coal country in America's Rust Belt and, like the rest of America, heard Clinton boast about putting coal miners out of work. They heard her calls for using oil industry profits to pay for an environmentalist's wish list of projects.

Most of America's electricity comes from coal (35 percent), natural gas (35 percent), nuclear power (10 percent) and water (5 percent), according to Moore, a Heritage Foundation economist and advisor to Donald Trump.

"Green groups" hate all four, he said.

"Anything that works they are against," Moore said.

Clinton's energy plan, according to her campaign website, says America "will deliver on the pledge President Obama made at the Paris climate conference — without relying on climate deniers in Congress to pass new legislation."

Her plan calls for a reduction of greenhouse gas emissions by up to 30 percent in 2025 (relative to 2005 levels) and puts the country on a path to cut emissions by more than 80 percent by 2050.

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MISD: Budget won't include employees paying for insurance

By Stewart Doreen
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Midland ISD employees will not have to pay for a portion of their health insurance, according to an amended budget that will be presented to the school board Monday.

District officials confirmed Friday that $6 million in additional cuts are part of the amended budget, a result of the failed tax ratification election on Oct. 8.

David Garcia, chief financial office for the district, said $6 million in savings was accomplished by employee reassignments, the realignment of positions, across-the-board budget cuts, utilizing district-wide resources and moving them to a campus and using other funding sources, including federal, when possible.

Garcia said the district also collected an additional $502,000 from the state because of higher-than-expected enrollment numbers.

The result was an amended budget that keeps more money in the pocket of MISD employees who have insurance through the district. During the budget season, district leaders had indicated that a possible "cut" would be in the form of asking district employees to pay $100 a month for their insurance. The savings, it was reported, would have been $3 million.

"It is the right thing to do — to support them and all of our employees," Board President Rick Davis said. "When we went back to drawing board, it was our goal to find a way to ask them not to pay for a portion of their insurance. We want to support the teachers. We already instituted a salary freeze."

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Did you know? Most "high-threat" criminal threats are actually low-level crimes that are counted as border security, according to an Associated Press analysis. Page 3A

The big number So far this year, a total of 12 officers have been killed in premeditated ambushes. Page 15A

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noun
1. a groomsman or a bridesmaid.
2. a. a friend who accompanied the bridegroom when he went to bring home the bride.
b. the bridesmaid who escorted the bride to the bridegroom.

Nobel-winning research delves into the nature of contracts

THE ECONOMIST
By M. Ray Perryman

Every year, the Sveriges Riksbank Prize in Economic Sciences in Memory of Alfred Nobel (more commonly known as the Nobel Prize in Economics) is awarded to an individual or individuals whose ideas and research have increased our understanding of important issues in economics and related areas. This year's recipients, Oliver Hart of Harvard University and Bengt Holmstrom of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, were awarded the prize for their contributions to contract theory.

The central bank of Sweden created the Nobel Prize in Economics in 1968, and it is given by the Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences. Selection criteria include the originality of the contribution, its scientific and practical importance, and its impact on scientific progress. The effects of the work on society and public policy may also factor into the process.

Dr. Hart and Dr. Holmstrom embody these criteria through their research, which has enabled a greater understanding of why certain contracts are effective and provided guidance as to what constitutes an optimal contract. The implications of their research reach fields ranging from economics and business to political science, law, and public policy. One of the greatest freedoms we have is the fact that we can make a deal, formalized as a contract, for just about anything. Contracts govern all areas of our lives, from how much we are paid at our jobs to how insurance coverage is designed. The work performed by Dr. Hart and Dr. Holmstrom has provided new theoretical tools to better understand how agreements are made and how they can be improved.

Dr. Holmstrom's work has mainly focused on employment contracts. Often an employer and employee face different incentives regarding optimal behavior. While an employer or company would prefer an employee to always use their time in order to maximize company profits, reduce costs, and take justified risks, an employee is essentially incentivized to work only to a level sufficient to maximize income. Any level of work in excess of this baseline provides no additional financial benefits to the employee. To compound these problems, it is sometimes difficult to directly observe the performance of an employee. Therefore, it is often useful to structure a link between performance and pay.

Much of Dr. Holmstrom's research sought to answer questions about how to design optimal incentives for employees. One area where that topic is particularly relevant today is that of the compensation of corporate executives. He has demonstrated that bonuses linked to share price should be linked to comparable firms; otherwise, pay might be given (or withheld) for reasons beyond the control of the executive. He also observed many circumstances in which compensation should be based primarily on a fixed salary rather than on performance.

Another interesting application of Dr. Holmstrom's research concerns teachers' pay. Many times an employee's job encompasses multiple tasks, only some of which may be easy to observe. Dr. Holmstrom's research showed that in situations where pay is linked to the tasks that are easy to measure, an employee tends to spend a greater-than-optimal amount of time on these areas to the detriment of others. In particular, when teachers are rewarded based on test scores, they tend to "teach to the test," which is not the best way to prepare students for life or to benefit society. This topic has received a lot of attention in Texas in recent years.

Dr. Hart's work has focused on incomplete contracts, which involves designing the best basic contract that allows for unknown contingencies. Many times, parties are not able to define detailed contract terms in advance because they cannot accurately anticipate future events. The optimal contract in these instances should specify who has the power to make decisions about unknown future outcomes.

For example, it is most efficient for a manager of a firm to own the firm as well so that unilateral decisions can be made regarding the trade-off between profits and private benefits. In situations where the manager is not able to own the firm and therefore needs outside investors, it is often difficult to predict future profits. Because of this obstacle, it is typical to contract for fixed future payments along with collateral so that if payment is not made, then the investors receive ownership of the

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US stocks close mostly lower; eke out gain for the week

By Alex Veiga
Associated Press

The major U.S. stock indexes closed mostly lower Friday, capping a day spent wavering between small gains and losses.

Phone companies were the biggest drag on the market following reports that AT&T was considering a deal to acquire the media conglomerate Time Warner. AT&T, Verizon, Sprint and T-Mobile US all fell.

Health care and energy stocks also took some losses, while consumer staples and technology companies held on to slight gains.

Investors continued to focus on corporate America, reviewing earnings from General Electric, McDonald's and other big companies. Earnings from banks and other financial companies have been mostly better than anticipated, which has helped boost that sector.

"We're seeing a lot better earnings come out of the financial sector in particular, and some good earnings come out of technology," said David Schiegoleit, managing director of investments at the Private Client Reserve at U.S. Bank. "That is reflected in some of the sector performance, but when you look at the market overall we're still being weighed down by energy."

The Dow Jones industrial average fell 16.64 points, or 0.1 percent, to 18,145.71. The Standard & Poor's 500 index slipped 0.18 points, or 0.01 percent, to 2,141.16. The Nasdaq composite index gained 15.57 points, or 0.3 percent, to 5,257.40.

The three indexes ended slightly higher for the week. The Dow is now up 4.1 percent for the year, while the S&P 500 is up 4.8 percent. The Nasdaq is up 5 percent.

Roughly two weeks into the third-quarter financial reporting period, earnings for companies in the S&P 500 are projected be down about 0.8 percent overall from a year ago, according to S&P Global Market Intelligence. That forecast is largely due to the energy sector, which has been hard hit by falling energy prices.

Several companies that reported results on Friday failed to impress investors.

General Electric slipped 9 cents to $28.98 after the company said its latest quarterly sales fell more than anticipated due to weaker results from its lighting and transportation businesses. The industrial conglomerate also trimmed its revenue forecast for the year.

Skechers U.S.A. slumped 17.3 percent after the footwear maker reported disappointing results for the second quarter in a row. The stock fell $3.96 to $18.98.

Others companies fared better.

McDonald's rose 33 percent after the world's biggest hamburger chain served up earnings and revenue that exceeded Wall Street's expectations. The stock added $3.36 to $113.93.

Microsoft climbed 4.2 percent a day after the software giant posted a surprisingly high profit for its fiscal first quarter. The results help validate the company's

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BBB warns of Election Day scams

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Election Day is less than a month away. Early voting will run from Monday, Oct. 24 through Friday, Nov. 4.

While politicians are seeking your support, scammers are busy trying to steal money and identity by pretending to contact you about an election-related issue.

Better Business Bureau serving Central, Coastal, Southwest Texas and the Permian Basin advises voters to watch out for these common election scams before casting their ballot on Nov. 8:

■ **Campaign fund collections.**

Be cautious when answering a call that claims to be from a political party representative, election committee or even the candidate themselves. While political groups are exempt from abiding by the National Do Not Call registry, scammers can easily spoof Caller ID and appear like they are calling from a legitimate organization. They may call asking for your vote and then request a donation. To avoid this scam, get the caller's contact information and do your own research. If you decide to support a candidate, look online and find your preferred candidate's campaign number and call directly to ensure you're reaching the right office.

■ **Voter registration scam.**

With this scam, people receive a phone call that claims you need to re-register to vote. They will make claims that you have been taken off of the voter list. The caller is seeking personal information, including address, email, and in more serious cases, bank account information and Social Security numbers. Never give out personal information to a suspicious caller. If you are concerned about your voter registration status, contact the Texas Secretary of State. If you believe you have received a call like this, report it to your county clerk.

■ **Election survey scam.**

Another popular telemarketing scam that occurs during election season are survey calls. The caller will explain that a survey is being conducted on behalf of a political party, and if you answer all of their questions, you become eligible to win a prize (often cruise tickets or gift cards). The topic of the survey usually refers to a controversial headline in the news, and the questions are commonly vague. The scam occurs when you are asked to provide personal financial information to pay for taxes or the shipping and handling of the "prize" you've won. Remember, never give out personal or financial information over the phone, especially to someone you don't know. Be suspicious of callers promising prizes, cash or other items if you first pay a "fee."

■ **Vote by phone scam.**

Never respond to a phone call, email or text message asking you to vote by phone. This is not possible. You can only cast your vote either by absentee ballot or at an official polling station. Don't respond to these messages — instead, hang up the phone and report it to your county clerk.

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'High threat' Texas border busts aren't always so

By Paul J. Weber
Associated Press

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A Texas state trooper is shown sitting in his vehicle April 6, 2008, in Eldorado. Drivers in Texas busted for drunken driving, not paying child support or low-level drug offenses are among thousands of "high-threat" criminal arrests that officials have touted in defense of a nearly $1 billion mission to secure the border with Mexico, an Associated Press analysis has found.

AUSTIN — Drivers in Texas busted for drunken driving, not paying child support or low-level drug offenses are among thousands of "high-threat" criminal arrests being counted as part of a nearly $1 billion mission to secure the border with Mexico, an Associated Press analysis has found.

Having once claimed that conventional crime data doesn't fully capture the dangers to public safety and homeland security, the Texas Department of Public Safety classified more than 1,800 offenders arrested near the border by highway troopers in 2015 as "high threat criminals."

But not all live up to that menacing label or were anywhere close to the border — and they weren't caught entering the country illegally, as Republican Lt. Gov. Dan Patrick, who is Texas' chairman for GOP presidential candidate Donald Trump, has suggested.

In response to the AP's findings, the Department of Public Safety said it will recommend removing child support evaders from the list and signaled a willingness to stop classifying other arrests as "high threat." However, it defended the data overall, saying it isn't intended to measure border security, even though the figures are included in briefings to lawmakers.

"It's deceptive to say the least," Democratic state Rep. Terry Canales, from the border city of Edinburg, said of the data. "I would say it's shocking that a person arrested with a small amount of cocaine in Odessa is used to show supposedly high-threat criminal arrests on the Texas-Mexico border."

The AP used open records laws to obtain a list of 2015 Texas Highway Patrol arrests classified as "high threat" in a broad 60-county area that the DPS has defined as the border region, then reviewed online court and jail records for cases in Hidalgo and El Paso counties, which had the most such arrests.

Among the "high threat" incidents was a trailer that unlatched from an RV and rolled into oncoming traffic, killing another driver in a town more than 150 miles from the border. Other crimes lumped in with suspected killers and human traffickers were speeding teenagers and hit-and-runs that caused no serious injuries.

Republican leaders have used crime, smuggling and immigration data to justify an intensified deployment of troopers, armored boats and spy planes to the border since 2014. And Trump's promises to wall off the border with Mexico resonate with many in Texas, where Republican lawmakers tripled border security spending last year, and in 2017 will consider approving another $1 billion.

A threat overview published by DPS in 2013 defined high-threat criminals as "individuals whose criminal activity poses a serious public safety or homeland security threat." But about 40 "high threat" offenses can be overly broad. For instance, nearly half the 2015 arrests were for possession of a controlled substance, but DPS doesn't distinguish between a gram of cocaine and a drug smuggler's 50 pounds of marijuana. And failure to pay child support is included with sex crimes under offenses against the family.

High-threat arrests, which are tracked statewide, are among nearly three dozen "border security related" metrics collected by DPS, according to agency briefings given to lawmakers.

But DPS Director Steve McCraw told the AP that high-threat data isn't used to assess border security but rather is included in briefings for the sake of transparency. McCraw said the term "high threat" was never meant to suggest only the worst of the worst, but rather to distinguish more serious crimes.

"I don't care, we can change the name," McCraw said. "Just so long as, internally, we have a way of differentiating."

Hidalgo County, in the Rio Grande Valley, is one of the busiest corridors for drug and human trafficking in the U.S., and where Texas deployed an influx of troopers, National Guard patrols and camera surveillance. While dozens of 161 high-threat arrests for drug possession were alleged pot smugglers, about 1 in 5 were charged with having less than a gram or other low-level drug charges. Drunken drivers who didn't pull over are also counted the same as fleeing traffickers.

In El Paso County, more than half of 190 high-threat arrests last year were for drug offenses. Of those, about three in 10 were arrests for less than a gram of drugs such as cocaine or small amounts of marijuana.

Some lawmakers, including members of Texas' House Committee on Homeland Security and Public Safety, said they didn't pay attention to high-threat arrests and that the data isn't included in high-level briefings.

But following a border visit in March, Patrick incorrectly tweeted that DPS had arrested about 14,000 high-threat criminals in the previous year. Patrick senior adviser Sherry Sylvester said the lieutenant governor had been "unintentionally unclear," but then herself falsely described the arrests as "criminal illegal aliens" who she said pose a "serious threat to public safety in Texas."

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assets. This is how most bank loans are structured. Also, many contracts between entrepreneurs and venture capitalists are designed so that the entrepreneur has control when firm performance is good, but control is transferred to the investor if it deteriorates.

One fascinating application of Dr. Hart's work has been his research into whether providers of public services such as schools, hospitals, and prisons should be publically or privately owned. Managers at such institutions are often faced with the decision of whether to make further investments in quality or to reduce costs. While it is sometimes difficult for publically owned institutions to reward any investment, Dr. Hart's research showed that incentives for cost reductions are usually too strong at privately owned institutions. Dr. Hart and his colleagues studied prisons in particular and determined that they should be publically owned, a conclusion that has been supported by a recent U.S. Department of Justice report which demonstrated that conditions at privately owned prisons were worse than those at publically owned prisons.

Both of these researchers have contributed valuable insights into a wide range of topics within contract theory. Their work has enabled us to think more clearly about the incentives resulting from suboptimal contracts and, consequently, has provided guideposts for designing optimal contracts in the future. I would like to extend my congratulations to both Dr. Holmstrom and Dr. Hart for their contributions to our field.

MARKETS

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increased focus on software and online services. The stock gained $2.41 to $59.66, eclipsing its previous record close of $59.56 set in December 1999.

News and corporate deal talk also fueled big moves on Wall Street Friday.

Reynolds American jumped 14 percent after London-based British American Tobacco offered to buy out the 57.8 percent stake in Reynolds that it doesn't already own. Reynolds was evaluating the offer, which analysts say would help both sides overcome a decline in smoking rates in their home markets and competition from electronic cigarettes. Reynolds was the biggest gainer in the S&P 500, climbing $6.61 to $53.78.

AT&T fell 3 percent following reports that the company was considering a deal to acquire the media conglomerate Time Warner. AT&T slid $1.16 to $37.49.

Beyond earnings, concerns about the implications of a rising dollar and a possible interest rate hike from the Federal Reserve this year have kept the market in a listless state recently, noted Krishna Memani, chief investment officer at OppenheimerFunds.

"The market is not taking a significant turn in a negative way, but it doesn't really see any positive impetus in the near term to go higher," Memani said.

After an early slide, crude oil prices recovered in afternoon trading. Benchmark U.S. crude rose 22 cents to close at $50.85 a barrel in New York. Brent crude, used to price international oils, gained 40 cents to close at $51.78 a barrel in London.

The major stock indexes in Europe barely budged Friday as investors increasingly factored in the likelihood of a U.S. interest rate increase this year.

Germany's DAX rose 0.1 percent, while France's CAC 40 fell 0.1 percent lower. Britain's FTSE 100 also slipped 0.1 percent. Earlier in Asia, Japan's benchmark Nikkei 225 index lost 0.3 percent, while South Korea's Kospi lost 0.4 percent. Hong Kong's stock market was closed due to a typhoon.

In other U.S. energy futures trading, wholesale gasoline added 4 cents to $1.53 a gallon, while heating oil gained a penny to $1.57 a gallon. Natural gas lost 15 cents, or 4.7 percent, to $2.99 per 1,000 cubic feet.

In metals trading, the price of gold gained 20 cents to $1,267.70 an ounce, while silver lost 6 cents to $17.49 an ounce. Copper slid a penny to $2.09 a pound.

Bond prices rose. The yield on the 10-year Treasury note fell to 1.74 percent from 1.76 late Thursday.

In currency markets, the dollar slipped to 103.85 yen from 103.95 on Thursday. The euro weakened to $1.0871 from $1.0926.

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■ Bingo Nights, 7 p.m., The American Legion Auxiliary, 501 Veterans Airpark Lane. 432-682-5511.

Monday

■ Third annual Big Beer Brew-Ha with pairings by Bill's Bistro and The Wine Rack, 6 p.m., The Wine Rack, 4610 N. Garfield St. Call 432-218-7383 or 432-570-9436 for reservations.

Wednesday

■ Hilda Cuevas, Mariachi Reyna de Los Angeles, 7:30 p.m., Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, 1310 N. FM 1788. $25-$45. wagnernoel.com.

Thursday

■ Autumn Fete, Midland Need to Read's annual fundraiser, 5:30 p.m., Midland Country Club. Will feature shopping and dining in the ambiance of a country gentleman's lodge. midlandneedtoread.org.

■ Kenny Rogers: The Gambler's Last Deal, 7:30 p.m., Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, 1310 N. Farm-to-Market Road 1788. Wagnernoel.com.

Friday

■ Comic Con Zombie Walk hosted by the Odessa Jackalopes, 5 p.m., Ector County Coliseum, 4201 Andrews Highway, Odessa pbcomiccon.com.

■ Midland Y Halloween Carnival, 6 p.m., Midland YMCA, 800 N. Big Spring St. $5. Canned good donations accepted.

Saturday

■ Midland County Public Library Fall Festival, 1 p.m., Midland County Public Library downtown branch, 301 W. Missouri Ave. co.midland.tx.us/lib.

■ Midland Humane Coalition sixth annual Furr Ball, 6 p.m. Oct. 29 at the Petroleum Club, 501 W. Wall St. Will features dinner, dessert and casino games. midlandhumane.org.

Meetings this week

Commissioners' Court
9 a.m. Monday
Midland County Courthouse auxiliary courtroom.
500 N. Loraine Ave.

Midland ISD
Noon Monday
Administration Building
615 W. Missouri Ave.

City Council
10 a.m. Tuesday
Council Chambers City H all
300 N. Loraine Ave.

Midland Coalition
11:30 a.m. Wednesday
1208 W. Wall St.
Anyone concerned about underage drinking and substance abuse is encouraged to attend.

Hospital District
11:45 a.m. Thursday
Administation boardroom

Toy drive

Lee High School classes will be battling between now and Nov. 2 to see which one can donate the most new toys for the benefit of the nonprofit Toys for Cops. Domino's will be providing a pizza party for the winning class.

Also, the robotics team at Early College High School@MC is collecting toys, and there will be boxes throughout the community for residents to drop off toys. Boxes will be out until Dec. 18.

Boxes are located at office at LHS, 3500 Neely Ave.; Alderson Mercedes Benz on Andrews Highway; ClayDesta Corp., 6 Desta Drive; Brew St. Bakery and Coffee and Chrysalis Salon and Day Spa, both at 4610 N. Garfield St.; both branches of Midland County Public Library; Midland County Sheriff's Office; Christian Brothers, 5317 W. Loop 250 N; and Diamonds of Midland, 3209 Courtyard Drive.

Toys for Cops provides toys to law enforcement and supporting agencies for children in crisis.

Source: Toys for Cops

Lake Levels

	Contents (acre-feet)	Percent Full
Thomas	125,373	62.49
Spence	53,303	10.30
Ivie	121,511	21.92
Totals	300,177	23.59
Last week	300,927	23.65

Source: Colorado River Municipal Water District

Watering schedule

The current outdoor watering schedule allows residents and businesses in the city of Midland to water twice per week.

Even-numbered addresses may water outdoors on Saturdays and Wednesdays.

Odd-numbered addresses may water outdoors on Fridays and Tuesdays.

Any violation may result in a fine up to $500.

The washing outdoor surfaces ban is still in effect.

Source: City of Midland

Lottery

Pick 3 morning: 6-8-3
Pick 3 day: 3-9-5
Pick 3 evening: 1-9-1
Pick 3 night: 6-7-5
Daily 4 morning: 5-5-6-0
Daily 4 day: 7-3-9-3
Daily 4 evening: 3-2-7-4
Daily 4 night: 0-0-9-9
Cash Five: 1-6-13-27-36
Lotto Texas: 2-5-14-25-26-30
Texas Triple Chance: 1-10-13-30-39-42-46-48-51-53
Powerball: 1-28-33-55-56 PB: 22 Power Play: 2
Mega Millions: x-x-x-x-x MB: xx Megaplier: xx
All or Nothing morning: 2-4-5-7-11-12-14-15-17-19-20-24
All or Nothing day: 1-2-3-4-5-6-8-12-13-14-15-19
All or Nothing evening: 1-3-8-10-11-12-16-18-19-20-21-24
All or Nothing night: 1-2-4-5-6-9-11-16-19-21-23-24

SPEAKERS

From 1A

Clinton also hopes to generate enough renewable energy to power every home in America, with half a billion solar panels installed in four years. She also will call for reform leasing and the tenfold expansion of clean energy production on public lands and waters within a decade.

How will she pay for it? One way is the elimination of the alleged "billions of wasteful tax subsidies oil and gas companies have enjoyed for too long," according to her website. Congressman Mike Conaway previously told the Reporter-Telegram that one of his pet peeves is how the uneducated in Washington talk about oil and gas subsidies without knowing what they are talking about.

"Since its inception, the U.S. tax code has allowed corporate taxpayers the ability to recover costs and to be taxed only on net income," according to the American Petroleum Institute.

Moore and Kathleen Hartnett White of the Texas Public Policy Foundation provided their laundry list of reasons why Americans need to prepare a defense against the country's left. It's not that anyone is against wind and solar. As they pointed out, Texas and its all-of-the-above energy philosophy makes it a leader — "far and above any country," according to Hartnett White — on these alternative sources. However, total dependence on those

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>
> **Stephen Moore,** co-author of "Fueling Freedom: Exposing the Mad War on Energy"

sources will set the stage for rolling blackouts, less effective sources and higher costs, they said, because renewables are so unreliable.

A larger percentage of the European energy portfolio is centered around burning wood, she said. Using wood for energy is considered carbon neutral because for every tree cut down, one is planted.

"You can't compete with heat value and density of coal, natural gas and petroleum," Hartnett White said.

Both Moore and Hartnett White spent a great deal of time on the cost factor of relying exclusively on renewables. Dependence of wind and solar is like creating a progressive tax on the poor.

"Germany is five to 10 years ahead of the United States (when it comes to renewables)," Hartnett White said. "It is the most aggressive country on renewables, and their energy bill is three times the rate in the U.S. — not 30 percent, three times."

Clinton is calling for "a $60 billion Clean Energy Challenge to partner with states, cities and rural communities to cut carbon pollution and expand clean energy, including for low-income families," she said.

They also said turning developing countries away from reliable and affordable sources of power is like keeping them in a "16th century energy mindset."

"For these know-it-all liberals to say we should use solar and wind power is ridiculous. It is also most inhumane to deprive these developing countries of an efficient source of energy and electricity," Moore said. "What the left is proposing is going back to pre-industrial age."

Luke Metzger, director of Environment Texas, said in many cases renewables are actually the cheapest energy choice and that the economics "are so good" that "conservative Georgetown, Texas, signed contracts to get 100 percent of its electricity from wind and solar."

Metzger said he expects Clinton will continue President Obama's work to reduce methane emissions from oil and gas (critical to making sure it's actually cleaner than coal) by 40 to 50 percent, following the model of Colorado and other states.

Whether she uses federal departments — Fish and Wildlife and Environmental Protection Agency — to wage a battle with the oil and gas industry is something local leaders are worried about.

"We have to figure out a defense," Henry said.

Hydraulic fracturing finds unlikely friend in Hillary Clinton

Editor's note: The only mention of hydralic fracturing on the fact sheet about energy on HillaryClinton.com says, "She will follow the lead of states such as Texas, Pennsylvania, and Wyoming in requiring that all companies disclose the chemicals they use in hydraulic fracturing, will ensure robust well casing requirements are in place and will improve wastewater recycling and disposal practices."

By Chris Tomlinson
Houston Chronicle

■ COMMENTARY

In the latest case of unlikely allies, Hillary Clinton supports hydraulic fracturing and has no intention of banning it or shutting down the oil and gas industry.

Bernie Sanders must be angry that Wikileaks didn't release transcripts from her private, paid speeches while the Democratic primary was still raging.

"My view is I want to defend natural gas. I want to defend repairing and building the pipelines we need to fuel our economy," Clinton told the Building Trades Union in September 2015. "I want to defend (fracturing) under the right circumstances."

She also dismissed environmentalists who support the "Keep It In The Ground" movement, which wants to stop new drilling or mining for fossil fuels. They wrongly believe it's the only way to prevent climate change.

"They say, 'Will you promise never to take any fossil fuels out of the earth ever again?'" the Democratic nominee reportedly said. "No. I won't promise that. Get a life, you know?"

This places Clinton firmly in the main stream of environmental and energy thinking. Climate change is real, and we must reduce carbon emissions, but that involves drilling for more natural gas, not less. If we lose the natural gas released by fracturing, the U.S. would need to burn more coal. That would do much more damage to the environment than a few leaky gas wells.

This new insight into her politics might also help explain why Houston energy executives are giving their cash to Clinton instead of Trump, according to reporting by my colleague James Osborne in Washington. Energy workers recognize that a political pragmatist with environmental leanings is a far safer bet than a unpredictable, political unknown.

Following these revelations, some environmentalists may be questioning whether they should vote for Clinton. But most Americans should be reassured that a Clinton victory doesn't mean an end to the most profound energy revolution this nation has experienced since Spindletop.

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BOARD

From 1A

board-approved tax rate election was soundly defeated by nearly a 2-to-1 margin. If bond/tax rate elections are a referendum on district leadership, the electoral result sent a message that candidates heard loud and clear.

"It is apparent the community does not trust (district leadership)," Stone said after the forum. "Look at what happened with TRE. ... Nothing was positive. I was talking to people about the TRE, talking to people about what was happening and that we need to do this. I was being beat up."

All six candidates running for school board supported the ballot initiative to raise the total tax rate to $1.17 per $100 valuation. Instead of raising $6.7 million to help make up for a $25 million budget deficit, the current MISD board is having to go back to the drawing board and make cuts. An amended budget will be presented to the school board Monday.

"The vote on (Nov. 8) told us something in spades," Kennedy said.

November's elections involve three school board seats. In District 1, James Fuller, the lone incumbent on the ballot, takes on Ernie Garcia. In District 4, Kennedy and Stone face off. In District 7, Murry and Margy House, the lone teacher of the candidate group, are on the ballot. District 2's Robert Marquez didn't draw an opponent and already has joined the school board.

House, who left MISD after 20 years of service and currently teaches at Trinity, said her goal is to bring "credibility" back to the district.

House and Murry are looking to fill the seat being vacated by Jay Isaacs, who has announced his public support for Murry. Like Isaacs, whose wife, Nancy, is an administrator with the district, Murry's wife also is an MISD employee. Amy Murry is a teacher.

The District 4 race features Kennedy, a businessman, and Stone, president of the Hispanic Chamber.

"I felt guilty as a community man not paying attention," Kennedy said. "I didn't realize the district dropped as much as it had."

Stone ran for school board in 2014, finishing second to Jeff Robnett. As CEO and president of the Midland Hispanic Chamber of Commerce. Her position in the community keeps her involved in the district. After last week's forum, she expressed frustration with the cries by the community being ignored by district leaders, specifically Warren.

"When you tell me as an adult this is what we are doing, I want to believe you," Stone said. "You are the superintendent. When I get a call from (the Texas Education Agency) that we are in trouble and they are going to send a monitor, I wonder, 'What happened?' What happened? That is the type of leadership we don't need. We need someone who will be honest."

The new board will hire the next superintendent sometime in late winter or early spring 2017. That superintendent will oversee a school district with nine schools currently labeled improvement required or "IR" and a short-term future full of recapture payments in the $50 million range.

"What is going to be done internally so this doesn't happen again," Stone said of the deficits. "(The people) are not happy with how the current administration is handling tax dollars. ... We need to prepare for five years from now."

This community will learn if November will deliver a wave election based on the result of District 1. Garcia, whose wife is a teacher at Lee High School, takes on Fuller, the dean of school board members.

"If (people) are happy where the district is at, I encourage them to vote for Mr. Fuller," Garcia said. "Part of the reason I ran is we needed change."

Garcia wants to connect Fuller with the selections of former superintendents Sylvester Perez and Warren, who led the district during the last decade and whose time at central office runs concurrent with the decline of academic performance inside the district.

Fuller said change in the board leadership style doesn't require total turnover on the board. He said during the forum that he found himself in the minority of the board wanting to make changes. He said afterward there is no room for "cliques" on the board but there is a need for open communications, collaboration among board members and a superintendent and board leadership that is "transparent, proactive and participates with each board member."

The TRE election aside, there has been momentum for reform inside the community. Businesses and foundations brought education to the forefront with the rollout of Educate Midland, an organization that plans to use a collective impact model to provide more support to struggling schools. Interim Superintendent Rod Schroder has come to Midland and ratcheted up the professional learning communities, which in its infancy in Midland but helped turn around the Amarillo ISD, where Schroder was superintendent through the 2014-15 season.

"Teacher morale is terrible. ... We have to give the classroom back," Kennedy said. "If we can change the culture and get people positive, then it is a home run and easy to fix."

BUDGET

From 1A

Interim Superintendent Rod Schroder emphasized during a conversation with the Reporter-Telegram that this is a one-year budget. He said district staff will start discussions of next year's budget early in the spring and see what the revenue picture looks like. He said that as positions become vacant, district officials will see if "there is another way to accomplish the job."

"It is an on-going process from this point on," Schroder said. "We wanted to protect the campus. That is where the instruction occurs and is the core of our business."

Davis and Garcia both said the cuts will not force people to lose their jobs with the district. Both also said the cuts were made to have the smallest possible impact on classroom instruction.

"We really did minimize the impact on classroom instruction, which was the goal," Davis said. "These budget amendments achieve that.

"It is our mission to get better with less. I am confident we will do so. ... Our plan is to rise to the occasion."

In August, the MISD school board passed a $238.3 million budget, which included a $53.7 million Robin Hood payment that will be distributed to "poor school districts." The recapture payment is expected to drop to just more than $50 million, according to Garcia. The board also previously approved $6 million in cuts from the budget. The district used a $10 million donation from the Scharbauer Foundation and more than $2 million from reserves to help deal with the deficit. Garcia said that hasn't changed.

The MISD board will look at the amended budget during a special meeting at noon Monday at the Central Administration building.

More details on the newest $6 million in cuts are expected then.

Goodwill Church to address domestic violence with event

By Rich Lopez
jrlopez@mrt.com

The Goodwill Missionary Baptist Church will host "I'm a Survivor," a domestic violence awareness program. It will be led by Pastor Kenneth G. Johnson and Melody Johnson.

"It's very rare that it's spoken about in churches, especially African-American churches," organizer Lavern Scales-Montez said. "I wanted to bring awareness to my church."

She has been organizing the service at Goodwill for the past five years.

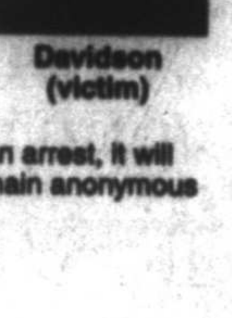
The event is open to the community. Scales-Montez encourages men who have been affected by abuse to attend the event.

The service will feature guest speakers from the community, including church member Johnny May Oliver, community leader Dodiane Franklin and Sherenda Lee with Buckner Family Center.

"I'm a Survivor" is set for 11 a.m. Oct. 30 at Goodwill, 1001 S. Main St.

Crime of the week

Midland Crime Stoppers and the Midland Police Department need help identifying the suspect in a fatal hit-and-run wreck that occurred nine years ago.



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Crime Stoppers fugitive

DAVID GALINDO

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SCHEDULE

8:30 AM Registration Opens and stays open until Noon
9:00 AM Five Stand Opens (open every 20 min until2)
9:05 AM Longest Bird Opens (stays open until 2 pm)
10:00 AM First Rotation begins
11:00 AM Second Rotation begins
11:30 AM Lunch begin
Noon Third Rotation Begins
2:00 PM Lunch Closes
2:15 PM Awards and Door Prizes

Five Stand and Longest Bird Contests • Sign Up on-site • $10 for 2 Shots Long Bird $25 For 1 Round of Five Stand • 60% goes to pot for each side event

There will be a HOA for Advance and Amateur Team(s) • HOA awards to OPEN, YOUTH, and Lady Teams with a Youth member will receive 5 points added to final score. • Elmer Fudd Awards Teams with a combined age of 305 will receive 5 points added to final score. (Max is 10 points per team) We will sell 5 Mulligans for $50.00 per team. All individual HOA prizes will be awarded as true scores.

Circle One: **Advanced** or **Amateur** (Advanced is Class A-M of NSCA rules Amateur is Class E-B & Non NSCA members)

Circle One: **10AM, 11AM** or **Noon Rotation**

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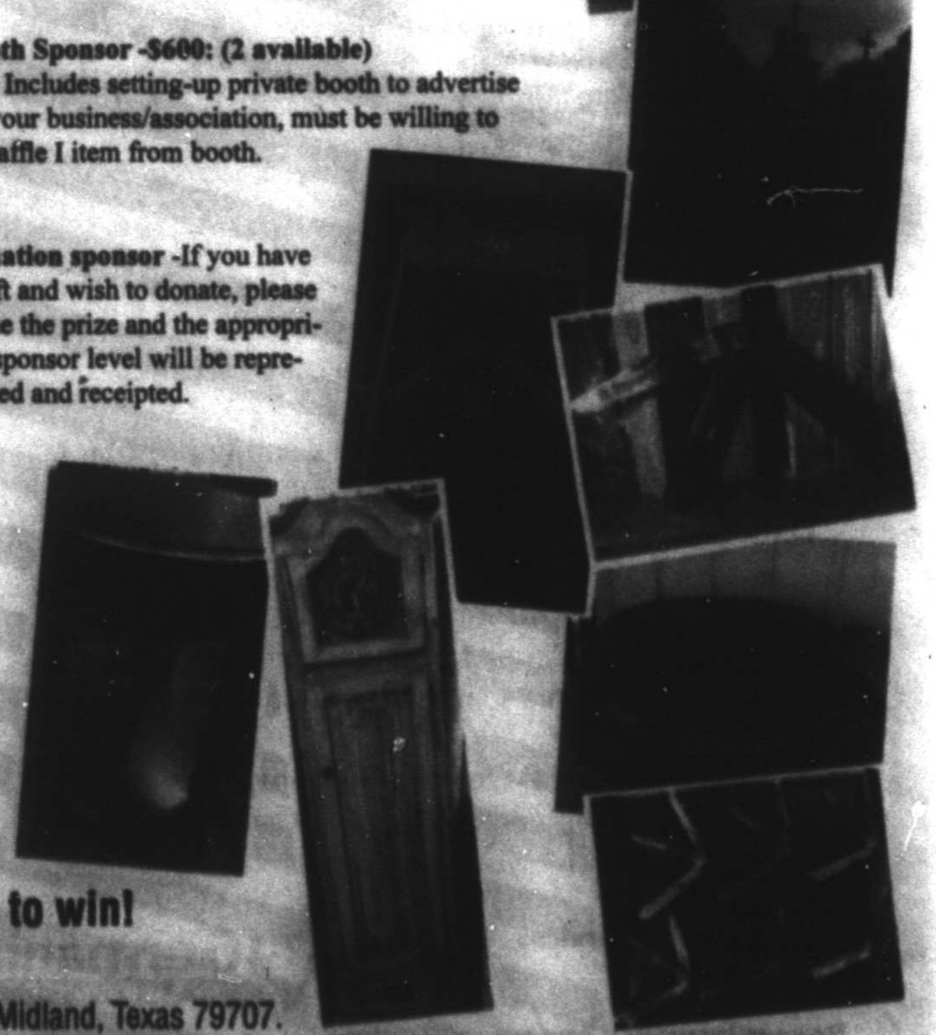

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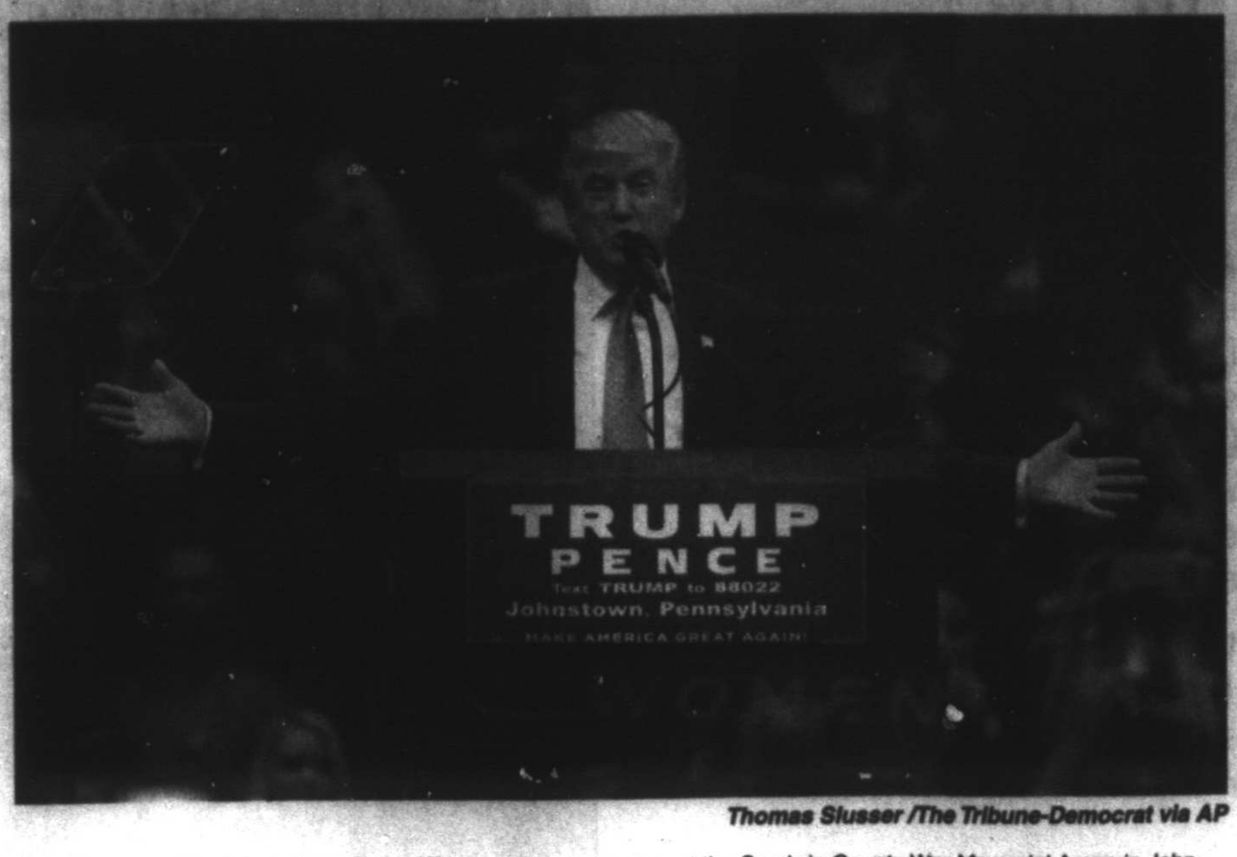
GOP divided over Trump shows unity on Supreme Court

By Steven T. Dennis
Bloomberg News



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Republican presidential nominee Donald Trump rallies supporters at the Cambria County War Memorial Arena in Johnstown, Pa., on Friday.

WASHINGTON — Republican Senate candidates trying to escape Donald Trump want voters to think about the U.S. Supreme Court.

Rep. Joe Heck of Nevada, who is campaigning for Minority Leader Harry Reid's Senate seat, says one of the most important reasons to elect him is so he can vet the next president's Supreme Court picks. Pennsylvania Sen. Pat Toomey has said he would support Trump's picks for the high court, even though he has yet to back the nominee.

But with Trump's poll numbers in free fall, Arizona Sen. John McCain took it to a whole new level Monday when he said in a Philadelphia radio interview that neither he nor Toomey would confirm any of Hillary Clinton's Supreme Court picks. A spokesman walked back the statement later, but the comments raised the specter of an unprecedented five-year vacancy on the Supreme Court for purely partisan reasons.

McCain's remarks also cast doubt on the often-repeated Republican justifications for their blockade of President Barack Obama's nominee Merrick Garland, which they said they mounted to give voters a chance to weigh in via the presidential election.

For Democrats, the remarks were a warning sign that if they win the Senate and the presidency, they might have to decide very early on whether to take the explosive step of changing Senate rules for confirming high court justices.

Democratic leaders had long touted the blockade as a key issue that would help them win back the chamber, but the Supreme Court now looks like a possible life raft for Republicans navigating a civil war within their party over Trump.

Republicans such as McCain, Toomey and Heck are trying to figure out how to persuade Trump supporters to vote for them. Toomey has yet to endorse Trump, calling him a deeply flawed candidate, and McCain and Heck declared they wouldn't vote for Trump after the 2005 tape aired of him bragging about groping women.

Toomey, who has praised Trump's list of 21 possible Supreme Court picks, defended the blockade in a debate with Democrat Katie McGinty on Monday. He said he was worried about upsetting the "balance" of the court after the death of conservative Justice Antonin Scalia.

"The Constitution is very clear that the power to seek a justice is a shared power between the president and the Senate," Toomey said. "The American people will have a say," he said, by "who they elect as president of the United States."

In Nevada, Heck, who faces a tough race, specifically cited the court as a way to keep Trump voters on his side.

"Regardless of who the occupant of the White House is, if we don't have a Republican Senate, specifically messaging to those individuals, then nothing that they want done is going to get done," he told reporters last week, referring to unhappy Trump voters.

"You're going to need a Republican Senate, especially on the Supreme Court," Heck added. "When you start talking about Supreme Court nominations, to those individuals, you are going to want a Republican Senate conducting those confirmation hearings."

It's a tricky calculus for these Republicans who are hoping to keep Trump loyalists on their side and reach out to moderates they need to win.

Heck and Toomey have each tried to hew a moderate line while keeping their appeal to conservatives. In his Monday debate, Toomey said he would have supported Obama's nomination of Justice Sonia Sotomayor, but not of Elena Kagan.

Toomey's campaign also disavowed McCain's remarks about blocking Clinton's picks.

"Senator Toomey has a long record of bipartisanship on judicial nominees. Regardless of who the president is, Senator Toomey will support judges who are well qualified and respect the Constitution, as he has always done," said Ted Kwong, a spokesman for Toomey.

And in his debate with Democrat Catherine Cortez Masto recently in Las Vegas, Heck declared he had no one "litmus test" for a justice.

Other Republicans have rejected the idea of a four-year blockade of Clinton picks.

"If that new president happens to be Hillary, we can't just simply stonewall," said Judiciary Chairman Charles Grassley in a conference call Tuesday with reporters posted by Radio Iowa. Grassley has backed Trump and leads in his re-election fight against Democrat Patty Judge in Iowa.

The partisanship over the court may increase the odds Democrats would use the so-called nuclear option of changing Senate rules to prohibit a minority from filibustering Supreme Court nominees, if they win control of the chamber and Clinton defeats Trump.

Sen. Chuck Schumer of New York, Reid's presumptive heir as Democratic leader, demurred when asked in a news conference last month about eliminating the 60-vote threshold for considering court picks, saying he would make a decision next year.

He'll face his own quandary as he ponders that question: Unlike this year, far more Democratic seats will be up for election in the 2018 midterms, including in predominantly Republican states.

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Say the Democrats win the Senate and Mitch McConnell is taken down. What then?

By Curtis Tate
McClatchy Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON — Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell is in a pickle.

The senior Kentucky Republican began the year with a tough Senate electoral map. A wildly unpredictable Republican presidential nominee, Donald Trump, has possibly made that map even harder.

When conservative Supreme Court Justice Antonin Scalia died unexpectedly in February, McConnell made the calculation that waiting for the election of a Republican president to name a successor would be better than letting the incumbent Democrat, Barack Obama, do so.

Just two years ago, McConnell became the first Kentuckian to lead a Senate majority since Democrat Alben W. Barkley in the 1940s. But now, largely due to circumstances beyond his control, McConnell stands to lose a perch he's coveted his whole career.

Democrat Hillary Clinton is poised to be elected president, and she would get to fill the current Supreme Court vacancy, and perhaps others, with a majority in the Senate to confirm them.

Still, McConnell thinks long term, and he would still wield considerable influence as minority leader, as he did from 2009 to 2014. And it may be possible for him to lead Republicans back into the majority in two years.

"As minority leader, he was quite skilled at figuring out how to regain control of the Senate," said Sarah Binder, a political science professor at George Washington University who's an expert on Congress. "He knows how to exploit the rules of the game to his advantage quite well."

As Trump's troubles have tied other Republican leaders, namely House Speaker Paul Ryan, in knots, McConnell has kept a low profile, not rushing to defend his party's nominee but not engaging in open conflict with him either.

"I'd say he's done better," Stephen Voss, a political science professor at the University of Kentucky, said of McConnell. "Paul Ryan has made a repeated spectacle of working through handling the Trump thing."

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Pence again finds himself as Donald Trump's clean-up man

By Bill Barrow
Associated Press

RENO, Nevada — It's become a familiar routine for Mike Pence.

Republican presidential nominee Donald Trump says something headline-grabbing, dubious or outright false, and his mild-mannered running mate sets out to refashion the boss's argument. It's happening again this week with the campaign's most fundamental question: whether Trump would accept the legitimacy of election results that make Democrat Hillary Clinton president-elect.

Finding the right balance will prove critical for the Indiana governor in this election and beyond. His aim for the next few weeks is to rally wary Republicans, from evangelical Christians to fiscal hawks, without alienating Trump's core supporters who distrust the party establishment that Pence still calls home.

And should Trump lose, Pence's delicate,

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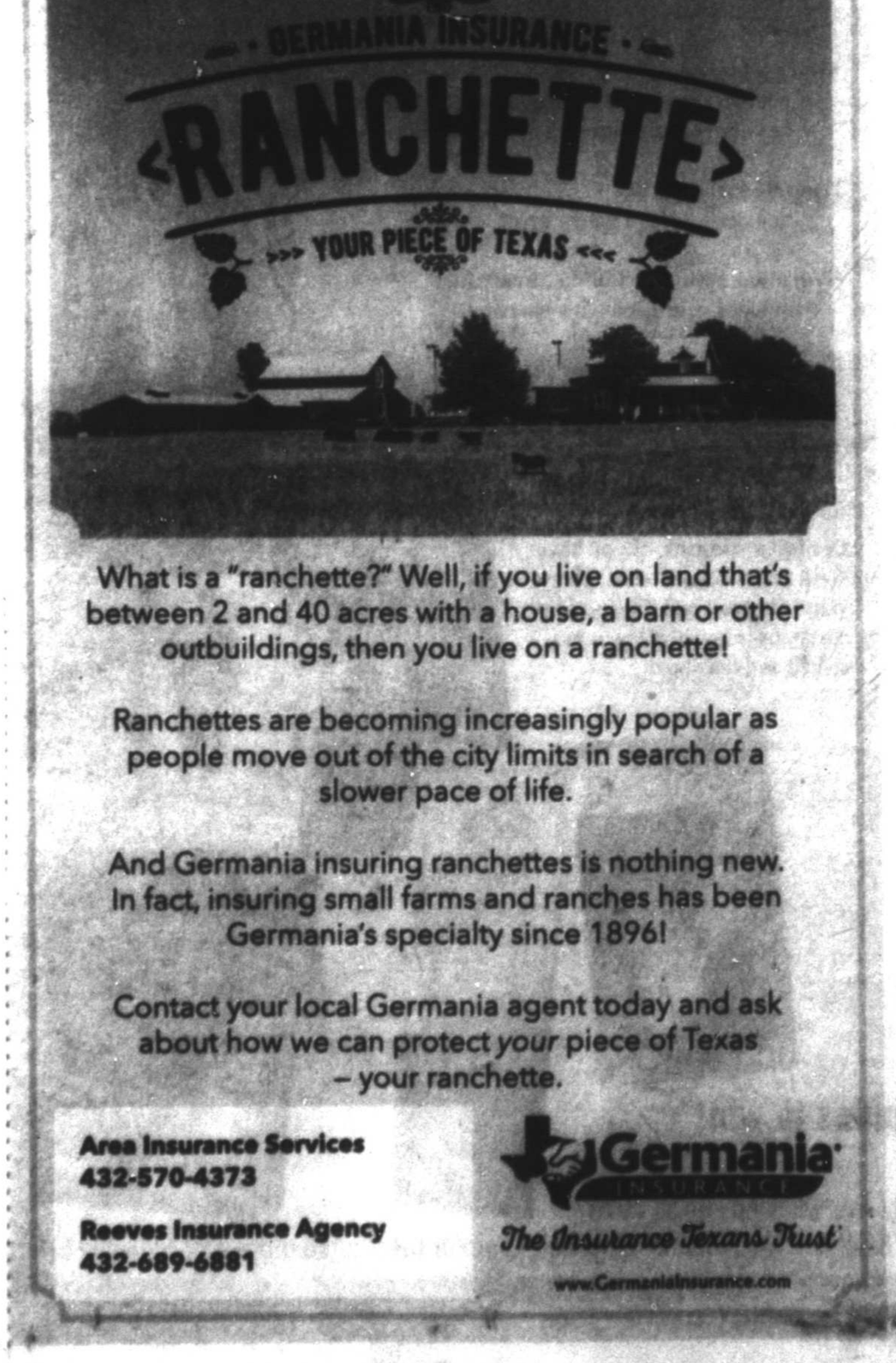

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sometimes-impossible dance could leave him as one of the few high-profile Republicans with credibility across competing strands of a fractured party — a position he could occupy with an eye toward the 2020 election.

For now, the Indiana governor must translate Trump's repeated claims that the electoral system is rigged against him —unsubstantiated statements that leave Republican and Democrats alike fearful that the GOP nominee might undermine a President-elect Clinton by flouting the American tradition of graceful concessions by losing candidates.

On NBC's "Meet the Press" last week, Pence explained that Trump was talking about media bias against Trump, not massive voting fraud. "We absolutely will accept the result of the election," he said.

Trump undercut Pence's first point almost immediately, tweeting that there was rigging at polling places. The second point he rejected in a more explosive manner at Wednesday's debate.

Moderator Chris Wallace cited Pence's comments among others in asking Trump if he'd accept the election results. Trump refused. "I will keep you in suspense," he said.

By the next day, Pence had ditched the unequivocal language he had used on Sunday. Speaking in Nevada, he tried to brush off the outrage over Trump's comments as a misunderstanding driven by a rat-pack media fixated on "one sentence."

He also noted that Trump earlier in the day had said he would accept a clear election result, adding "we also reserve the right to contest or file a legal challenge in the case of questionable results."

That's been Pence's motif: push back at a narrative, mollify core supporters and give Trump and Pence aides just enough to cover to deny any daylight between the two.

> *"Donald, after listening to your speech, I will also enjoy listening to Mike Pence deny that you ever gave it."*
>
> Hillary Clinton

But even when Trump and Pence are in general agreement, there are differences in scale and approach.

Pence will say: "Don't kid yourself, voter fraud is real" and "takes place in pockets and polling places around the country." It's a standard conservative applause line.

But he hasn't gone as far as Trump, who has bemoaned "large-scale voter fraud" — a disproven assertion — and urged his nearly all-white audiences to monitor voting sites in "other communities" so the election isn't "stolen." It's a call-to-action some minorities interpret as voter intimidation.

Pence tells supporters to "respectfully participate" in safeguarding a fair election. In Colorado this week, he urged Trump supporters to volunteer as official poll watchers, a long-standing component of U.S. elections sustained by both major parties. It was a noticeable, if subtle departure from Trump's tacit invitation for freelance, vigilante poll monitoring.

Sometimes, it's harder for Pence to paper over differences, and often he ignores uncomfortable subjects or denies Trump said something at all.

An outspoken Christian, Pence condemned Trump's sexually predatory comments about women revealed in a 2005 recording. But he batted down rumors that he considered leaving the ticket and repeated Trump's explanation the tape was "locker-room talk" and not a representation of how he actually treats women. Now, after 10 women have publicly accused Trump of unwanted advances or sexual assault, Pence doesn't address the issue at all. Trump has denied the accusations.

In the lone vice presidential debate, Pence said the U.S. should be ready to bomb military targets under the command of Syrian President Bashar Assad if his regime and Russia continue airstrikes that the U.S. blames for civilian deaths. Trump, during the second presidential debate, said he and Pence "haven't spoken" about Syria "and "I disagree." Pence answered the split by accusing moderator Martha Raddatz of mischaracterizing his position when questioning Trump. She had quoted him verbatim.

Several other times during the vice presidential debate, Pence denied Trump's statements altogether, from a ban on Muslim immigration to the United States, to creating a "deportation task force" for removing foreign residents who are in the U.S. illegally.

Pence and his aides won't discuss Pence's balancing act in terms other than supporting the GOP ticket. But Democrats happily try to knock Pence off his tightrope. Clinton's campaign almost immediately cut a video montage of Pence's debate denials.

Clinton herself used Pence for grist Thursday at the Al Smith charity dinner in New York, where both candidates spoke.

"Donald," she said, "after listening to your speech, I will also enjoy listening to Mike Pence deny that you ever gave it."

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From 6A

It's all part of a patient approach to politics McConnell has built for nearly five decades.

Rep. John Yarmuth, Kentucky's lone Democrat in Congress, has known McConnell since 1968, when both worked on the campaign of Kentucky Sen. Marlow Cook, a moderate Republican. Both later served on Cook's staff.

McConnell ran for county executive in Jefferson County, the state's largest and a stronghold for Democrats, and won two terms. With the help of an ambitious media consultant named Roger Ailes, McConnell challenged an incumbent Democrat for the U.S. Senate, and was elected on his first try in 1984.

McConnell relishes his role as a Senate power broker, Yarmuth said.

"He's not interested in policy. He's interested in partisan power," he said. "I don't think it matters to him the position he holds."

Democrats need to win five seats to gain a simple majority in the Senate, and they have a shot among nine states in which races could go either way.

According to the nonpartisan Rothenberg and Gonzales Political Report, three seats are pure tossups: two held by Republicans, Pennsylvania and New Hampshire, and one held by a Democrat, Nevada.

Three others held by Republicans — Indiana, Illinois and Wisconsin — are more favorable to Democrats. Three more Republican seats — Missouri, Florida and North Carolina — are more favorable to Republicans.

"A shift of 2 to 4 points in key Senate races, and the majority would be gone," said Nathan Gonzales, editor and publisher of the Rothenberg and Gonzales Political Report.

New York Democratic Sen. Charles Schumer, an outspoken liberal, would become majority leader and would get to set the agenda, as McConnell does now.

But as leader of a Republican minority, McConnell would be no shrinking violet.

Almost nothing gets done in the Senate without 60 votes. At best, Democrats could start next year with 53 or 54 votes, including those of two independents.

As minority leader, McConnell could serve as a check on the ambitions of Schumer or a Democrat in the White House.

"You can stop anything you want to stop," Yarmuth said. "If you assume a Hillary Clinton presidency, you're in a stronger position to affect policy."

That could include matters of immigration, health care, taxes, the environment, voting rights — conceivably anything Democrats would like to accomplish.

"The intensity of partisanship in Congress is not going away anytime soon," Binder said.

With Clinton widening her lead over Trump, it appears increasingly likely that it is she who will appoint at least one, if not more, justices to the Supreme Court.

While a rule change instituted when Democrats controlled the Senate enables the chamber to consider judicial nominees in lower courts with a simple majority, Supreme Court justices still require 60 votes. That's where McConnell could exert a lot of influence.

Liberal dreams of resurrecting a modern version of the court led by Chief Justice Earl Warren 50 years ago could be premature.

"The Senate is your one place, at least at the Supreme Court level, to fight Democratic appointees, to force them toward the middle," Voss said.

Then comes 2018, when the Democrats will be the ones facing the challenging map — perhaps even worse than the one Republicans have this year.

This year, Republicans are defending 24 seats to Democrats' 10. In two years, Democrats will be defending 25 seats to Republicans' eight.

"The media is going to try to declare the death of the Republican Party on Nov. 8," Gonzales said. "But Republicans will have a great opportunity to bounce back in the midterms with a Democrat in the White House."

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Who is Evan McMullin, third-party candidate surging in Utah?

By Brady Mccombs
Associated Press

SALT LAKE CITY — Two months after he jumped into the presidential race as a political unknown on the fringe, independent candidate Evan McMullin is surging in the polls in Utah and drawing large crowds at rallies as he becomes the conduit for conservative voters fed up with Republican Donald Trump's crudeness and antics.

McMullin

The Republican stronghold of Utah is suddenly a toss-up state amid widespread rejection of Trump, with polls showing McMullin closing in on the Republican nominee and Democrat Hillary Clinton. It means that Utah may do what seemed unthinkable: Elect a non-Republican presidential candidate for the first time since 1964.

Though McMullin is only on the ballot in 11 states, there's even talk of the 40-year-old becoming president in a wild, exceedingly unlikely scenario in which neither Trump or Democrat Hillary Clinton gets enough electoral votes and Congress is left to decide.

McMullin's stunning ascent into relevancy has everyone asking: Who is this guy?

Born in Provo, Utah — the heartland of Mormon country — McMullin spent his childhood in a rural area of Washington outside Seattle. He did a two-year Mormon mission in Brazil and then returned to Utah to earn a degree in international law and diplomacy at the Mormon church-owned Brigham Young University.

He spent 11 years in the CIA doing counter terrorism work before leaving the agency to get a master's in business administration from the Wharton School of Business and have a brief stint in investment banking. He later became a national security adviser for the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.

He was working as the chief policy director for U.S. House Republicans as he watched with amazement as Trump won the GOP nomination and no other conservative jumped in the race. By late summer, he realized he would have to run to give conservative voters an alternative to Trump and Clinton. Despite knowing he would endure ridicule and questions about his motives, McMullin went for it.

McMullin is hopeful he can win Utah and make a dent in neighboring Idaho and Wyoming. But even if he doesn't win any state, he said he's already accomplished part of what he set out to do.

"We believe it's time in this country for a new conservative movement," McMullin said. "That would be a conservative movement that's welcoming to people of all races and religions... It's a conservatism that is compassionate and wants to help people and understands people's struggles and help them through these struggles."

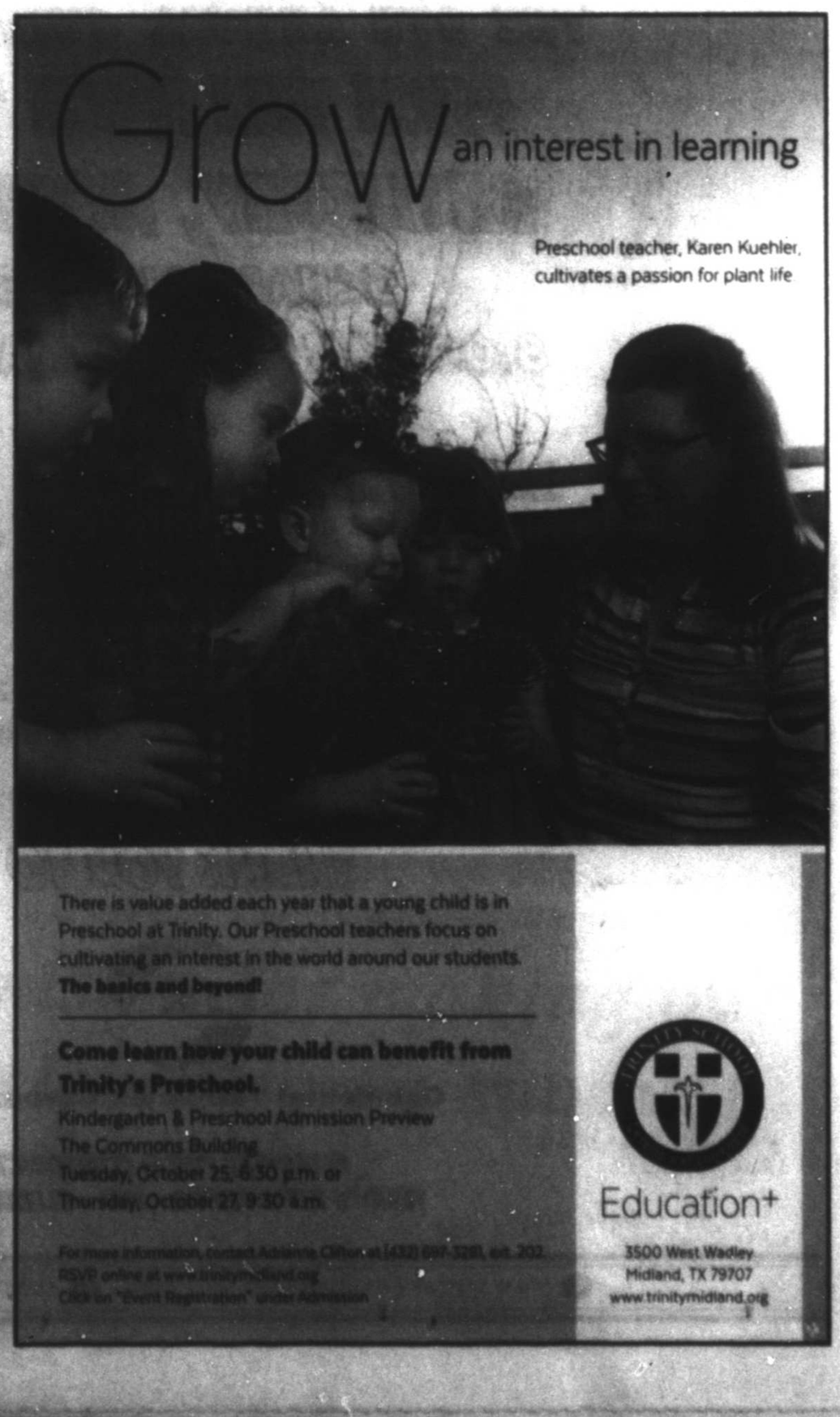
McMullin is scheduled to host a rally Friday night in a Salt Lake City suburb before making campaign stops in Idaho and Colorado in the coming days.

Damon Cann was a roommate of McMullin's for three months in 1999 when they lived together at BYU housing in Virginia. Cann, now a Utah State University political scientist, remembers McMullin being an ambitious young man with a high motor who was very excited about starting his career in the CIA, taking very seriously all the agency rules. He even insisted on reporting an encounter with foreigners from across the hall who gave them cookies, Cann remembers.

Handicapping this year's race, Cann said McMullin has seized the opportunity created by the unpopularity of Trump and Clinton by persuading voters he's a better option than Libertarian candidate Gary Johnson, whose policies don't quite jibe with Utah's culture. That includes being pro-abortion rights and accepting the legalization of gay marriage.

His choice of a woman as his running mate, Republican campaign strategist Mindy Finn, is just one part of his campaign that has endeared him to Utah voters, especially young Mormons, Cann said.

"People tend to have a higher level of social trust for people who are in the same group," Cann said. "LDS people find Evan McMullin to be trustworthy on the account he shares their religious



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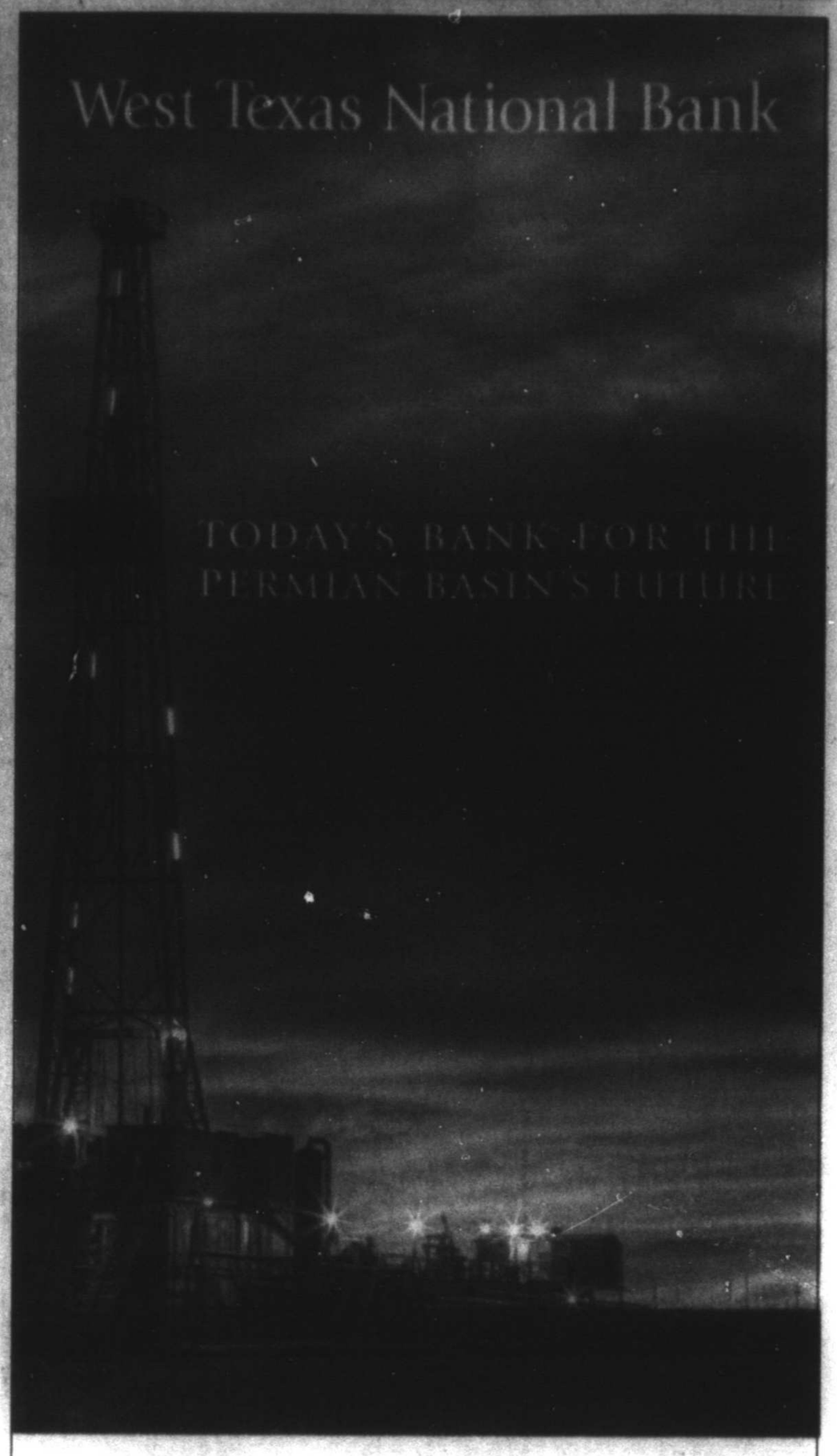

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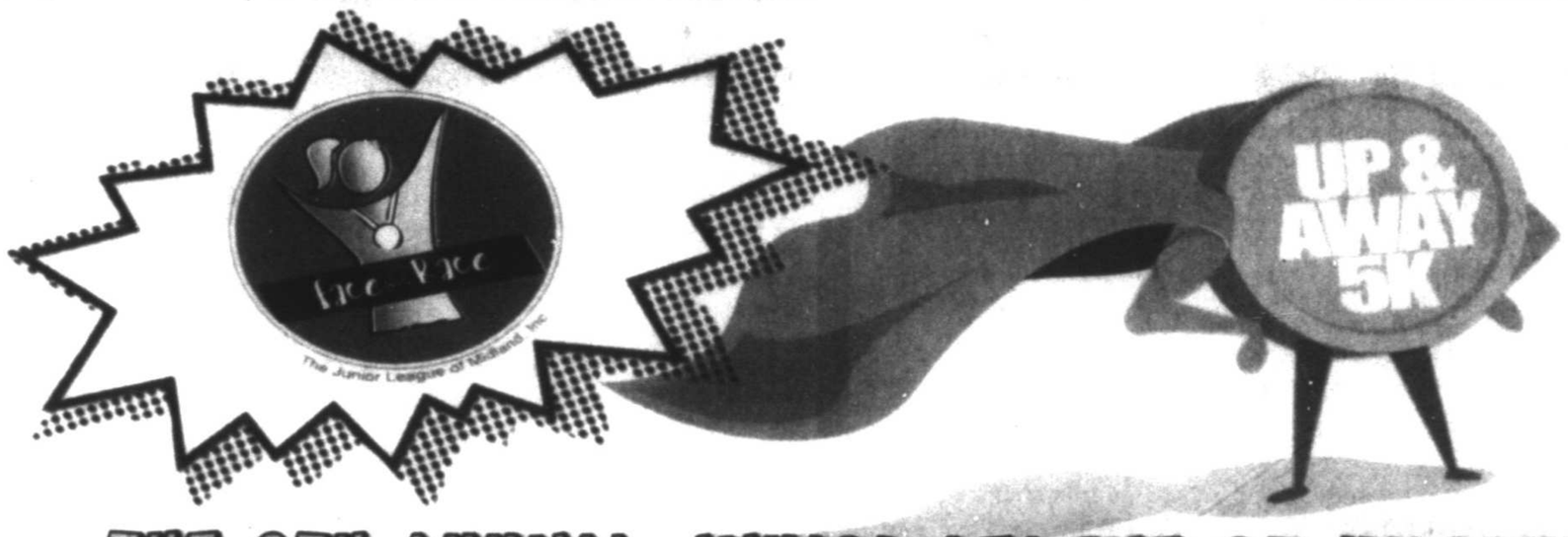

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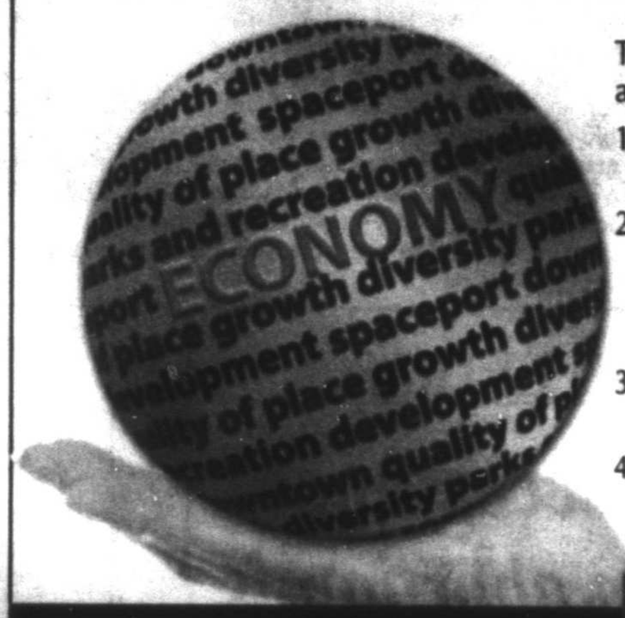

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Once-helpful media turns sights on Trump

■ In this election, the media have shown they have the power — to embarrass themselves

RUBEN NAVARRETTE

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If you're angry at how the media have behaved in this election, you have a lot of company.

It's not just that some newspapers and broadcast networks have largely abandoned any pretense of objectivity as they set out to elect one candidate and destroy the other. Publications that never endorse candidates are taking pride in the fact that they've ditched their neutrality in order to oppose Donald Trump.

And it's not just that the media apply one set of rules to scandals involving Democrats, and another when it comes to Republicans. For instance, any woman who makes an allegation of sexual impropriety now ought to be believed even though this isn't the case when the accused is Bill Clinton.

And it's not just that the media have gone from being a supposedly impartial observer who may have slightly favored one combatant to a full-blown surrogate who joins the fight. It's like those old skits in professional wrestling where a grappler pretended to be a substitute referee but wound up slugging and pinning one of the wrestlers himself.

And it's not just that — thanks to the release of private emails by WikiLeaks — we now see just how cozy a relationship the media have with Democratic Party insiders. The arrangement seems to include planting stories and inviting journalists to private, off-the-record dinners at the homes of top surrogates for Hillary Clinton.

Guess who's coming to dinner. Actually, they already came to dinner in April 2015 — at the Washington home of Clinton campaign chair John Podesta. Attendees included about 20 hand-picked reporters who were expected to be covering Clinton's campaign.

I bet some of these reporters didn't even tell their editors where they were spending the evening. And what do you suppose they talked about? Certainly not Clinton. Why, that would be inappropriate.

I don't care that these journalists got a free meal. I care that they got spun, and that they might be tempted to go easy on Clinton so as to get a return invitation.

The guest list included CNBC's John Harwood — who would, several months later, moderate a cringe-worthy GOP primary debate where he bickered with the participants. Afterward, he claimed in an email to Podesta that "the opposition party" had gone "off the rails" and that this vindicated his tough questioning of Trump.

Also invited was Maggie Haberman, who was then a reporter for Politico and now writes for The New York Times and with whom a Clinton operative said the campaign had a "very good relationship." The operative expressed confidence that the campaign could "do the most shaping by going to Maggie," and then he laid out the components of the story they intended to feed to Haberman.

Holy smokes. Were the Clintonistas looking for positive coverage, or someone to take dictation?

The media can't make up our minds whether we want to be a fly on the wall, or a player on the field.

One minute, we cover the news; the next, we are the news. One minute, we're incognito; the next, we're in your face. One minute, we're pretending to be fair; the next, we're dying to tell you how we really feel.

The joke is on Trump. The media helped him get his party's nomination with millions of dollars of free air time. Trump loved the attention but he made the mistake of not spending enough of his own money on ads that made his case to voters. And what the media giveth, the media taketh away. Now that Trump is facing off against Clinton, all the coverage is negative. And the media are getting a perverse satisfaction from helping slay the dragon they created.

Recently, Vanity Fair posted an online article — originally written as a commentary for the Poynter Institute -- that bragged about how The Washington Post and The New York Times have swayed the election. The headline: "How Two Newspapers Brought Down Donald Trump." Fellow journalists shared that article on Facebook, citing it as evidence that newspapers still have power.

There's the rub. One of the first things I learned when I started writing for newspapers 27 years ago is that, in this business, the quickest way for journalists to lose what little power we do have is for us to start believing we have it.

The truth is, in this election, we in the media only had the power to embarrass ourselves. And we did.

OPINION EXTRA

Clinton's acceptance of late-term abortion is hard to understand

I have two girls. One was born at about 30 weeks; the other 33 weeks.

They spent time in a neonatal intensive care unit and were home within four weeks of their birth. They are living proof Hillary Clinton's stance on late-term abortion is not just wrong, but sinister.

Hillary Clinton says it is OK for a woman, no matter the reason, to have her baby killed even days before an expected due date. She is a purist in this respect. Roe v. Wade, she believes, stands not only for a woman's right to choose, but it somehow confirms that a baby — even one 30 weeks or 33 weeks — doesn't have rights even though it could exist outside the womb.

We hear cliche usage of the "civil rights issue of our time" in describing LGBT and immigration issues, but we never hear it used in relation to those who pay the ultimate price for another person's decision to have a late-term abortion. Why is that? How is it that we as a society can call late-term abortion appropriate, lawful or even humane?

How does this country — where there are people willing to adopt all children, including those who will require special-needs care and those determined to be terminally ill — accept the practice of late-term abortion?

In Hillary Clinton's world, a mother carrying a child to 30 or 33 weeks would still have time to undo an inconvenience. In Hillary Clinton's party, this remains not only the acceptable attitude but part of its platform that will seek to overturn federal and state laws and policies that impede a woman's access to all abortion.

Hillary Clinton will stand for her party's belief that late-term abortion should not only be available on demand, but all Americans should be forced to pay for it as her party seeks the return of federal funding for abortion.

Still, I stand with Texas lawmakers who have correctly decided late-term abortion is illegal in our state. As part of House Bill 2, abortion is prohibited after 20 weeks post-fertilization. There are exceptions when the pregnancy endangers the life of the mother or there is a severe fetal abnormality.

I stand with Americans who believe late-term abortion is wrong and that Democrats who call for greater access to the killing of those babies that otherwise could live outside the womb should be held accountable for their comments, actions and votes. Theirs is a losing — and deadly — argument. In 2013, Gallup reported only 27 percent of Americans support second-trimester abortions and only 14 percent support third-trimester abortions.

Lastly, I want to say how blessed I am to be the uncle of Wyatt, a beautiful boy who loves A&M baseball and has Down syndrome. His parents made the decision to continue with a pregnancy when some would have argued that an abortion would have provided them greater convenience, even a do-over when it came to reproduction.

Life, however, won.

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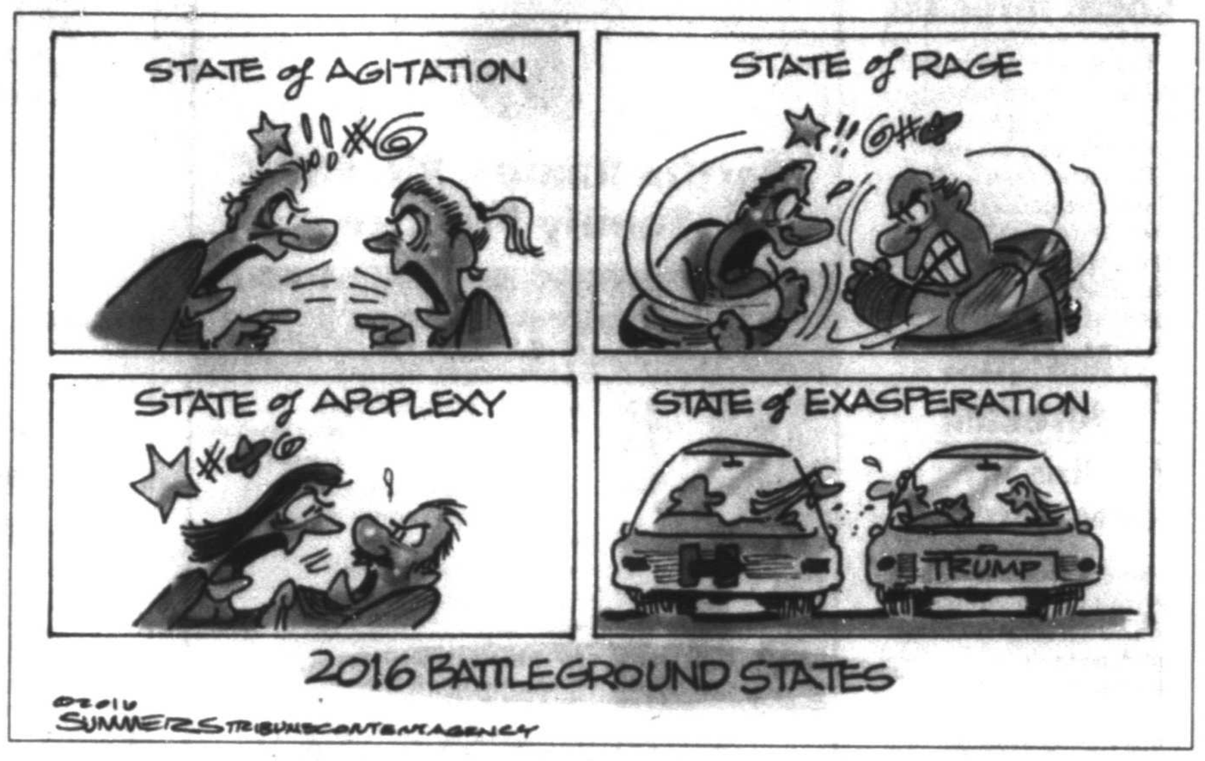

Never Trump isn't to blame

■ The presidential candidate wasn't concerned with the worries of his conservative critics and we all will live with the consequences

RICH LOWRY

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No one can accuse Kellyanne Conway of complacency. She is already preparing for post-election recriminations.

Donald Trump's campaign manager has recently cited Hillary Clinton's financial advantage, media bias and President Barack Obama's popularity as reasons Trump should be losing to Clinton even more badly. She also floated the stabbed-in-the-back thesis: "We have the Never Trumpers," she said in a MSNBC interview, "who are costing us 4 or 5 percent in places."

No one can doubt that Trump is at a financial disadvantage (which is why he either should have spent more of his purported $10 billion on his campaign, or built a serious fundraising operation); that the media hate him (it also hated Ronald Reagan and George W. Bush, who won four presidential elections between them); or that Obama is popular (alas).

It is the claim about Never Trump that is risible, and will set the stage for the initial hostilities in the impending post-election Republican Civil War.

The Trump forces have never gotten their story straight about Never Trump. At times, the GOP's internal opposition is supposed to be irrelevant; at other times, it is invested with more sinister significance than the Doctors' Plot at the height of Josef Stalin's paranoia. Which is it?

It was never right to call Never Trump a movement; it is a motley collection of conservative commentators, political professionals, policy experts and a handful of politicians who had the (not particularly stunning) foresight to see that Trump would be the weakest and most vulnerable of the Republican general-election candidates and the (not particularly acute) discernment to recognize in him qualities unsuited to the presidency.

The arguments between Never Trump and its critics are fascinating and important, but it is fantastical to consider them electorally decisive in a contest with some 130 million voters.

Prior to the first debate, Trump had more uniform party support than Hillary Clinton in some polls. Gallup shows Trump's favorability rating among Republicans has been steadily falling since. He was at 72 percent favorable and 26 percent unfavorable in late September. Now, he's at 63-34.

This is unsurprising, given his jaw-droppingly self-destructive past month. Never Trumpers didn't advise Trump not to prepare for the first debate; they didn't tell him to attack Alicia Machado and tweet foolish things in the middle of the night; they didn't sanction him saying lewd things on tape, or allegedly groping women; they didn't recommend charging the election is "rigged."

All of that is on the campaign, and especially the candidate. For more than a year, Trump has had the biggest megaphone on the planet. His performance has mattered more than what any columnist or blogger says about him.

And Trump has damaged himself, especially among voters already leery of him. Data from NBC News has Clinton leading by 26 points in urban suburbs, 10 points better than Obama's margin over Mitt Romney in these areas.

To think this is the work of Never Trump, you have to imagine moderate suburban women intensely following the intraconservative debate over Trump and changing their allegiances based on the latest Twitter flame war. Anyone who believes this has probably never been to a kid's soccer practice.

If Trump thought he needed any of his conservative critics or reluctant endorsers, he could have actively sought to allay their concerns and conduct himself and his campaign more rationally. But the fundamental conceit of his campaign was that he could do it his own way, and win. With the exception of the month prior to the first debate, he has indeed done it his own way, and is losing.

Should Trump come up short against a desperately flawed Hillary Clinton, it will be his failure and his alone. So if Kellyanne Conway is preparing for the blame game, the first thing she should do is direct the candidate's attention to what is surely one of his favorite household accoutrements: the mirror.

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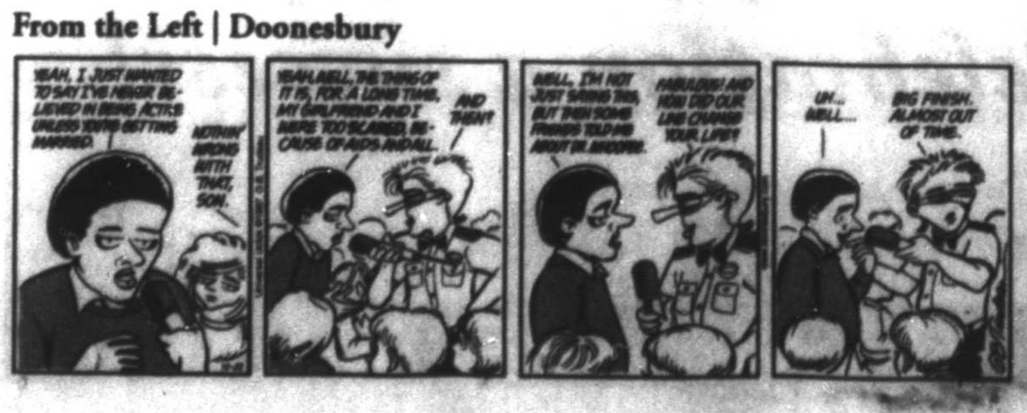
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Hand-wringing over Trump's debate answer is ludicrous

MARK DAVIS
Dallas Morning News

"Horrifying." "A disqualifier." "Political suicide."

Such were the breathless reactions as soon as Donald Trump came off a debate stage Wednesday night after finally combining a thorough demarcation of issue differences with a more cogent summation of Hillary Clinton's scandal tally.

Most analysts, even some who despise Trump, called it his best debate performance of the three. That is, except for "The Moment."

Moderator Chris Wallace, universally and deservedly hailed for even-handedness, asked Trump if he would absolutely accept the election night result, no matter what it would be.

For most of our history, that has simply meant: if you lose, will you concede? But the last few years have brought thick smatterings of voter fraud, and a few elections that may well have turned on it, from concerns about Al Franken's 2008 senate win to JFK beating Nixon in 1960 because of mischief in Illinois and Texas.

Throw in 2000, when Al Gore refused to accept the result until the U.S. Supreme Court informed him that Florida would not be permitted to rewrite election laws from its state judicial bench, and the narrative is set that Election Day can contain some twists that may not reflect truth at the stroke of midnight, or even beyond.

Trump said nothing more than "I'll let you know that night." This sparked a festival of hand-wringing and pearl-clutching as if the planet had spun out of its orbit.

The gasps suggested that this was some threat to the "peaceful transfer of power," central to our democracy for 240 years. What a crock.

The threat to democracy lies not in the occasional candidate who might want to see if there arises a razor-thin margin accompanied by the aroma of fraud, but in the thick notebook of cases featuring multiple voting, impostor voting, and my favorite, corpse voting.

Take care of those, and then everyone can climb on their high horses about someone daring to suggest our system may not be perfect.

Such observations are not an assault on our election system, or even an insult cast toward it. They are merely sober realization that people cheat, and that sometimes they succeed. Against that backdrop, it is not comforting to see activist judges knocking down Voter ID laws in Texas and elsewhere, on the absurd (and racist) premise that people of color cannot manage to get an ID with years of advance notice.

The whining about Trump's debate answer betrays more than just craven opportunism; it is also fairly ignorant. Has anyone met the man?

What could be more Trumpian than a refusal to dance to the usual tune? Anyone covering the campaign for more than a day should also know that if he had said, "Sure, I'll accept the result," the headlines would have read, "Trump admits defeat."

As it is, we are all talking about voter fraud, which was precisely what he wanted. The morning after the debate, he tweaked his tormentors even more. "I will totally accept the results of this great and historic presidential election," he told an Ohio crowd. "If I win."

The CNN story chronicling that appearance said that claim "threatens to cast unprecedented doubt on the legitimacy of the electoral process." Oh, the humanity.

The electoral process is a human process. Today's doubts about it are not rare, and they are not an attack on our magnificent system, but rather on those who would pervert it with chicanery.

So everybody grow up, and let's spend the home stretch talking about actual issues, which Trump was doing with notable effectiveness Wednesday night, necessitating the concoction of this wildly hyped non-story.

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Clinton is unfit to be president, too

By Jay Ambrose
Tribune News Service

Real issues arose in the third and final presidential debate, not the least of them the future of the Supreme Court, but Donald Trump, in one of many mistakes, was too much like John Kerry. He said he thought the election could be rigged, which is what Kerry has said about the 2004 election he lost to George W. Bush.

Speaking definitively, Kerry, now secretary of state, said it about the vote in Ohio some time after the election, and Trump, with no evidence, is saying it speculatively before an election, suggesting the system is rigged. It may be an excuse for his likely loss, or, in his befuddled thinking, he may really think it is voter fraud that will defeat him instead of his endless, sometimes scurrilous tomfoolery.

But all the business about how this betrays American confidence in our electoral system is still a bit strange considering Kerry's hand-wringing and something more emphatic: the years-long Democratic wailing about how the Republicans stole the election for Bush in Florida in 2000.

Despite the news outlet frenzy on the subject, maybe there is something about the debate that mattered a whole lot more, such as the Supreme Court. The next president will likely get to appoint two, maybe three justices, and they could influence this country mightily for the next two or three decades.

Frighteningly, the court has become a giant. It is easily the most powerful of the three branches of government, overruling the other two not just in individual cases, which is what the founders saw as its job, but in declaring broad, sweeping outcomes nationwide. Trump, though predictably awry in some ways on the issue, said in the debate there is something that ought to hem the court in.

That would be the Constitution. The court's decisions should be based on what it actually says and what the founders and the amenders set forth.

Hillary Clinton thinks differently. She says the court should represent the people. What this means in reality is that the court relies on its own moral judgments and politics, perhaps sometimes kowtowing to the majority mood, which itself can be unjust. This abandons rule of law, and her appointees would almost certainly treat us to a leftist onslaught from which the country might never recover.

Her big concern is the Citizens United case concerning campaign spending. The specific question in that case was whether a nonprofit group could show a movie critical of Clinton, and the government at one point conceded that if it could prevent this, it could also ban books. The court said yes, the group had had the right air its film, at the same time freeing major corporations to spend lots of money on elections. Clinton, who has outspent Trump on TV ads by $110 million to $19 million, says she wants to shut the corporations up.

Sounding just like Trump, although no one seems to notice, she now seems to agree with Sen. Bernie Sanders that corporately sponsored campaign ads rig the system, and they do if you have a corrupt politician who gives speeches telling donors that her public statements do not necessarily reflect her true thoughts.

Clinton is right about one thing. Trump is unfit to be president. But so is she. She demonstrated as much during the debate with her evasiveness on Clinton Foundation betrayals of the nation and WikiLeaks revelations showing campaign gamesmanship. To mention one other issue, her plan for the debt is a plan for crisis.

She is still almost surely going to be the next president, and the need is for a Republican Senate and House that can help control her. That means voting for GOP candidates in congressional races, but don't do it fraudulently.

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ELECTION LETTERS

Presidential election

What message is sent by voting for Trump?

I wonder if a teacher could vote for Donald Trump? Let's put aside if a teacher is a Republican or conservative. My conundrum is if a teacher who thinks and lives as a teacher and struggles with the everyday hurdles of teaching could vote for Trump?

I am a teacher, and I know the importance of teaching our students not only reading and math, but also the habits that would enable them to become good citizens. This is the reason that I wonder if a teacher could vote for Mr. Trump.

We as teachers preach against bullying everyday, and we've witnessed the consequences of it, but Mr. Trump is the prototype of a bully; we try to teach our students not to lie and to not give excuses, but Mr. Trump lies constantly and is full of excuses; we teach our students to say sorry, and to treat each other with respect, but Mr. Trump never says sorry and he appears to have respect only for himself.

I know that teachers could vote for Trump, but if they do, what's the message and the lesson that we are giving to our students?

Jesus Adrian Mendoza
MISD

House understands needs of teachers, students

As a product of public education in Midland, the parent of two Carver Center students and an educator, I am expressing my support for Margy House, District 7, school board candidate.

Providing support and professional development for new teachers is the biggest challenge our schools face. Teaching is not easy. Teachers must be excellent managers of students and resources, experts in content areas, data analysts and collaborators. We ask them to be all these things with little pay. We must support them. Margy understands this more than any other candidate.

Margy understands education is not a "one-size-fits-all" endeavor. To meet the needs of all students, teachers and campuses, we must differentiate. Margy supports campus-based decision-making so each campus can ensure it meets the needs of their teachers and students. Margy will work to make sure the district is financially responsible and will utilize resources already there.

Margy understands the needs of our students and teachers in a way no other candidate does. After 20 years educating MISD students and raising two MISD graduates, Margy retired. Today, she teaches part-time at Trinity and tutors. She has a heart for education. For Margy, it is a calling.

Carrie Brown

House is knowledgeable about teachers' issues

Midlanders must bring credibility back to our schools. TRE's defeat was a vote of no confidence in Midland ISD leadership. Midland needs change if we want to continue to attract top talent to our town.

MISD used to be the envy across the state, with districts modeling our training and curriculum. In fact, my education from K-12 at MISD was so solid I was able to compete against prep school kids from Georgetown Prep and Gonzaga in college. Now I look at Midland's curriculum and it has been gutted of what made us a shiny star — Quest, Project Think, Reading Recovery, and other successful programs have been the victim of bad administration and poor choices.

Not only have we gutted our curriculum, we have hindered our ability to attract and retain top educators.

Margy House is the only teacher running for school board. We need a balanced perspective steering decisions for MISD, someone with knowledge of curriculum and teachers' issues. If Midland is going to get the change it needs to make us great again, we must vote for a knowledgeable candidate.

Vote for progress. Vote for change. Vote for an MISD teacher. Vote, Margy House for District 7 school board.

Melissa Hooper

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Support from Midland has no boundaries

I want to extend my thanks to some special people all the way from Arizona. I was born, grew up in and lived as an adult in Midland. I was a teacher in Midland for 14 years. My family moved to Tucson in 2015 where I teach at a Title 1 middle school. Each homeroom represents a college. My class represents Texas Tech. I reached out to friends and family a few weeks ago because I want each of my 30 homeroom students to get a Tech shirt for Christmas. In less than 24 hours, all 30 shirts were pledged for. Midland has some of the most sincere people on earth. Some of these Midlanders are family, friends, former students and parents of former students. Some are business owners, community leaders, stay-at-home moms, teachers and one is even running for school board. I love that these folks are pro-education, even from far away. Support from my home community has no boundaries.

Thank you to the following: Paige Pipkin, Alicia Sites, Bryan Murry, Tye and Whitney Orr, Mara Dolan, Tamara Schulz, Hillary Lovell, Alison King, Debbie Harrell, Jenelle Milam, Blanche Wheeless, Cathy Meeks, Blake Roberson, Kelly Stout and Kelly Catalano.

Landi Roark

Milbank should have said Ashamnu for himself

Dana Milbank should have said the Ashamnu for himself and the Fourth Estate in his column in the Oct. 18 Reporter-Telegram. We are guilty of betraying, stealing, scorning, scheming, slandering, supporting evil, lying, ridiculing, abusing and corrupting the American public in general and the American voters in particular.

Ashamanu, we are guilty, of biased reporting against Donald Trump. Donating monies to Hillary Clinton without full disclosure. Ashamanu of not fairly covering the current election. Ashamanu of failures to treat Donald Trump as we have done Hillary Clinton. Ashamanu for not lambasting Paul Ryan for not fulfilling his pledge to support the GOP's presidential candidate. Ashamanu for our failure as journalists and protectors of the Fourth Estate.

And in closing, Ashamanu for my unabashed disdain, dislike and utter contempt for anyone called Clinton.

Dennis Walker

Project Literacy is a wonderful experience

Literacy is a critical element to economic development, as well as individual and community well-being. As an elementary school teacher, I understand the importance of literacy and how it helps my students grow and become lifelong learners.

Project Literacy week has been a wonderful experience to be able to be a part of. Lamar Elementary had the great pleasure of having author David Wiesner come to our campus and visit with our fourth-graders. We have never had this kind of experience since I've been at Lamar, and it was exciting to be able to get this opportunity for our students. As I watched Mr. Wiesner present and talk with the students, I couldn't help but smile the entire time because of the excitement that I saw on the faces of the students. They were engaged and in awe of all that he has accomplished and how he did it. It gave them hope that one day they could be doing something like Mr. Wiesner and follow their dreams.

Project Literacy is a great thing for Midland to have and be able to share with the schools to impact the lives of the children. It's a wonderful feeling knowing that our community wants to support and provide these wonderful opportunities for our students. I look forward to Lamar having more visits from authors in the future and experiencing the great things that are brought to Midland through the Midland County Public Library Foundation.

Crissa Minett
Lamar Elementary reading interventionist

Letters policy

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- Letters must be submitted to letters@mrt.com.
- Deadline is noon Thursdays for the following Sunday.
- Reporter-Telegram policy limits individuals to one letter in a 30-day period.
- Letter-writers should include phone number and address. Failure to do so could delay letter's publication.

Divided America: Seeing options shrinking, white men ask why

By Matt Sedensky
Associated Press

Editor's note: This is part of Divided America, AP's ongoing exploration of the economic, social and political divisions in American society.

AP file photo

Images of Republican and Democratic presidential candidates Donald Trump and Hillary Clinton are displayed on a television screen in the studio of radio talk show host Rick Roberts during his program in Dallas on Sept. 6. The station estimates Roberts' audience is about two-thirds male and overwhelmingly white, though women and minorities also call in on this day and you needn't look far, even in Roberts' own studio, to find a white man who doesn't subscribe to conservative orthodoxy.

DALLAS — The voices cascade into the studio, denouncing political hypocrisy and media bias and disappearing values. Hillary Clinton is a liar and a crook, they say; Donald Trump is presidential and successful. By the time the 16th caller reaches the air, Rick Roberts' show has reached an impassioned crescendo of anger and lamentation.

What has happened to this once-great land? What has happened to the better lives our children were promised?

What has happened?

Roberts, WBAP's bearded, rodeo-roping, husky-voiced host, has heard enough.

"I want my country back," he begins.

He repeats that sentence a half-dozen times in a 4 1/2-minute rant that darts from fear of crime to outsourced jobs to political correctness. He pans soulless politicians and has-been celebrities and psycho-babble hug-a-tree experts; he pines for a time when everyone spoke English and looked you in the eye and meant what they said. It's a fervent soliloquy that dismisses transgender people and calls for faith to regain public footing and for economic opportunity to return.

"I want America to be America," he said. "I want some semblance of what this country used to be. It's worth protecting. It's worth defending. I don't recognize this country anymore."

This is a white male voice preaching to a largely white male audience that has expressed many of the same sentiments, in dribs and drabs, in hushed water-cooler conversations and boisterous barroom exchanges, around kitchen tables — and most of all, in the course of a presidential campaign in which Trump has become their champion and their hope.

Certainly, not all white males agree. But at this moment in American history, to be white and male means, for many, to question what happened to the opportunities once theirs for the taking, to see others getting ahead and wonder why, to feel centuries of privilege and values slipping away.

"They're taking everything from us," said one of the day's callers, Stephen Sanders. "I don't want my community changed."

The callers express resentment of immigrants who came here illegally, suspicion of Muslims, disdain for gays. They rail against a coarsening of culture, while backing a man who brags about making unwanted sexual advances. They voice bitterness toward a society they see as rallying to save an endangered animal or to lobby for the bathroom rights of transgender children, while seeming to ignore their own pain.

To many, the notion of white men being marginalized is ludicrous, their history a study in power and privilege, from the Founding Fathers to the "Mad Men" era and through their continued dominance in boardrooms and government. Yet they have suffered some real losses, even as they maintain advantages:

■ Whites saw their household net worth fall from a median of $192,500 before the Great Recession to $141,900 in 2013, according to a Pew Research Center analysis. (The declines of blacks and Hispanics were far larger, and whites still have an average net worth about 13 times greater than blacks and 10 times greater than Hispanics.)

■ Factoring in inflation, white men's salaries have barely budged in the past decade, according to Bureau of Labor Statistics data. (Still, they cash paychecks, on average, far larger than those of women, blacks and Hispanics, and have a lower rate of unemployment.)

■ The home ownership rate for whites, 71.5 percent in the second quarter of this year, is down from the same period a decade earlier, according to the U.S. Census Bureau. (Black and Hispanic home-ownership, already lower, dropped at a far sharper rate.)

■ White women have overtaken men in earning college degrees, according to census data. (White men still hold a big educational advantage over blacks and Hispanics.)

■ The number of incarcerated white men has ballooned, according to the Bureau of Justice Statistics. (Black and Hispanic men remain far more likely to be jailed.)

■ Fueled by suicides, drug overdoses and alcohol-related illnesses, mortality rates for middle-age whites have increased even as they continue to fall among middle-age blacks and Hispanics, a shift recorded in a landmark study last year in the Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences. (Still, white men continue to have a longer life expectancy than black men, according to Centers for Disease Control data, though shorter than Hispanics.)

These are among the changes that have sent white men to Tea Party gatherings, to fractious town hall meetings and, more recently, to Trump's rallies. Some argue, though, that their rage has been misplaced.

"What's made their lives more difficult is not what they think," said Michael Kimmel, a Stony Brook University professor who studies masculinity and wrote the book "Angry White Men." "LGBT people didn't outsource their jobs. Minorities didn't cause climate change. Immigrants didn't issue predatory loans from which they now have lost their houses and everything they ever had. These guys are right to be angry, but they're delivering the mail to the wrong address."

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DIVIDED

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The clock hits 2 p.m., and the top-of-the-hour headlines at WBAP advise of a hurricane swirling in the Pacific and a new poll on the Trump-Clinton race. Roberts' show begins every day with the sounds of the country duo Big & Rich.

"I ain't gonna shut my mouth," they sing. "Don't mind if I stand out in a crowd. Just wanna live out loud. Well I know there's got to be a few hundred million more like me."

The host is authoritative but genial. He doesn't yell, hears out the occasional liberal who dials in, sometimes corrects a caller's inaccuracies. He hands a huge swath of his airtime over to listeners.

Fifteen minutes into the broadcast, Roberts reminds his audience he's a registered independent, not a Republican, though he can't recall the last time he gave a Democrat his vote.

"Let's go to Bill in Garland," Roberts said.

The caller dismisses Hillary and Bill Clinton as "liars, cheats and thieves" and said he doesn't think he could vote for the Democrat even if his three grandchildren were held hostage.

Reached by phone three days later, he conceded to a reporter that he used an alias. His name is Jim Drahman and he's a 70-year-old computer technician.

"People are afraid to say anything in public," he said, for fear of offending. "They've got to worry about everything they say."

He just wants to be able to go to work and live freely, he said. He doesn't want the government telling him what he can drink or smoke or drive. He knows taxes are a necessity, but believes they should be lower. He views things through his grandchildren's eyes, and worries about terrorism and the economy, but most of all, about the U.S. maintaining its status in the world.

"I just want them to have a country that I can be proud of," he said.

Calls come in at a steady clip, and when Stephen Sanders dials in, he's enraged by a poll showing Clinton making gains in Texas. "Sir, stop yelling," the show's producer said, before typing in a summary of Sanders' tirade for the host: "Allowing illegals to vote is treason."

Sanders is no calmer a day later. He rages against illegal immigration. The media and most politicians have been co-opted into accepting open borders, he said. Those who came here illegally are "continuing to suck on the labors of people who are contributing."

Sanders' father worked in a warehouse but was able to give his family a life of abundance. Jobs were everywhere. You didn't need a college degree or the resulting load of debt. He misses the simplicity of those times, and laments today's pervasive sex, the tattoos and body piercings and bright blue hair.

He is 49 and was once an X-ray technician. He said his skill and years of seniority were ignored when he applied for a supervisory job that ultimately went to a black candidate he said "walked right off the street." He later fell into depression and now receives a disability check.

"You're white, you're male, you're the least considered," he said. "As far as white privilege, I see it. I would think it was there if I went to Princeton or Yale or if my name was Hillary or Clinton. As far as me, no."

Despite Trump's privileged upbringing and Ivy League education, Sanders was pleased when the billionaire announced his candidacy; he was thrilled to hear someone give voice to his feelings about immigration and outsourcing and restoring opportunity for guys like him. It felt, he said, like seeing decades of painful history starting to be reversed. He wants to return to work. He wants to be productive. He wants to live a better life than his father, but he doesn't.

"The theme about the American experience is to get better and to do more," he said. "I've never experienced it. I've always struggled."

Roberts' show breaks for the news again (a highway accident, a missing man with dementia, more hot weather). He plays a clip of Trump insisting he'll build a border wall and returns to the air calling Clinton "the Teflon mom" before going to a caller — "Jon in Cedar Hill" — who said the former secretary of state should be convicted.

Jon Hayes is deep into his daily radio routine, a listening marathon that starts with

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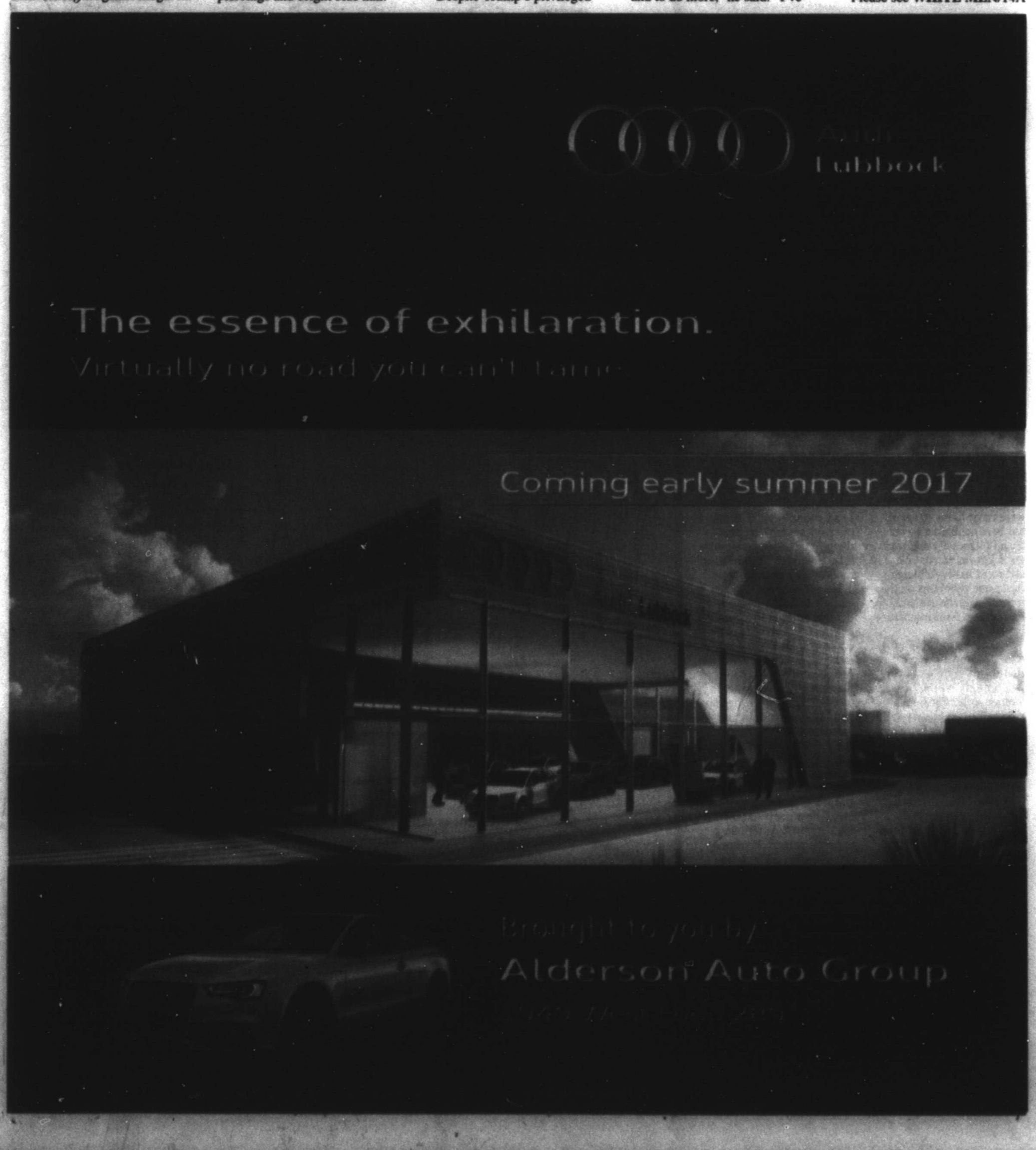
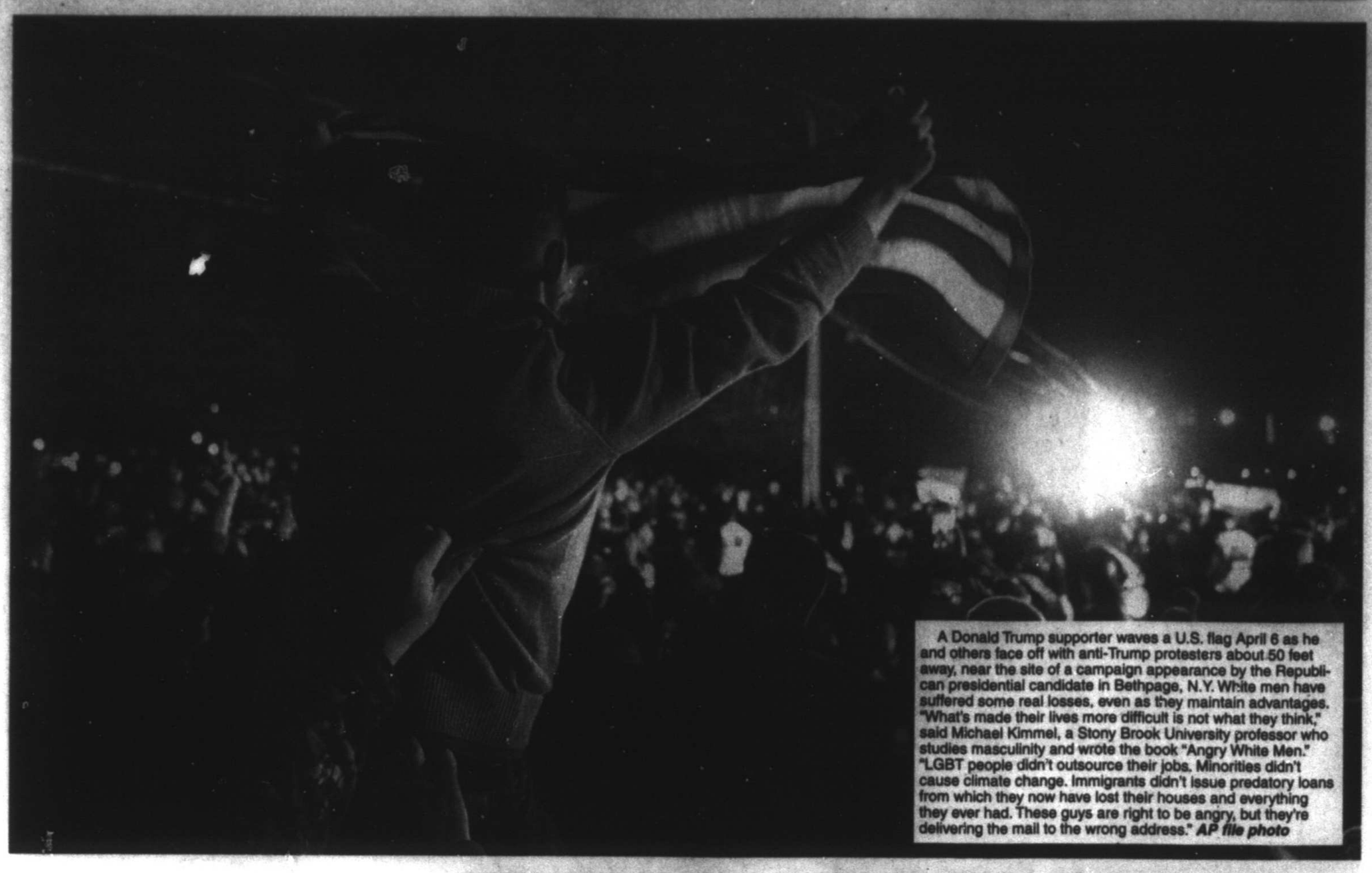
AP file photo

Radio talk show host Rick Roberts speaks will a caller during his program in Dallas on Sept. 6. "I want America to be America," he said. "I want some semblance of what this country used to be. It's worth protecting. It's worth defending. I don't recognize this country anymore."

"I want my country back, and the only way, the only way I'm ever going to be able to get this country back is if I reach out to the brothers and sisters that all feel the very same way and say, 'Hell, no, you can't have the country.' Stop it! How many different ways do we say stop it!?"

Radio talk show host Rick Roberts





A Donald Trump supporter waves a U.S. flag April 6 as he and others face off with anti-Trump protesters about 50 feet away, near the site of a campaign appearance by the Republican presidential candidate in Bethpage, N.Y. White men have suffered some real losses, even as they maintain advantages. "What's made their lives more difficult is not what they think," said Michael Kimmel, a Stony Brook University professor who studies masculinity and wrote the book "Angry White Men." "LGBT people didn't outsource their jobs. Minorities didn't cause climate change. Immigrants didn't issue predatory loans from which they now have lost their houses and everything they ever had. These guys are right to be angry, but they're delivering the mail to the wrong address." *AP file photo*

WHITE MEN

From 13A

the midnight-to-5-a.m. "Red Eye Radio" and ends with Roberts' show, which wraps up at 5 p.m. For Hayes, sleep comes in spurts, including an extended nap during Rush Limbaugh's time slot.

He wonders where the tear-down-this-wall strength of the Reagan era went. He sees modern-day America as an internet-governed, me-me-me culture. Tired of political correctness, he sometimes wears a T-shirt that said, "Prepare To Be Offended."

Hayes once had his own construction business, but he said it folded and he lost his house when it became impossible to compete against the cheap labor of immigrants who came to the U.S. illegally. He fell back on his knowledge of auto mechanics. Though he is 55, he had hoped to retire this year; he has put it off. A grown son still lives at home, and for all the setbacks Hayes has had in his life, he believes he's still able to say something that he's not sure the 29-year-old will: He achieved a better life than his parents.

"I just don't think the opportunity is out there now that there used to be," he said.

He's far from alone in his pessimism. A Kaiser Family Foundation-CNN poll released in September compared white college graduates and the white, black and Hispanic working class. Working-class whites were least likely to say that they're satisfied with their influence in the political process, that the federal government represents their views, and that they believe their children will achieve a better standard of living than themselves. They were most likely to say it has become harder to get ahead financially and find good jobs in recent years, and most likely to blame economic problems on the federal government and immigrants working here illegally.

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On the other side of the glass from the host, monitoring a bank of four screens and a large audio board, is Randy Williams. Roberts said he's a "hair-on-fire liberal," but the 65-year-old Navy veteran calls himself a fiscal conservative and a social progressive, but mostly a disaffected American.

"Nobody represents my interests," he said. "There's the 5 percent on the far left and the 5 percent on the far right and 90 percent of us are stuck in the middle."

"Ken in Dallas. Ken, I appreciate your patience."

Ken from Dallas is Ken Hindman, a 57-year-old gas tanker driver. He tells Roberts that Clinton is like mobster John Gotti.

Later, he takes a break from driving his 18-wheeler toward Dallas Love Field, pulling over to a rest stop to expand on his views.

He said he doesn't "feel one iota of responsibility" for the wrongs committed against black Americans. When filling out a form asking his race, he checks "other." He's tired of labels; when he opposed Obama, he complains, he was branded a racist. Trump, he admits, was not his first choice. But he has earned Hindman's fervent support.

"He said the things that a lot of people that I know feel," he said.

There was a time when white men were the ones earning the paychecks and deciding who pulls the levers of power. Now, many of them say they're just looking to be heard. So when they amass in arenas to hear Trump, or call into Roberts' studio to share their thoughts, their voices carry more than anger. Here, they say, is a wisp of the respect and validation they long to regain.

Roberts sees his "I want my country back" monologue as a tonic for that despair. When you're on the air three hours a day, five days a week, the listener angst can be overwhelming. It was about two years ago when he delivered the rant, impromptu, on a day when he reached a saturation point.

He feels that same anguish. Roberts said his parents were never in his life. He was raised by grandparents and, when they grew too old, he was emancipated at age 15 and landed at a boys' ranch. "I fell on my ass more than I can count," the 53-year-old said, dismissing any thought of privilege he may have inherited. "I didn't feel real privileged at the time."

He scraped his way up, earned an MBA and law degree, and made a career negotiating offshore oil contracts. He started in radio 22 years ago and now presides over a kingdom of white man's woe, listening to talk of disappearing jobs and ballooning debt and fading morals.

He can't remember precisely what prompted his unscripted oratory — maybe what Roberts calls Barack Obama's "apology tour," or perceived push-back against American exceptionalism. It resonated, though, and he keeps an MP3 of the audio on his computer and airs it every now and again.

He clicks the file and it begins to play:

"I want my country back, and the only way, the only way I'm ever going to be able to get this country back is if I reach out to the brothers and sisters that all feel the very same way and say, 'Hell, no, you can't have the country.'"

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WHEN THE POLICE ARE PREY

Number of killers hunting cops nationwide has risen

By Joe Mozingo
Los Angeles Times

The patrol car pulled to the curb on a damp Halloween night in Seattle.

Following behind in an old Datsun 210, Christopher Monfort passed slowly and turned right.

Monfort, 41, had come to this quiet waterfront neighborhood to launch a revolution. He was obsessed with the Constitution, and saw police brutality as a rising tyranny. He equated officers with the Redcoats. And tonight, he was out to hunt them with a .223 Kel-Tec assault rifle.

From inside the patrol car, police trainee Britt Sweeney saw a white flash burst like a lightning strike. The top of her head seared in pain as six more shots rang out. Officer Timothy Brenton hadn't fired a shot, and Sweeney soon saw why: He was sitting upright in the driver's seat, with head wounds so grievous she didn't need to check his pulse.

Barely a month later, 40 miles to the south, it happened again: A man walked into a coffee shop and shot four Lakewood Police Department officers dead.

The shootings convulsed the region that fall of 2009, much as the killings this summer of eight police officers in Dallas and Louisiana stunned the nation, and the killings recently of two Palm Springs police officers rattled Southern California.

A total of 12 officers have been killed in premeditated ambushes so far this year, two more than the last two years combined, according to FBI statistics.

Police assassins have included a ragtag smattering of white survivalists, black militants, people who identify with the anti-government "sovereign citizen" movement, hard-core criminals who have clashed with law enforcement for much their lives, and a variety of apparently suicidal people who wanted to depart with notoriety.

In two of the most recent ambush attacks against police — in Dallas, where five officers were stalked and killed and nine others were injured in July; and 10 days later in Baton Rouge, where six officers were shot, three of them fatally — the killers were African-American. In Palm Springs, where police say officers were lured into a trap, the suspected gunman is Latino.

Although most police shooters are white males, including Latinos, black men have been responsible for nearly 40 percent of the 232 ambush killings of police officers since 2002, according to a U.S. Department of Justice study last year.

For their portion of the population, black men have ambushed and killed officers at a rate three times that of white men.

Criminologists widely attribute the higher level of violence among African-Americans to entrenched socioeconomic disadvantages and resentment of police.

"High levels of poverty, higher levels of joblessness, neighborhood instability — people moving in and out — these contribute to the racial differences in violent offending, specifically homicide," said Richard Rosenfeld, criminology professor at the University of Missouri-St. Louis. "Also, high levels of discontent with the police and the degree with which police patrol their communities in an unbiased way."

The shootings in Dallas and Baton Rouge came at a time of heightened racial unrest over recent police killings of African Americans. They happened just days after the videotaped shootings of Alton Sterling in Baton Rouge on July 5 and Philando Castile in Minnesota on July 6.

Micah X. Johnson, a 25-year-old Afghanistan veteran, opened fire on officers at an otherwise peaceful Black Lives Matter rally in Dallas.

The shooter in Baton Rouge was identified as Gavin Eugene Long, 29, an Iraq veteran with a history of espousing violence against white "oppressors."

In one of the many videos Long had posted, he depicted violence against authorities as part of a David-and-Goliath struggle. "One hundred percent of revolutions, of victims fighting their oppressors, from victims fighting their bullies, 100 percent have been successful through fighting back through bloodshed," he said.

In Palm Springs, authorities say they are still trying to learn more about what may have motivated John Felix, 26, to put on body armor and grab an assault rifle with an extended magazine and wait for officers to respond to a disturbance call. A gang member who did 18 months in state prison for assault with a deadly weapon, Felix opened fire through a metal security gate, killing Officers Lesley Zerebny, 27, and Jose "Gil" Vega, 63, just as they arrived, authorities say.

"He wanted to gun down police officers because they wore the uniform," Riverside County Dist. Atty. Michael Hestrin said at a news conference on Wednesday. "He was deliberate in his actions. He attacked the officers for no reason other than they were officers coming to a call."

In the Seattle case, Monfort had a white mother and estranged black father. He had lived all over the country, and as a boy was the only black person in his town in Indiana.

While he harbored soaring ambitions, talking of attending Harvard Law School, he mostly drove trucks and worked security, before finally getting his bachelor's degree from the University of Washington in 2008 at age 39.

In class, he was a passionate, occasionally vitriolic student who saw himself as a protector of the Constitution, according to court testimony and a Seattle Times profile. He studied the disproportionate number of drug convictions for black people in Washington, and became outraged at a videotape that showed deputies beating up a 15-year-old girl in a holding cell.

King County Prosecuting Attorney John Castleton said Monfort told his friends he wanted to stop such behavior, but he never revealed plans, just frustration. "With Monfort, no one saw it coming," Castleton said.

By Oct. 22 of 2009, his war began.

He firebombed police cars in a maintenance yard, and left a note referencing the jailhouse beating. Nine days later, Monfort launched his Halloween attack on the two officers in their parked car.

At his trial last year, defense experts argued that Monfort had a delusional disorder that made him believe killing officers was a moral act protected by the Constitution because it would stem police abuse.

Castleton argued that the killer's motivation was simple hatred, and the jury found him guilty of first-degree murder. He was sentenced to life in prison.

Maurice Clemmons, the shooter in the second Seattle-area attack that year, didn't come by his hatred through social media or academic studies, but by a life of run-ins with the police. A habitual thief since he was a teenager in Arkansas, Clemmons, who is black, had spent 14 years in prison by age 32. He moved to Washington to start a new life, and worked a series of jobs.

Family members say he had a psychological breakdown in the spring of 2009. He saw himself as Jesus Christ, his wife as Eve and then-French President Nicolas Sarkozy as the devil, according to a book on the case, "The Other Side of Mercy," by Seattle Times reporters Ken Armstrong and Jonathan Martin. He told people that God was "lining up all his soldiers in the penitentiaries."

On May 9, he started throwing large rocks through neighbors' windows and then punched and wrestled the deputies who responded. When they finally subdued and arrested him, Clemmons declared: "White people will be killed if they do not right their ways. This will happen in the biblical sense."

Clemmons was released on bond. If authorities had listened to many of the recorded calls he made in jail, they might have anticipated the violence to come.

"Sometimes it burns me in the chest, man, I have so much hatred for the police," he told a friend during one call in September, according to Armstrong and Martin's book. "The strategy is gonna go, kill as many of them devils as I can, until I can't kill no more. ... I ain't no more catch the cuffs. I'm going to war."

On Nov. 29, four officers of the Lakewood Police Department lay dead at the Forza Coffee Co. in Parkland, Wash. Clemmons was killed by police at the conclusion of a statewide manhunt three days later.

Ambushes of more than two officers are exceedingly rare, and this was the worst in decades, getting nationwide attention. It had been 16 years since four federal agents were gunned down during a raid of the Branch Davidian compound near Waco, but that was during a high-risk tactical situation, not an unprovoked attack.

Most ambush attacks on police are launched by gunmen acting alone, with little pre-planning, according to the 2015 Justice Department study, and despite the rising numbers, police officers are still far more likely to be killed during traffic stops and pursuits, serving search warrants, responding to calls and investigating suspicious activity.

"Premeditated ambushes are extremely rare events," said George Fachner, a Justice Department researcher who co-wrote the study.

From 2004 to 2013, about 11 officers were killed on average each year in ambushes. While those numbers dropped in 2014, the premeditated attacks began to rise.

The first came that June in Nevada, and it involved a white couple, Jerad and Amanda Miller, who had migrated to Las Vegas from Indiana to start a new life. He was a convicted drug dealer and car thief, disowned by his family, unable to get a job. She was nine years younger, 22, and came to buy his extremist anti-government beliefs, much to the dismay of her parents.

They joined the movement to support Nevada rancher Cliven Bundy, who had become locked in conflict with the federal government over grazing rights.

Jerad Miller began to write about the need to fight a "tyrant's wrath," and Amanda watched radical videos with titles such as "When is it OK to Shoot a Cop?"

His views came from an entirely different political constellation than the African-American anger of Monfort, Johnson and Long, and yet they drew a bead on the same target.

On June 8, 2014, the Millers walked into a pizzeria in east Las Vegas and shot two police officers to death. The couple fled to a nearby Wal-Mart, where they shot another man, and were killed themselves as police closed in.

Next hit was Pennsylvania, in the Pocono Mountains two months later. A state trooper stepped out the door of his station and was struck fatally by a .308-caliber rifle shot from the surrounding woods. A second trooper walking in from the parking lot was hit next and managed to crawl to safety inside.

Pennsylvania police launched one of the largest manhunts in state history for the suspect, Eric Frein, a white survivalist and self-trained sniper who had an obsession with the Serbian army and paramilitary groups.

He hid in the woods for seven weeks before he was caught without incident. He awaits trial.

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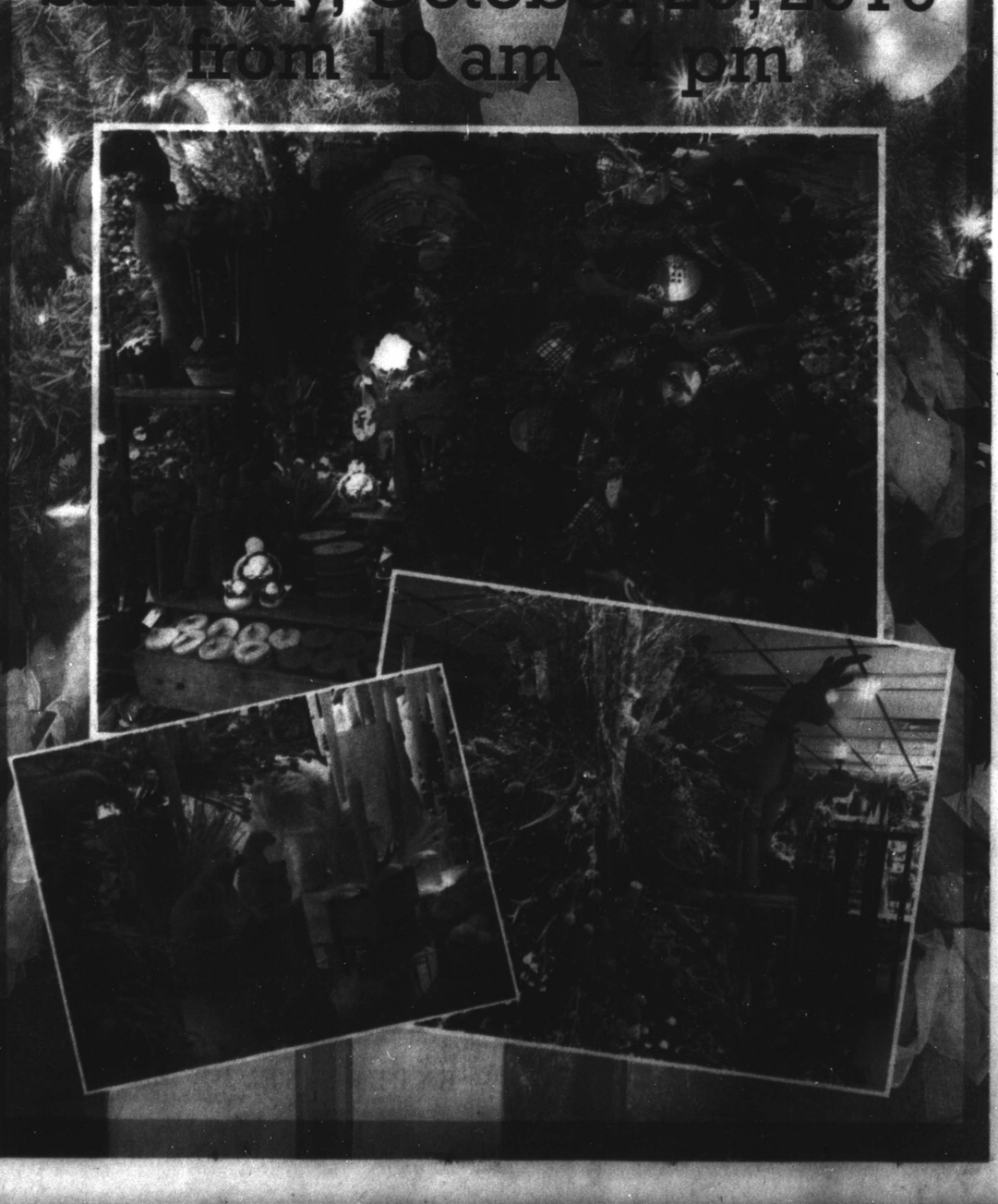

ELECTION

MISD CANDIDATE Q&A

Photos by James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Rachel Stone, center left, speaks with supporters during a public forum for Midland ISD board candidates on Thursday in the Carrasco Room of Midland College.

Local spotlight falls on trusteee elections

Our community has been told this was an important time for education.

Reform appears to be more than a buzzword as the spotlight intensifies on what is taking place inside Midland ISD. On top of this attention — good and bad — there are three contested races for school board.

The include James Fuller and Ernie Garcia in District 1, John Kennedy and Rachel Stone in District 4 and Margy House and Bryan Murry in District 7.

The Reporter-Telegram sent the following questionnaire to each candidate.

- What is your opinion on the state of education in Midland?
- What do you say to those who have little confidence in the district because of academic performance issues?
- What are your feelings about Educate Midland and the relationship Midland ISD should have with the organization?
- Tell us one thing the current board has got right and one example where it could have done better? (for candidates in District 4 and District 7 only)
- What does our community need in its next superintendent? (which also appeared in Friday's edition)

In this edition, we offer their responses. There is also the League of Women Voters information on school board candidates inside this section.

We hope the information is useful as you learn more about the possible selections to the next school board.

Editor's note: Candidates were asked to keep answers to 350 words or less.

What is your opinion on the state of education in Midland?

District 1

James Fuller

The state of education in Midland is at an impasse; the district can continue down the path of traditionalism or it can become an innovative district that delivers project-based learning, collaborates with students to solve global problems as well as reconfigure the "school day" and year, and secondary infrastructure. Institutes of analytical learning must replace the learning culture of rote.

Ernie Garcia

All of the data reflects that the district is subpar when comparing Midland's students to the averages at the state level. Midland was not in this situation in the early 2000s. How did we get to the current state of the educational system that we are facing in Midland? I argue that it has been through a lack of leadership starting with Sylvester Perez and continuing with Ryder Warren. As reported in the MRT on April 10, 2016, Warren stated in a forum at First Presbyterian Church that he made two critical mistakes:

1. Not making changes after evaluating the status of the district in 2010-2011 school year. Dr. Warren stated, "That 2010-2011 school year set the stage for us, academically for the last five to six years."

2. Introduction of the STAAR exam and a $9 million cut in the operating budget due to the billions cut by the Texas Legislature. I contend Warren had no control on legislation pertaining to testing and funding issues. In response to the cuts, Warren did not make a recommendation to the MISD school board to call for a TRE to save the jobs of 200 staff members going into 2011-12 school year. A critical decision was made not to refill those positions. Warren stated, "We stretched our teachers to the absolute limits (in terms of class sizes). He went on to say, "I don't think we ever recovered from that."

At the time of the above article, the teacher turnover rate at MISD was at 24-25 percent. This is about twice the state average.

The lack of bold leadership to make the necessary and timely changes helped lead to the decline of the educational system in our community. In 2015, the Educational Resource Group ranked MISD 199th out of 200 schools (zero percentile).

District 4

John L. Kennedy

The schools in MISD, for the most part, are not in great shape. I do believe that we have stemmed the tide and are starting to turn the ship around. It will take time but I want the culture of MISD to be Excellence in Everything. We need to be willing to think outside the box to make MISD not only the best school district in Texas, but perhaps the whole nation.

Rachel Stone

Our district is experiencing difficult times but I strongly believe that it is repairable. We are ranked amongst the lowest ISDs in our region; I see this as an opportunity to be able to achieve higher standards!

District 7

Margy House

Midland ISD finds itself in a precarious situation. If the red flags are not addressed and resolved, some campuses will find themselves placed under an accountability intervention from the state. No one in MISD wants this outcome. We all want the best for our children. I believe the situation can be turned around, but the change which is needed will take thoughtful planning and a cooperative effort on the part of the school board and the administration.

Bryan Murry

I believe education is on the rise in Midland. After several years of declining performance, I believe academic performance has been brought to center stage. The new school board will have the opportunity to select a superintendent and continue the momentum that was started during the past school year. The current board has selected a very qualified interim superintendent and I believe he has the credentials and background to keep our District focused on moving academics forward. It will be a process. I believe that we must raise the importance of our teachers and principals and we must begin to provide support at the campus level to effect real change.

Fuller

Garcia

Kennedy

Stone

House

Murry

Read how the candidates responded to the remaining questions on Page 2B

Things to remember

Early voting information

Times
Monday through Friday: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Saturday: 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.
Oct. 30 1-6 p.m.
Oct. 31-Nov. 4: 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Locations
- County Annex Building, 2110 N. "A" St.
- Centennial branch, 2503 W. Loop 250 N
- Cogdell Learning Center, 211 W. Florida Ave.
- Fellowship Community Church, 5206 N. Midland Drive
- Manor Park, 5192 Sinclair Ave.

Note: Election Day is Nov. 8. Voting is scheduled for 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. at 20 different locations across Midland. A list will run in a future edition.

ID required Texas voters

A voter must present one of the following forms of photo ID when voting in person
- Texas driver's license issued from the Texas Department of Public Safety
- Texas Election Identification Certificate issued by DPS
- Texas personal identification card issued by DPS
- Texas license to carry a handgun issues by DPS
- U.S. military identification card containing the person's photograph
- U.S. citizenship certificate containing the person's photograph
- U.S. passport.

If one does not possess and cannot reasonably obtain one of these IDs, he or she can fill out a declaration at the polls explaining why and bring one of the following supporting documents.
- Valid voter registration certificate
- Certified birth certificate (must by an original)
- Copy of or original current utility bill
- Copy of or original bank statement
- Copy of or original government check
- Copy of or original paycheck
- Copy of or original government document with the person's name and an address (original required if it contains a photograph)

MISD

District 1: Includes areas around Pease Communication & Technology Academy, Lee Freshman High School, Carver Center, Milam Elementary, Washington, Math & Science Institute and some areas around Crockett Elementary.

District 4: Includes the areas around Bowie Fine Arts Academy and Houston, Lamar, Long and Burnet elementaries.

District 7: Includes a large portion of northwest Midland, specifically the areas around Parker, Greathouse and Fasken elementaries and Green Tree Country Club.

Midland County

Precinct 1: West midland and western portion of Midland County. Golf Course Road, Andrews Highway and State Highway 191 are generally the northern boundary.

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Want to write in a candidate?

Don't like a candidate running for president? Voters will have the ability to go beyond the list of major party candidates. A list of "declared write-in candidates" will be present in the voting stall right in front of the voter, according to the county's elections office.

A voter can push on the screen that they want to write in a candidate, go to the list of declared candidates and then type in the name as it appears in front of them.

Reminders
- Have your phone on silent (even in line. Technically, a person it not supposed to have it within 100 feet of a polling place).
- Be prepared to wait as there may be lines.
- The deadline to register was Oct. 11.
- No political clothing, hats or other paraphernalia are allowed; no campaigning inside 100 feet of polling location (that is considered inside the building where a vote is taking place).
- No cameras or picture-taking.
- There will be poll watchers appointed by a candidate, party or interested groups to observe voting locations, but they are not allowed to interact with voters.

Source: Midland County Election Office

I reserved my perfect residential lot at Village South!

Village South at Manor Park

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Bryan Murry (right) speaks during a public forum for Midland ISD board candidates on Thursday in the Carrasco Room of Midland College.

School board candidates respond to questions about district

What do you say to those who have little confidence in the district because of academic performance issues?

Editor's note: Candidates were asked to keep answers to 350 words or less.

District 1

James Fuller

To those who have little confidence in MISD because of academic performance issues, I would say take time to examine closely the district. The interim superintendent and our professional and support staff have taken the bull by the horns. They have begun the process of becoming a sound academic district; they are building on subtle achievements that will make the district better. A number of important things have taken place and continue in process. The district has acknowledged its shortcomings, the district is developing a growth mind-set, and collaboration is the order of the day -- the rule not the exception. The culture is changing for the good; inclusiveness is the rule for working with all students; all means all; campuses are no longer working in isolation but as a team with their fellow professionals; professional learning communities is one example. Systemic problems that have lingered and contributed to MISD's academic challenges are being recognized as just that and are being eliminated.

So, I would say follow the process and progress and regain confidence in our public school system. Be a consistent participant-observer.

Ernie Garcia

Everyone who is involved in this process needs to understand that MISD did not get into this predicament overnight; so patience will be required as the district is working toward improvement. The district and board will need to make "action payments" as proof to the community that reform is indeed moving in the right direction.

District 4

John L. Kennedy

We do have challenges with our academic performance. Midland has always been a can-do, get-it-done community. I believe we can find the right people and give them the right tools to go from needs improvement to exemplary at every MISD campus.

Rachel Stone

The lack of confidence is understandable but I strongly believe the entire community must stand up to help our future leaders to strengthen the academic performances in the district.

District 7

Margy House

At this moment, it is hard to say that our school district is the best place to be in West Texas. I am, however, hopeful for the state of education in MISD. After almost 40 years of classroom experience and 20 years of teaching in MISD, I have seen educational programs come and go. One program that the school district is beginning to implement is PLC's or Professional Learning Communities, as an approach to campus-based decision-making. It is designed to allow teachers to come together to evaluate how well they are teaching the required skills, and then collaborate to find the best ways to meet their students' needs. No one knows the needs of the children better than their teachers. I am anticipating positive outcomes from this program, because it empowers teachers to make a real difference.

Bryan Murry

I think we all have to go to work and earn the confidence of the entire community. Academic performance has slid little by little to an unacceptable level. As a school board, we need to keep the momentum of this past year moving and begin to earn back the trust. This will happen by being transparent with our community, by empowering our teachers and all of us being held accountable. I think by listening to the teachers and working with community groups, we will get better at retaining our teachers and gain the support of the people who compose our District. We will then see public education return to a community strength.

What are your feelings about Educate Midland and the relationship Midland ISD should have with the organization?

District 1

James Fuller

Educate Midland and MISD are separate organizations in terms of structure and function; however, the relationship should be reciprocal. Educate Midland should be the conduit for sharing with MISD ideas generated by community participants and in turn MISD should consider such ideas and their merit, relative to improving the academic performance of the district. Collaboration should be the means whereby the two entities work together for the good of the students in our community. Educate Midland is neither a micro-manager of the district nor a surrogate for the MISD board of trustees.

Ernie Garcia

Educate Midland is and will be a great resource for the board and the district. The board needs to understand it is a merely a resource, as the board will ultimately be held accountable by its constituents. The added value in the collective impact model from this organization is the belief that "it takes a village!"

District 4

John L. Kennedy

I want to see MISD welcome all community input. I believe Educate Midland is the reason MISD is starting to turn things around and we need to continue to work together.

Rachel Stone

I am familiar with Educate Midland but I am trying to understand what role it will play with MISD. In my view, MISD school board has the responsibility to adopt policy, budget, goals, tax rate, hire/fire superintendent and communicate the district vision and success to the community. It's admirable that Educate Midland is willing to contribute and participate in the educational system, however there should be parameters on what/who influences the district.

District 7

Margy House

I applaud any community organization that is concerned about education in Midland. Organizations formed with the best interest of students in mind are a great asset to a city. These groups have the potential to make a huge difference for our children. Everyone has a role to play. It is about realizing real and positive change for every child in this community.

Bryan Murry

I believe that Educate Midland has served a very important role in our district and I believe that MISD should be very transparent with the stakeholders of the District. At this point, we have had a large awakening of our community mainly due to the information and data that was generated by Educate Midland. This is the perfect time to get everyone on the same page. The way to make that happen is to be open about all academic performances, processes and financial issues. I think we need to keep the momentum heading in the right direction. One of the amazing qualities about West Texas is our people and their willingness to help. I think working with Educate Midland and other such groups will help restore the trust to our district by having community involvement and input.

Tell us one thing the current board has got right and one example where it could have done better?

District 1

The Reporter-Telegram did not ask the question of James Fuller; therefore will not be printing an answer from his opponent, Ernie Garcia.

District 4

John L. Kennedy

The current board made a wise decision to wait to hire a permanent Superintendent until after the new school board is seated. As far as doing better, I think the new MISD board needs to be upfront with the community on all issues and benchmarks of our school district.

Rachel Stone

I have been very critical and upfront with the school board on many issues. I think that not building a school in south Midland was not a good decision. The students that live on Hwy 349 are being bussed across town; which has led to the overcrowding at Fasken Elementary.

District 7

Margy House

Hiring Rod Schroder as the interim superintendent was a very good decision. Mr. Schroder comes with a background of being able to lead a school district through difficult times. I have confidence that he will not only bridge the gap in this crucial time of transition, but he will make it easier for MISD to find a good match in the new superintendent. I was very impressed with his knowledge of MISD and his approach to turning things around. He already has already established goals for our schools.

The board needs to have done better job in having an open dialogue with parents and especially teachers. An occasional visit by the board to MISD campuses, lunch in the library, and a school tour, has not provided an effective way to communicate. There seems to be a constant flow of communication from the central administration to the campuses, but parents, teachers, and campus-level administration often question whether anyone is really listening to their concerns or is interested in their campus needs.

Bryan Murry

The current board has set a focus on educating all children in our district. I think it is great that they have opened communications to the community and have worked hard to turn the momentum of education in Midland. I believe the board and administration need to restore the value to our teachers and principals and show appreciation and support to our professional staff who look into the eyes of our children every day. I believe real change will take place when our teachers feel empowered to do their job and be supported in doing it.

What does our community need in its next superintendent?

District 1

James Fuller

The community needs in its next superintendent a professional educator who can think out of the box, who is proactive in addressing the challenges of MISD, and is transparent in doing so; the community needs an education leader who can communicate comfortably with all segments of the community. He/she should command the respect of students, educational professionals, support staff, the private sector as well as the lay community. That same educator should be capable and willing to communicate with the school board as a whole and with individual school board members in particular. Moreover, he/she must be open to bringing innovative possibilities to the table, in order to address our current academic challenges, pre-K to 12. Above all, the superintendent for the community of Midland must be honest and spiritually grounded.

Ernie Garcia

As a recently retired Sergeant First Class (SFC) in the United States Army Reserves with twenty years of service, I understand the importance and qualities of a great leader. The first and most important step for the district is to ensure that a well-qualified leader is hired as superintendent. He/she must be able to listen to and advocate for all community members who demand a better quality of education. MISD needs strategic leadership who will make all personnel responsible in the reformation of our educational system.

District 4

John L. Kennedy

We need both a great educator and administrator that will welcome and embrace input from both the teachers and the community. I want to find the very best person for the job, so I think we need to search nationally, not just within the state of Texas.

Rachel Stone

A few traits I would like to see in our next leader is for him/her to be confident but not overbearing; approachable, creative (willing to think outside the box), committed to the staff, students and the community. I want someone who will be comfortable with transparency and will understand all segments of the community. This person also needs to be committed to all students and will listen to the concerns of every MISD employee (from the custodian to administrators).

District 7

Margy House

First, a new superintendent needs to be a strong, positive leader. He or she should be from a district that is similar in size and demographics to MISD. Our district needs someone who has faced the academic challenges and has been able to forge a successful outcome. The new superintendent needs to be decisive, innovative, and experienced, but also value and appreciate input from teachers, parents, and the community.

Bryan Murry

The ideal superintendent would be both strong in academics and in finances. He/she should have experience in a district that faces similar socio-economic challenges that we do in Midland. I would expect this person to be innovative and express a real desire to make a change in the learning environment. I would look for experience in taking limited resources and being able to serve the needs for a broad range of students. I think a key attribute would be value placed on principals/teachers. I think our professional staff represents a significant asset to the district and he/she must find a way to support them and empower them.

MISD candidates answer questions from League of Women Voters

League of Women Voters of Midland has provided the following questions and answers from candidates for the Midland ISD board.

The answers have not been edited.

Responses were not received from incumbent James Fuller, candidate for District 1; and John Kennedy, candidate for District 4.

The MISD races were the only local races the Reporter-Telegram received.

District 1

Ernie Garcia

Describe the training and experience that qualify you for this office. (limit 100 words)

As an engineer, I have a skill set designed to handle data analysis, problem solving and fiscal issues. I also recently retired from the U.S. Army Reserves after twenty years of service. The experience gained in this role will be vital in the search for a new superintendent. I have also been an area sales manager at Weatherford; in this role, I was tasked with handling various hiring/discipline issues, setting/monitoring revenue goals and conflict resolution/negotiating. . believe I have the skill set that will be helpful in resolving many of the issues the school board faces.

Garcia

What are the most critical issues facing MISD and how do plan to resolve them as a member of the School Board? (limit 200 words)

The first critical issue facing the district is the need to fill the superintendent position. As the search for a new superintendent begins, an extremely vigorous vetting and interviewing process will need to be implemented to ensure a top-notch educator and leader is hired. As a recently retired sergeant first class (SFC), I understand the importance and qualities of a great leader.

Another area of concern is the inability to hire and retain the appropriate number of teachers in MISD. The teacher turnover rate in MISD is 24%-25%, which is approximately twice the state average. I believe an anonymous survey needs to be administered by a third party to foster genuine answers to identify the root cause of this problem prior to any solution being rendered. Being able to resolve this issue will help counteract many underlying issues; one being the 72 waivers recently submitted to TEA for exceeding the state mandated ratio of one teacher to 22 students in kindergarten to fourth grade classrooms.

What is your vision for the future of MISD? What specific goals would guide you to that vision? (limit 100 words)

My vision is to improve MISD's reputation and the quality of education. This process does not need to be overcomplicated; take care of employees and morale will increase. Once there is a sense of pride, the ability to hire and retain teachers will increase. After adequate staffing is in place and teachers are given the autonomy to teach, a better quality of education can be delivered to the students. All personnel, from top to bottom, will be held accountable to ensure action payments are being made in the reformation process. At the end of the day, the kids come first!

District 4

Rachel Stone

Describe the training and experience that qualify you for this office. (limit 100 words)

Stone

I have volunteered for many years in several capacities within the district while my child was in school and after he graduated. I have served on the CEIC for Crockett Elem., Head Start Policy Council, MISD Education Foundation, 10-yr Strategic Planning Committee, District Leadership Team and PBMAS District Core Team. Serving on these committees has given me an insight on how the district operates. Other community services I have been involved with are SHARE, A Respite Experience, CASA of West Texas, Casa de Amigo Senior Services, SeniorLinks, HEB Feast of Sharing, Midland County Housing Authority, to name a few.

What are the most critical issues facing MISD and how do plan to resolve them as a member of the School Board? (limit 200 words)

The most critical issues facing MISD is the academic status of the district, finances, and lack of communication and transparency to staff and the community.

As a team of 8 we will adopt goals for the superintendent to implement administration guidelines. We need to make sure that all schools have the appropriate technology, supplies and that all staff is trained accordingly.

According to the TRE Committee presentation we are subject to the recapture on a yearly basis; five years from now MISD will have to send projected $65,000,000 to the state; the community needs to be aware of the amount that is being recaptured on an annual basis and what is the district doing internally to address it.

Communication and transparency if of the upmost importance, in my opinion. With the failure of the TRE, I noticed how many people commented either on social media or television interviews how dissatisfied the community is with the district. I had asked the previous superintend on several occasion that at least 2 district town hall meetings per year, in each respective districts, be held to inform the community of what is happening at MISD and how we as a community can help the district.

What is your vision for the future of MISD? What specific goals would guide you to that vision? (limit 100 words)

My vision for MISD is to have a thriving academic environment, and a community that is willing to invest in our future (not necessarily momentarily). I would like to foresee the addition of a third high school that focuses on technology, and magnet schools at the junior high level. I know that this cannot be done overnight but we need to look to the future for the sake of our future leaders.

District 7

Margy House

Describe the training and experience that qualify you for this office. (limit 100 words)

I have spent my entire adult life as a teacher. I have 35 years of experience in Texas Public Schools, with 20 of those years being here in MISD. I have trained teachers in this district and have been on interview committees for hiring teachers. I was here when I was proud to say that I taught in Midland, and then decided to retire when I saw where the school district was headed. I am uniquely qualified to hold the office as an MISD trustee, because I understand the workings of a school district from the inside.

House

What are the most critical issues facing MISD and how do you plan to resolve them as a member of the School Board? (limit 200 words)

The most critical issue is hiring the best superintendent for MISD. We need to find someone who is from a district similar to ours, in both demographics and academic challenges. MISD needs a superintendent who has faced the same challenges that we are facing at the present and has shown the leadership abilities to correct those situations.

Another critical issue is the retention of teachers, especially first-year teachers. First-year teachers need intensive support. At this time, the administrators pair a first-year teacher with a mentor, who is usually a co-teacher. I believe there needs to be time available for a first-year teacher to observe their mentor in action. This would provide a positive model to put into use in their own classroom. This could be done with some creative scheduling by the principal.

Of course, the campuses that are designated as "Improvement Required" are another critical issue. I would propose having every MISD Director and Instructional Coach at those identified campuses on a regular schedule. They could cover classrooms so teachers could have time to collaborate, and/or help with small groups of students who need extra instruction. Those campuses deserve "all hands on deck".

What is your vision for the future of MISD? What specific goals would guide you to that vision? (limit 100 words)

My vision for the future of MISD is to have classrooms where students and teachers are inspired with the learning that is taking place. I envision a school district where teachers have a voice in what happens in their classrooms, at their campuses, and at the district level. I hope to see children who can't wait to get to school, because it's going to be a day filled with learning that is fun, exciting, and challenging.

My goal would be simple. It would be to listen to teachers, parents, administrators, and students and serve with their best interest in mind.

Bryan Murry

Describe the training and experience that qualify you for this office. (limit 100 words)

I have a BBA in Accounting and am a CPA. During my professional career, I have worked in public accounting with experience in school districts, have been a financial reporting manager for a publicly traded company and have been the controller of III N Investments for 16 years. I have actively served MISD with 2 terms as PTA President of Greathouse Elementary and as President for the Midland Council of PTAs. I also worked on two bond committees for the District, served on the elementary naming committee and served on the search committee for our current Executive Director of Athletics.

Murry

What are the most critical issues facing MISD and how do plan to resolve them as a member of the School Board? (limit 200 words)

We have several critical issues facing MISD that affect our children's education. I believe we face key issues in academics, finances and teacher/principal morale. I believe the first step is selecting the right candidate for our new District Superintendent. We must select a candidate with a passion for academics and a background in finances who can give guidance based on the current assets that are available in our District but also must be innovative to try new programs and create better learning environments for all students. It is imperative that this leadership place a strong value on teachers and principals and I think we would be better served to have more input from our teachers. Currently, it seems like an undue amount of burden has been placed at the campus level and we have begun alienating our most valuable commodity - our campus level educators. We need to empower our teachers, support them and then hold them accountable for those results. In addition, we need to be very transparent with our community. In order to restore our District to one of excellence, we need our community to buy into and support the mission of educating all children.

What is your vision for the future of MISD? What specific goals would guide you to that vision? (limit 100 words)

My vision for MISD is a return to excellence. This will be a process. We must set goals to grow each child each day. We must work together. We must have confident teachers, strong leadership from our principals and must have the support of our administration and school board. We must have open discussions with our community and let them help us move toward the goal. Every day is a good day to make a difference and it starts today. My campaign slogan is "Setting the STAGE for our future!" The acronym stands for Students, Teachers, Accountability, Growth and Empowerment.

RRC candidate top issues are recapped

By Trevor Hawes
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Early voting begins Monday, and up for election is the Railroad Commission seat held by David Porter, who didn't run for re-election. The contest is largely between Republican Wayne Christian, a former Texas representative; Democrat Grady Yarbrough, a former school superintendent; and Libertarian Mark Miller, a retired petroleum engineer.

Christain

Yarbrough

Miller

The following are responses to key questions the Reporter-Telegram asked all candidates before the primary. Only Christian's and Miller's responses are presented; Yarbrough did not respond to this questionnaire or to other requests for information throughout the election season.

Q: Allocation wells are expected to be a big issue in 2017. Where do you stand on the issue?

Christian: The current process at the Railroad Commission for issuing drilling permits on allocation wells is not perfect, but is it known to all parties involved in the process. I believe the Railroad Commission should wait for the Legislature to provide additional guidance regarding how mineral interests are allocated before it makes any changes in its rules or processes.

Miller: The issue of allocation wells has arisen largely as a result of Railroad Commission rules and regulations that have failed to modernize to reflect current understandings of underground fluid movement and the newest production technologies. This is especially true in unconventional reservoirs. Regulations developed over decades for vertical wells in conventional reservoirs have been "patched" by the Commission to apply to horizontal wells in unconventional reservoirs. Allocation wells are just one symptom of more serious regulatory shortcomings.

Many of the rules adopted by the Railroad Commission effectively insert themselves into mineral lease agreements that should not have to be concerned with the whims of the latest governmental regulations. Important property rights issues are at stake. Commission regulations, including those for allocation wells, are in serious need of review, revision, and in some cases elimination.

Finally, my personal view is that an allocation well drilled through someone's mineral interest without permission is a trespass. Texas law also does not permit forced pooling of mineral interests. Both trespass and pooling laws appear to be violated by permits for allocation wells without mineral owner concurrence. The Railroad Commission should not grant such permits.

Q: With falling oil prices, there is a threat some operators will simply walk away, stressing the Clean-Up Fund that is funded by the industry. Also stressing the RRC budget is falling revenues from fees since the commission is issuing a lot fewer permits. Do you have any recommendations for preserving revenues?

Christian: I have long been an advocate of government operating more like a business. Operations of the Railroad Commission depend on the revenue it generates from the fees it charges the industries it regulates. Just like operators in the oil and gas industry are faced with tough decisions during this down cycle, so is the commission.

The commission is going have to make tough decisions on staffing and other operational costs just like the folks it regulates are doing. The commission generates upwards of $30 million in fines and gas utility taxes that go to the General Revenue Fund. I am not opposed to a portion of those funds being redirected to supplement the operations of the commission.

Miller: It is not the job of any state agency to "preserve revenues." Around 85 percent of the Railroad Commission's budget

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More on RRC

Other Reporter-Telegram stories about the Railroad Commission race and the commission's issues:

- Q&A with RRC candidates: http://bit.ly/1KaSU5d
- Q&A with Wayne Christian and Gary Gates at Midland Republican Women luncheon: http://bit.ly/15dnw7t
- Public Citizen's recommendations for the RRC: http://bit.ly/2bzaTH1
- Permian Basin Petroleum Association's Ben Shepperd says raising bonding fees won't help plug more orphaned wells: http://bit.ly/2bxCnwl
- PBPA's Ben Shepperd says RRC should maintain all of its responsibilities: http://bit.ly/2bGtP5z
- Libertarian candidate Mark Miller says every RRC regulation needs sunset review: http://bit.ly/2dfq12

Generic sample ballot for Midland County

Nov. 8, 2016 Joint general election ballot

Federal

President
Donald J. Trump/Mike Pence (Rep)
Hillary Clinton/Tim Kaine (Dem)
Gary Johnson/William Weld (Lib)
Jill Stein/Ajamu Baraka (Grn)
Write-in

US Representative, District 11
Mike Conaway (Rep)
Nicholas Landholt (Lib)

State

Railroad Commissioner
Wayne Christian (Rep)
Grady Yarbrough (Dem)
Mark Miller (Lib)
Martina Salinas (Grn)

Justice Supreme Court, Place 3
Debra Lehrmann (Rep)
Mike Westergren (Dem)
Kathie Glass (Lib)
Rodolfo Rivera Munoz (Grn)

Justice Supreme Court, Place 5
Paul Green (Rep)
Dori Contreras Garza (Dem)
Tom Oxford (Lib)
Charles E Waterbury (Grn)

Justice Supreme Court, Place 9
Eva Guzman (Rep)
Savannah Robinson (Dem)
Don Fulton (Lib)
Jim Chisolm (Grn)

Judge Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 2
Mary Lou Keel (Rep)
Lawrence "Larry" Meyers (Dem)
Mark Ash (Lib)
Adam King Blackwell Reposa (Grn)

Judge Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 5
Scott Walker (Rep)
Betsy Johnson (Dem)
William Bryan Stranger III (Lib)
Judith Sanders-Castro (Grn)

Judge Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 6
Michael E. Keasler (Rep)
Robert Burns (Dem)
Mark W. Bennett (Lib)

Member, State Board of Education District 15
Marty Rowley (Rep)

State Representative, District 82
Tom Craddick (Rep)

Justice 11th Court of Appeals District, Place 3
John Bailey (Rep)

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HENRY
Psalm 9:10
"Those who know your name trust in you, for you, Lord, have never forsaken those who seek you."

Issues

From 3B

comes via fees collected from oil and gas operators. These operators have had to cut costs and reduce the size of their operations in response to low oil and gas prices. Government should not be immune to this economic reality. The commission's costs need to be adjusted to align with its available revenues.

I usually support user fees as a means of funding state-run activities. In this case, however, a state agency is incentivized to promote particular activities in order to fund itself. This creates inappropriate bureaucratic incentives. At the very least, the commission may be tempted to increase fees to avoid down-sizing. I believe a preferable way to fund the Railroad Commission is through the general fund and thus subject to adjustment by the Texas Legislature.

Texas law now requires operators to post bonds to cover the abandonment of wells "orphaned" by bankruptcy. Unless these bonds are insufficient, it seems that the Cleanup Fund should be sufficient to take care of this problem.

Q: The RRC has been through sunset review the last three sessions. Why can't it pass, and how will you work with legislators to help the RRC pass sunset review?

Christian: My legislative experience and relationships allow me to easily navigate the sunset process in the 85th Legislature. This, in my opinion, continues to be one of the biggest fights the energy sector faces. For any other candidate in this race, there would be a significant learning curve. This is truly an opportunity for us to bridge the gap between the commission and the Legislature and come up with policies that will have a positive impact on Texans.

Miller: The Railroad Commission has been under Sunset Review since 2011. Two Sunset Commissions made many sensible recommendations for the 82nd, 83rd and 84th Legislatures to consider for the Railroad Commission. Another review is currently underway. Unfortunately, powerful forces within the Legislature have prevented necessary legislation from passing. There has been significant resistance to even taking the minor step of changing the commission's name to better reflect its actual duties.

Texas railroad commissioners have an obligation to publicly make their case with voters and legislators for or against any recommended Sunset Review reforms. Commissioners should be readily available to testify before relevant legislative committees, and to provide other written information and opinions needed for the legislative process. They should also actively make their case directly to the Texas citizenry in the run up to the 85th Legislature.

As a candidate for Texas railroad commissioner, I plan to publicly take a position on all Sunset Commission's recommendations that will be released prior to the November election. Voters will be able to judge my suitability for office based on those positions.

Q: Rules regarding well integrity and disposal permits have been updated in response to indications disposal wells are contributing to seismic events. Even so, the commission's seismologist remains noncommittal on the subject. Do you think the updated rules are enough, or is there more that can be done to address public concerns oil and gas drilling is causing earthquakes?

Christian: I think the commission has done the right thing by using science to drive their response on this issue. Texas already has some of the toughest laws on disposal wells. Before we do more, Texas must continue to research the issue (which we are doing).

Miller: In 2014, I publicly commented on the commission's rules designed to address public concerns about seismic activity caused by wastewater injection. I found the rules promulgated that year to be technically ineffective, and appearing to deceive the public into thinking otherwise. Subsequent commission actions with regard to the link between underground injection and earthquakes seem to have proven my suspicions were well-founded. The commission has gone so far as to ignore the well-researched findings of some of the state's most capable geoscientists.

The physical and technical ramifications and uncertainties surrounding this issue are complex and profound. I am concerned that the Railroad Commission's staff does not have the requisite technical expertise to evaluate the issues and develop a suitable regulatory regime. It will be up to our commissioners to remedy this shortcoming.

Q: What can the RRC do to prevent new federal regulations from hindering development? How would you establish a relationship with federal regulators to help craft sensible regulations?

Christian: The Railroad Commission should work in tandem with the attorney general and other state agencies to make sure we are doing everything we can to protect Texas' right to regulate its own natural resources. I served in the House and have relationships with many of the statewide leaders including the attorney general and I have been endorsed by Ag Commissioner Sid Miller. As commissioner, I will have regular meetings with the heads of other agencies to see what we can do together to protect Texas from an out-of-control federal government.

Miller: The Railroad Commission has little actual power to prevent or modify federal regulations. Where proposed federal regulations illegitimately impinge on Texas sovereignty, the commission can, however, provide information and opinions to the Texas attorney general to support Texas' assertion of its rights. That said, the commission should always seek to work directly with federal regulators to provide them with input as they craft federal regulations. Particular attention should be given to regulations that unnecessarily impinge on the commercial interests, property rights and personal liberties of Texas citizens. Texas is in a far better position to monitor and protect its people and its natural resources than the federal government.

In my opinion, resistance to federal regulations is not a major issue facing the Texas Railroad Commission. Railroad commissioner candidates should focus their attention on issues where the commission can have a more positive direct impact on Texas.

Q: Should the Railroad Commission be renamed? If so, what would you change the name to?

Christian: While a name change would provide clarity for the public as to what the Railroad Commission does, it would be costly and potentially open the agency up to further regulation from the federal government. At this time, I think we should leave the name alone. Regardless, it is a legislative issue, not one that will go before the commission.

Miller: Transparent government requires (at minimum) that its agencies have names that accurately reflect their responsibilities. Fewer than 5 percent of Texas voters know that the Railroad Commission regulates oil and gas. An appropriate alternative name would be the Texas Energy Resources Commission. Though Texas Energy Commission has been suggested by others, this name would continue to confuse voters by suggesting that the commission had jurisdiction over other energy sources such as wind, solar and nuclear power generation. Texas Oil and Gas Commission has also been suggested, but would not accurately reflect the commission's jurisdiction over mining activities in the state.

Obituaries

Beverly Jean Nunez

Beverly Jean Nunez, 86, of Midland, Texas went to be with our Heavenly Father on October 19, 2016 after a four year long battle with Alzheimer's Dementia.

Beverly was born in San Jose, California to Morris and Leona McDonald, but spent the last 20 years of her life in Midland, Texas alongside her husband of 48 years, Leo. Beverly was a mighty American patriot. Her hobbies included playing cards and doing the crossword puzzle in the daily newspaper. She was an avid Broncos fan with a large collection to show her love for her team. Beverly was always a second mom to her children's friends.

Beverly was preceded in death by her parents, three brothers, and two sisters.

Beverly is survived by her husband, Leo; her son, Howard Reardon and wife Cathy of Amarillo, Texas; son, Kevin Reardon of Amarillo, TX; and daughter, Holly Drake and husband Mark of Midland, TX. She is also survived by her grandchildren, Destri, Ryan, Cory, Bella, Julias, Miles, and Erin; as well as her great-grandchildren, Bryan, Becca, JP, Sevin, and Joshua. Beverly is also survived by many loved nieces and nephews and countless other family and friends.

Visitation will be held at Lewallen-Garcia-Pipkin Funeral Home Sunday, October 23, 2016 from 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. with a graveside service at Serenity Memorial Gardens Cemetery on Monday, October 24, 2016 at 10:00 a.m.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks for donations to be made to the Midland Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association. The family would also like to thank the staffs of Sienna Nursing and Rehabilitation, Manor Park Mabee LTC Unit, and Home Hospice of Midland for their care of Beverly.

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

Family messages and condolences may be emailed to: *pipkin@nts-online.net* or you can visit our website at *www.lewallengarciapipkinfh.com.*

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Jean Laverne Farris

Jean Laverne Farris, 94 of Knoxville, Tennessee passed away October 12, 2016. She was born January 15, 1922 in Greenville, Texas to William Arthur Duncan and Connie Esther Duncan and was the oldest of four children.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Joe L. Farris in 1989.

She is survived by her son, Joe D. Farris and his wife, Judy Farris; two granddaughters; and a great grandson, all of Knoxville, Tennessee.

Jean was a former longtime member of Crestview Baptist Church in Midland, Texas. She was very active in both Hospice and the Republican Party. Jean was a devoted and loving mother, grandmother and great-grandmother and will be greatly missed.

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Maria U. Zuniga

Maria U. Zuniga went home to be with our Heavenly Father on October 21, 2016. She was born on February 14, 1935 in Barranco Azul, Mulato Chihuahua, Mexico to Sotero Urquidi and Romana Gomez.

Maria married the love of her life the late Esteban Zuniga August 20, 1955 in El Mulato, Chihuahua. Maria was a homemaker all her life, loving mother, wife and a devoted Catholic. She will be greatly missed.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Esteban Zuniga. Maria is survived by her three daughters, Aurora Zuniga, Martha Juarez and Socorro Natividad; one brother, Donaciano Urquidi and one sister, Fortunada Marquez; Numerous grandchildren, great-great grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Viewing will be held on Saturday, October 22, 2016 from 1:00p.m. to 9:00p.m. at Heavenly Gate Funeral Home & Chapel. Rosary will be Sunday, October 23, 2016 at Heavenly Gate Funeral Home & Chapel. A funeral mass will take place on Monday, October 24, 2016 at 2:00p.m. at St. Stephens Catholic Church with Father Bala Anthony Officiating; burial will follow to Serenity Memorial Gardens. Funeral service is under the direction of Lewallen-Garcia-Pipkin Funeral Home and Chapel.

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Nell Marie Vaughan Ellis

Nell Marie Vaughan Ellis, 83, of Fort Worth, Texas, passed away on October 17, 2016 after a seven year battle with Alzheimer's disease.

Nell was born in Roxie, Mississippi on October 16, 1933 to the late Reverend Percy Vaughan and Louise Turner Vaughan. She graduated from Carthage High School in Carthage, Mississippi and continued on to receive a Bachelor of Education degree from Millsaps College in Jackson, Mississippi. Nell was married to Bobby Zack Ellis on August 1, 1954; they were married 40 years.

Nell taught 9th grade English at the former Austin Jr. High School in Midland. She enjoyed bowling and tennis and loved to play the piano. She also enjoyed playing games such as bridge, dominos and canasta. She was actively involved at First United Methodist Church where she was a devoted member and sang in the Chancel Choir.

Nell is preceded in death by her parents, Percy and Louise Vaughan; two half brothers, Franklin Vaughan and Featherston Vaughan and her husband Bobby Ellis.

Nell is survived by daughter Melissa Marie Ellis Whipple, Melissa's husband Keith and their children Zackary Keith and Delaney Marie Violet. She is also survived by her son Robert Vaughan Ellis and his daughters Riley Anne Shapter and Lauren Elizabeth Ellis.

A graveside service will be held in the mausoleum at Resthaven Memorial Park in Midland on Monday October 24th at 1:00 p.m.

In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be given to The Alzheimer's Association at 4400 N Big Spring St C32, Midland, TX 79705 or to the American Cancer Society at www.cancer.org.

Online condolences may be offered at www.ellisfunerals.com

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Rose Ann Hughston

August 8, 1926 - October 6, 2016

Rose Ann Hughston was born on August 8, 1926 in Cisco, Texas to Dr. and Mrs. Paul Mason and (Ruth Harlan) Woods and was raised in Cisco as an adolescent where she learned to play the violin at an early age, something that would follow her for many years to come. She graduated from Cisco High School in 1942 and went on to attend The Julliard School for the Performing Arts in New York City, New York for three years. The yearning to return to Texas eventually overcame her and she returned to Dallas, Texas to complete her advanced education by receiving a Bachelor of Music Degree from Southern Methodist University in 1949. While at SMU, she became a member of the Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority, made many new friends, and eventually met her future husband to be Thomas Newton Hughston who was also attending SMU. A courtship ensued and they were married on June 11, 1950. After their wedding, and a honeymoon trip to Mexico, the couple settled in Dallas, Texas where Rose Ann gave violin lessons and taught in the DISD while Tom attended Baylor University Dental School. Upon Tom's graduation from dental school and receiving his dental license, he and Rose Ann moved to Midland, Texas to eventually raise their family of four boys. As Tom's dental practice grew, Rose Ann joined the Midland Odessa Symphony where she played in the first violin section, a passion of hers that lasted for over twenty years. While playing for the symphony she was blessed to perform in countless concerts for the enjoyment of thousands. Additionally, during that same timeframe she also became an active member of the Junior League of Midland and gave innumerable hours working for that organization.

During their life in Midland both Tom and Rose Ann were active in their church and community, enjoyed entertaining and both were avid tennis players. Because of Rose Ann's musical talents, she was sought out far and wide by her friends and her church to play in weddings and church services over the many years to follow. In her later years, after Tom's passing, she considered herself fortunate to travel overseas on several trips with close friends. Worldwide travel became a key ingredient to her happiness later in life. Ultimately, she needed to be closer to family and set up residence in Royal Estates, a retirement facility in San Angelo, Texas.

On October 6, 2016 Rose Ann passed into eternity. She was a beloved wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother and mother-in-law that will be missed forever.

Rose Ann Hughston was preceded in death by her husband Dr. Thomas N. Hughston in 1997, her brother Paul Harlan Woods in 2004, and both parents. Her four sons, their four wives, eight grandchildren, three of their spouses, and four great grandchildren survive her. The eldest son's family is Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woods, "Woody", (Louise) Hughston of Centreville, Virginia, and their two daughters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Mark A. (Holly) Taylor of Centreville, Virginia, and their infant daughter Jacqueline Louise Taylor, and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff S. (Kellie) Wade of Ashburn, Virginia, and their young son, Sam Harlan Wade. The second son's family is Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Newton, (Karen) Hughston, of Bedford, Texas, and their son Taylor Douglas "Tate" Hughston, and his daughter and son Charlotte Grace Hughston and Bradyn Thomas Hughston all of Ft. Worth, Texas, and Doug and Karen's daughter Ms. Heather Anne Hughston, of Ft. Worth, Texas. The third son's family is Dr. and Mrs. Ty Mason, (Gill), Hughston, of San Angelo, Texas, and their son and his wife Dr. Adam Thomas and his wife (Dr. Haley Kensing), Hughston of San Antonio, Texas, and Ty and Gill's daughter Ms. Grace Rose Hughston, of San Antonio, Texas. The youngest son's family is Mr. and Mrs. Paul Oliver, (Sharlyn) Hughston and their two daughters, Miss Payton Olivia Hughston and Miss Samantha Kamryn Hughston all from Houston, Texas.

The family wishes to recognize key caregivers and very special people that provided essential support throughout Rose Ann's life. A special thank-you to Ms. Stephanie Melendez, Ms. Sylvia Montalvo, Ms. Debby Haechten, Ms. Shelly Lechuga, Ms. Lilly Hollins, Ms. Helen Castillia, and Dr. Chris Barnett. All were indispensable in their own specific way by providing a very personal level of support.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks, if you desire, that you make donations in Rose Ann's memory to the Music Ministry at the First Presbyterian Church of Midland, 800 West Texas Avenue, Midland, Texas 79701. A celebration of Rose Ann Hughston's life will be held at the First Presbyterian Church in Midland, Texas on October 24, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. Bright and brilliant colors were always a fundamental part of Rose Ann's life so in honor of her please feel free to wear colorful attire to the church celebration service. Harper Funeral Home of San Angelo, Texas will be officiating with all funeral preparations.

Rosemarie Michalak

Rosemarie Michalak, 90, of Midland, passed away on Thursday, October 20, 2016. She was born on February 10, 1926 in Milwaukee, Wisconsin to Louise and Clarence Bartz. She attended school in Milwaukee, Wisconsin and was an accounting, payroll manager. She was an avid reader and enjoyed playing cards, golf, and bingo. She always enjoyed visits from her grandchildren and many great grandchildren.

She loved animals, especially her beloved cats. Her "sweet tooth" was inherited by her children.

Rosemarie is survived by her children, Madeline Brosius of North Fort Myers, Florida, Mark Michalak of New Berlin, Wisconsin, and Monica Elger of Midland, Texas, as well as nine grandchildren and seventeen great grandchildren. She is also survived by two sisters, Marleen Hoskins and Eileen Durski of the Milwaukee, Wisconsin area.

She is preceded in death by, her husband Eugene, son Glenn, and granddaughter Lizabeth.

The family suggests memorials can be donated to the Midland animal shelter.

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

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No Trump effect likely for Texas Senate races

Ny Matthew Watkins
Texas Tribune

With Republican nominee for president Donald Trump continuing to struggle in the polls, Democrats in Texas are hoping for a better-than-usual election season.

But any Democratic dreams of a Trump effect on the ballot stop at the state Senate. Major gains in the Republican-dominated body are already out of the question. Even picking up a single seat remains a long-shot.

Eight senate seats currently held by Republicans are up for election this fall. Democrats didn't even field a candidate in six of them. In the remaining two races, it would take a huge upset for the Democrat to win.

"In the case of the Senate, even in this very favorable Democratic context, none of these Republican-held seats are vulnerable," said Mark Jones, a political scientist at Rice University.

On the surface, the electoral climate would appear to be prime for Democrats to chip away at the 20-to-11 advantage Republicans currently hold on the state's upper chamber. Trump's lead over Democrat Hillary Clinton has consistently polled in the single digits. One recent poll placed the margin at 4 percentage points, which was within the margin of error.

In 2012, Republican presidential nominee Mitt Romney won Texas by more than 15 percentage points. Two years later, Republican Greg Abbott won the governor's seat against Democrat Wendy Davis by almost 20 percentage points.

But a combination of timing, money and unfavorable district lines makes an unusual political climate hard to capitalize on. Senate districts are massive — one contested race this year spans 17 counties. It takes a lot of money and time on the road to run a successful campaign. And the districts are drawn in a way that gives most of the incumbents — Democrats or Republicans — a strong advantage.

All of those factors create powerful disincentives against running, said Matt Angle, director of the Lone Star Project, a Democratic research and strategic planning group.

"You have to not only find a candidate but you have to convince people that the candidate is worth investing in," Angle said.

The Democrat making the most spirited run for a GOP-held seat is Jennie Lou Leeder, a former schoolteacher from Llano. She is seeking the open District 24 seat currently held by Sen. Troy Fraser, R-Horseshoe Bay, who is retiring. The district stretches from west of San Antonio through a small portion of southwest Austin and then up to Abilene, and Leeder is traveling the sprawling district meeting with voter groups.

But Republican Gov. Greg Abbott won the district by 21 percentage points in 2014, and Leeder faces a serious deficit in resources. She reported just $9,736 on hand in her most recent campaign finance report, compared to more than $150,000 for her Republican opponent, ophthalmologist Dawn Buckingham.

Leeder has tried to take advantage of Trump's candidacy. On the day after a leaked recording of Trump bragging about sexually assaulting women was made public, she released a statement criticizing Buckingham for not denouncing him.

"I call upon my opponent to join me in rejecting Trump's sexual assault on women," she said.

Buckingham hasn't responded to her opponent's challenge, though she has posted on Twitter about having a Trump sign in her yard. When asked about her opponent's challenge by the Tribune, she said, "I am focused on my campaign for Senate District 24."

Buckingham likely endured her most difficult part of the race during a four-way Republican primary. Still, she said she takes nothing for granted.

"Over the past year, I have campaigned across District 24 meeting with voters who share my priorities of fiscal responsibility, border security, improved educational opportunities for our children, property tax reform, and protecting our water supply," she said.

Michael Collins, the only other Democrat running for a state Senate seat currently occupied by a Republican, faces longer odds than Leeder. The district represented by incumbent Sen. Brian Birdwell, R-Granbury, is even more Republican-leaning seeking; Abbott won 70 percent of the vote there in 2014.

Democrats, meanwhile, are defending two seats of their own from Republicans. Sen. Carlos Uresti, D-San Antonio, is facing a challenge from former game warden Pete Flores. In South Texas, Sen. Juan "Chuy" Hinojosa, D-McAllen, is vying for election against court reporter Velma Arellano.

In those races, the incumbent is widely considered to be the strong favorite, too.

"Every seat is either safe Democrat or very safe Republican," Jones said.

Wayne Christian likely to win obscure Railroad Commission race

By Asher Price
Austin American-Statesman

In theory, Mark Miller should be looking forward to Election Day.

Running for state railroad commissioner, Miller appears to be eminently qualified for the post: The agency regulates the oil and gas industry, and he is a petroleum engineer. He's won the endorsements of The Dallas Morning News and Houston Chronicle. On the stump, he speaks with fluency about the challenges faced by the oil and gas industry. He's even written a book about oil and gas regulation.

But Miller is a Libertarian, making victory unlikely.

Instead, he is likely to lose badly to Wayne Christian, a former state lawmaker from East Texas and financial planner who has the endorsement of Gov. Greg Abbott. Christian is also endorsed by the Texas Oil and Gas Association political action committee, and backed by conservative activist Michael Quinn Sullivan. Perhaps most significantly, Christian is the nominee of the Republican Party. In an obscure statewide race, Christian is likely to win by dint of straight-party votes in Republican-rich Texas.

Christian also has a huge fundraising advantage, with $130,000 in cash available as the race enters its final month, according to the latest campaign finance filings. Major contributions have come from oil and gas executives and oil and gas companies.

Miller has $40,000 in cash on hand. His biggest contribution — $30,000 — is from Austin's Michael Chastain, a major contributor to Libertarian causes.

Democrat Grady Yarbrough has reported raising no money. And Green Party candidate Martina Salinas has $1,195 on hand.

With a win seemingly a sure thing, Christian has proven elusive, missing debates, including one in Austin in mid-September.

A moderator at that Austin event said his campaign had informed the event's organizers that he couldn't appear due to a family emergency. Before the event, he hadn't committed to attend because of scheduling conflicts, according to event organizers.

Christian didn't respond to requests for comment; campaign spokesman Travis McCormick said Christian has appeared at one candidate forum since the Republican primary.

That has left room for Miller to hold forth.

Asked about hydraulic fracturing — in which millions of gallons of water, mixed with sand and chemicals, are injected into rock thousands of feet underground to extract natural gas — Miller said at the Austin forum: "I support responsible (fracturing), (fracturing) that can be done without harming people's ground water, (fracturing) that can be done without harming the quiet enjoyment of their property, (fracturing) that can be done without harming common natural resources."

He added: "Any industrial activity has some level of risk; I choose to live in a world in which we accept a certain level of risk."

He criticized the Railroad Commission for "knee-jerk support for oil and gas" and accused the agency of lacking technical competence on how industrial activity had contributed to earthquakes.

Yarbrough, a former educator, said an area with fracturing operations is "not an environment for schoolchildren to try to learn; it's not good for our hospitals, churches, or facilities for seniors."

Salinas said she was concerned that fracturing could contaminate underground aquifers that provide drinking water to large areas of the state. She said the practice wasn't well enough regulated.

Earlier this year, in an interview with the American-Statesman, Christian sidestepped questions about whether he thought there was a link between carbon emissions and global warming.

"I don't agree with every scientific view," Christian said.

Christian supports the Railroad Commission's decision to hire a seismologist and a decision by the Legislature to fund further study of the relationship between fracturing-related industrial activity and earthquakes, McCormick said.

In general, Christian supports fracturing, McCormick said.

"The more we're able to drill responsibly, the better for the economy and job growth and for the Texas budget," McCormick said.

Early voting begins Oct. 24.

About the candidates

■ Wayne Christian, 66, is a Republican former state representative from Center and a financial planner. He built a conservative voting record, winning a Freedom and Family Award from the Eagle Forum and serving as a board member of the Texas Tea Party Caucus. He served on the Texas House's Energy Resources Committee. He ran unsuccessfully for Texas Railroad Commission in 2014, losing in a Republican primary runoff. He has a bachelor of business administration from Stephen F. Austin University.

■ Mark Miller, 65, is a Libertarian who has taught petroleum engineering at the University of Texas and lives in Austin. Miller, who has a bachelor's degree in engineering from Harvey Mudd College in Claremont, Calif., and a doctorate in petroleum engineering from Stanford University, built an energy and gas consulting firm. He's now retired and is the author of "Oil and Gas and the Texas Railroad Commission." He ran unsuccessfully for Texas Railroad Commission in 2014.

■ Grady Yarbrough, 79, is a Democrat and a former educator who lives in Tyler. He has a bachelor's degree in business education from Texas College in Tyler and a master's in education from Prairie View A&M University. He ran unsuccessfully in 2012 for the Democratic nomination for U.S. Senate.

■ Martina Salinas, 38, is running as the Green

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Robert Marquez, trustee, District 2

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Party candidate. She lost as a Green Party nominee for Railroad Commission in 2014. Salinas, who has a bachelor's degree in construction management from the University of Houston, lives in the Fort Worth area and works as a construction inspector.

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Tech finishes on losing side of record-setting night

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LUBBOCK — After last week's performance against nationally-ranked West Virginia, the Texas Tech football team needed to show that it still had some fight left.

With No. 16 Oklahoma and former Tech quarterback Baker Mayfield in town, the Red Raiders had the motivation they needed in front of 60,478 fans at Jones AT&T Stadium on Saturday night.

Riding the tired right arm of Patrick Mahomes, the Red Raiders stayed toe-to-toe with the mighty Sooners, but fell 66-59 in a wild shootout.

Mahomes was one of those Red Raiders who looked to redeem himself after inconsistent showing in a 48-17 loss to the Mountaineers.

Texas Tech coach Kliff Kingsbury wasn't going to back away from using Mahomes a lot as he had attempted a single-game school record 81 passes at press time to go with more than 700 yards through the air. The old passing attempts record was 72 set by Graham Harrell in 2007 against OU.

The way Mahomes passed the ball, it probably would have reminded some of the days when Mike Leach roamed the Jones AT&T sidelines. There were times Leach didn't care much for running the ball as he trusted his quarterbacks more than his running backs.

The way Mahomes passed the ball also shows that the Red Raiders are missing the play DeAndre Washington (now an Oakland Raider) at running back. Washington was not only a back-to-back 1,000-yard rusher but he also took a lot of pressure off Mahomes.

On Saturday night, the Red Raiders had Mahomes run the ball and even had true freshman Da'Leon Ward run the ball a few times and even scored a touchdown, but backs Justin Stockton

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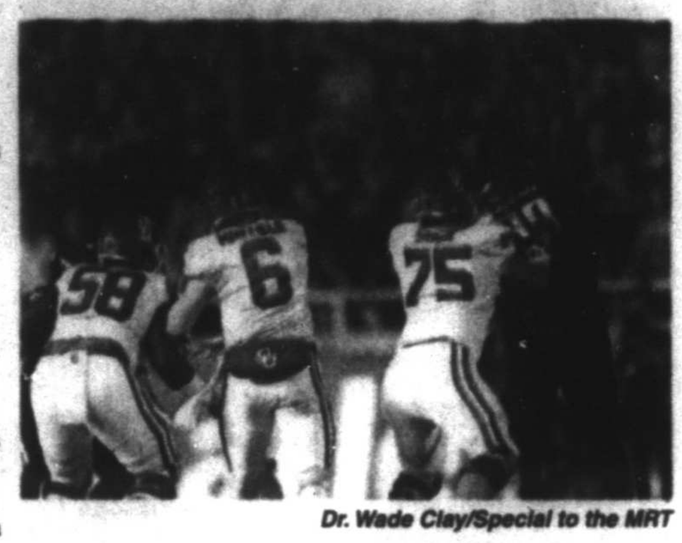

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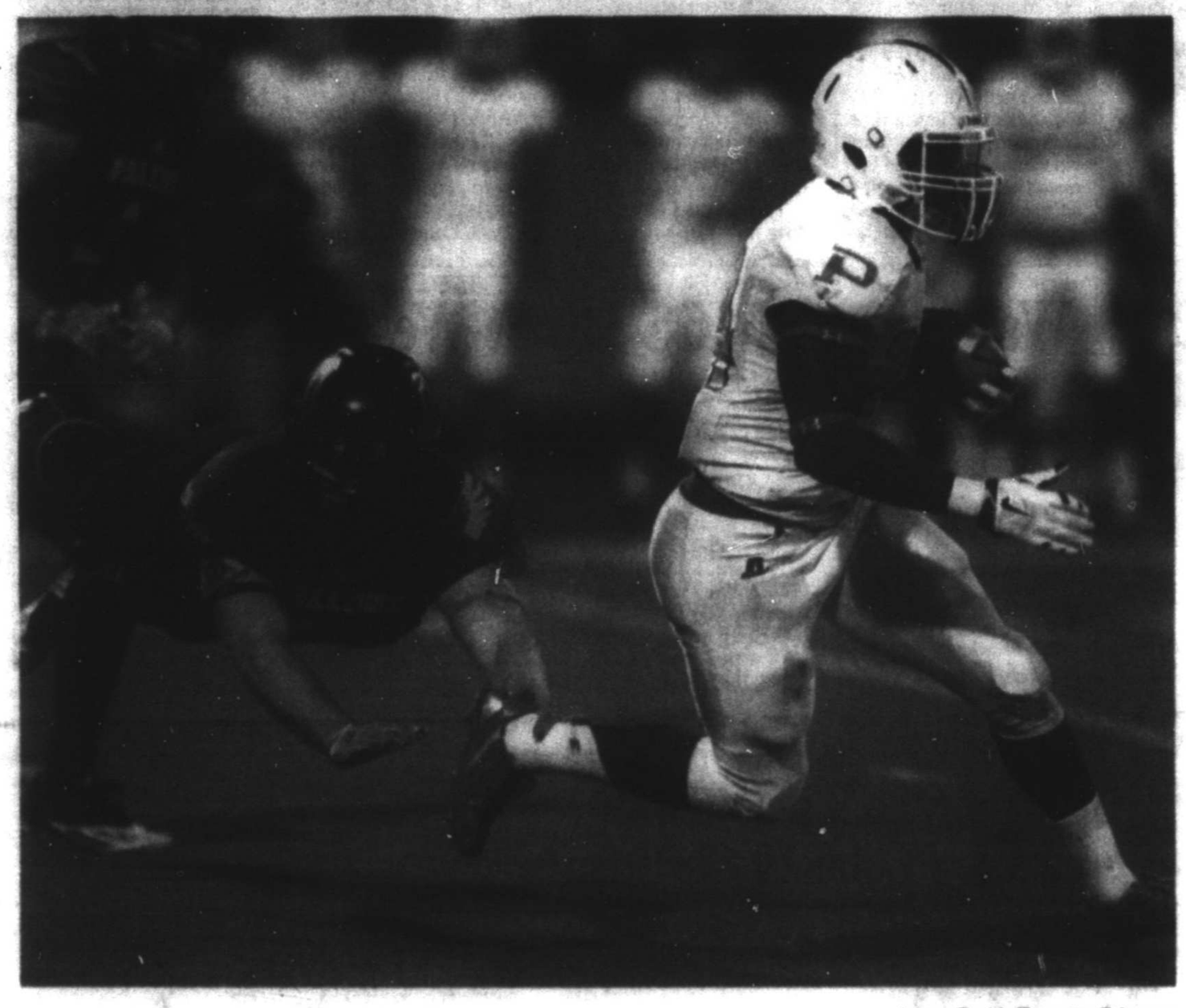
Texas Tech defensive lineman Kaleb Hill extends himself to knock down a Baker Mayfield (6) pass Saturday night at Jones AT&T Stadium.

Falcons lose shootout



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UTPB's Keegan Gray (44) misses a tackle against Oklahoma Panhandle State's Rod Moore (24) on Saturday at Grande Communications Stadium.

UTPB puts on a show for Permian Basin fans vs. OPSU

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The Tall City got its first taste of Division II football Saturday night.

The UTPB football team, trying to win over the hearts of Permian Basin residents in its inaugural season, played its first-ever game at Grande Communications Stadium.

Midlanders were treated to watching the Lone Star Conference's only two winless teams with the Falcons and Oklahoma Panhandle State.

While neither team looked formidable on paper coming in, the visiting Aggies and UTPB entertained the Grande crowd with a high-scoring affair.

It was no surprise considering both defensive units entered the contest as the ninth and 10th best units in the 10-team Lone Star Conference.

But the Falcons defense simply had no answer for stopping OPSU quarterback Shane Truelove, which proved to be the difference.

Truelove carved up the UTPB defense by completing 40 of 49 passes for a whopping 610 yards and four touchdown passes en route to Oklahoma Panhandle State's 54-44 victory over the Falcons.

Truelove's numbers were so gaudy that he finished the game with an 81.6 completion percentage and a 213.2 quarterback rating.

In a riveting game, both teams combined to score 40 points in the fourth quarter.

The Falcons (2-6, 0-6 in Lone Star Conference) had a chance to win when quarterback Kameron Mathis tossed a deep 33-yard TD pass to Kristian Brown in the end zone, cutting the Aggies' lead to 48-44 with 4:53 left to play.

Brown snatched the ball in the air from a OPSU cornerback that had a chance at the interception.

Despite getting the Grande crowd into the game, the Falcons defense couldn't get the ball back to their offense for a shot at victory.

Truelove engineered an 8-play, 69-yard drive to close the door shut on UTPB's chances.

The key play occurred on third-and-10 when Truelove connected with Deyvn Williams with a deflating 33-yard pass, moving the Aggies (2-6, 1-5) to the Falcons' 6-yard line.

One play later, Williams scored on a jet sweep, which turned out to be a game-sealing 6-yard TD run.

The Falcons defense surrendered an obscene 750 total yards on 85 plays.

Even though the UTPB defense will see better days, on a bright note, Midland High alum Emilio Solis recorded 12 total tackles and one tackle for loss while playing on his old high school turf.

He wasn't the only local that shined as Andrews grad Keegan Gray, a true freshman, racked up seven total tackles, a tackle for loss and a half sack.

UTPB, which has struggled to throw the ball efficiently, had its air attack wake up in this one as Mathis completed 27 of 49 passes for 322 yards and four touchdowns.

Mathis overcame two early interceptions, and eventually found a rhythm, completing 55.1 percent of his passes after entering the game with a paltry 46.9 completion rate.

This game showed the Falcons have much work to do in order to be

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Allen helps No. 1 Alabama beat No. 6 Aggies, 33-14

By John Zenor
Associated Press

TUSCALOOSA, Ala. — Jonathan Allen returned a fumble 29 yards for a touchdown late in the third quarter to help No. 1 Alabama beat sixth-ranked Texas A&M 33-14 Saturday.

The Crimson Tide (8-0, 5-0 Southeastern Conference) moved on as the powerhouse league's last unbeaten team, getting yet another in a long string of defensive scores. Allen, a lineman, scooped up the ball after Ryan Anderson knocked it loose from Keith Ford to finally build a cushion over the Aggies (6-1, 4-1), who led 14-13 well into the third.

It was 20-14 when Allen extended Alabama's streak to 10 games with a score on defense or special teams, half the duration of a winning streak now at 20 going into an open date.

Alabama's freshman quarterback Jalen Hurts then galloped 37 yards for another score, stepping out of a defender's grasp and making a nifty move to get past another. The Tide was rolling again, a powerful encore to easy wins over ranked Tennessee and Arkansas teams.

The Aggies seemed likely to put up the biggest fight, with a defense that kept the pressure on Hurts and a handful of big runs by quarterback Trevor Knight. Then Allen and Anderson changed that in an instant.

The Tide defense sustained a big loss when safety Eddie Jackson was injured on a late punt return. Coach Nick Saban said Jackson, a senior, is out for the season with a broken leg.

Alabama racked up five sacks of Knight, who had engineered Oklahoma's Sugar Bowl upset of Alabama as a redshirt freshman with a 348-yard, four-touchdown performance. He passed for 164 and ran for 24 in the semi-rematch.

Hurts passed for 166 yards and rushed for 93 more, throwing for a pair of touchdowns while getting intercepted twice. Damien Harris rushed 17 times for 126 yards.

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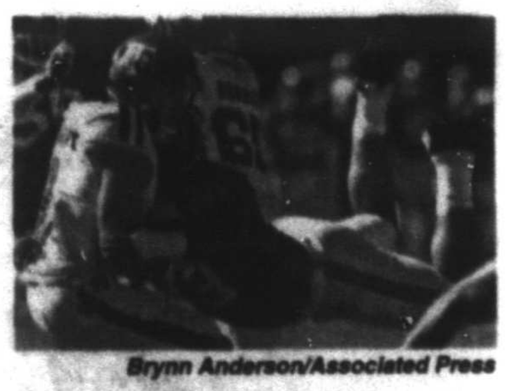

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Alabama defensive lineman Jonathan Allen (93) sacks Texas A&M quarterback Trevor Knight, front left, during the first half of an NCAA college game Saturday in Tuscaloosa, Ala.

DAILYRUNDOWN

FROM STAFF AND WIRE REPORTS

ON THE AIR

Figure Skating
Skate America: Men's Free, 11:30 a.m., NBC
Golf
EPGA: Portugal Masters, Final Round, 7 a.m., GOLF
Hockey
KHL: Medvescak vs. Lada, 10 a.m., OWSPN
Major League Baseball
NLCS Game 7 (if nec): Los Angeles at Chicago Cubs, 7 p.m., FS1, FXDEP
Men's Soccer
Scottish Premier: St. Johnstone FC vs. Dundee FC, 5:50 a.m., FSP
PL: Manchester City vs. Southampton, 7:30 a.m., NBCSN, TELE
Bundesliga: Red Bull Leipzig vs. SV Werder Bremen, 8:30 a.m., FS1, GolTV
PL: Chelsea vs. Manchester United, 10 a.m., NBCSN, TELE
Bundesliga: FC Schalke 04 vs. 1. FSV Mainz 05, 10:30 a.m., FS2, FXDEP
Liga MX: Pumas de la UNAM vs. Tigres UANL. Noon, UNIV, UDN
Brazil: CR Flamengo vs. SC Corinthians, 2 p.m., GolTV
MLS: Seattle Sounders FC vs. Real Salt Lake, 3 p.m., ESPN, ESPNDEP
MLS: LA Galaxy vs. FC Dallas, 3 p.m., FS1, FXDEP
MLS: Colorado Rapids vs. Houston Dynamo, 3 p.m., ROOT
MLS: Decision Day 2016, MLS Whip-a-Round, 3 p.m., ESPN2
Brazil: CA Mineiro vs. Figueirense FC, 4:30 p.m., GolTV
Liga MX: Club Santos Laguna vs. Club Atlas, 5:50 p.m., UDN
USL Championship: New York Red Bulls II vs. Swope Park Rangers, 7 p.m., ESPNU
Liga MX: CD Guadalajara vs. CF Pachuca, 7:50 p.m., UDN
Motorsports
Sprint Cup: Alabama 500, 1 p.m., NBCSN
F1: United States Grand Prix, 2 p.m., NBC, UniMas, UDN
National Football League
NY Giants vs. Los Angeles, 8:30 a.m., NFL
Minnesota at Philadelphia, Noon, FOX
Oakland at Jacksonville, Noon, CBS
New England at Pittsburgh, 3:25 p.m., CBS
Seattle at Arizona, 7:30 p.m., NBC
National Hockey League
Edmonton at Winnipeg, 2 p.m., NHL
Arizona at NY Rangers, 6 p.m., NHL
Tennis
ATP: Stockholm, WTA: Luxembourg, WTA: Moscow, Finals, 6:30 a.m., TENNIS
Women's College Volleyball
Georgia at Florida, 11 a.m., SEC
Syracuse at North Carolina, Noon, ESPNU
Kentucky at Missouri, 1 p.m., SEC
Minnesota at Nebraska, 1 p.m., BTN
Louisville at Pittsburgh, 2 p.m., FSSW+
Tennessee at Mississippi State, 2 p.m., ESPNU
Indiana at Northwestern, 3 p.m., BTN
Stanford at USC, 4 p.m., ESPNU
Women's Soccer
Friendly: USA vs. Switzerland, 1 p.m., FS1
NCAA: Kansas at Baylor, 1 p.m., FSSW, FCSC
NCAA: Notre Dame at Wake Forest, Noon, FSSW+
NCAA: Texas Tech at TCU, 3 p.m., FSSW, FCSP
NCAA: Missouri at Georgia, 3 p.m., SEC
NCAA: West Virginia at Texas, 5 p.m., FSN (FSSW, FSSW+)
NCAA: Auburn at Texas A&M, 5 p.m , SEC

LATE HS FOOTBALL

COLORADO CITY 33, COAHOMA 6

Coahoma	0	6	0	0	—6
Colorado	14	12	0	7	—33

First Quarter
Colorado — Tommy James 16 run (Ty Erwin kick), 9:50
Colorado — James 2 run (Erwin kick), 1:58
Second Quarter
Coahoma — Gage Clark 45 pass from Mason Moore (kick failed), 6:44
Colorado — Unknown receiver 27 pass from James (kick failed), 1:08
Colorado — James 1 run (run failed), 0:17
Fourth Quarter
Colorado — Unknown defender 27 interception return (Erwin kick), 11:50

	Coahoma	Colorado
First downs	8	16
Rushes-yards	34-121	22-131
Comp.-Att.-Int.	18-30-5	10-25-1
Passing yards	169	169
Fumbles-lost	2-0	0-0
Penalties-yards	3-30	8-71
Punts-Avg.	2-35.0	5-35.0

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING — Coahoma, Braden Pearson 25-81, Zach Holmes 4-25, Joe Escobedo 5-15.
PASSING — Coahoma, Mason Moore 12-25-5—141, Pearson 3-5-0—28.
RECEIVING — Coahoma, Gage Clark 7-89, Zach Holmes 7-32, Adam Clark 2-31, Pearson 2-17.

FORSAN 27, ANSON 24

Anson	12	12	0	0	—24
Forsan	7	14	0	6	—27

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING — Forsan, Tearell McVae 32-183, Bryce Hergert 16-51, Blaze Yeater 2-2
PASSING — Forsan, Hergert 12-23-0—145, McVae 2-2-0—20.
RECEIVING — McVae 3-65, Taylor Christian 3-36, Yeater 5-33, Garrett Evans 3-31

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
American League
CHICAGO WHITE SOX — Named Chris Getz director of player development.
TEXAS RANGERS — Promoted Jake Krug to national crosschecker and Ross Fenstermaker to international crosschecker.
National League
CHICAGO CUBS — Activated C-OF Kyle Schwarber from the 60-day DL and assigned him to Mesa (AZL). Designated LHP Giovanni Soto for assignment.
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
DETROIT PISTONS — Waived G Trey Freeman, C Mamadou N'Diaye and G Lorenzo Brown.
MIAMI HEAT — Waived G Beno Udrih, G Briante Weber, G Luis Montero, F Okaro White and C Vashil Fernandez.
MINNESOTA TIMBERWOLVES — Waived F Rasual Butler and G Toure' Murry.
ORLANDO MAGIC — Waived G Nick Johnson and G Ramon Galloway.
TORONTO RAPTORS — Waived G Drew Crawford, G Brady Heslip, F E.J. Singler, F Jarrod Uthoff and C Yanick Moreira.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
BALTIMORE RAVENS — Placed S Kendrick Lewis on injured reserve. Waived TE Daniel Brown. Activated RB Lorenzo Taliaferro from the PUP list. Signed CB Robertson Daniel from the practice squad.
CHICAGO BEARS — Placed RB Raheem Mostert on the practice squad injured list. Signed FB Paul Lasike to the practice squad.
HOUSTON TEXANS — Activated S Lonnie Ballentine from the PUP list. Placed CB Kevin Johnson on injured reserve.
NEW YORK GIANTS — Signed PK Robbie Gould.
NEW YORK JETS — Placed LB Erin Henderson on the reserve/non-football injury/illness list and TE Braedon Bowman on injured reserve. Signed LBs Victor Ochi and Julian Stanford from the practice squad.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
ANAHEIM DUCKS — Assigned LW Mason Raymond, RW Nick Sorensen and D Jacob Larsson to San Diego (AHL). Recalled D Shea Theodore and Cs Joseph Cramarossa and Michael Sgarbossa from San Diego.
ARIZONA COYOTES — Assigned D Jarred Tinordi to Tucson (AHL).
DALLAS STARS — Placed F Jiri Hudler on injured reserve, retroactive to Oct. 15. Activated F Ales Hemsky from injured reserve.
LOS ANGELES KINGS — Recalled G Jack Campbell from Ontario (OHL). Placed G Jeff Zatkoff on injured reserve.
NEW JERSEY DEVILS — Assigned F Miles Wood to Albany (AHL). Activated F Sergey Kalinin from injured reserve.
PHILADELPHIA FLYERS — Called up D Maxim Lamarche from Reading (ECHL) to Lehigh Valley (AHL).
American Hockey League
GRAND RAPID GRIFFINS — Assigned D Matt Calto to Toledo (ECHL).
ECHL
SOUTH CAROLINA STINGRAYS — Signed D Daniel New.
SOCCER
Major League Soccer
MLS — Fined Montreal Impact F Didier Drogba and New York City FC D Diego Martinez.
BOSTON CITY FC — Signed F Isaac 'Nana' Addai to a two-year contract.

NBA PRESEASON GLANCE

EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	5	2	.714	—
New York	4	2	.667	½
Toronto	3	3	.500	1½
Philadelphia	2	5	.286	3
Brooklyn	1	5	.167	3½

Southeast Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Atlanta	5	2	.714	—
Washington	4	3	.571	1
Miami	4	4	.500	1½
Charlotte	3	4	.429	2
Orlando	2	5	.286	3

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Indiana	3	3	.500	—
Milwaukee	3	3	.500	—
Detroit	3	3	.500	—
Chicago	3	4	.429	½
Cleveland	2	4	.333	1

WESTERN CONFERENCE
Southwest Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Houston	4	2	.667	—
Memphis	4	2	.667	—
San Antonio	4	2	.667	—
Dallas	2	5	.286	2½
New Orleans	1	5	.167	3

Northwest Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Minnesota	5	2	.714	—
Portland	4	3	.571	1
Oklahoma City	2	2	.500	1½
Denver	4	4	.500	1½
Utah	3	3	.500	1½

Pacific Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Golden State	6	1	.857	—
Phoenix	4	2	.667	1½
L.A. Clippers	3	3	.500	2½
Sacramento	2	3	.400	3
L.A. Lakers	2	6	.250	4½

Thursday's Games
Charlotte 96, Miami 88
Orlando 114, New Orleans 111
New York 116, Brooklyn 111
Atlanta 97, Chicago 81
Friday's Games
Washington 119, Toronto 82
Philadelphia 113, Miami 110
Minnesota 109, Charlotte 74
San Antonio 114, Houston 99
Denver 101, Dallas 75
Phoenix 98, L.A. Lakers 94
Golden State 107, Portland 96

SHREVEPORT DOMINATES JACKS, 6-1

From staff reports

SHREVEPORT, La. — In the final game of their 13-game road trip to start the season, the Odessa Jackalopes fell 6-1 in regulation to the Shreveport Mudbugs on Saturday.

The Mudbugs scored two goals in each of the game's three periods to pull away with the win. Zach Heintz netted the lone goal of the night for Odessa (7-6), which will return home to host the Lone Star Brahams at 7:05 p.m. Thursday-Saturday.

FIGHT SCHEDULE

Oct. 21
At Doubletree Hotel, Ontario, Calif., LaRon Mitchell vs. Scott Alexander, 10, for the vacant NABF junior heavyweight title.
Oct. 29
At Nayarit, Mexico, Jose Argumedo vs. Jose Antonio Jimenez, 12, for Argumedo's IBF minimumweight title.
Nov. 4
At Corona, Calif. (SHO), Taras Shelestyuk vs. Jaime Herrera, 10 welterweights; Stivens Bujaj vs. Constantin Bejenaru, 10, for the vacant WBC International/WBC Continental Americas cruiserweight titles.
Nov. 5
At Brandenburg, Germany, Giovanni De Carolis vs. Tyron Zeuge, 12, for De Carolis' WBA World super middleweight title; Jack Culcay vs. Demetrius Andrade, 12, for Culcay's WBA World junior lightweight title.
At Thomas & Mack Center, Las Vegas (PPV), Jessie Vargas, vs. Manny Pacquiao, 12, for Vargas' WBO welterweight title; Nonito Donaire vs. Jessie Magdaleno, 12, for Donaire's WBO junior featherweight title; Oscar Valdez vs. Hiroshige Osawa, 12, for Valdez's WBO featherweight title; Shiming Zou vs. Prasitsak Papoem, 12, for the vacant WBO World flyweight title.
Nov. 12
At Salle des Etoiles, Monte Carlo, Jamie McDonnell vs. Liborio Solis, 12, for McDonnell's WBA World bantamweight title; Jason Sosa vs. Stephen Smith, 12, for Sosa's WBA World junior lightweight title; Malik Scott vs. Luis Ortiz, 12, for the vacant WBA intercontinental heavyweight title; Arthur Abraham vs. Martin Murray, 12, for Abraham's WBO International super middleweight title.
At Liacouras Center, Philadelphia (Spike), Danny Garcia vs. Samuel Vargas, 10, welterweights; Jarrett Hurd vs. Jorge Cota, 12, middleweights; Javier Fortuna vs. Omar Douglas, 10, lightweights.

Lady Chaps close strong in 5-set win over Odessa College

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James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Midland College's Lauren Hermes (17) and Breann Schreiber (8) go after the ball during the match against Odessa College on Saturday at Chaparral Center.

Midland College volleyball coach Tammie Jimenez said she asked her team to visualize victory on its home floor Saturday.

After taking a 2-0 set lead against conference rival Odessa College, the Lady Chaps dropped the third and fourth sets and fell back into a deciding fifth set.

Jimenez delivered her message to her players and they went on to halt the Lady Wranglers' momentum with a critical 25-14, 25-12, 19-25, 20-25, 15-11 Western Junior College Athletic Conference win at Chaparral Center.

With the victory, MC (17-12, 6-2 in WJCAC) moved to within one game of a tie with OC for first place in the conference standings. The Lady Wranglers, who had won 13 of their last 14 matches entering Saturday, fell to 23-5, 7-1.

"We had a few short conversations about what it is that we want to visualize," Jimenez said. "We talked about being fundamental and being disciplined throughout the entire time. I asked them 'Go back and visualize how you see this match happening, dial it in, let's re-focus and let's take care of business.' And they did."

Behind disciplined and energetic play, MC raced to its 2-0 set lead in convincing fashion. Early on, momentum was nearly non-existent for the Lady Wranglers, who failed to build a run of longer than two points.

Conversely, the Lady Chaps used a 15-3 run to clinch the second set.

But the first-place Lady Wranglers woke up and found their stride, as they used a key 7-1 run to take the third set and then hung on again in the fourth.

MC freshman outside hitter Ashley Vanfleet said she and her teammates lost the high level of intensity that helped stake them to 2-0 lead.

"We just kind of lost our energy level and when we lose our energy level, we don't really play our best," said Vanfleet, who recorded 11 kills, 14 digs and 2 1/2 blocks in the match. "Once we picked it up again in the fifth set, it was great."

For a moment, it appeared as though OC would establish early control of the fifth set as it scored the first two points. But MC responded with a 6-0 run and clawed its way to the 15-11 fifth set and match victory.

Though the Lady Chaps have now won seven straight matches, Jimenez said Saturday's win was an important lesson learned for her young team.

"(It was) absolutely a teaching moment, a building moment giving us confidence and momentum," Jimenez said. "I think they needed this win to prove that they really are good. You can tell them they're a great team, but until they beat the best, it's hard to believe that. We've stolen a win off the top team in conference, so that solidifies that we are pretty good."

Added Vanfleet: "We just focused. We know that we can play and we know how to play. We just have to do it."

Dana Lohrke and Breann Schreiber added 10 and nine kills, respectively, for the Lady Chaps. Both Nelda Grau and Bailey Wright tallied 21 assists, while Luisa Nieto had seven kills and a team-high 3 1/2 blocks.

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MIDLAND COLLEGE DEF. ODESSA COLLEGE
25-14, 25-12, 19-25, 20-25, 15-11
Midland statistics
Kills – Ashley Vanfleet 11, Dana Lohrke 10, Breann Schreiber 9, Cali Barger 8, Luisa Nieto 7, Kristen Johnson 4, Nelda Grau 1, Malu Dib 1, Bailey Wright 1
Assists –Grau 21, Wright 21, Lauren Hermes 3
Digs – Vanfleet 14, Hermes 13, Grau 8, Wright 8, Schreiber 7, Barger 2, Nieto 2, Johnson 2
Blocks – Nieto 3.5, Lohrke 2.5, Barger 2.5, Vanfleet 2, Dib 1, Schreiber 1, Johnson 0.5
Aces –Grau 2
Records: Odessa 23-5, 7-1 in WJCAC; Midland 17-12, 6-2 in WJCAC
Next: Odessa College at Clarendon College, 7 p.m. Wednesday; Midland College at New Mexico Military Institute, 8 p.m. CT Wednesday

Waters 2nd, MCS 5th at West Texas Classic

From staff reports

ODESSA — With a two-day score of 313-308—621, the Midland Christian boys golf team placed fifth out of 22 teams in the West Texas Classic that took place Friday and Saturday at Ratliff Ranch Golf Links.

The Mustangs' Bryce Waters finished second in the individual standings with a two-day card of 71-68—139, three strokes behind champion Jansen Smith of San Angelo Central.

As a team Lee (327-319—646) finished 10th, one stroke ahead of Andrews (335-312—647) in 11th place. Midland High (374-358—732) placed 17th and was followed by Trinity, which finished 18th with a score of 392-396—788.

West Texas Classic
Friday-Saturday
Ratliff Ranch Golf Links, Odessa
Team Standings
1. San Angelo Central 297-284 — 581; 2. Odessa Permian Black 305-292 —597; 3. Lubbock Cooper 300-297 — 597; 4. Wolfforth Frenship 319-295 — 614; 5. Midland Christian 313-308 — 620; 6. Lubbock Coronado 325-302 — 627; 7. El Paso Franklin 328-308 — 636; 8. Lubbock Cooper II 33-309 — 641; 9. Amarillo Tascosa 335-307 — 642; 10. Lee I 327-319 — 646; 11. Andrews 335-312 — 647; 12. Odessa Permian White 328-342 — 670; 13. Monahans 355-327 — 682; 14. Odessa High 366-336 — 702; 15. Lubbock Monterey 364-352 — 716; 16. Odessa Permian JV 356-362 — 718; 17. Midland High I 374-358 — 732; 18. Midland Trinity 392-396 — 788; 19. Odessa High II 441-411 — 852; 20. Lee II 457-406 — 863; 21. Midland High II 456-440 — 896; 22. Lubbock High 482-462 — 944.
Top 5 individuals
1. Jansen Smith, San Angelo Central 69-67—136; 2. Bryce Waters, Midland Christian 71-68—139; 3. Tripp Wallace, Wolfforth Frenship 74-67—141; 4. Jeff Maciejewski, San Angelo Central 71-71—142; 5. Alex Clarke, El Paso Franklin 75-68—143.
Area team results
Midland Christian (313-308—620): Bryce Waters 71-68—139; Joe Smith 80-79—159; Robby Massey 81-78—159; Zani Holloman 80-83—163; Davis Easley 88-85—173.
Lee I (327-319—646): Ross Kritte 79-79—158; Lucas Molina 83-78—161; Cameron Lopez 82-83—165; Ethan Hobbs 87-79—166; Nathan Lopez 83-87—170.
Midland High I (374-358—732): Sebastian Cruz 77-78—155; Carter Petty 89-89—178; Britton Boren 105-92—197; Harrison Bourdreaux 113-99—202; Matthew Tubbs 103-106—209.
Trinity (392-396—788): Austin Escamilla 74-73—147; Ciro Baeza 76-77—153; Colt Wempe 111-101—212; Adin Watson 131-145—276.
Andrews (335-312—647): Tanner Stokes 79-69—148; Luke Cooley 82-74—156; Jacob Youngblood 91-82—173; Kade Moore 83-95—178; Nick Salcido 100-87—187.

Trinity ends season with sweep of Lubbock Christian

From staff reports

LUBBOCK — The Trinity volleyball team ended its 2016 season on a high note, as it swept Lubbock Christian 25-20, 25-23, 25-17 in a TAPPS 1-4A match on Saturday.

The Lady Chargers completed their season with an overall record of 13-13 and a 2-4 mark in district play.

Mady Walker led Trinity with 19 kills, eight digs and an ace, while Hilary Lanier added a team-high 26 assists, a block and two aces. Kinzie Roemer pitched in with seven kills and a block.

TRINITY DEF. LUBBOCK CHRISTIAN 25-20, 25-23, 25-17
Trinity statistics
Kills — Mady Walker 19, Kinzie Roemer 7, Claire Clifton 3, Clara Hart 2, Rebecca Young 1
Assists — Hilary Lanier 26, Abbie Beard 2, Young 1, Hart 1, Walker 1
Digs — Beard 13, Walker 8, Halley Marsh 3, Stockton Ashley 2, Lanier 1, Roemer 1
Blocks — Clifton 1.5, Lanier 1, Young 1, Roemer 1, Walker 0.5
Aces — Lanier 2, Beard 2, Hart 2, Walker 1
Next: Trinity has completed its season

Bobrovsky stops 32 shots, Blue Jackets beat Stars

Associated Press

DALLAS — Sergei Bobrovsky made 32 saves in his 13th career shutout and the Columbus Blue Jackets beat the Dallas Stars 3-0 on Saturday night.

The Blue Jackets won their second game in two nights after losing their first two games of the season. Dallas is 0-1-1 in the last two games, both at home.

Josh Anderson, Scott Hartnell and Matt Calvert scored for Columbus.

Anderson's goal came at 16:04 of the second period. Boone Jenner passed across the goal mouth and Anderson tapped in the puck from the left side before Dallas goalie Kari Lehtonen could slide back into position.

Hartnell scored at 9:02 of the third period. Calvert added an empty-net goal with 1:12 to play.

Columbus has won seven of the last 10 games between the teams. Bobrovsky is 8-1-1 in his career vs. Dallas

Lehtonen had 23 saves.

Dallas outshot the Blue Jackets 9-7 in the scoreless first period, and had nothing to show for a 15-8 advantage in shots on goal in the second.

The Stars' best scoring chance came midway through the second period, when Bobrovsky stopped Devin Shore's tip-in attempt.

Anderson's goal came with Dallas captain Jamie Benn and the Blue Jackets' Brandon Dubinsky were in the penalty box for fighting.

The goal was set up after a Dallas pass intended for Brett Ritchie, skating in toward the goal, didn't reach him because it hit a linesman. Ritchie was late in skating back on defense, so Columbus had a manpower advantage.

Hartnell beat Lehtonen 1-on-1 with a low shot after taking a pass from Karlsson in the right faceoff circle.

Columbus' Cam Atkinson sent a penalty shot wide left at 9:39 of the third period. It was awarded because the Stars' John Klingberg slid his stick into Atkinson's path on a short-handed breakaway.

NHL GLANCE

EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Montreal	5	4	0	1	9	20	9
Tampa Bay	5	4	1	0	8	17	14
Detroit	6	4	2	0	8	20	15
Florida	5	3	1	1	7	16	12
Ottawa	5	3	2	0	6	18	20
Boston	5	3	2	0	6	15	13
Toronto	5	1	1	3	5	18	19
Buffalo	4	1	2	1	3	11	12

Metropolitan Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Washington	5	3	1	1	7	13	10
Pittsburgh	6	3	2	1	7	13	19
N.Y. Rangers	5	3	2	0	6	19	14
Philadelphia	5	2	2	1	5	19	19
New Jersey	5	2	2	1	5	8	9
Columbus	4	2	2	0	4	11	11
N.Y. Islanders	5	2	3	0	4	12	14
Carolina	5	1	2	2	4	16	20

WESTERN CONFERENCE
Central Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
St. Louis	5	3	1	1	7	13	11
Minnesota	5	3	1	1	7	16	13
Colorado	5	3	2	0	6	16	16
Chicago	6	3	3	0	6	23	22
Dallas	5	2	2	1	5	14	16
Winnipeg	4	2	2	0	4	14	16
Nashville	5	2	3	0	4	15	15

Pacific Division

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Vancouver	4	4	0	0	8	10	6
Edmonton	5	4	1	0	8	20	16
San Jose	6	3	2	1	7	14	18
Calgary	5	1	3	1	3	14	21
Anaheim	5	1	3	1	3	10	14
Los Angeles	4	1	3	0	2	10	15
Arizona	4	1	3	0	2	12	18

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

Saturday's Scores
Detroit 3, San Jose 0
Philadelphia 6, Carolina 3
Montreal 4, Boston 2
Chicago 5, Toronto 4, SO
Florida 5, Colorado 2
Tampa Bay 4, Ottawa 1
New Jersey 2, Minnesota 1, OT
N.Y. Rangers 4, Washington 2
Columbus 3, Dallas 0
Nashville 5, Pittsburgh 1
Vancouver at Los Angeles, late
St. Louis at Calgary, late
Sunday's Games
Edmonton at Winnipeg, 2 p.m.
Minnesota at N.Y. Islanders, 5 p.m.
Arizona at N.Y. Rangers, 6 p.m.
Vancouver at Anaheim, 7 p.m.

MIDLAND HUMANE COALITION'S
UPCOMING EVENTS

Oct. 29th Furr Ball Costume Party at Petroleum Club of Midland 6-11
Nov. 11th-13th EAC's 5 Year Anniversary Adoption Event at PetSmart 12-7
Nov. 12th Shot & Microchip Clinic at PetSmart 10-2
Dec. 31st Toasting for Tails New Year's Eve Party at DoubleTree 7-1

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Texas Tech quarterback Patrick Mahomes II hands off to Da'Leon Ward during the first quarter against Oklahoma in an NCAA college football game Saturday in Lubbock.

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

UTPB running back Marquis Simmons (35) drives through a tackle by Oklahoma Panhandle State's Marcus Jones (16) to score a touchdown on Saturday at Grande Communications Stadium.

TECH

From 1C

and Demarcus Felton were MIA.

Production out of the running backs was one of the differences between the Red Raiders and the Sooners.

Joe Mixon, who is OU's main ball carrier because of the hamstring injury to Semaje Perine, helped to take some of the pressure off Mayfield, not only ran the ball tough but did great job at catching the ball, as shown in a one-handed 43-yard TD reception in which he caught the ball and never broke stride to push the OU lead to 44-31.

Mixon had 251 yards rushing, 114 yards receiving and six total touchdowns.

And then of course there was Mayfield, who set his own single-game school-record with seven touchdown passes and threw for more than 500 yards without a pick.

There were some boos when Mayfield took the field but he quickly quieted the rowdy Tech crowd early when he threw two TD passes to give the Sooners a 13-0 lead 3 minutes, 32 seconds into the game.

But Tech responded and only trailed 30-24 at the half in a shootout that went late into Saturday evening.

That's what happens when you have two powerful offenses, led by two talented quarterbacks on the field. Defense is optional when the teams combined for more than 1,650 yards of offense, which also broke and FBS record

Make no mistake, the Red Raiders still have a lot to clean up, such as stupid penalties that hampered drives and negated touchdowns. And of course, there's the defense, but it's not like the OU defense is going to put this game at the top of its season-best performances.

Still, a stop in the second half might have given the Red Raiders a chance to pull off the upset and some major momentum going into next week's game at TCU.

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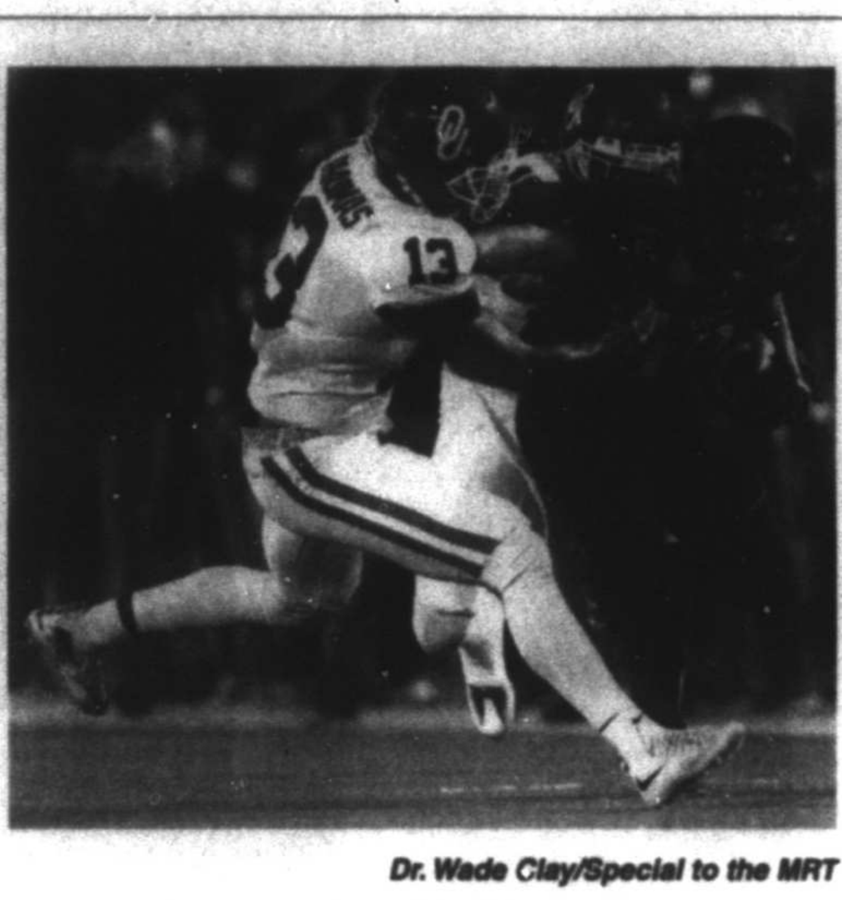
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Texas Tech wide receiver Ian Sadler (12) tries to pull away from two Oklahoma defenders in Saturday night Big XII action.

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a competitive team in the Lone Star Conference. OPSU, their opponent, is heading back down to the NAIA level so this wasn't much of a litmus test.

With an offense that has only one senior and no juniors, there will be room for improvement as the Falcons players mature and get older. But UTPB's answers for future success will also consist of players that are now on high school rosters.

It may take some time for the Falcons to field a competitive team that the Permian Basin can be proud of, but for one night Saturday, they gave the Tall City something to cheer for during a thrilling barnburner.

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OKLAHOMA PANHANDLE STATE 54, UTPB 44

OPSU	21	0	14	19	—54
UTPB	13	7	3	21	—44

First Quarter

OPSU - Shane Truelove 7 run (Sterling Claphan kick), 14:27

OPSU - Rod Moore 6 run (Claphan kick), 11:21

UTPB - Jake Anglin 42 pass from Kameron Mathis (kick failed), 9:48

OPSU - Devyn Williams 22 pass from Truelove (Claphan kick), 7:43

UTPB - Jason McAfee 9 run (Giffen kick), 4:08

Second Quarter

UTPB - Marquis Simmons 5 run (Giffen kick), 2:44

Third Quarter

OPSU - Williams 52 pass from Truelove (Claphan kick), 11:14

UTPB - FG Giffen 35, 6:28

OPSU - Andrew Hernandez 6 pass from Truelove (Claphan kick), 3:04

Fourth Quarter

UTPB - Mitchell Leonard 1 pass from Mathis (Mathis run), 13:37

OPSU - Brandon Trotter 10 pass from Truelove (Claphan kick), 9:44

UTPB - Leonard 45 pass from Mathis (Giffen kick), 9:27

OPSU - Moore 3 run (kick blocked), 7:34

UTPB - Kristian Brown 33 pass from Mathis (kick failed), 4:53

OPSU - Williams 6 run (kick failed), 1:34

	OPSU	UTPB
First downs	33	31
Rushes-yards	36-140	40-201
Comp.-Att.-Int.	40-49-0	27-51-2
Passing yards	610	322
Fumbles-lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-yards	14-122	5-45
Punts-avg.	3-42.3	5-45.8

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING — OPSU, Rod Moore 16-88, Shane Truelove 7-24, Deyvn Williams 2-13, Cedric Agyeman 1-11, Xavier Jones 9-11, Sterling Claphan 1-(-7); UTPB, Jordan Williams 15-78, Marquis Simmons 10-43, Kristian Brown 4-40, Kameron Mathis 4-16, Jason McAfee 2-15, Brandon Infiesto 4-10.

PASSING — OPSU, Truelove 40-49-0-610; UTPB, Mathis 27-49-2-322, Brown 0-2-0-0.

RECEIVING — OPSU, Williams 10-223, Andrew Hernandez 13-154, Rod Moore 4-92, Brandon Trotter 6-72, Xavier Jones 4-39, Dashawn Stephens 1-15, Nate Knitig 1-9, J.B. Frontz 1-6; UTPB, Terrell Davidson 8-85, Kristian Brown 6-81, Mitchell Leonard 5-72, Jake Anglin 5-68, Ben Galaviz 1-13, Marquis Simmons 1-(-3), Williams 1-(-4).

COLLEGE FOOTBALL SCORES

SOUTHWEST

Abilene Christian 52, Incarnate Word 27
Cent. Arkansas 22, Lamar 12
Hendrix 52, Chicago 28
Jackson St. 21, Texas Southern 13
Louisiana-Lafayette 27, Texas St. 3
Mary Hardin-Baylor 20, Hardin-Simmons 15
Rice 65, Prairie View 44
SMU 38, Houston 16
Texas A&M-Kingsville 21, Tarleton St. 17
Trinity (Texas) 38, Austin 17
Tulsa 50, Tulane 27

SOUTH

Alabama 33, Texas A&M 14
Appalachian St. 37, Idaho 19
Ashland 70, Kentucky Wesleyan 14
Auburn 56, Arkansas 3
Benedict 13, Morehouse 10
Bethune-Cookman 21, Norfolk St. 14
Charleston Southern 38, Presbyterian 3
Charlotte 27, Marshall 24
Chattanooga 30, VMI 13
Coastal Carolina 33, CCSU 25
Elizabeth City St. 40, Chowan 21
Emory & Henry 42, Bridgewater (Va.) 33
Fairmont St. 56, Virginia-Wise 3
Fayetteville St. 39, St. Augustine's 16
Ferrum 44, LaGrange 20
Florida A&M 31, Hampton 14
Fort Valley St. 30, Central St. (Ohio) 28
Frostburg St. 17, Christopher Newport 6
Georgia St. 31, UT Martin 6
Grambling St. 59, MVSU 10
Huntingdon 47, Methodist 14
Jacksonville 61, Morehead St. 49
Jacksonville St. 24, E. Kentucky 7
Kennesaw St. 47, Gardner-Webb 39
Kentucky 40, Mississippi St. 38
Kentucky Christian 21, Union (Ky.) 14
Kentucky St. 10, Tuskegee 9
Liberty 52, Monmouth (NJ) 28
Louisiana Tech 44, FIU 24
Louisville 54, NC State 13
Mars Hill 49, Lenoir-Rhyne 0
Maryland 28, Michigan St. 17
Maryville (Tenn.) 31, Averett 26
McDaniel 14, Dickinson 7
McNeese St. 48, Northwestern St. 27
Mercer 41, Austin Peay 34
Miles 26, Lane 14
NC A&T 34, Howard 7
NC Central 21, Morgan St. 17
NC Wesleyan 44, Greensboro 0
Newberry 34, Brevard 7
North Carolina 35, Virginia 14
Pikeville 31, Cumberlands 7
Randolph-Macon 21, Catholic 0
Rhodes 50, Birmingham-Southern 16
Richmond 35, Elon 7
S. Virginia 26, William Paterson 17
SC State 30, Delaware St. 3
SE Louisiana 37, Houston Baptist 3
Salisbury 38, Kean 14
Sam Houston St. 38, Nicholls 21
Samford 30, W. Carolina 17
Shaw 11, Johnson C. Smith 8
Shenandoah 33, Guilford 28
South Carolina 34, UMass 28
Southern U. 49, Ark.-Pine Bluff 17
Stetson 30, Campbell 24
Stevenson 19, Delaware Valley 0
Tennessee Tech 21, SE Missouri 20
The Citadel 24, Wofford 21, OT
Tusculum 34, Limestone 13
Vanderbilt 35, Tennessee St. 17
Virginia Union 42, Bowie St. 35
W. Kentucky 59, Old Dominion 24
Washington & Lee 52, Hampden-Sydney 7
Webber 14, Ave Maria 9
West Florida 36, Shorter 0
West Virginia 34, TCU 10
Wingate 29, Carson-Newman 16
Winston-Salem 40, Livingstone 21

MIDWEST

Akron 35, Ball St. 25
Augustana (SD) 54, Upper Iowa 35
Bluffton 34, Manchester 6
Central 51, Wartburg 29
Cincinnati 31, East Carolina 19
Coe 45, Luther 6
Concordia (Mich.) 34, Taylor 14
Concordia (Neb.) 20, Midland [illegible]
Davenport 14, Quincy 10
Dayton 31, Butler 16
Denison 42, Allegheny 28
Eureka 17, Crown (Minn.) 3
Ferris St. 42, Lake Erie 10
Findlay 27, Tiffin 23
Finlandia 27, Maranatha Baptist 22
Graceland (Iowa) 34, Benedictine (Kan.) 29
Grand Valley St. 35, Hillsdale 17
Grand View 31, Peru St. 21
Hanover 54, Earlham 0
Heidelberg 41, Marietta 28
Indiana St. 22, S. Illinois 14
Jamestown 20, Mayville St. 13
John Carroll 56, Capital 0
Kansas St. 24, Texas 21
Mac Murray 37, Iowa Wesleyan 21
McKendree 40, Missouri State 7
Miami (Ohio) 40, Bowling Green 26
Michigan 41, Illinois 8
Middle Tennessee 51, Missouri 45
Minn. Duluth 54, Bemidji St. 47
Minn. St.-Moorhead 40, Mary 16
Minnesota 34, Rutgers 32
Minot St. 38, Minn.-Crookston 30
Missouri Valley 38, Avila 27
Morningside 70, Briar Cliff 0
Mount St. Joseph 51, Anderson (Ind.) 7
Mount Union 71, Wilmington (Ohio) 7
Murray St. 40, E. Illinois 38
N. Dakota St. 21, W. Illinois 13
N. Illinois 44, Buffalo 7
N. Iowa 61, Missouri St. 7
Nebraska 27, Purdue 14
Northern St. (SD) 29, St. Cloud St. 28
Northwestern 24, Indiana 14
Northwestern (Minn.) 28, Westminster (Mo.) 6
Northwood (Mich.) 17, Michigan Tech 3
Notre Dame Coll. 30, West Liberty 14
Ohio 14, Kent St. 10
Ohio Dominican 38, N. Michigan 28
Ohio Northern 44, Muskingum 3
Ohio Wesleyan 37, DePauw 15
Oklahoma St. 44, Kansas 20
Olivet 54, Benedictine (Ill.) 48, OT
Rose-Hulman 23, Franklin 22
S. Dakota St. 24, Youngstown St. 10
SW Baptist 61, St. Joseph's (Ind.) 37
Simpson (Iowa) 30, Loras 0
Sioux Falls 51, Concordia (St.P.) 17
South Dakota 27, Illinois St. 24
St. Ambrose 40, Missouri Baptist 10
St. Francis (Ind.) 28, Robert Morris-Chicago 21
St. John's (Minn.) 56, Gustavus 10
St. Mary (Kan.) 17, McPherson 7
St. Thomas (Minn.) 71, Hamline 20
St. Xavier 77, Trinity (Ill.) 21
Toledo 31, Cent. Michigan 17
Valley City St. 28, Presentation 7
W. Michigan 45, E. Michigan 31
Wabash 34, Wooster 24
Wayne (Mich.) 42, Saginaw Valley St. 14
William Penn 44, Culver-Stockton 21
Winona St. 41, Wayne (Neb.) 20
Wis.-Eau Claire 20, Wis.-LaCrosse 14
Wis.-Whitewater 24, Wis.-Stevens Pt. 2
Wisconsin 17, Iowa 9
Wittenberg 40, Hiram 0

FAR WEST

Carroll (Mont.) 28, Rocky Mountain 14
Coll. of Idaho 44, S. Oregon 41, OT
Colorado 10, Stanford 5
Colorado St. 42, UNLV 23
E. Washington 41, Montana St. 17
Hawaii 34, Air Force 27, 2OT
Montana Tech 63, Montana St.-Northern 16
N. Arizona 45, Montana 34
N. Colorado 27, Sacramento St. 19
North Dakota 28, Idaho St. 21
San Diego 49, Valparaiso 10
Utah 52, UCLA 45
Washington 41, Oregon St. 17

EAST

Albright 69, Wilkes 13
Alfred 61, Hartwick 12
Assumption 38, New Haven 24
Bentley 27, Stonehill 7
Bridgewater (Mass.) 27, Westfield St. 7
Brockport 21, Cortland St. 19
Brown 28, Cornell 21, 2OT
Bryant 27, Wagner 17
Bucknell 42, Lafayette 17
Carnegie-Mellon 49, Thiel 33
Castleton 32, NY Maritime 31
Colby 27, Hamilton 7
Columbia 9, Dartmouth 7
Curry 42, Maine Maritime 41
Fordham 17, Georgetown 14
Framingham St. 41, Plymouth St. 7
Franklin & Marshall 24, Moravian 17
Harvard 23, Princeton 20, OT
Hobart 12, Springfield 7
Husson 42, Anna Maria 0
Indiana (Pa.) 42, Clarion 17
Ithaca 34, Morrisville St. 0
King's (Pa.) 52, FDU-Florham 13
Kutztown 35, Lock Haven 29
LIU Post 22, American International 7
Lehigh 46, Holy Cross 14
Lycoming 27, Lebanon Valley 24
Maine 28, Rhode Island 21
Marist 31, Davidson 10
Mass.-Dartmouth 33, Mass. Maritime 0
Middlebury 28, Bates 9
Montclair St. 21, College of NJ 7
Mount Ida 23, Becker 19
Muhlenberg 56, Juniata 17
Navy 42, Memphis 28
New Hampshire 21, Towson 7
Nichols 24, Coast Guard 14
North Texas 35, Army 18
Norwich 27, Gallaudet 6
S. Connecticut 35, Merrimack 21
Sacred Heart 16, Robert Morris 10
Salve Regina 35, MIT 22
Seton Hill 55, Mercyhurst 45
Shepherd 21, Concord 7
St. Anselm 42, Pace 7
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Union (NY) 31, Rochester 15
Urbana 35, Charleston (WV) 34
Ursinus 31, Susquehanna 24
Utica 26, Buffalo St. 13
Villanova 24, Albany (NY) 13
W. New England 20, Endicott 7
WPI 19, RPI 7
Wesley 24, Rowan 17
Wesleyan (Conn.) 20, Amherst 0
Westminster (Pa.) 16, Washington & Jefferson 10
Widener 51, Misericordia 9

TOP25ROUNDUP

FROM STAFF REPORTS

NO. 7 LOUISVILLE 54, NORTH CAROLINA STATE 13

LOUISVILLE, Ky. — Lamar Jackson broke a school single-season record with four first-half touchdowns, Louisville had three interceptions and the seventh-ranked Cardinals burst past North Carolina State 54-13 on Saturday.

Jackson passed for three touchdowns and ran for a 36-yard score on the opening drive, giving him 34 TDs with five games to play.

Jeremy Smith ran for a pair of 1-yard TDs for Louisville (6-1, 4-1 Atlantic Coast Conference).Blanton Creque had four field goals and six conversions to set a single-game school scoring record for a kicker with 18 points.

Whatever hope North Carolina State (4-3, 1-2 ACC) had of slowing the Cardinals and Jackson was quashed after kickoff.

Louisville outgained the Wolfpack 553-250.

NO. 10 WISCONSIN 17, IOWA 9

IOWA CITY, Iowa — Corey Clement ran for 134 yards and a touchdown and 10th-ranked Wisconsin used a stout defense to beat Iowa and snap a two-game skid.

Alex Hornibrook had 197 yards passing for the Badgers (5-2, 2-2 Big Ten), who won for the fourth straight time in Iowa City.

Backup Bart Houston threw a touchdown pass for Wisconsin, and Clement's 1-yard TD run put the Badgers ahead 14-6 midway through the third quarter.

The Badgers allowed just 236 yards on 60 plays and held the Hawkeyes (5-3, 3-2) without a touchdown for the first time all season.

C.J. Beathard had 153 yards passing for Iowa, which lost its third straight at home.

NO. 19 UTAH 52, UCLA 45

PASADENA, Calif. — Joe Williams rushed for a school-record 332 yards and four touchdowns in his second game back from retirement, and No. 19 Utah held off pass-happy UCLA 52-45 on Saturday.

Cory Butler-Byrd returned the opening kickoff for a 99-yard touchdown on a day of stunning superlatives for the Utes (7-1, 4-1 Pac-12) in their second straight win at the Rose Bowl.

Williams, who quit football last month before returning last week, broke off TD runs of 3, 43, 64 and 55 yards in the most prolific rushing performance ever by a UCLA opponent.

Mike Fafaul also set UCLA records for pass attempts (70) and completions (40) while throwing for 464 yards, third most in school history. The former walk-on had five touchdown passes and four interceptions for the Bruins (3-5, 1-4). They have lost four of their last five games.

Williams ended his retirement after injuries decimated Utah's backfield depth. The senior has 511 yards rushing in two games since, including the biggest ground game in school history against UCLA's previously above-average defense. Williams broke Mike Anderson's Utah single-game record shortly before shredding Edgerrin James' record for a Bruins opponent on his fourth scoring run with 10:28 to play.

UCLA's Austin Roberts caught a TD pass with 4:38 left to trim Utah's lead to seven points. The Bruins got the ball back with 40 seconds left, but couldn't move.

NO. 3 MICHIGAN 41, ILLINOIS 8

ANN ARBOR, Mich. — Wilton Speight threw for 253 yards and two touchdowns in three quarters before watching Michigan finish off Illinois.

The Wolverines (7-0, 4-0 Big Ten) were leading 34-0 in the fourth quarter when Jim Harbaugh put backup quarterback John O'Korn in the game and rested Speight.

The Fighting Illini (2-5, 1-3) were relegated to starting their third-string quarterback with a familiar name. Jeff George Jr., son of the former Illinois and NFL quarterback, was 4 of 15 for 95 yards with a TD, an interception and a fumble in his first start. The redshirt freshman played because Wes Lunt and Chayce Crouch are injured.

Speight, who completed 16 of 23 passes, threw a 3-yard TD pass to Jake Butt and a 21-yard pass to Tyrone Wheatley Jr. for a score in the first quarter. Khalid Hill's ninth touchdown and De'Veon Smith's 4-yard run gave the Wolverines a 28-0 lead after their first four possessions.

NO. 8 NEBRASKA 27, PURDUE 14

LINCOLN, Neb. — Tommy Armstrong Jr. accounted for 303 yards of offense and two touchdowns, and Nebraska came back from a four-point halftime deficit to beat Purdue.

The Cornhuskers (7-0, 4-0 Big Ten) probably didn't convince the skeptics who say they aren't worthy of a Top 10 ranking, but they'll head to No. 10 Wisconsin next week with their best record since 2001.

Armstrong was 17 for 31 for 252 yards and ran 10 times for 51 yards.

Purdue (3-4, 1-3) managed only 94 yards in the second half in interim coach Gerad Parker's first game since taking over for the fired Darrell Hazell.

The Huskers lost 55-45 at Purdue last year, and Memorial Stadium was in a stunned silence as the Boilermakers pulled out to a 14-10 lead on David Blough's two touchdown passes to DeAngelo Yancey, the second one an 88-yard catch-and-run. But the Huskers scored on three straight possessions after going three-and-out on their first series of the second half.

NO. 20 WESTERN MICHIGAN 45, EASTERN MICHIGAN 31

KALAMAZOO, Mich. — Zach Terrell threw for 398 yards and three touchdowns and Western Michigan had 569 yards of total offense.

Carrington Thompson had eight catches for 177 yards and two touchdowns, and Jarvion Franklin ran for 114 yards and a touchdown for the Broncos (8-0, 4-0 Mid-American). The game was the first at home as a nationally ranked team in school history.

Brogan Roback threw for 334 yards and a touchdown and ran for a score for Eastern Michigan (5-3, 2-2).

NO. 22 NORTH CAROLINA 35, VIRGINIA 14

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. — Mitch Trubisky threw three touchdown passes and North Carolina limited Virginia to one trick-play touchdown until the fourth quarter.

Trubisky hit Bug Howard for 40 yards on a trick play, Thomas Jackson for 10 yards and Austin Proehl for 46 yards for touchdowns for the Tar Heels (6-2, 4-1 Atlantic Coast Conference). North Carolina won its seventh straight in the series and ninth true road game in a row.

The Cavaliers (2-5, 1-2) got their first touchdown when they lined up for a field goal, had the entire line split out far to the left. Evan Butts snapped it 30 yards to his left to Matt Johns, the holder now acting as the quarterback, and he hit Butts for an 11-yard touchdown strike.

North Carolina's Elijah Hood ran for 107 yards and a touchdown.

NO. 24 NAVY 42, MEMPHIS 28

ANNAPOLIS, Md. — Will Worth rushed for a career-high 201 yards and three touchdowns, and Navy ran over Memphis for its 14th consecutive home victory.

Worth also completed three of four passes for 85 yards and two scores. The last Navy player to rush for 200 yards was Keenan Reynolds in 2014.

The Midshipmen (5-1, 4-0 American Athletic Conference) gained a season-high 447 yards on the ground, averaging 6 yards per carry.

The victory put Navy in sole possession of first place in the AAC West and served as a suitable encore for its 46-40 upset of defending league champion Houston two weeks ago.

Tony Pollard returned a kickoff 100 yards and Riley Ferguson completed 25 of 40 passes for 333 yards and two touchdowns for Memphis (5-2, 2-1).

NO. 21 AUBURN 56, NO. 17 ARKANSAS 3

AUBURN, Ala. — Eli Stove broke free for a 78-yard touchdown run on Auburn's first play, giving the Tigers momentum they never lost in a surprisingly dominant victory.

Auburn held out starting running back Kerryon Johnson and still ran for 543 yards, a school record for a Southeastern Conference regular-season game. With former Auburn star Bo Jackson watching, Kamryn Pettway had 192 yards rushing with two touchdowns. Johnson ran well in pregame warmups but did not play after hurting his right ankle against Mississippi State on Oct. 8.

Auburn (5-2, 3-1) has won four straight.

The Tigers held Arkansas (5-3, 1-3) to 215 total yards. Rawleigh Williams ran for only 22 yards one week after he set a career high with 180 yards in a 34-30 win over Mississippi.

SMU 38, NO. 11 HOUSTON 16

DALLAS — Ben Hicks threw three touchdown passes and ran for another score and SMU stunned No. 11 Houston 38-16 on Saturday night for its biggest victory since the pre-death penalty Pony Express era in the early 1980s.

The Cougars (6-2, 3-2 American) lost for the second time after a 5-0 start that included a season-opening win over then-No. 3 Oklahoma that vaulted Houston into the Top 10.

The last time the Mustangs (3-4, 1-2) beat a team ranked 11th or higher, they were No. 4 and finishing off a near-perfect 1982 season (11-0-1) with a 7-3 victory over sixth-ranked Pittsburgh in the Cotton Bowl. SMU tied No. 7 Texas A&M in 1994.

Greg Ward Jr. couldn't shake a persistent SMU pass rush or find receivers for big plays, finishing with 241 yards passing — almost 100 below his average — and just 3 yards rushing on 17 carries thanks to seven sacks. One of the sacks was for an 18-yard loss to the Houston 22 when coach Tom Herman went for it on fourth down trailing 28-14 early in the fourth quarter.

Herman got conservative moments later, choosing a 19-yard field goal attempt on fourth down from the SMU 2. Ty Cummings hit the right upright for his second miss.

Hicks was 16 of 31 for 228 yards.

NO. 5 WASHINGTON 41, OREGON STATE 17

SEATTLE — Jake Browning threw three touchdowns passes to give him 26 for the season, added another rushing TD, and Washington used a big first half to roll past Oregon State.

The Huskies (7-0, 4-0 Pac-12) won their 10th straight, a streak that started with a victory at Oregon State last season. It is Washington's longest win streak since winning 12 straight in 2000-01.

Browning was 14 of 28 for 291 yards. He threw touchdown passes of 19 yards to Aaron Fuller and 23 yards to Dante Pettis in the first quarter, and a 41-yarder to Pettis in the third quarter.

John Ross had 115 yards receiving, and Pettis added 112 — both with four catches. Myles Gaskin had 128 yards on 18 carries against the undermanned Beavers (2-5, 1-3).

Cubs beat Dodgers 5-0 to reach 1st World Series since 1945

By Andrew Seligman
Associated Press

CHICAGO — Cursed by a Billy Goat, bedeviled by Bartman and crushed by decades of disappointment, the Chicago Cubs are at long last headed back to the World Series.

Kyle Hendricks outpitched Clayton Kershaw, Anthony Rizzo and Willson Contreras homered early and the Cubs won their first pennant since 1945, beating the Los Angeles Dodgers 5-0 Saturday night in Game 6 of the NL Championship Series.

The drought ended when closer Aroldis Chapman got Yasiel Puig to ground into a double play, setting off a wild celebration at Wrigley Field.

David J. Phillip/Associated Press

Chicago Cubs players celebrate after Game 6 of the National League baseball championship series against the Los Angeles Dodgers on Saturday in Chicago. The Cubs won 5-0 to win the series and advance to the World Series against the Cleveland Indians.

Seeking their first title since 1908, the Cubs open the World Series at Cleveland on Tuesday night. The Indians haven't won since 1948.

"This city deserves it so much," Rizzo said. "We got four more big ones to go, but we're going to enjoy this. We're going to the World Series. I can't even believe that."

Manager Joe Maddon's team, deemed World Series favorites since spring training, topped the majors with 103 wins, then beat the Giants and Dodgers in the playoffs.

The Cubs took their 17th pennant. They had not earned a World Series trip since winning a doubleheader opener 4-3 at Pittsburgh on Sept. 29, 1945, to clinch the pennant on the next-to-last day of the season.

The eternal "wait till next year" is over. No more dwelling on a past history of failure — the future is now.

"We're too young. We don't care about it," star slugger Kris Bryant said. "We don't look into it. This is a new team. This is a completely different time of our lives. We're enjoying it and our work's just getting started."

Hendricks pitched two-hit ball for 7 1/3 innings. Chapman got the final five outs, then threw both arms in the air and got mobbed by teammates and coaches.

POSTSEASON GLANCE

2016 Postseason Baseball Glance

LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES

(Best-of-7; x-if necessary)

American League

Cleveland 4, Toronto 1

Friday, Oct. 14: Cleveland 2, Toronto 0

Saturday, Oct. 15: Cleveland 8, Toronto 1

Monday, Oct. 17: Cleveland 4, Toronto 2

Tuesday, Oct. 18: Toronto 5, Cleveland 1

Wednesday, Oct. 19: Cleveland 3, Toronto 0

National League

Chicago 4, Los Angeles 2

Saturday, Oct. 15: Chicago 8, Los Angeles 4

Sunday, Oct. 16: Los Angeles 1, Chicago 0

Tuesday, Oct. 18: Los Angeles 4, Chicago 0

Wednesday, Oct. 19: Chicago 10, at Los Angeles 2

Thursday, Oct. 20: Chicago 8, Los Angeles 4

Saturday, Oct. 22: Chicago 5, Los Angeles 0

WORLD SERIES

(Best-of-7; x-if necessary)

All games televised by Fox

Chicago vs. Cleveland

Tuesday, Oct. 25: Chicago at Cleveland, 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, Oct. 26: Chicago at Cleveland, 7:00 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 28: Cleveland at Chicago, 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 29: Cleveland at Chicago, 7:08 p.m.

x-Sunday, Oct. 30: Cleveland at Chicago, 7:15 p.m.

x-Tuesday, Nov. 1: Chicago at Cleveland, 7:00 p.m.

x-Wednesday, Nov. 2: Chicago at Cleveland, 7:08 p.m.

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Red Ribbon Week History

Since 1985, the Red Ribbon has been a symbol of commitment to raise awareness of the death and destruction drugs cause in America.

Celebrated each year October 23-31, the Red Ribbon campaign serves as a way to educate American youth in drug prevention activities. The campaign was organized by The National Family Partnership (NFP)

The origins of the Red Ribbon are not without tragedy. In 1985, U.S. Drug Enforcement Agency agent Kiki Camarena was close to unlocking a multibillion-dollar marijuana and cocaine pipeline in Mexico. Camarena was kidnapped and murdered by the very drug traffickers he was so close to shutting down.

This event had such great impact that Americans began to wear red ribbons in honor of the fallen DEA agent and the stand against drugs and the violence they cause.

RED RIBBON WEEK ACHIEVEMENTS

The NFP estimates that more than 80 million people have participated in Red Ribbon events. It is a way for communities to take a unified stand against drugs and violence.

In 1988, the first National Red Ribbon Week occurred with President and Mrs. Reagan serving as honorary chairpersons.

HOW YOU CAN GET INVOLVED

There are numerous ways you can become involved in Red Ribbon Week. Here are a few examples from the DEA on how to excite and engage your community:

- Display red ribbons inside and outside local businesses;
- Invite your local officials to participate in activities that promote Red Ribbon Week;
- Post fact sheets about the dangers of drugs in highly visible places such as churches, gyms or grocery stores; and
- Organize a fair that promotes drug awareness.

No matter how you choose to become involved in Red Ribbon Week, your effort can make a big difference in educating youth on the dangers of drug abuse.

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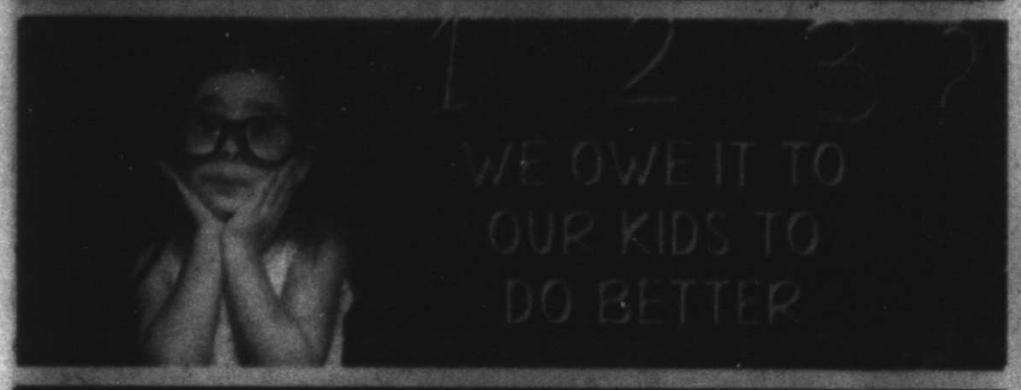

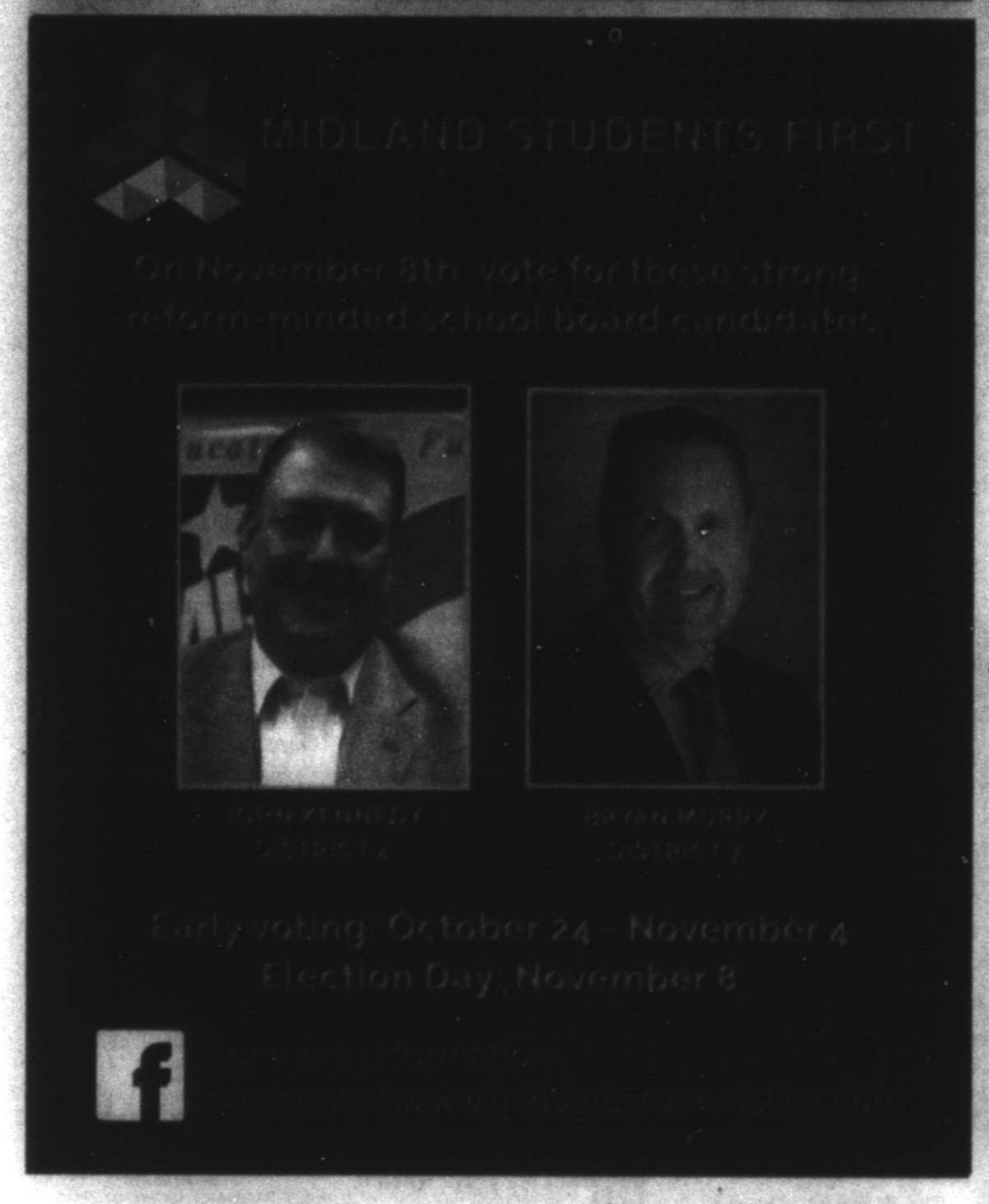

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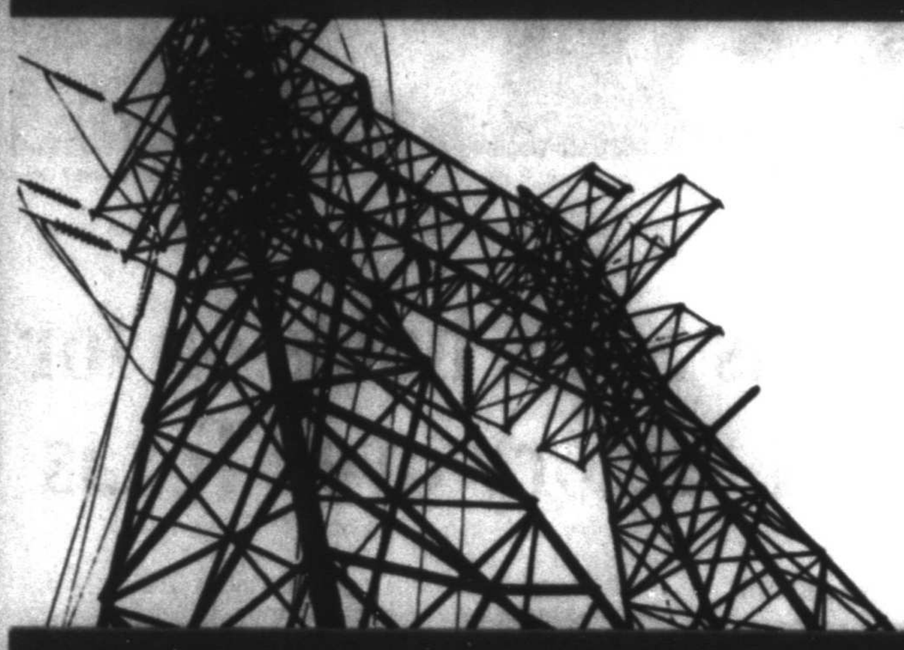

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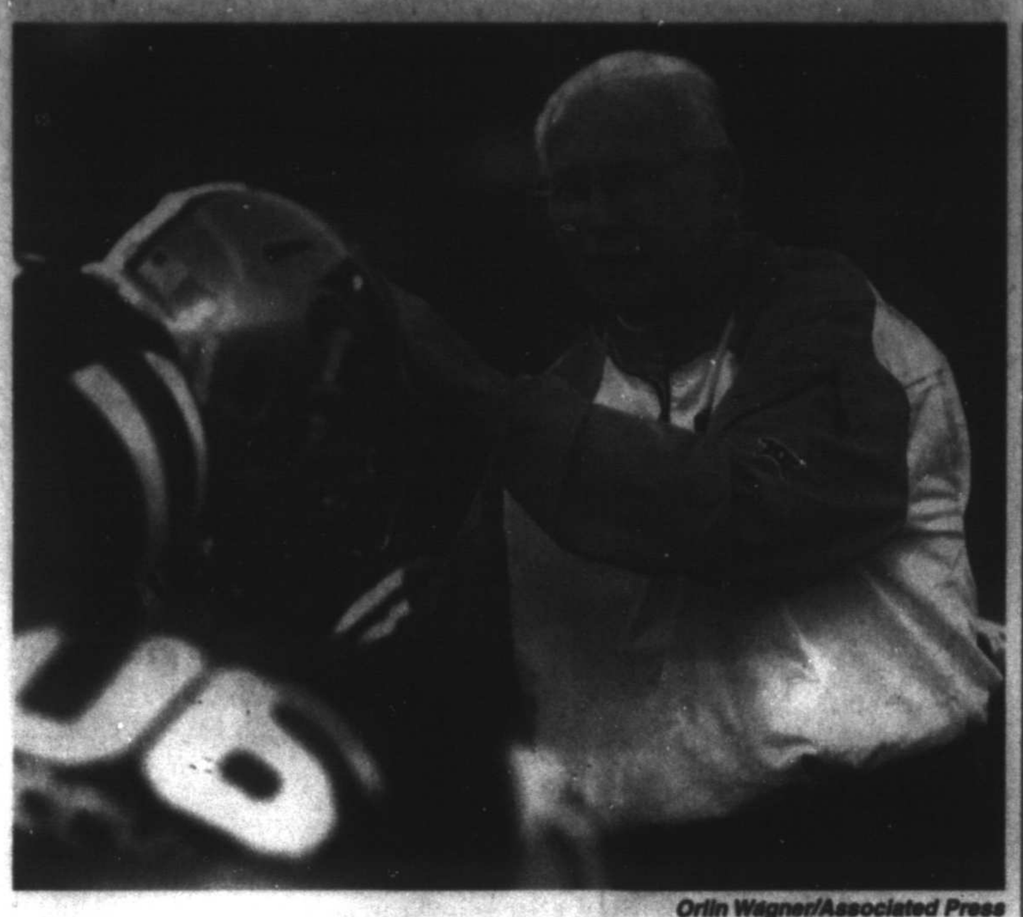

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Kansas State head coach Bill Snyder greets players before an NCAA college football game against Texas Tech on Saturday in Manhattan, Kan.

Kansas State holds on for 24-21 victory over Texas

By Dave Skretta
Associated Press

MANHATTAN, Kan. — The only thing consistent about Kansas State this season has been Bill Snyder's postgame message.

One that laments the Wildcats' inconsistency.

Their yin-and-yang was on display once more on Saturday in a 24-21 victory over Texas. Kansas State was dominant on both sides of the ball in the first half, then committed a series of mistakes in the second half that provided the Longhorns an opportunity to make it a game.

"We played fine in the first half," Snyder said grimly, "and laid eggs in the second half."

Indeed, the Wildcats (4-3, 2-2 Big 12) raced to a 21-7 lead at the break, and added a field goal in the third quarter to take control. But three turnovers, including one by Charles Jones at the goal line, allowed the Longhorns (3-4, 1-3) to get within 24-14 later in the quarter.

The Longhorns couldn't overcome their own multitude of mistakes, though. Among them was a badly missed 35-yard field-goal attempt with just over four minutes remaining that would have made it 24-17.

The Longhorns eventually got the ball back, but then squandered precious time with running plays before Shane Buechele hit Dorian Leonard from 6 yards out with 46 seconds left. Then they knocked the ensuing onside kick out of bounds, preventing them from having a chance to kick a tying field goal.

"It's tough when you lose a game and we had the opportunity to go win it," said Texas coach Charlie Strong, whose hot seat only got hotter with his third loss in four games. "We needed big stops in the first half and we didn't make them. We were able to bounce back there in the second half — it's just that we've got to learn from it, got to move on. ... We've just got to get ourselves back together."

Jesse Ertz led the Wildcats with 171 yards passing and a touchdown and 78 yards rushing and two more scores. He also teamed with running backs Charles Jones, Justin Silmon and Alex Barnes to pile up 240 yards on the ground against a Texas defense that began loading up the box to stop them.

The result was the Wildcats' fifth straight home win over Texas.

"I was kind of upset after last week," Kansas State linebacker Elijah Lee said of a lopsided loss to Oklahoma. "That's something you have to carry with you: The season isn't over. You have to take it game by game."

Buechele finished with 222 yards and two scores passing, but a big chunk of that came on an 80-yard pass to Devin Duvernay in the second quarter. Otherwise, Buechele was sacked twice and corralled most of the day.

D'Onta Foreman, the nation's second-leading rusher, carried 24 times for 124 yards. But he was repeatedly stuffed in key situations, a big reason why Texas was 3 of 11 on third down and 0 for 2 on fourth.

"Beats the tar out of a loss," Snyder said in summary, "but it's not so much the win as how. If we play and prepare well start to finish, we'd be better. That's why I'm not jumping up and down right now."

The takeaway: Texas — After eclipsing 500 yards total offense for the fourth time this season a week ago against Iowa State, the Longhorns struggled to move the ball. They managed a season-low 344 yards on Saturday.

Kansas State — The fumble by Jones at the goal line summed up the Wildcats' inconsistency issues. The senior running back otherwise had a solid day but, as Snyder pointed out, "We're all taught when we're 5 years old to put two hands on the football."

Penalty problems: Texas was penalized 10 times for 72 yards, drawing four flags on the Wildcats' scoring march to open the game. Kansas State countered with eight penalties for 75 yards. It made for a busy game for an officiating crew that also spent a whole lot of time reviewing plays.

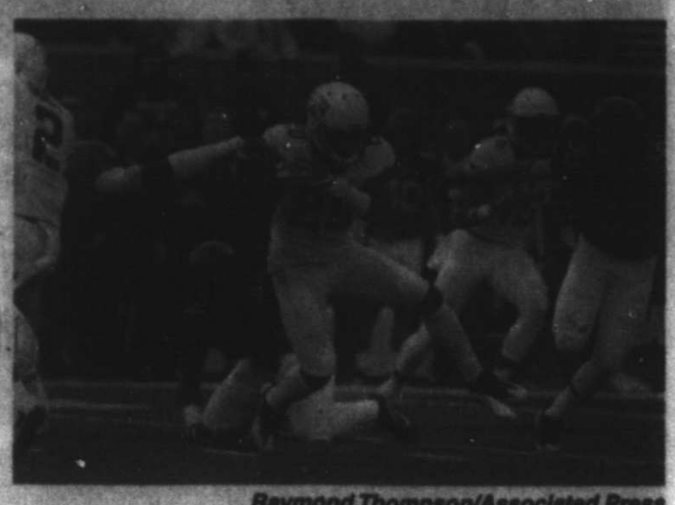
Seeing red: The Wildcats had scored on 56 straight trips inside the red zone before Jones fumbled in the third quarter. The last time they failed to score was Oct. 17, 2015, in a shutout loss to the Sooners.

Up next: Texas — Ninth-ranked Baylor visits Austin on Saturday.

Kansas State: A trip to Iowa State awaits Saturday.

No. 12 West Virginia tops TCU, improves defense

By John Raby
Associated Press



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West Virginia safety Marvin Gross (18) strips the ball from TCU wide receiver Deante Gray (20) during the kickoff in the first half of an NCAA college game Saturday in Morgantown, W.Va.

MORGANTOWN, W.Va. — Skyler Howard threw four touchdown passes and No. 12 West Virginia's improving defense held TCU scoreless in the second half of a 34-10 win Saturday.

And there's this, too: West Virginia (6-0, 3-0 Big 12) is off to its best start since winning its first seven games in 2006.

"I thought it was our most complete game," said West Virginia coach Dana Holgorsen. "It feels good to be 6-0. It's hard to win. So when you do, you've got to enjoy it a little bit."

Howard had first-half TD tosses of 10, 22 and 11 yards to three different receivers to stake West Virginia to a 21-10 halftime lead. Howard finished 16 of 23 passing for 231 yards.

West Virginia used scoring drives of 11 and 15 plays in the third quarter to eat up most of the clock.

TCU (4-3, 2-2) had only five second-half possessions. Three ended in punts, Deante' Gray fumbled away a kickoff and the final possession ended on downs.

The Mountaineers scored touchdowns in the game's first six minutes after two TCU turnovers — another fumbled kickoff by Gray and Rasul Douglas' interception of Kenny Hill.

The takeaway

TCU: With a bye week to fix an offense that was lethargic in a close win at Kansas , not much worked for the Horned Frogs against West Virginia. Hill completed 18 of 31 passes for a season-low 148 yards. TCU's 300 total yards also were a season worst.

West Virginia: The Mountaineers' defense, which has nine new starters this season, is fast becoming the staple of this team. In successive weeks the Mountaineers have held high-scoring Texas Tech and TCU to their lowest point totals of the season.

"The bottom line is you're not going to win any ball games if you turn the ball over," said TCU coach Gary Patterson. "And if you can't move the ball, you don't score."

Poll implications

West Virginia could be poised to edge closer to its first Top 10 appearance since October 2012 when the AP poll comes out Sunday.

Shell game

With Justin Crawford limited to one carry after sustaining a sprained ankle last week, Rushel Shell got the bulk of the work for West Virginia, finishing with 117 yards on 24 carries. It was his second-straight 100-yard effort after he had 70 yards combined in the two games before that.

Up next

TCU hosts Texas Tech next Saturday.

West Virginia plays at Oklahoma State.

A&M

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The takeaway

Texas A&M: The Aggies led deeper into the game than any other 'Bama opponent, the 6:33 mark of the third quarter. Knight made some plays with his running but was also given little time to hit receivers downfield by Allen & Co. Knight threw a pick on the first play after the defense intercepted Hurts in Alabama territory. The SEC's top running team was held to 114 yards.

Alabama: Dominated the stat sheet (303 yards to 150) in the first half but settled for two short field goals and Adam Griffith missed a third. It was enough to keep it in doubt. The defense gave up back-to-back long TD drives late in the second quarter and to open the third, but delivered big plays when it had to.

Poll implications

Alabama was already a near-unanimous No. 1 , but this could cause the lone holdout voter to reconsider. Texas A&M shouldn't veer too far out of the Top 10 despite the lopsided final score.

Up next

Alabama: has an open date before visiting No. 25 LSU

Texas A&M: gets a break from SEC games against New Mexico State.

NO. 1 ALABAMA 33, NO. 6 TEXAS A&M 14

Texas A&M	0	7	7	0—14
Alabama	6	7	13	7—33

First Quarter
BAMA_FG Griffith 32, 11:57
BAMA_FG Griffith 25, 4:43

Second Quarter
BAMA_Howard 5 pass from Hurts (Griffith kick), 12:58
TXAM_J.Reynolds 9 pass from Knight (LaCamera kick), :39

Third Quarter
TXAM_Kirk 25 pass from Knight (LaCamera kick), 12:54
BAMA_Ridley 4 pass from Hurts (Griffith kick), 8:33
BAMA_Allen 30 fumble return (pass failed), :21

Fourth Quarter
BAMA_Hurts 37 run (Griffith kick), 12:27

	TXAM	BAMA
First downs	17	28
Rushes-yards	36-114	57-357
Passing	164	165
Comp-Att-Int	14-31-1	15-25-2
Return Yards	99	67
Punts-Avg.	6-39.0	5-52.5
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	9-81	7-44
Time of Possession	24:10	35:50

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING_Texas A&M, Foreman 15-62, Knight 13-24, T.Williams 9-23, Bussey 1-5. Alabama, D.Harris 18-125, Hurts 21-92, Jacobs 10-35, Scarborough 8-34, A.Stewart 0-0.
PASSING_Texas A&M, Knight 14-31-1-164. Alabama, Hurts 15-25-2-165.
RECEIVING_Texas A&M, Kirk 8-58, J.Reynolds 2-27, Tabuyo 1-53, Seals-Jones 1-25, Ford 1-21. Alabama, Howard 9-70, Ridley 4-27, A.Stewart 2-57, Jacobs 1-11.
MISSED FIELD GOALS_Alabama, Griffith 29.

Eagles await unbeaten Vikings, familiar face in Sam Bradford

By Barry Wilner
Associated Press

When the Eagles were 3-0, the schedule called for a bye. They haven't won since.

Into Philadelphia on Sunday come the Minnesota Vikings, the NFL's only unbeaten team. They are coming off a bye.

"I think it's 0-0 now, and we start a new season," says Mike Zimmer , coach of the 5-0 Vikings. "You just forget about what has happened in the past, and we start moving on. So, now it's, for us, I think it's an 11-game season, and we'll see where we're at then."

Where they are at now is the Linc, and the Eagles have looked weak in dropping to 3-2. They were particularly unsightly last week at Washington.

But they are 2-0 at home. Among their biggest challenges is slowing down a guy named Sam Bradford, who until just before the regular season was their starting quarterback. Then he was dealt to Minnesota, where he has been superb.

"I think it's been a win-win, honestly," Eagles coach Doug Pederson says. "In our case, our first-round (and) second overall pick (Carson Wentz) getting a chance to play this early; getting his feet wet, learning, putting us in a great spot. ... He's played a lot of football. He's getting better every week.

"And from their standpoint, they got a good quarterback. He went to a playoff-caliber football team with a tremendous defense."

The action began Thursday night with Aaron Rodgers throwing for 326 yards and three touchdowns in Green Bay's 26-10 home victory over Chicago.

Rodgers was 39 of 56, setting a franchise record for completions in a game. The Packers are 4-2.

The Bears (1-6) lost quarterback Brian Hoyer to a broken left arm in the second quarter. With Jay Cutler already out with a right thumb injury, Chicago turned to third-stringer Matt Barkley.

Off this week are Dallas (5-1) and Carolina (1-5).

Seattle (4-1) at Arizona (3-3)

A Seahawks victory gives them solid control of the NFC West. Their offense has been hit or miss with a revamped offensive line and trying to find a running game — where are you, Beast Mode? The defense has been primed, ranking first overall.

The Cardinals have lost all three home games against Seattle under Bruce Arians, outscored 105-34.

New England (5-1) at Pittsburgh (4-2)

Boy, did this matchup have some spice. Then Ben Roethlisberger damaged his knee, and suddenly this takes on the look of another Patriots romp — particularly if the Steel Curtain that was ripped apart by Miami doesn't mend itself quickly.

Houston (4-2) at Denver (4-2), Monday night

Brock Osweiler took the money and passed, heading from the Broncos to the Texans for $72 million. He returns to the Mile High City, where he shouldn't expect a kind reception from the fans.

Nor from the Broncos, who are in a nasty mood after dropping two straight. They still have a defense that can be dominant, and the Texans have been among the most inconsistent teams in the league, despite their record.

With J.J. Watt gone for the season, Houston is getting solid work from 2014 top overall pick DE Jadeveon Clowney, who's tied for the NFL lead with eight tackles for loss.

NFL GLANCE

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
New England	5	1	0	.833	149	91
Buffalo	4	2	0	.667	162	103
Miami	2	4	0	.333	116	134
N.Y. Jets	1	5	0	.167	96	164
South						
Houston	4	2	0	.667	108	127
Tennessee	3	3	0	.500	120	127
Jacksonville	2	3	0	.400	101	127
Indianapolis	2	4	0	.333	160	174
North						
Pittsburgh	4	2	0	.667	154	123
Baltimore	3	3	0	.500	117	115
Cincinnati	2	4	0	.333	109	145
Cleveland	0	6	0	.000	113	176
West						
Oakland	4	2	0	.667	152	163
Denver	4	2	0	.667	140	108
Kansas City	3	2	0	.600	109	102
San Diego	2	4	0	.333	173	155

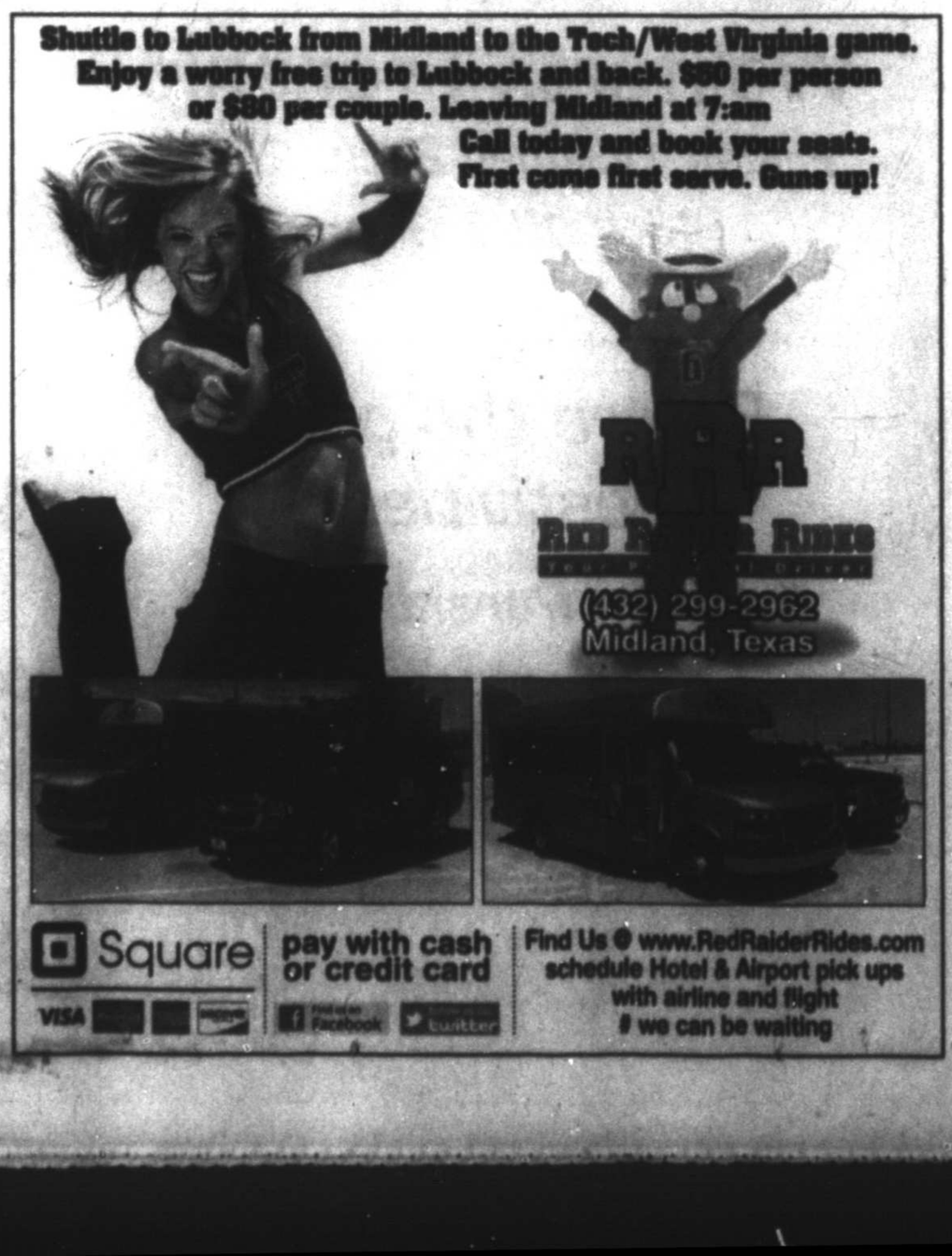
NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Dallas	5	1	0	.833	159	107
Washington	4	2	0	.667	142	142
Philadelphia	3	2	0	.600	135	78
N.Y. Giants	3	3	0	.500	116	131
South						
Atlanta	4	2	0	.667	199	166
Tampa Bay	2	3	0	.400	94	142
New Orleans	2	3	0	.400	155	166
Carolina	1	5	0	.167	161	176
North						
Minnesota	5	0	0	1.000	119	63
Green Bay	4	2	0	.667	140	123
Detroit	3	3	0	.500	150	153
Chicago	1	6	0	.143	111	169
West						
Seattle	4	1	0	.800	105	78
Los Angeles	3	3	0	.500	110	137
Arizona	3	3	0	.500	153	104
San Francisco	1	5	0	.167	127	185

Thursday's Score
Green Bay 26, Chicago 10

Sunday's Games
N.Y. Giants at Los Angeles, 8:30 a.m.
Minnesota at Philadelphia, 12 p.m.
New Orleans at Kansas City, 12 p.m.
Oakland at Jacksonville, 12 p.m.
Baltimore at N.Y. Jets, 12 p.m.
Washington at Detroit, 12 p.m.
Indianapolis at Tennessee, 12 p.m.
Buffalo at Miami, 12 p.m.
Cleveland at Cincinnati, 12 p.m.
Tampa Bay at San Francisco, 3:05 p.m.
San Diego at Atlanta, 3:05 p.m.
New England at Pittsburgh, 3:25 p.m.
Seattle at Arizona, 7:30 p.m.
Open: Dallas, Carolina

Monday's Games
Houston at Denver, 7:30 p.m.



Truex wins pole after bolt confiscation at Talladega

By Jenna Fryer
Associated Press

TALLADEGA, Ala. — Martin Truex Jr. showed up at Talladega Superspeedway determined to be at the front of the field and in control of his chances in NASCAR's playoffs.

A pole-winning run Saturday put him at the top of the field for the critical elimination race.

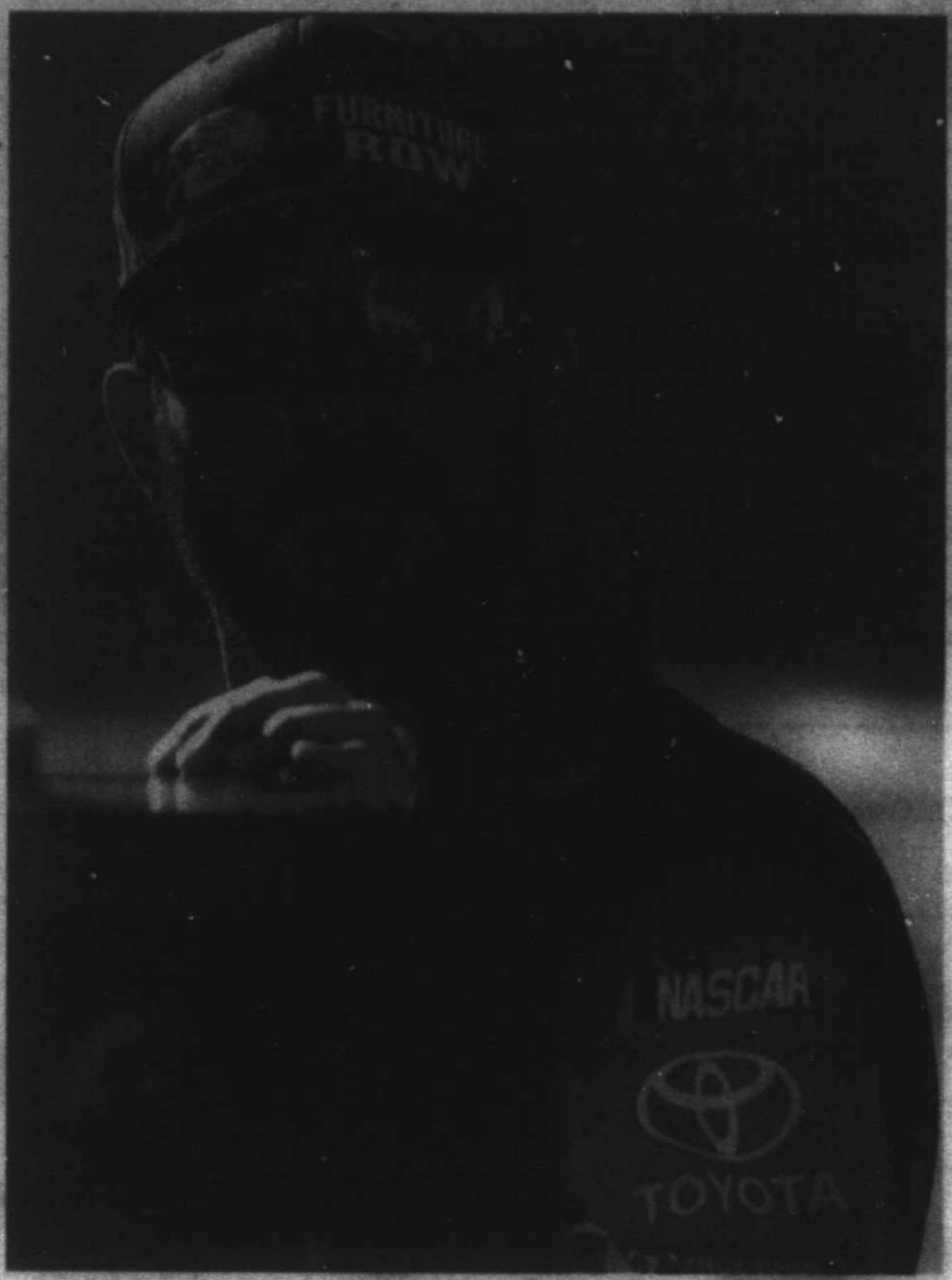
Truex turned a lap of 193.423 mph to earn the top starting spot Sunday. The run came after NASCAR confiscated a bolt from his Toyota, but Truex said he was not worried about ramifications to his Furniture Row Racing team.

"The jack bolt issue is really not a big issue," Truex said. "They just took the left front, so it's not a big issue. It was a parts manufacturing issue, no big deal at all."

Winner of two races in the first round of the Chase, Truex is winless in round two but above the cutoff point. Four drivers will be cut from the field on Sunday.

"All we have to do is make it through to the next one," he said. "We've got some good tracks coming up for us and (Sunday) is going to be a tough race. A lot is going to happen, but we just have to hope for the best and do the best job we can do.

"I feel good about my car and it's got a lot of speed in it, obviously."



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Martin Truex Jr. stands on pit road before qualifying for Sunday's NASCAR Sprint Cup auto race at Talladega Superspeedway on Saturday in Talladega, Ala.

The inspection issue with Truex provided a little early drama on qualifying day, as there was some speculation the team could face a penalty. NASCAR typically issues penalties in the middle of the week, and a point deduction could in theory knock Truex out of the Chase.

However, NASCAR vice president of competition Scott Miller said a points penalty is unlikely, and that Truex had no competitive advantage. The bolt taken could have been considered a safety issue, though.

"I would say it would be unlikely but it has to go through our process," he said. "We don't typically do that on a weekend. Because it is the playoffs, everyone has a heightened sense of everything. This is no different than things we have done all year, and we will treat this one like we do all year long."

Miller was unsure if NASCAR would accelerate its review process to determine if a penalty will be issued before the race.

"We don't have any precedent for doing that," Miller said. "We will be circling up and trying to figure out the best way to proceed from this moment forward until (Sunday's) race."

Brad Keselowski, in nearly a must-win situation on Sunday, qualified second. He won the knockout race in 2014 to stave off elimination, and said his best starting position at Talladega bodes well for him.

"I feel like qualifying well is certainly a very strong omen for Talladega and Daytona," he said. "I think all of the races I've won here, we've had good starts and the races that we haven't won or been super-competitive we usually don't have any speed in qualifying, so it's certainly a confidence-builder.

"It's not a guarantee by any means, but a confidence-builder that you carry into this weekend and carry into (the) race."

Keselowski won at Talladega in May and at Daytona in July.

Matt Kenseth qualified third and was followed by Chase Elliott, who is also in a must-win situation on Sunday.

Greg Biffle and Ricky Stenhouse Jr. were fifth and sixth and Roush-Fenway Racing put three of its cars into the final round of qualifying as Trevor Bayne was 11th.

Rounding out the top 12 were Kurt Busch, Denny Hamlin, Austin Dillon, Paul Menard and Reed Sorenson was 12th. It was a huge drop-off for Sorenson, who was the fastest car in the first round of qualifying.

Hamlin is also facing a must-win situation, and said he prefers that to points racing all day at Talladega.

"I'm actually trying to lead every lap," he said. "That's all I can do is try to go out there and lead every single lap possible and put ourselves in position at the end. Definitely want to be in the lead if we get down to a shootout and try to defend from there, so we've got our work cut out for us, but it's nothing we haven't done before."

Before the first round runs, NASCAR made the Joe Gibbs Racing teams of Hamlin, Kenseth and Kyle Busch adjust the top of their left-rear quarter panels. The teams were required to go back through inspection and Miller said the body of the cars had been manipulated.

"It doesn't have to be big to be an infraction," he said. "It just has to be fair for everybody and that's what we strive to do."

Truex, runner-up to Hamlin in the Daytona 500, is one of the many drivers who doesn't plan to fade to the back of the field on Sunday in an effort to avoid potential accidents. He's said all weekend he feels more in control of his race if he's near the front, and the pole position puts him right where he wants to be.

"The strategy is to stay there, but the problem is that it's pretty hard to do," he said. "It's definitely the place to be to start the race. This is obviously a big race with a lot on the line."

NASCAR Sprint Cup - Hellmann's 500 Lineup
Saturday qualifying; race Sunday
At Talladega Superspeedway
Talladega, Ala.
(Car number in parentheses)

1. (78) Martin Truex Jr, Toyota, 193.423 mph.
2. (2) Brad Keselowski, Ford, 193.365.
3. (20) Matt Kenseth, Toyota, 193.189.
4. (24) Chase Elliott, Chevrolet, 193.166.
5. (16) Greg Biffle, Ford, 193.123.
6. (17) Ricky Stenhouse Jr, Ford, 192.975.
7. (41) Kurt Busch, Chevrolet, 192.746.
8. (11) Denny Hamlin, Toyota, 192.610.
9. (3) Austin Dillon, Chevrolet, 192.177.
10. (27) Paul Menard, Chevrolet, 192.123.
11. (6) Trevor Bayne, Ford, 192.039.
12. (55) Reed Sorenson, Toyota, 188.300.
13. (19) Carl Edwards, Toyota, 192.131.
14. (18) Kyle Busch, Toyota, 192.039.
15. (21) Ryan Blaney, Ford, 192.039.
16. (22) Joey Logano, Ford, 192.012.
17. (48) Jimmie Johnson, Chevrolet, 191.704.
18. (99) Ryan Reed, Ford, 191.700.
19. (88) Alex Bowman, Chevrolet, 191.627.
20. (31) Ryan Newman, Chevrolet, 191.466.
21. (14) Tony Stewart, Chevrolet, 190.962.
22. (4) Kevin Harvick, Chevrolet, 190.768.
23. (1) Jamie McMurray, Chevrolet, 190.393.
24. (42) Kyle Larson, Chevrolet, 190.162.
25. (44) Brian Scott, Ford, 190.026.
26. (43) Aric Almirola, Ford, 190.004.
27. (5) Kasey Kahne, Chevrolet, 189.891.
28. (13) Casey Mears, Chevrolet, 189.755.
29. (7) Regan Smith, Chevrolet, 189.688.
30. (10) Danica Patrick, Chevrolet, 189.643.
31. (38) Landon Cassill, Ford, 189.612.
32. (47) AJ Allmendinger, Chevrolet, 189.515.
33. (34) Chris Buescher, Ford, 189.242.
34. (95) Michael McDowell, Chevrolet, 188.775.
35. (93) Matt DiBenedetto, Toyota, 188.419.
36. (15) Clint Bowyer, Chevrolet, 188.086.
37. (46) Michael Annett, Chevrolet, 187.993.
38. (32) Bobby Labonte, Ford, 187.368.
39. (83) Jeffrey Earnhardt, Toyota, 186.765.
40. (23) David Ragan, Toyota, 186.358.

Failed to qualify

41. (35) David Gilliland, Ford, 188.089.

PRO GOLF SCORES

Blue Bay LPGA Scores
Saturday
At Jian Lake Blue Bay Golf Course
Hainan, China
Purse: $2.1 million
Yardage: 6,644; Par: 72
Third Round
a-amateur

Jessica Korda	67-72-66—205
Minjee Lee	65-67-73—205
Ariya Jutanugarn	71-71-65—207
Carolina Masson	69-69-71—209
Pornanong Phatlum	71-70-69—210
Pernilla Lindberg	72-71-69—212
Lee Lopez	71-72-70—213
Michelle Wie	72-70-71—213
Danielle Kang	74-73-67—214
Simin Feng	71-75-68—214
Candie Kung	71-74-69—214
Kris Tamulis	71-73-70—214
Brooke M. Henderson	69-75-70—214
Charley Hull	72-70-72—214
Chella Choi	68-72-74—214
Carlota Ciganda	68-71-75—214
Gaby Lopez	75-69-71—215
Azahara Munoz	72-70-73—215
Ryann O'Toole	72-75-69—216
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Yan Liu	72-79-72—223
Megan Khang	75-74-74—223
Ilhee Lee	75-72-76—223
Tiffany Joh	70-75-78—223
Jiayun Li	71-80-73—224
Su Oh	74-72-78—224
Jenny Shin	74-72-78—224
Katie Burnett	72-74-78—224
Amy Yang	74-71-79—224
Yani Tseng	75-77-73—225
Q Baek	73-74-78—225
Yunjie Zhang	71-76-78—225
Sarah Jane Smith	79-76-71—226
Annie Park	75-74-77—226
Lee-Anne Pace	75-78-74—227
Yuyang Zhang	79-72-76—227
Panpan Yan	76-75-76—227
P.K. Kongkraphan	71-76-81—228
Maude-Aimee Leblanc	84-74-71—229
Liqing Chen	72-81-76—229
Sun Young Yoo	78-72-79—229
Jiayi Zhou	75-75-79—229
Julie Yang	77-78-76—231
a-Yilan Ji	77-76-78—231
Jing Yan	79-77-76—232
Jienalin Zhang	75-77-80—232
a-Mohan Du	78-80-77—235
Min Seo Kwak	76-81-81—236
a-Jingwen Zhang	79-82-85—246

Portugal Masters Leading Scores
Saturday
At Oceanico Victoria Golf Club
Vilamoura, Portugal
Purse: $2.19 million
Yardage: 7,146; Par: 71
Third Round

Anders Hansen, Denmark	67-66-62—195
Mikko Korhonen, Finland	64-67-64—195
Padraig Harrington, Ireland	66-63-67—196
Chris Paisley, England	65-67-65—197
Paul Lawrie, Scotland	66-66-65—197
Andy Sullivan, England	67-61-69—197
Marc Warren, Scotland	63-65-70—198
Stephen Gallacher, Scotland	67-68-64—199
Callum Shinkwin, England	64-68-67—199
Nacho Elvira, Spain	65-67-67—199
David Lipsky, United States	64-66-69—199
Jens Fahrbring, Sweden	65-64-70—199
Simon Khan, England	69-67-64—200
Robert Rock, England	67-66-67—200
Joakim Lagergren, Sweden	66-66-68—200
Nicolas Colsaerts, Belgium	67-70-63—200
Trevor Fisher Jnr., South Africa	69-63-68—200
Also	
Alex Noren, Sweden	67-67-68—202
Thomas Pieters, South Africa	69-69-68—206
Paul Peterson, United States	67-71-69—207
Daniel Im, United States	68-68-73—209

Lahiri leads by 4 shots as Thomas struggles at CIMB Classic

Associated Press

KUALA LUMPUR, Malaysia — Defending champion Justin Thomas endured a terrible start to the third round of the CIMB Classic after the American faltered with three bogeys and a double bogey to finish with a 1-under 71 Saturday.

Thomas was swiftly overtaken by Anirban Lahiri, who shone at the TPC Kuala Lumpur with nine birdies for a 65 to open up a four-shot lead going into the final round on Sunday.

Thomas had two bogeys and a double bogey in the first three holes of the back nine.

"Yeah, it was really just terrible golf for the first 13 holes. To be 4-over par out here, it was a very weird feeling. I don't know," he said.

At least the 23-year-old Thomas ended the penultimate round with five consecutive birdies.

"It was great to have that finish," Thomas said. "I feel like that showed a lot of me and I hope that I can ride the momentum into tomorrow."

Lahiri's low score positioned him at 19 under, a mark which could have been better if not for a double bogey on the 12th hole in an otherwise flawless scorecard.

"I just told myself that I got rid of my double-bogey early in the round today and just tried to focus on what I needed to do," said Lahiri, who was runner-up at the Asian Tour's Macau Open last week.

"You know, like I said, I feel like I'm hitting it good with my irons, my wedges and I'm putting it good."

Joshua Paul/Associated Press

Anirban Lahiri of India hits out of a bunker on the fifth hole during the third round of the CIMB Classic golf tournament at Tournament Players Club on Saturday in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

Scotland's Russell Knox played another solid round for a 68, to move tied for second with Thomas.

Trailing a shot behind them are Derek Fathauer, James Hahn and Hideki Matsuyama, who are tied at 14-under.

Ryan Moore, the 2013 and 2014 winner, finished tied on 17th after managing a 70.

CIMB Classic Par Scores
Saturday
At TPC Kuala Lumpur
Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
Purse: $7 million
Yardage: 7,005; Par: 72
Third Round

Anirban Lahiri	66-66-65—197
Justin Thomas	64-66-71—201
Russell Knox	70-63-68—201
Derek Fathauer	64-70-68—202
James Hahn	69-64-69—202
Hideki Matsuyama	69-64-69—202
Scott Piercy	68-68-67—203
Keegan Bradley	64-72-68—204
Tyrone Van Aswegen	69-70-66—205
Adam Scott	70-69-66—205
Emiliano Grillo	74-65-66—205
Ryo Ishikawa	69-68-68—205
Rafa Cabrera Bello	69-67-69—205
Zac Blair	70-66-69—205
Brendan Steele	67-69-69—205
Marc Leishman	69-65-71—205
John Huh	71-69-66—206
Sergio Garcia	67-72-67—206
Scott Hend	74-69-63—206
Jamie Lovemark	68-69-69—206
Ryan Moore	71-65-70—206
Adam Hadwin	71-69-67—207
Patrick Reed	68-73-66—207
Sunghoon Kang	70-69-68—207
Aaron Baddeley	67-71-69—207
Patrick Rodgers	70-68-69—207
Paul Casey	65-72-70—207
Hudson Swafford	71-69-68—208
Jim Herman	70-72-66—208
Miguel Tabuena	73-69-66—208
Kevin Kisner	68-70-70—208
Ian Poulter	71-69-69—209
Brian Harman	67-74-68—209
Robert Streb	71-70-68—209
Tony Finau	69-72-68—209
Harold Varner III	68-71-70—209
Vijay Singh	71-67-71—209
Smylie Kaufman	70-73-66—209
Siwoo Kim	70-66-73—209
Jhonattan Vegas	71-71-68—210
Daniel Summerhays	70-69-71—210
Jeunghun Wang	70-65-71—210
Kevin Na	70-69-71—210
Charles Howell III	68-69-73—210
Daniel Berger	71-69-71—211
Jon Curran	72-69-70—211
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Branden Grace	70-72-69—211
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Brett Stegmaier	74-70-67—211
Kyle Reifers	70-70-72—212
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Marcus Fraser	75-69-71—215
David Lingmerth	70-77-68—215
Danny Lee	72-77-66—215
Ernie Els	70-72-74—216
Brian Stuard	72-71-73—216
Soomin Lee	71-74-71—216
John Senden	75-70-71—216
Peter Malnati	72-73-71—216
Chez Reavie	71-77-68—216
Shih-Chang Chan	71-78-67—216
Gavin Kyle Green	71-71-75—217
Gaganjeet Bhullar	73-70-74—217
Mitch Hubbard	73-71-73—217
Colt Knost	73-72-73—218
David Hearn	79-73-68—220
Cameron Tringale	73-74-74—221
S.S.P Chawrasia	74-74-73—221
K.J. Choi	69-77-76—222
Danny Chia	77-78-78—233

Lewis Hamilton wins pole position at US Grand Prix

By Jim Vertuno
Associated Press

AUSTIN — Lewis Hamilton needs a late-season charge to catch Nico Rosberg for the Formula One championship. He can start Sunday from pole position at the U.S. Grand Prix.

Hamilton outgunned his Mercedes rival and teammate on the last lap to grab his first pole position at the Circuit of the Americas, where he's won three times starting from second.

"I feel amazing," Hamilton said. "I could hear the crowd cheering."

Hamilton has been a Texas favorite with his three wins in four years and he returned this year facing a 33-point deficit behind Rosberg in the title chase. His fastest lap of 1 minute, 34.999 seconds pushed Rosberg to No. 2.

"It was a good lap I did. Annoyed when Lewis crossed the line and beat me," said Rosberg, who also threw a jab at Hamilton's season-long troubles getting off the starting line.

"As we've seen this year, qualifying isn't all important," Rosberg added. "From P2 I still have a great chance for tomorrow."

Indeed, Hamilton has been bedeviled by poor starts and pole position Sunday could mean little. He's won only three of the previous eight races this season when he started No. 1.

A good start will be critical Sunday. The first sector at the Circuit of the Americas sends the cars up through a 110-foot elevation and into a hard left turn that sends them back downhill. Rosberg admits he struggles with the turn, where Hamilton got the inside line at the start in 2015 and bumped him wide.

"It's very technical in terms of braking and positioning. It's very difficult," Hamilton said.

Hamilton has dominated this track and his win last year clinched his second consecutive season championship and third overall. But Rosberg's lead is large enough that he can chase down this season's title without a victory over the final month. Even if Hamilton wins the last four races, Rosberg wins the title with three seconds and a third.

But a Rosberg win could crush Hamilton's rally hopes. Rosberg has said all week he won't settle into the safety of second place on Sunday.

"It would be amazing to win the U.S. Grand Prix," Rosberg said. "I'll be focused on that."

A win Sunday would make Rosberg just the fourth driver in Formula One history to get 10 in a single season. And it would push him that much closer to matching the 1982 championship won by his father, Keke Rosberg. He would also be in striking distance of the single-season victories record held by Michael Schumacher and Sebastian Vettel.

Red Bull flirted with the top spots Saturday when Max Verstappen and Daniel Ricciardo went 1-2 in the morning practice. But neither car was able to challenge the supremacy of Mercedes once qualifying began.

Ricciardo, who finished third in Austin in 2014 and won in Malaysia when Hamilton's car didn't finish, hopes he can make another podium. Verstappen will start fourth. Ferrari's Kimi Raikkonen and Vettel will start fifth and sixth.

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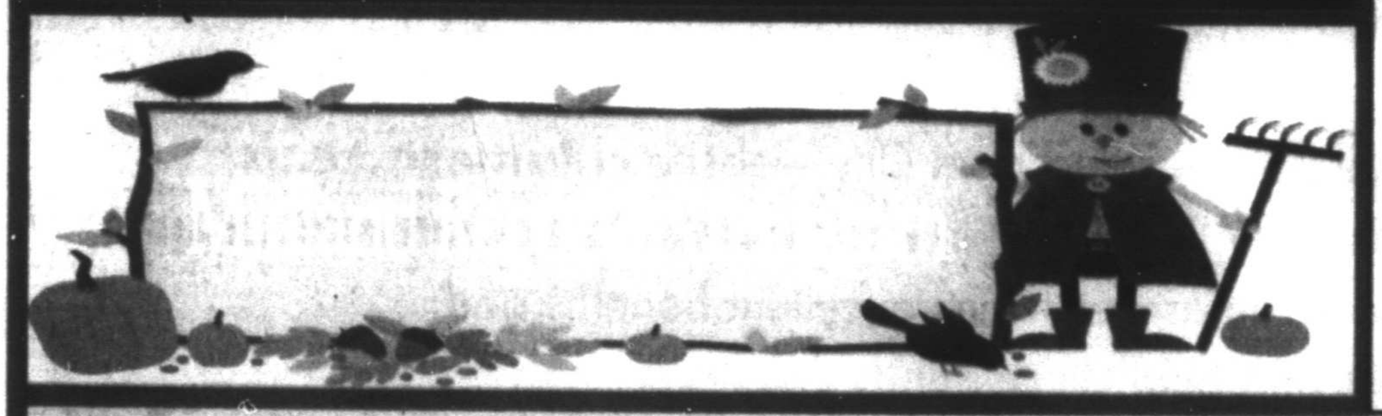

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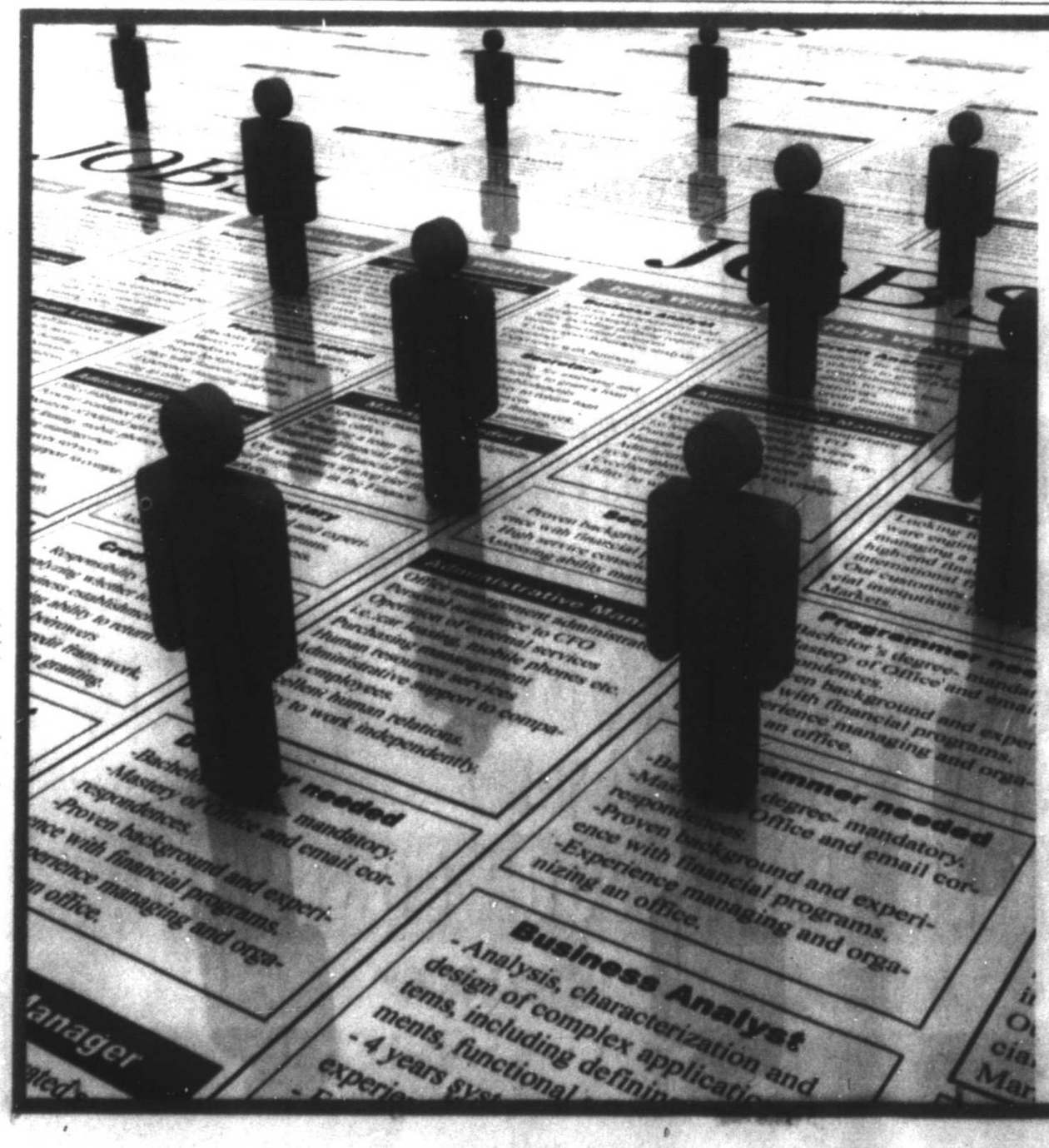

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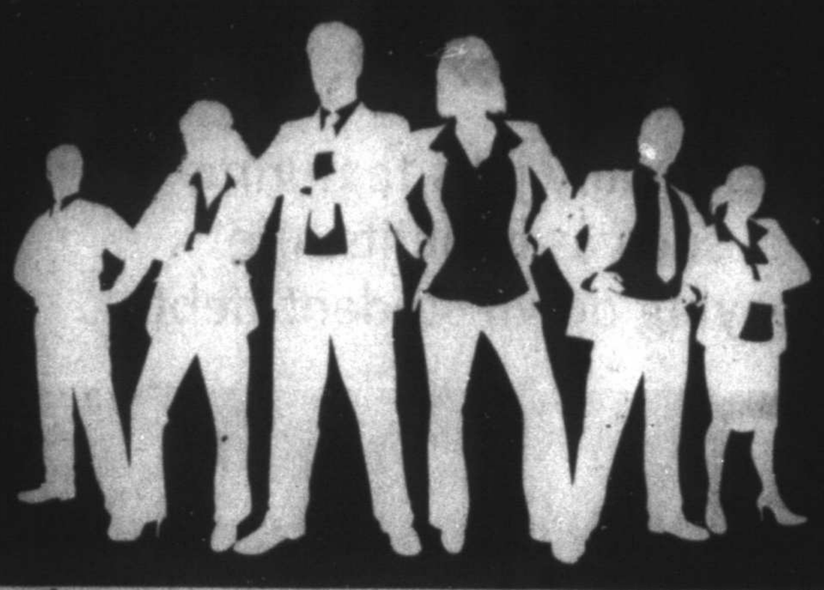

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The hottest jobs in health care aren't necessarily the ones at the top of the salary food chain. There are many mid-level jobs that don't require extended college training or high-stress workplace environments.

Some of them only call for a short certification process and can have many of the same perks and prestige that are attached to roles such as physician or administrator. Finding the role that is right for you all depends on how you want to spend your professional life.

The job search website CareerCast and the University of Wisconsin recently compiled a list of the hottest jobs in health care. Their list takes into consideration many factors, including salary, growth potential, stress and longevity. Other dynamics spanned the work environment, potential safety hazards, physical demands and hiring outlooks.

Here are the four jobs that topped the list with some general information on the tasks required for each position:

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If you're transitioning from another career, it's important to find job opportunities that mirror the key skills you've developed in your other work. Research what it would take to become qualified for your target job in the health care field. You may have to return to school or work or take an entry-level position to make the transition.

WHAT RECRUITERS AND HIRING MANAGERS WANT

In many instances, your background and personal achievements can set you apart from the rest. That's why it's important to track and document key projects you're a part of, even if you feel you're too busy to do so. Recruiters and hiring managers looking for new candidates want to know a few basic things about your background:

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• In which types of projects have you been involved?

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Notice Of Application For Fluid Injection Well Permit

XTO Energy, Inc., Opr. No. 945936, 500 W. Illinois Street, Suite 100, Midland, Texas 79701 applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas to amend an existing injection permit to inject produced water and salt water into a porous formation which is productive of oil and gas.

The applicant proposes to dispose of these fluids into the Clearfork Formation in the Fullerton Clearfork Unit Lease, well number 2112W. The proposed injection well is located 3.5 miles northwest from Frankel City in the Fullerton Field, in Andrews County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 5660' - 7412' feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Request for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P. O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512-463-6792)

Request For Proposals:

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Specifications may be secured at the Purchasing Office of Midland Memorial Hospital on or after **Monday, October 17, 2016.**

All proposals must be received in the Department of Materials Management of Midland Memorial Hospital by **12:00 p.m. (Noon) Thursday, November 3, 2016.**

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Proposals shall be addressed to:
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Director of Materials Management
Midland County Hospital District
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NOTICE OF APPLICATION
TO INJECT FLUID INTO A RESEVOIR PRODUCTIVE OF OIL OR GAS

Kinder Morgan Production Company LLC, Opr. No 463316, 500 W. Illinois, Ste. 500, Midland, Tx. 79701 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil and gas. The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the San Andres, formation in the Goldsmith-Landreth/San Andres/UT Lease, Well Number 143. The proposed injection well is located 3.5 miles northwest of Goldsmith, Texas, in the Goldsmith Field, in Ector County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 4075 feet to 4550 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas. Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-6792).

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Notice of Application for Oil & Gas Waste Disposal Well Permit

Pioneer Natural Resources, 5205 N. O'Connor Blvd., Suite 200, Irving, Texas 7509 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to dispose of produced salt water or other oil and gas waste by well injection into a porous formation not productive of oil or gas.

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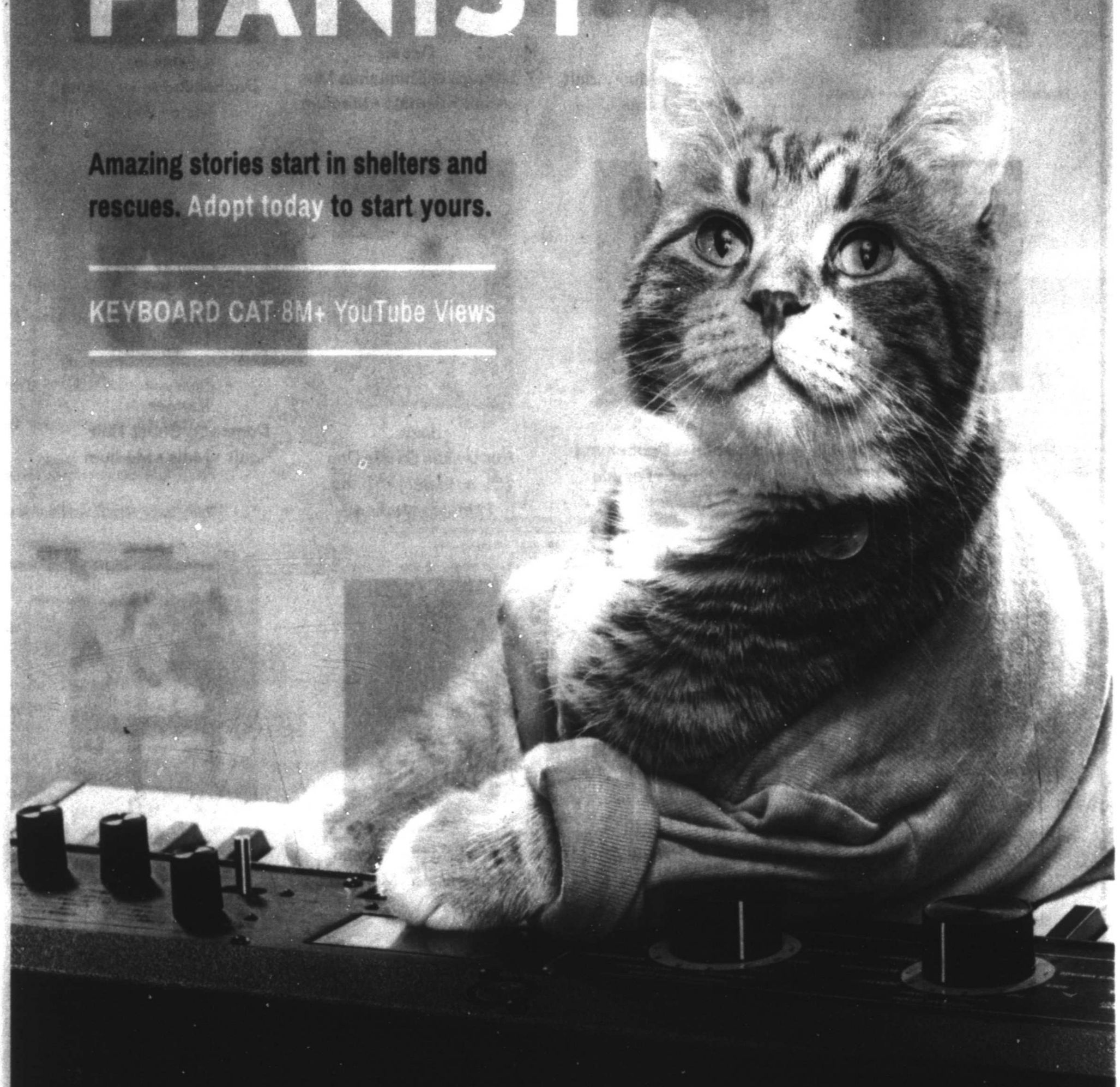

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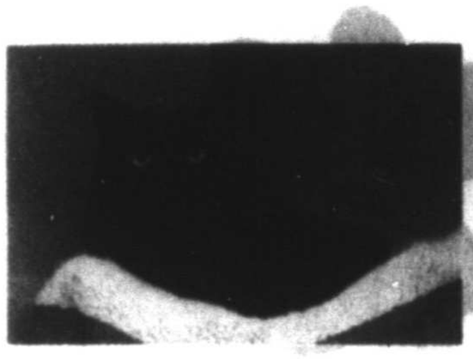

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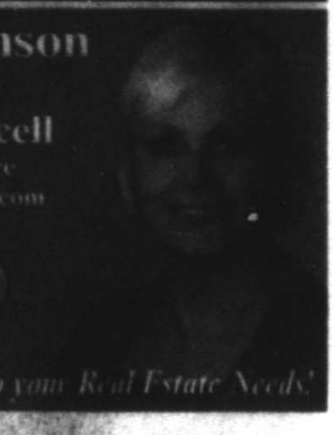

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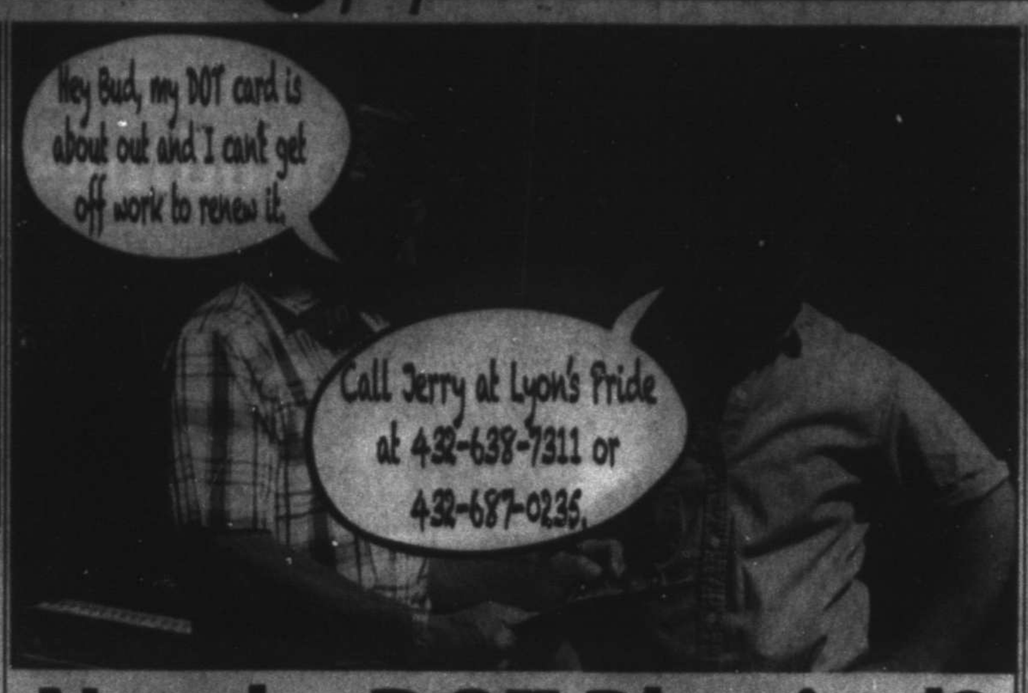

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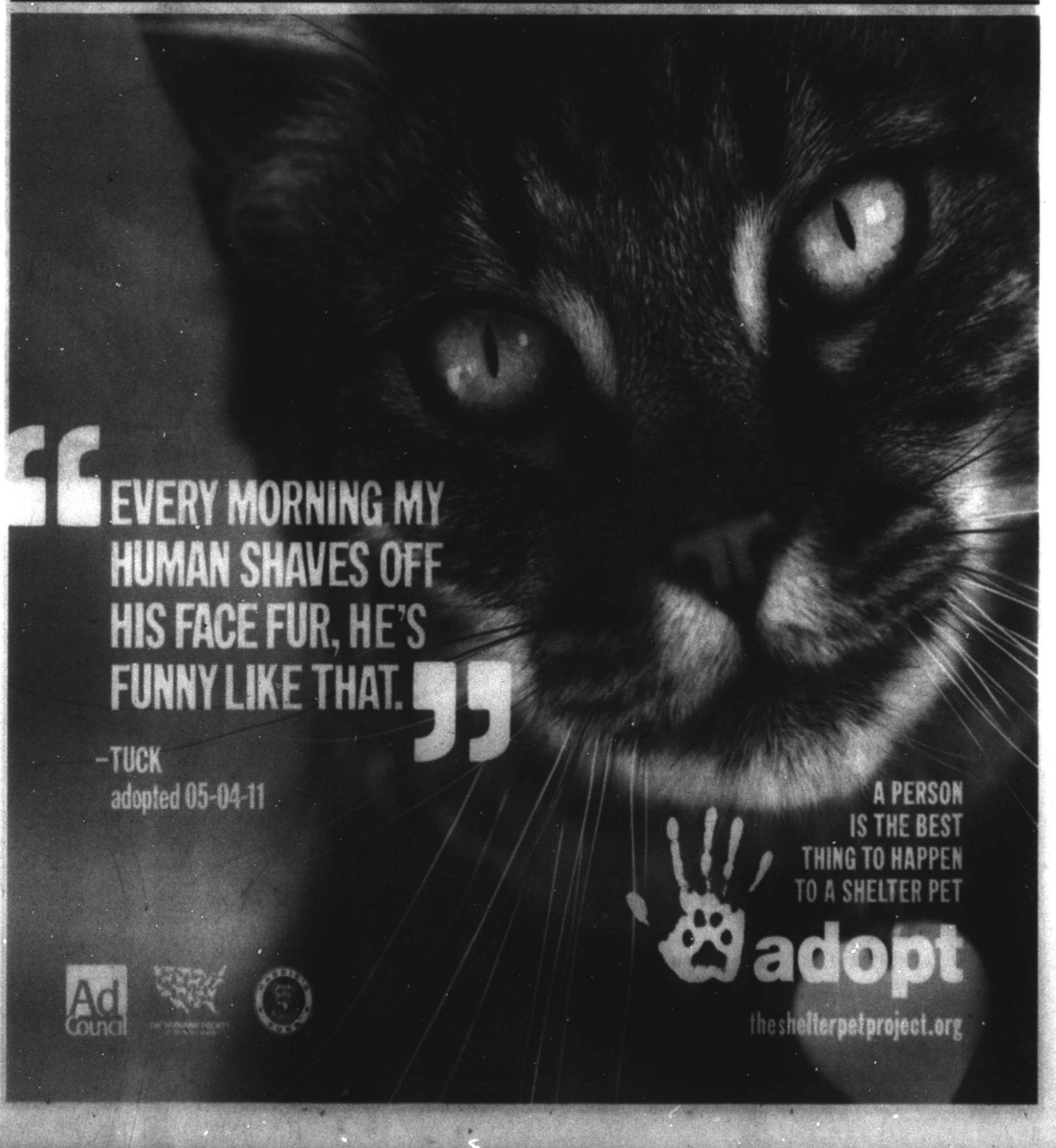

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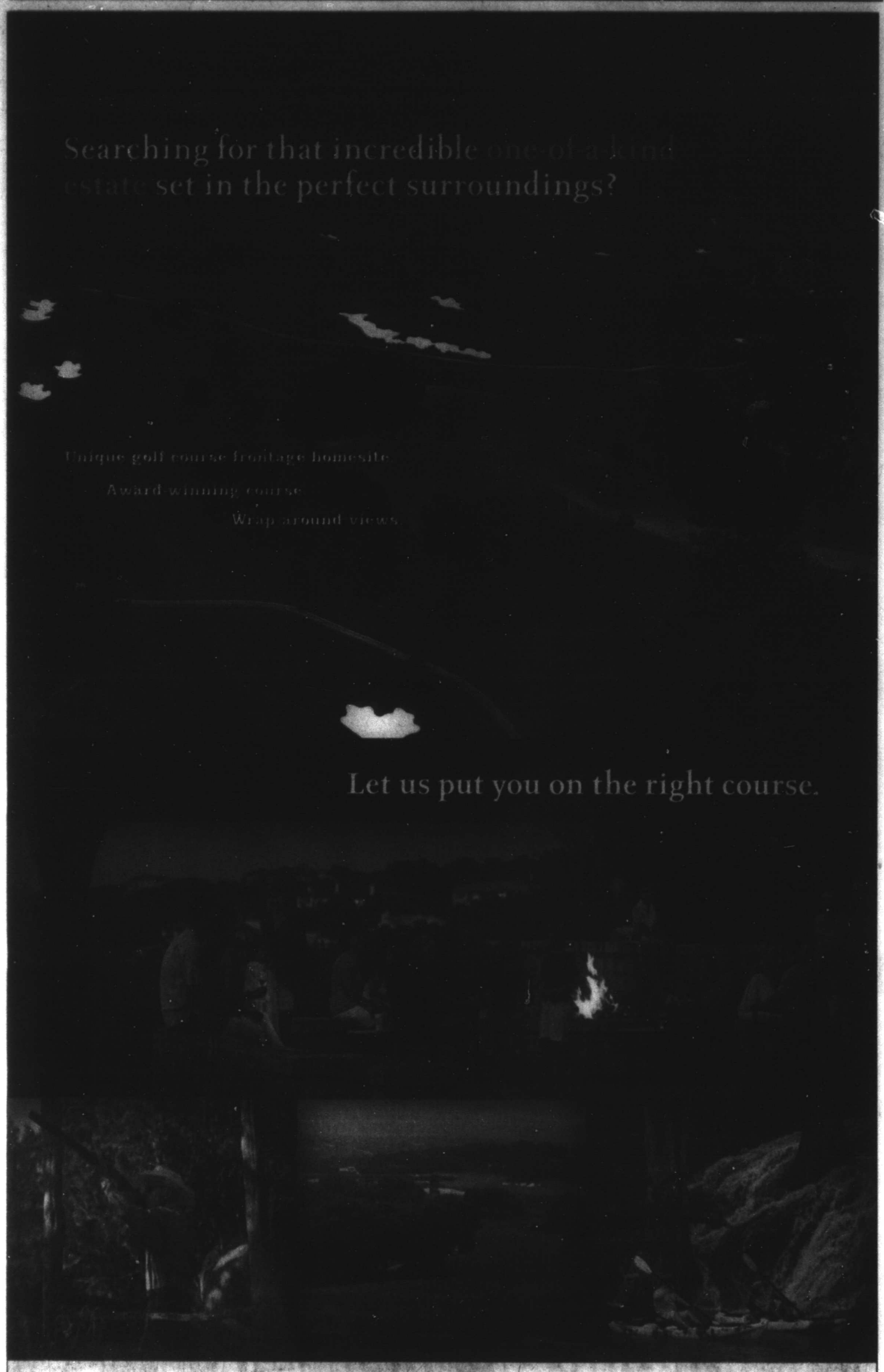

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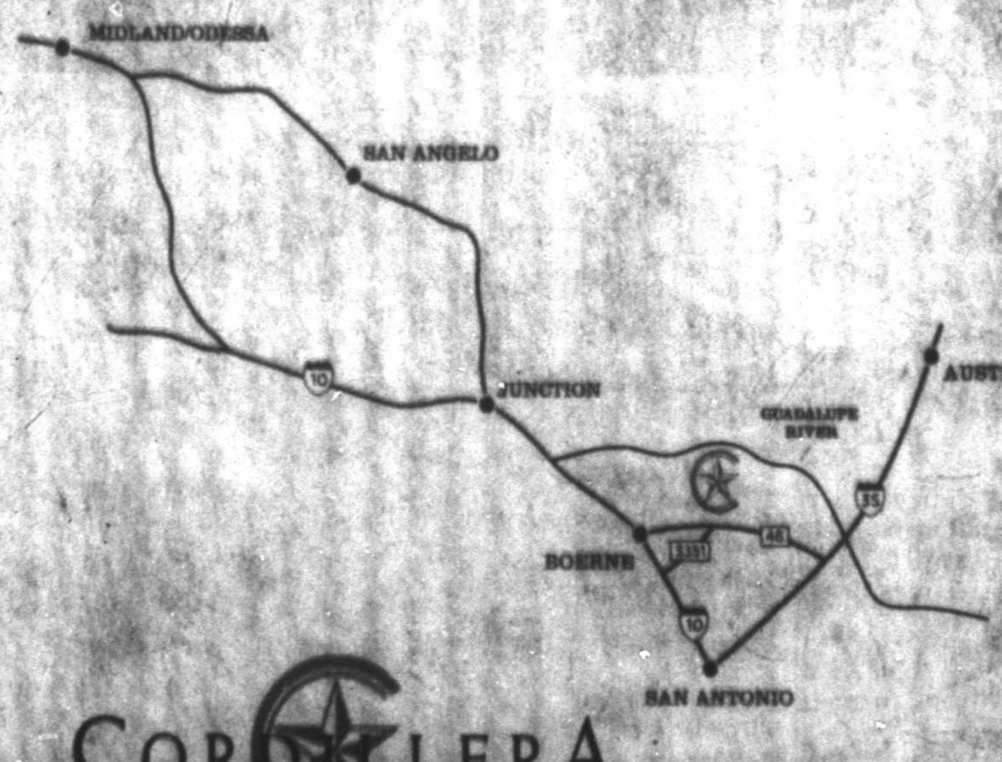

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Living at the end of the street, you have the opportunity to drive by other equally as stylish homes as you arrive at your address. Beautiful landscaping and a circular drive grace the front of this home. Arched brickwork frames the covered front porch leading up to the door.

Gorgeous wood flooring greets you at the front door and flows through major living areas. To the right is the formal dining area with an octagonal stacked ceiling. A pocket door leads to a butler's pantry and access to the kitchen. Get ready to prepare wonderful meals in your gourmet kitchen! Pro-Line Kitchen-Aid stainless appliances including double ovens, warming oven, trash compactor and more will help make cooking a breeze. Granite counter tops, beautifully stained cabinetry, a large island with seating and skylight create an enjoyable workspace.

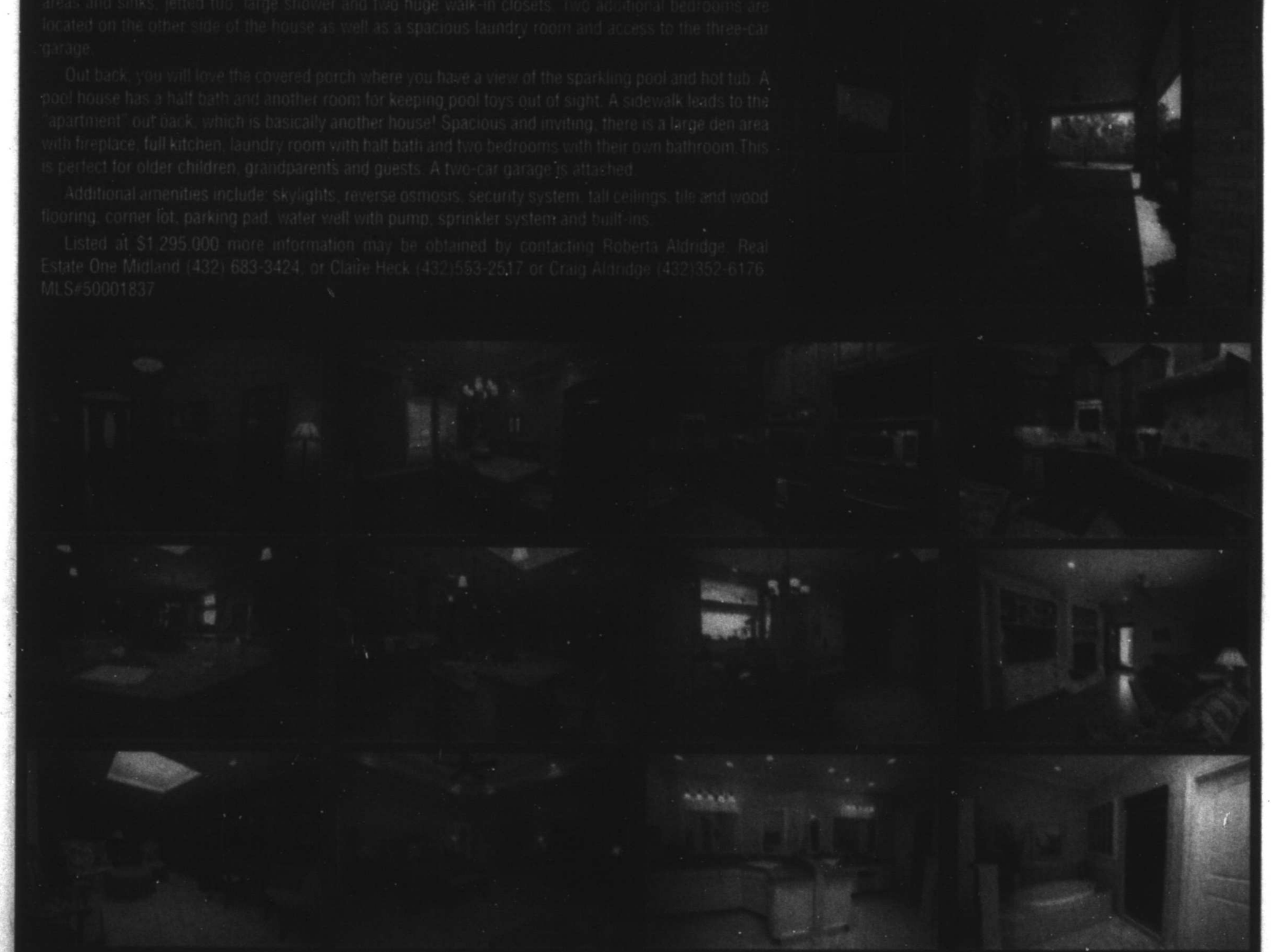
The kitchen is open to the two-story den where a corner fireplace and wall of windows looking out to the pool combine to make a great room for gathering with family and friends. A wall of built-ins is perfect for display and a large television. Stairs lead to a loft library with four walls of bookshelves to make a quiet getaway.

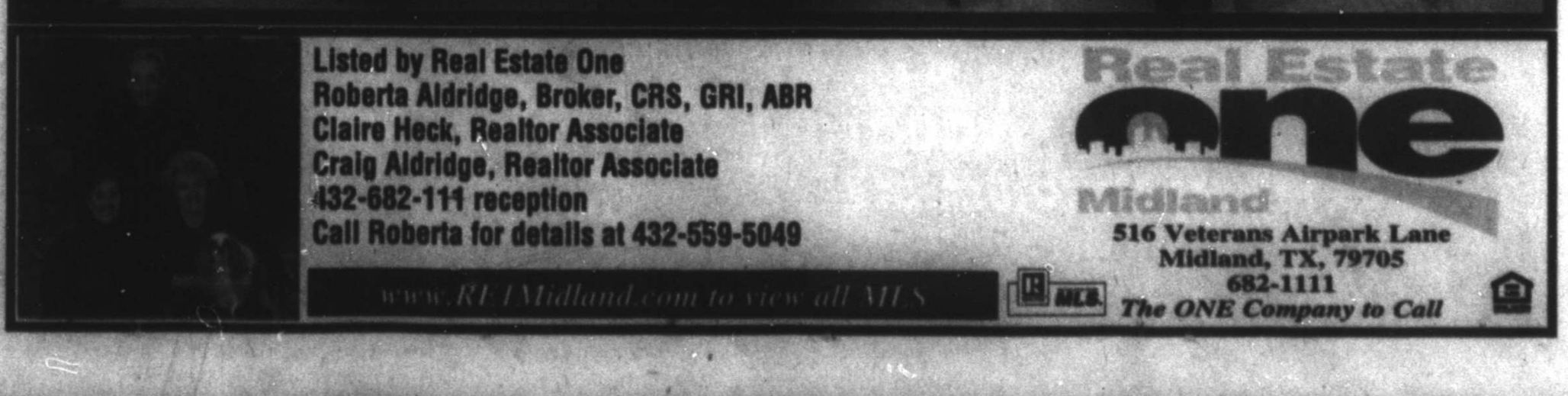
All bedrooms in the home have plush carpeting, large walk-in closets with built-ins and spacious bathrooms. The first bedroom is on a hall off the den and faces the front yard. The master is nearby and features a large bedroom with french doors to the back yard and pool. The bathroom has two dressing areas and sinks, jetted tub, large shower and two huge walk-in closets. Two additional bedrooms are located on the other side of the house as well as a spacious laundry room and access to the three-car garage.

Out back, you will love the covered porch where you have a view of the sparkling pool and hot tub. A pool house has a half bath and another room for keeping pool toys out of sight. A sidewalk leads to the "apartment" out back, which is basically another house! Spacious and inviting, there is a large den area with fireplace, full kitchen, laundry room with half bath and two bedrooms with their own bathroom. This is perfect for older children, grandparents and guests. A two-car garage is attached.

Additional amenities include: skylights, reverse osmosis, security system, tall ceilings, tile and wood flooring, corner lot, parking pad, water well with pump, sprinkler system and built-ins.

Listed at $1,295,000, more information may be obtained by contacting Roberta Aldridge, Real Estate One Midland (432) 683-9424, or Claire Heck (432)553-2517 or Craig Aldridge (432)352-6176. MLS#50001837





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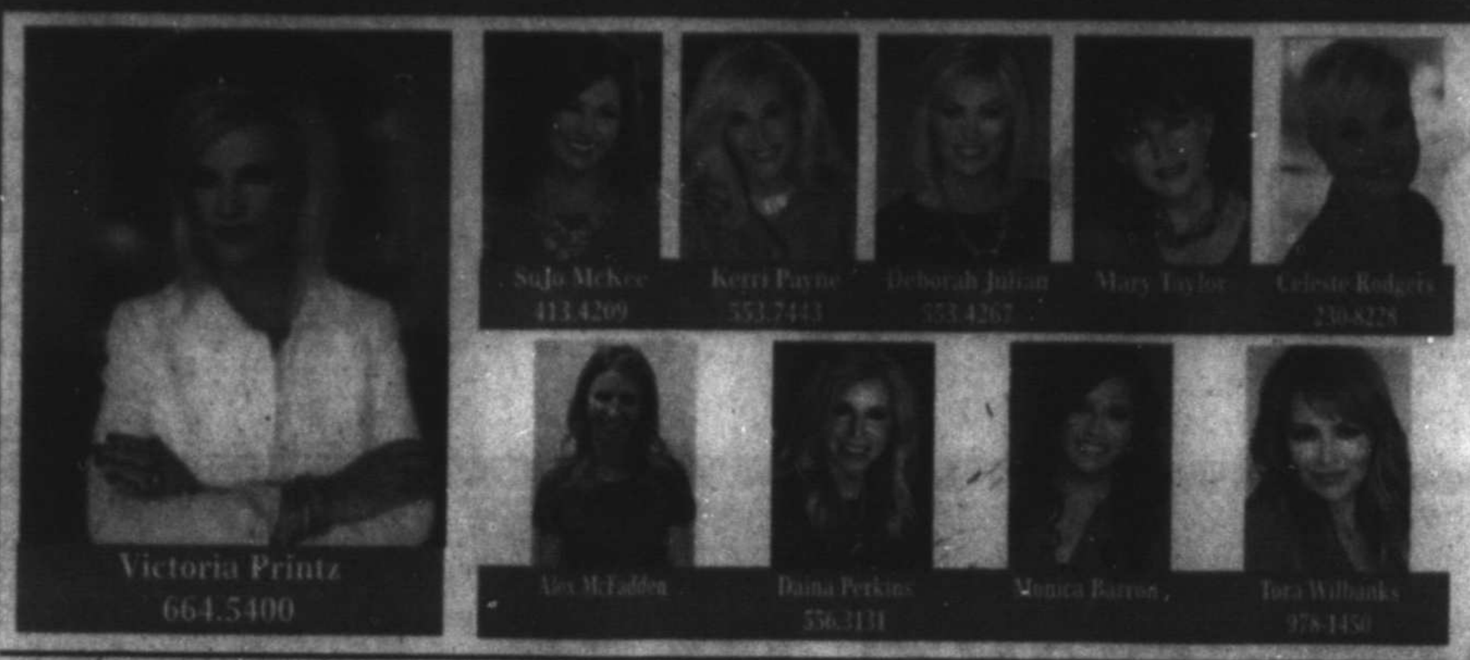

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4 Bay Meadows Lane-Absolutely fabulous stucco hacienda in saddle club estates-1.4 Acres! Dazzling pool & spa! 6 Bed/6.5 bath/9 living guest quarters, workshop & a delightful casita! Splendid outdoor living spaces abound! $1,300,000
116 Soleman-Austin stone exterior, extensively landscaped 2 acres of gorgeous grounds, dazzling pool, outdoor kitchen & 3780 sw ft party barn! Is delightfully finished w/huge living areas, kitchen, bath, media+enormous workshop! $1,300,000
16794 Dogwood, Gardendale-Phenomenal Estate - a country lover's dream! 4 Bed/4.5 Bath/4 living areas/2 dining/3 car gar/2 carport! Huge workshop w/half bath, covered rv parking pad & storage shed! Gourmet kitchen w/granite, island & stainless custom appliances! $1,200,000
401 Affirmed-Stunning custom home w/gleaming hardwood floors, soaring ceilings, walls of windows & gorgeous cabinetry! 4 Beds each w/private baths + 2 half baths! 4 Living, 2 dining & 3 car gar! Seq master ste w/2 sinks, jetted tub & huge closet! Gourmet kitchen w/sub-zero & fabulous granite! Beautiful dazzling pool/spa! $1,075,000
85 Muirfield, Odessa-Beyond spectacular estate w/incredible open floor plan--4 bed/4.5 Bath/4 living/2 dining on gorgeous landscaped grounds! Covered circle drive, 4 car gar & service driveway! Dazzling pool & spa, outdoor grill, sep dog yard & outdoor shower! $999,999
4902 Island-Absolutely spectacular estate--5 bed/4.5 Bath/3 living/2 dining room home w/gorgeous water views & fabulous grounds! Outdoor dining area, dazzling pool & large yard! Gleaming hand-scraped hardwood floors, walls of windows & iron staircase! $999,900
5409 Unbridled Trail-Fabulous new construction 4 bedroom, 6 bathroom, 3 living areas + huge gameroom, 3 car garage and large workshop! make your own color selections! Grand versatile plan, safe-room & amazing storage! $890,000
15 Oasis, Odessa-Stunning home in gated community-gorgeous grounds, tennis court, home theatre, 2 living, 2 dining, gourmet kitchen, huge master suite w/fireplace! Lushly landscaped, soaring ceilings, walls of windows & miles of tile! $739,000
3712 Timber Wolf-Fabulous 4 bed/3.5 Bath/2 living/2 dining & oversized 3 car garage! Miles of gorgeous stained concrete flooring, soaring 12 & 13ft ceilings, solid core doors, & archways thru-out! Gourmet kitchen w/granite island, beautiful cabinetry & gas cook top! Seq master suite w/walk thru shower, dual vanities & jetted tub! $599,000
4705 Green Tree-Spectacular 2-story open floorplan home -- 4 bed/3.5 Bath/4 living/2 dining/3 car garage/circle drive-- on incredible golf course lot! Miles of tile, soaring ceilings, walls of windows & sweeping course views thru-out! Abundant storage! Upstairs master suite! $590,000
6631 E Driftwood Dr-Immaculate home on 1 acre with open concept plan. 4 Bedroom 3 bathroom plus office with huge mud room and utility sink. Concrete floor is stained throughout with carpet in 3 bedrooms and baths. Master bath has oversized closet, bath and shower. $479,500
3303 Trinity Meadows-Fabulous & updated 5 bed/3.5 Bath/2 living area/2 dining plus home w/4 gar on lovely corner lot on cul-de-sac w/dazzling pool & water well! Recent hardwood flooring, plantation shutters, recent doors & recently updated gourmet kitchen w/granite countertops! Seq mstr ste w/jetted tub! Soaring ceilings, walls of windows, crown molding. Gorgeous grounds! $455,000
1204 Breckenridge-Spectacular 2-story home in beautiful cul-de-sac! Open floor-plan w/ 4bed/4bath/2 dining/2 living & 3 car gar! Seq master ste w/dual vanities, sep garden tub & walk-in closet! Soaring ceilings, crown molding, walls of windows & plantation shutters thru-out! Gourmet kitchen $454,900
5305 Half Moon Circle-Absolutely lovely 4 bed/3 bath/2 living/3 car garage home in quiet cul-de-sac! Built in 2014! Miles of tile, soaring ceilings, crown molding & plantation shutters! Gourmet kitchen w/pantry, granite, island & double ovens-open to huge den! Sequestered master suite w/2 sinks, separate jetted tub, large shower & walk-in closet! $450,000
2711 Savoy-Absolutely lovely 4 bed/2 bath/2 dining/3 car gar custom built home (2013) in quiet & peaceful neighborhood! Gourmet kitchen w/granite, island, skylights & dble ovens! Soaring ceilings, crown molding, plantation shutters & fabulous archways! Seq mstr ste w/2 sinks, sep jetted tub & walk-in closet! $379,000
1208 Harvard-Absolutely spectacular & incredibly spacious 4 bed/3 bath/4 living /2 dining/3 car gar home on corner lot in lovely old midland! Pristine condition! Gorgeous hardwood & travertine tile floors! Fabulous master suite w/2 walk-in closets, sep jetted tub, walk-in shower, dry sauna & workout room! $375,000
6000 Barton Springs Ct-Wow! Gorgeous 4 bed/3 bath/3 car gar on lovely landscaped corner lot in cul-de-sac! Loaded w/extras-8 ft doors, custom cabinet finishes, soaring ceilings, crown molding, walls of windows & plantation shutters! Gourmet kitchen w/granite, dble ovens, gas cooktop, stainless appl-- open to lovely den! $369,900
1507 Ridgelea-This home is a man-cave on steroids(a family & friends cave!) Featuring a whole new concept in lifestyle design! Garage space for 4 long-bed pickups, huge closets, bedrooms & private baths! Huge entertainment patio w/8 ft fence! Ultra modern media room w/85in 4k tv! $365,000
5002 Crista Lane-Pristine condition in a wonderful location! Crown molding, arched doorways, soaring ceilings, plantation shutters, bright windows! Granite countertops in the gourmet kitchen, along with stainless double ovens, pantry, island, breakfast bar & tons of cabinet space! Spacious bedrooms! Covered patio! 3 Car garage! $364,950
4702 Yearwood-Lovely 4 bed/3 bath/3 living(den,formal,office)/2 dining/2 car gar & circle drive(fits 2 full size suvs or trucks) home! Gorgeous soaring ceilings, walls of windows & gleaming hardwood floors thru-out/carpet in bedrooms! Beautiful master suite w/dual vanities, jetted tub & walk-in shower! Designer paint & finishes! $324,900
1311 E Spruce-Fabulous new construction to be completed end of october! 4 Bed/2 bath/2 car gar w/huge greatroom & formal dining area! Sequestered master suite w/dual sinks & huge walk-in closet! Gourmet kitchen will have stainless appliances, gas range, microwave & dishwasher! 10 Year home warranty available! $244,900
4904 Whitman-Lovely 4 bedroom home w/2 living or 2 dining areas! Gorgeous hardwood floors in both living areas, tile in kitchen & breakfast room! Fabulous kitchen w/breakfast bar & double ovens! High ceilings, lots of windows, built-ins! Large sequestered master suite w/2 walk-in closets, 2 sinks, separate tub & shower! $239,300
2806 Boardwalk-Absolutely darling 4 bed/2 bath/2 car garage home -- built in 2015! Stained concrete flooring thru-out! Seq master suite w/2 large walk-in closets & dual sinks! Soaring ceilings! Huge living area! Gourmet kitchen w/stainless appliances, gorgeous cabinetry, beautiful backsplash & countertops! $209,900
3352 County RD C 2300, Stanton-Fantastic 4 bed/3 bath modular home built 2007 w/ 2 acres! Country living north of stanton! 2 Living areas w/ wood-burning fire place! Bright kitchen w/ breakfast bar, large island, dining area & lots of cabinets! Inside utility room w/ sink! 2 Car carport, circle drive! $165,000
2306 W 11th St, Monahans-Absolutely charming country living in nice & quiet neighborhood -- 4 bed/2bath home on 0.918 Acres! Roomy bedrooms! Tile flooring thru-out! Great kitchen w/stainless appliances & island! Covered patio! $380 Right way home warranty. New oven/range, water heater and microwave! $145,000
4707 W Cuthbert-Just darling 4 bed/2 bath/3 car garage home w/tons of updates! Fabulous kitchen w/ granite & back-splash, beautiful cabinetry, tile flooring & recent gas stove! Insulated 20 x 20 workshop (room for 3 cars) w/40 foot awning! $115,000

1, 2 & 3 BEDROOMS

808 Canonero-Absolutely fabulous, light & bright 3 bed/3.5 Bath/5 living/2 dining/3 car gar low-maintenance townhome in saddle club! Amazing 2-story open floor plan w/soaring ceilings, abundant cabinetry & granite thru-out! Dazzling pool & outdoor living area! $449,900
5308 Bella Place-Fabulous & low maintenance 3 bed/3 bath/2 dining 2-story home! Open floor plan w/ beautiful brick floors & crown molding! Open gourmet kitchen w/granite, abundant counter space, beautiful cabinetry & stainless appliances! Seq master suite w/dual vanities, jetted tub, walk-in shower & huge closet! $445,000
5211 Ellen Jayne Way-Fabulous & move-in ready 2-story low maintenance home! 3 Bed/2.5 Bath/2 dining/3 car garage! Wood tile flooring, walls of windows & crown molding! Gourmet kitchen w/granite, abundant cabinetry & stainless appliances! Master suite w/dual vanities, sep jetted tub & huge walk-in closet! $399,900
5709 Camino Reale-Fabulous 3 bed/2 bath/2 living/3 car gar home on gorgeous landscaped grounds! Soaring ceilings, miles of tile, crown molding & plantation shutters thru-out! Gourmet kitchen w/granite, dble ovens & skylights! Master suite w/dual sinks, sep jetted tub & walk-in closet! Perfect open floorplan! Laundry room w/sink! $349,900
1605 Todd-Spacious tri-story home w/ lots of charm features 3 bedrooms/3 baths/2 living areas/2 car garage on 5.5 Acres. Tall, beautiful trees shade the home & rows of cedar trees! Gigantic living areas & den w/ bonus room, roomy kitchen w/ island, & large master w/ fireplace! $330,000
5408 Crowley-Lovely 3 bed/2.5 Bath/2 living/2 dining home! 2 Car garage, 2 car carport & circle drive! Crown molding, plantation shutters & hardwood floors! Gourmet kitchen w/stainless appliances & pantry! Seq master suite w/sep jetted tub, walk-in closet & dual sinks! Fabulous storage shed also used as a greenhouse! Light & bright sunroom! $299,900
1906 Pueblo-Fantastic 3 bd/2 ba home on large landscaped lot! 40X40 insulated workshop in back w/ 1 gar bay! Shop includes bath & office area! Beautiful crown molding, tile, carpet & tile-wood floors thru-out! High vaulted ceilings w/ fabulous cozy loft leading to covered porch! $295,000
5502 San Saba-Super cute 3 bed/2 bath home! Light & bright! Soaring ceilings, walls of windows & miles of tile! Sequestered master suite w/dual vanities, sep jetted tub & walk-in shower! Gourmet kitchen w/stainless appliances, abundant cabinetry & breakfast bar! Formal dining area! Large & spacious den w/fireplace w/gas logs! $274,900
1008 N County Rd 1110-Incredible 3 bed/2 bath completely remodeled inside & out located on 3 acres! Brand new windows, int&ext paint, doors, fixtures, water well, tankless water heater, garage door! Gorgeous kitchen w/ granite countertops & new cabinets! Breathtaking master bath. $255,000
6103 Copper Sky Ct-Absolutely fabulous & better than new 3 bed/2 bath home in wonderful new neighborhood! Gorgeous landscaped front yard! Perfect floorplan - charming entryway & huge open den & kitchen! Master suite w/separate tub & shower, 2 sinks & giant closet! $245,000
1507 Club Drive-Absolutely stunning & super low-maintenance 2 bed/2 bath townhome w/soaring ceilings, walls of windows & miles of gorgeous hardwood floors thru-out! Greatroom open to gourmet kitchen! Charming front & back patios! Gorgeous stone exterior! $229,900
1108 Buffalo Ct-Super cute & better than new 3 bed/2 bath/2 car gar home in cul-de-sac! Soaring ceilings, crown molding & granite thru-out! Extremely low-maintenance w/xeriscaped front, gorgeous yard & covered patio in back! Spacious greatroom open to gourmet kitchen w/abundant cabinet space! $219,900
3923 Esmond, Odessa-Absolutely darling 3 bedroom/2 bath home has tile, high ceilings, security system & some updated appliances! Spacious greatroom plus formal dining area, large walk-in pantry & 2 car garage! Sequestered master suite w/soaking tub, separate shower & two sinks! All bedrooms are large w/nice closets! $199,900
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3503 W Ohio-Darling & updated 3 bed/2 bath home w/gar & tile flooring thru-out! Master bath updated 2016! Darling kitchen updated in 2014 w/countertops, tile backsplash, refinished cabinets & black sink! Greatroom open to kitchen & dining! Storm windows, hvac replaced-2012, metal fence & large 2 car parking pad in back! $175,000
2100 Wadley #14-Super cute and spacious 3 bed/3 bath condominium! Open floorplan with large den with brick fireplace! Formal dining area! Master suite downstairs with wet bar! Both guest bedrooms are upstairs with private baths! Oversized & covered redwood deck, overlooks community pool - perfect for another outdoor living area and entertaining! 2 Assigned parking spaces! $160,000
101 N Dewberry-Super cute 3 bed, 2 bath, 2 car garage home on corner lot! Spacious den w/cozy wood burning fireplace! Charming breakfast nook off of kitchen! Gorgeous hardwood flooring in all 3 bedrooms! Both baths nice and updated! Large backyard with covered patio! 1276 Square feet per appraiser! Ceiling fans and blinds thru-out! $159,900
4017 B West Illinois-Super cute 3 bed/2 bath/2 car garage townhome! Charming & private courtyard entrance! Cozy den w/fireplace! Great size kitchen w/gas cooktop, abundant cabinetry, storage & counter space open to wonderful family size dining area! Recent interior paint in den & dining room! Microwave replaced in 2016 & disposal replaced in 2015! $150,000
4736 Bedford Ave-Light & bright recently updated 3 bed/2 bath home! Charming entryway leads to great size living room! Large utility room with gorgeous wood tile flooring! Breakfast nook off of kitchen! Many updates still to come: exterior paint, updated bathrooms and more! $142,900
1115 Ainslee-Cute 2 bedroom, 1 bath home in scenic heights! Very roomy w/ 1523 sq ft per appr! One room could be turned into a 3rd bedroom. Fabulous hardwood floors in bedrooms & living room! Tile in bathroom, kitchen & den! Charming brick fireplace with mantle! Built-ins around fireplace! Gigantic backyard with chain link fence! $140,000
12516 E County Rd 81-Lovely manufactured home built 2016 on 1.5 Acres! 3 bed/2 bath w/ large open concept! Kitchen has island bar area, detailed back splash & vent a hood! Fridge, washer/dryer stays! Master suite w/ 2 sinks, garden tub, walk-in shower & 2 large closets! Water well & septic system! $135,000
2901 Mariana-Completely remodeled 3 bed/2 bath home! Exterior updates: new plants, fresh ext paint & some fencing replaced! Interior updates: fresh paint, new a/c, fresh carpet, tile, cabinets, glass backsplash, stainless steel stove & dishwasher, 2" faux wood blinds, new shower fixtures & lighting fixtures! Full-size suv fits in carport! $130,000

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• Stop and do nothing for five or ten minutes. Sit quietly and listen to the sounds. This slows heart rate and reduces blood pressure, two of the effects of stress. At the University of Massachusetts School of Medicine they say: Remember that the only thing you can control is the present moment.

• Get background music. In an Australian study, two groups were working on a presentation. Those who worked in silence had increases in blood pressure and heart rates. Those who worked to a calm musical background had steady readings and reported feeling much less stress.

• Take a happy-thought break. Think about a vacation or someone you care about for a few seconds, or up to five minutes. Repeating a positive mantra is helpful as well.

• Laugh at something. Laughter is not only one of the most effective stress busters, it also helps your immune system. Even anticipating something humorous will lower your stress level.

• Take a walk. Taking a five- or ten-minute walk has a very calming effect, much better than a cup of coffee and a roll, say psychologists at Stanford University School of Medicine.

• Practice belly breaths. For several minutes, practice slow, deep belly breaths. They make you stretch your shoulders and loosen the right muscles. Take three or four belly breaths every hour when doing stressful work. ❖

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The Election's Home Stretch

There is now less than 30 days before the Presidential election. And as we predicted some time ago, the rhetoric has ratcheted up significantly. So much so, that many analysts are indicating that this is the most acrimonious race in history. No one should be surprised at all regarding these conclusions. And with the focus on ancillary issues, there is less focus upon the economy. For one, we are surprised about how little is being said about the economy--from housing issues to tax plans. Not to say that the candidates have not laid out plans, but they don't seem to be the focal point of the election rhetoric.

Is this lack of focus affecting the markets? For one, the markets have been a bit more stable these past few months, as compared to the period from late 2015 through early 2016. There have been volatile days and weeks, but overall, the stock market has traded in a pretty tight range during this time. Are the markets looking past the election and will they just meander around until election day passes?

Not that all the markets have been stable. For one, oil prices have recovered well over 50% from their lows earlier in the year. It appears that some oil producing nations are serious about cutting production, and these agreements are fueling the increases, if you pardon the pun. Oil prices have risen before, only to come back down, and it remains to be seen where prices will go from here. Higher oil prices could be perceived by the Federal Reserve Board as an inflationary risk. Thus, the specter of higher oil prices could be one factor persuading the Fed to act on higher interest rates at their December meeting -- again assuming that they will not act in November right before the election.

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How to Sleep More Guests in Your Home

The in-laws and their brood coming to stay for the holidays? Don't panic about where to stow everyone for the night. Below are a handful of tips for making sleeping space on any budget.

Screened off corners. So you put a cot in the office—now what? The answer is a privacy screen. "Buying a privacy screen to corner off sleeping spaces can help up the cozy ante, as well as keep your existing space functional."

Skinny sleeper sofa. When most of us hear the term "sleeper sofa," we think of the bulky bedding of yore. However, there are many twin size sleeper sofa options that could fit nicely in the living room, den, or even in the corner of the guest bedroom. No year-round guests? No worries! These make great reading nooks in the off season.

Bunk it out. Want to make the most of that guest bedroom? Try bunk beds. There are many attractive bunk bed options available. And who says bunk beds need to be for kids? Many companies make queen size bunk options. No guest room? No problem. Another option is placing bunk beds in a less-trafficked room, like the office or den. Want to hide the bunks from day-to-day activities? Add an intimate curtain or—if your budget allows—a sliding barn door, which will add discretion and make guests feel like they've got their own sleeping fort.

Consider alternate couches. The futon isn't the only couch with slumber party capabilities. Consider swapping one of your couches for a day bed equipped with a trundle bed, or look for a large sectional big enough to sleep one or more.

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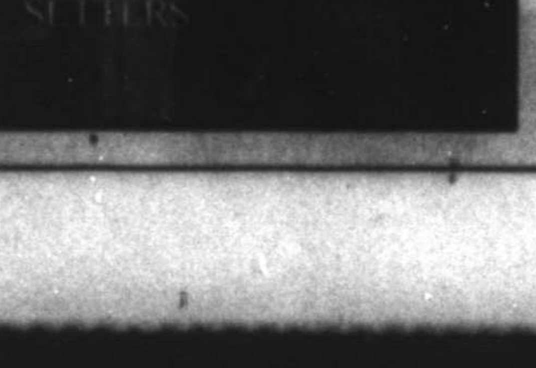

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5503 San Clemente - $399,900

Beautiful custom 3 bedroom, 3 bath (all suites) home located in Los Patios 3. The home offers 2,514 sqft. which provides spacious rooms throughout the home. Tile flooring, crown molding, tall ceilings and high end finishes are visible in each room! A large family room with corner fireplace and built-ins create the perfect place for your friends and family to gather. The kitchen is open to the family room and features custom cabinetry, corner pantry, gas cooktop, double ovens, and granite countertops. Serve meals from the single level breakfast bar or at the nearby oversized informal dining area. A bonus room off the main living area can serve as an office, formal dining or play room. The owner's suite is sequestered and overlooks the side patio. The en suite includes two vanities, oversized soaking tub, walk-in shower and large walk-in closets with built-ins. The large utility room has a hanging area for clothes, granite topped cabinets for storage and folding clothes, and space for a freezer! Access to the three car garage is located off the utility room. For your private showing call Cindy Kellough, Broker @ (432)556-4044 or Christina McMillan, Realtor @ (432)556-4155.

5308 & 5310 Quicksand Cove

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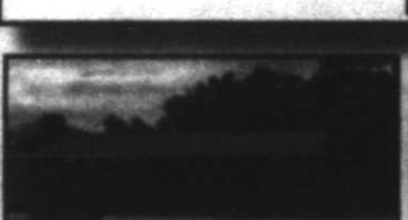

3616 W. Ohio Ave. - $178,000
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3314 Wedgwood - $200,000
Very nice home ready to move in. Lots of tile, new carpet and fresh paint, each bedroom has it's own bathroom. Lots of storage, central vacuum system, large kitchen, skylight, walk in closets, Plantation shutters. Shop or hobby room off of garage, well maintained low maintenance home. Handicap friendly if needed.

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5011 Los Alamitos Dr - Lovely 4 Bedroom/3 Bath home in Saddle Club South $275,000
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3502 Caldera Blvd-Centrally located 3BR/2BA w/open plan, tall ceilings, and lots of storage! Ready to move into today. U/C $250,000
1502 Castleford Rd.-Beautiful 3 bedroom/2 bath home in Polo Park Estates .... SOLD $237,500
3801 Suncrest Ave.-Recent updates in this spacious 3BR/2BA w/large covered front porch in front and full covered patio in back $234,000
5112 Ashdown Pl.-Nicely updated home in Saddle Club South w/access to the pool, clubhouse & tennis courts! $229,000
3107 Preston Dr-Character galore in this 3/2 beauty w/high beamed ceilings! Great location .... U/C $219,000
2915 Goddard Dr.-Immaculate & pristine & well kept 3/2 home in desirable neighborhood! Move-in-ready! .... U/C $185,000
2100 W. Wadley #29-Spacious condo w/3 large BR/2BA within walking distance of the pool $174,000
3507 Ohio Ave.-Wonderful 3/2 home w/fabulous kitchen. Large master, nice backyard w/covered patio. Great updates, great price! .... U/C $165,000
1801 S. Weatherford St.-Open dining/living concept, 3/2 w/Texas sized master, walk-in closet & more $157,500
2314 Cuthbert Ave.-Great location, NEW carpet & paint, spacious and great big backyard $154,000
12300 E County Rd 120- Cute! Wonderfully updated home located on corner lot w/spacious rooms & plenty of storage! $149,905
13015 Amelia-Cute, clean & cozy 3 bedroom/2 bath home with so many updates! $147,500

Three Bedrooms

501 W. Kentucky Ave.-Great 3 bdrm/2 bth home on corner lot w/large backyard $133,000
403 E. Cedar-Nice 3 bedroom, 1 bath home, close to shopping and restaurants $85,000

Four Bedrooms

3215 Palo Verde Glen-Amazing property on 2 acres in town!! Open kitchen, wet bar! Huge patio for entertaining w/outdoor grill. Pool and spa! $1,950,000
3201 Lantana Ln.-Awesome one owner MR Lary custom in Live Oak Estates. Beautiful 2 acre landscaped lot. This house must be seen to truly appreciate all of the amenities $1,374,985
11 Hialeah Dr.-Exquisite 4/4.5 home w/much updating in exclusive gated Saddle Club Estates $924,000
1505 Seaboard-Spacious 4/3-2 living areas, formal dining, office and awesome loaded kitchen $569,900
4976 Rustic Trail-Fabulous on the golf course! 4BR/2.5BA, nice high ceilings! Beautifully updated kitchen! .... U/C $540,000
3604 W County Rd 145 - Beautiful custom home w/incredible woodwork throughout! Huge 35" x 79' insulated w/ship! So much more! On 3 acres $460,000
3124 Fairfield Ln-Stunning Mike Jackson home. Great layout! Backyard w/POOL is an oasis for your enjoyment! $451,400
5312 Scottsboro Ln.-Spectacular remodel! 4bdrm/3bth/2LA/3CG. Granite, hardwood, shutters, well for yard .... U/C $415,000
10506 E. Co. Rd. 104 - Fabulous 4 BR near Greenwood schools, gorgeous outdoor area with covered patio $380,000
1500 S. County Rd. 1005-Beautiful new construction on quiet street (dead ends) Large open floorplan $359,900
4305 Llano Ct.-Beautiful custom 4BR/2BA w/large covered patio and perfect sized backyard! .... U/C $340,000
2302 Stutz Pl.-Four spacious bedrooms and three and half baths plus an enormous living/dining area, great price! $324,900
1610 Pine- Huge, so much potential! Old Midland charm in this 4BR/4BA unbelievable home! $295,000
5304 Green Tree Blvd.-This Tuscany inspired 4/2.5 garden home boasts light open spaces and grand backyard arbor plus relaxing hot tub. SOLD $285,000
5011 Los Alamitos Dr - Lovely 4 Bedroom/3 Bath home in Saddle Club South $275,000
2904 Purple Sage Trl.-Lovely 4BR/3BA on cul-de-sac w/walls of windows and beautiful yard $260,500
1400 College Ave.-Cottage 4/2 cutie that was remodeled 4 years ago with refinished hardwood flooring, updated kitchen and baths. Soo darling! .... U/C $199,500
3300 S. County Rd. 1000-Great opportunity to have an acre of land in Greenwood. 4br/3 bath w/lots of space $169,000

Five or More Bedrooms

3101 Palo Verde Glen- Wonderful family home on 1.9 acres. Pristine condition, great floorplan $1,290,000
5016 Homestead-5BR, 5.5BA, 4LA, Golf Course view! .... U/C $895,000
6802 Island Circle- Outstanding home on the water in Green Tree! Well maintained dream home $819,000
1705 Douglas- Beautiful 5BR/3.5BA home in Old Midland! .... U/C $599,000
10310 S. County Rd. 1210-SkyWest airport home w/massive heated & cooled workshop. Plus so much more...WOW! $580,000
3101 S. Co. Rd. 1210 - 4,739 total sf w/3706 to include central heat & air. Lots of space here. Would be perfect for company employees etc. Plus doublewide mobile home included $294,000

For Lease

1011 Winfield-Rare find in fabulous neighborhood with 3BR/2BA and backyard pool! For Lease .... monthly $2,500
1513 Club Dr.-Lovely 2 bedroom/2 bath townhome on the corner of Club & Douglas. For Lease .... monthly $2,100
1500 A St.-2 yr. old beautiful townhome with 2 bedrooms/2 baths .... monthly $2,000
1702 E. New Jersey Ave.-3,200 sq ft office/warehouse, recently remodeled with water well .... monthly $1,725
2100 Wadley #29-Spacious condo w/3 bedrooms, master is downstairs .... monthly $1,700
1003 Tennessee-Extremely clean 3/1.5 rental two block from the hospital. Updated bathrooms and kitchen .... monthly $1,600
1400 Connell St.-6,000 sq. ft. industrial/whse w/2 restrooms, paved and fenced yard. Perfect for light duty manufacturing, warehouse or storage .... Call Bill Scott or Brandee Noll 682-1111

Lots, Land and Acreage

S. Co. Rd. 1120-Could be a great location for cattle and livestock, truck yard, pipe yard, etc. on 160 acres in Greenwood $2,800,000
I-20, West Murphy & Loop 338 in West Odessa-1116.26 acres, terrific frontage. Call Bill Scott or Brandee Noll 682-1111 .... $2,800,900

Lots, Land and Acreage

S. Co. Rd. 1040-Perfect area for subdivision development - 325.8 acres in Greenwood $1,383,200
4110 E. Co. Rd. 130-Land 32.3 acres. No Restrictions $707,370
1100 E. Co. Rd. 150-56.39 acres with a 4,500 sf quonset barn, mobile home can stay for $50,000. Perfect for oil field business or pipe yard. Call Bill Scott or Brandee Noll 682-1111 .... $491,120
5703 E. Co. Rd. 60-2784 sq. ft. w/in-law plan $395,000
4110 E. County Rd. 130-Land 15.70 Acres. No Restrictions $343,000
6701 Desert Wind-10 acres - Perfect for one home w/lots of land or nice location to develop a small community $250,000
2305 Sinclair Ave.-Wonderful, old Midland corner lot. Cleared and ready for construction $165,000
2701 S. County Rd. 1118-Prime location 1.336 acres, to build a home that could face either South County Road 1118 or East County Road 95 .... $87,000
2513 Regency Oaks Ct.-Wonderful cul-de-sac lot! Building Restrictions $84,000
2507 Legacy Oaks-Residential lot in Mockingbird Oaks. Building Restrictions $84,000
E. Co. Rd. 120-Four 1 acre lots in new subdivision in Greenwood - The Meadows .... U/C $80,000

Commercial Investment Property

2150 Oregon St., Odessa, Tx. 79764-Approx. 64,005 sq. ft. on 9.5377 acres, combination of warehouse/shop/office property .... Call Bill Scott or Brandee Noll 682-1111
3000 S. Co. Rd. 1290, Midland, Tx.-Includes 5 buildings on 9.852 acres. Total of 50,035 sq. ft. .... Call Bill Scott or Brandee Noll 682-1111
301 S. Lark Hwy., Odessa, Tx.-Includes 3 tracts with 3 buildings. Total square footage of 74,582 with both office buildings, warehouses, and a truck maintenance shop .... Call Bill Scott or Brandee Noll 682-1111
1400 Connell St.-6,000 sq. ft. industrial/whse w/2 restrooms, paved and fenced yard. Perfect for light duty manufacturing, warehouse or storage .... Call Bill Scott or Brandee Noll 682-1111
10 Desta Drive-For Sublease, approx. 13,599 sq. ft. of Class A office space - entire floor .... LEASED .Call Bill Scott or Brandee Noll 682-1111
Centennial Tower-Downtown Sublease, approx. 3,729 sq. ft., Class A Bldg. with covered parking .... Call Bill Scott or Brandee Noll 682-1111
Cruddick Hwy. & 158-205.4 Acres available for immediate industrial development. Call Bill or Brandee $3,000,000
Interstate 20-44.38 acres in Leeco Addition w/city utilities next to GE Oil & Gas. Call Bill or Brandee $2,804,700
3030 S. County Rd. 1290-23,336 sq. ft. Industrial Bldg. with 4.22 acres, across from Coors Bldg. between Midland & Odessa. Call Bill or Brandee .... SOLD $1,150,000
2211 S. County Rd. 1120-Greenwood property! 3 bdrm/2.5 bth home on 30 acres $795,000
2000 N. County Rd. 1150-Approx. 11,600 sq. ft. shop or industrial space, a 7,000 sq. ft. shop & 4 - 1,250 sq. ft. leasable spaces. Great man cave. Call Bill Scott or Brandee Noll @ 682-1111 .... $725,000
601 S. Garfield St.-Wonderful money making commercial building! $650,000
917 E. Industrial Loop-Midland, TX 11,470 sq. ft. warehouse or distribution center $625,000
5000 Block of S. Midkiff-2.0+/- acres for development, great for office complex. Call Bill Scott $575,000
Foodree Rd.-4.02 acres with city utilities in the Leeco Industrial Addition. Call Bill or Brandee $296,475
1730 FM 1936-Odessa, TX Two warehouse/shop buildings, fenced yard, city water, 480 sq. ft. office space $230,000
1010 W. Co. Rd. 120-Midland, TX Two buildings with fenced yard on 3.00 acres $200,000
1200 S. Big Spring-Midland, TX Approximately 3,354 sq. ft. retail building $135,000
6 Cotton Flat Rd.-Zoned Industrial Park $100,000

Out of Town Properties

91 Ward Rd.-Fabulous Lake Henry get-away. 3 bdrm/2bth home located within HOA gated community in Oak Canyon Estates $249,000
1717 Crescent Dr.-Wonderful 3 bdrm/2bth home w/pool in Odessa .... U/C $199,000
7254 Maxfield Ln.-Wonderful, like new 3/2 townhouse in a fantastic central location in Odessa .... U/C $162,000

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3400 Limestone Lane

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NEW CONSTRUCTION

Carrasco Homes

4405 San Carlos Court

3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2.5 car garage, priced @ $314,900

Ashington Homes

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5300 Brown Heart Lane

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Elgin Homes

1200 S. County Rd. 1118

4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, 3 car garage, priced @ $469,900

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~Jules Renard

RESIDENTIAL LISTINGS/HOME SITES/ACREAGE

RESIDENTIAL

1710 Dogwood Dr.	Odessa/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/1 Car Garage	U/C
2004 Wilshire Dr.	Odessa/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	$314,900
3803 St. Andrews Ct	Odessa/4 Bdrm/3 Ba/2 Car Garage	U/C
1005 College Ave.	Odessa/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 carport	SOLD
5109 Ashmun Place	Odessa/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	U/C
3302 Walnut Strip	Odessa/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	$305,000
1709 Ward Street	Odessa/4 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	$289,000
205 Diamond Circle	Odessa/3 Bdrm/2.5 Ba/2 Car Garage	$299,000
3409 Limestone Ln	Odessa/4 Bdrm/2.5 Ba/2 Car Garage	$424,000
4800 Irvin Drive	Odessa/4 Bdrm/3 Ba/2 Car Garage	$399,000
1413 Tiger	Odessa/4 Bdrm/2.5 Ba/2 Car Garage	U/C
5109 Timberlake Oaks Blvd	Odessa/4 Bdrm/4.5 Ba/3 Car Garage	$995,000

NEW CONSTRUCTION

604 Whitaker St	Carrasco Homes/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	U/C
303 E. Illinois St	Carrasco Homes/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	$199,500
1000 S. Illinois St	Carrasco Homes/4 Bdrm/3 Ba/ 2 Car Garage	$344,900
4404 San Carlos	Carrasco Homes/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	U/C
4405 San Carlos	Carrasco Homes/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2.5 Car Garage	$314,900
3005 Castle Rock	Ashington Homes/4 Bdrm/3 Ba/3 Car Garage	$382,500
7110 E. Co. Rd. 114	Crystal Homes/4 Bdrm/3 Ba/3 Car Garage	U/C
5300 Brown Heart Ln	Crystal Homes/4 Bdrm/3 Ba/3 Car Garage	U/C
5313 Brown Heart Ln	2nd Home/4 Bdrm/3 Ba/3 Car Garage	U/C

1209 S. Co. Rd. 1118	Elgin Homes/4 Bdrm/2.5 Ba/3 Car Garage	U/C
1213 S. Co. Rd. 1118	Elgin Homes/4 Bdrm/2.5 Ba/3 Car Garage	U/C
18 La Cangrena	Elgin Homes/4 Bdrm/4.5 Ba/3 Car Garage	$749,900

SUBURBAN/ACREAGE

4201 E. Co. Rd. 79	3 Shop buildings/2 RV Hook-ups/Approx. 1.000 acres	$99,500
2303 Co. Rd. 2031	Stanton/Mobile Home/3 Bdrm/2 Ba	$109,000
15288 N. Rollyhock Ave	Gardendale/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/1.305 Acres	U/C
4714 S. Co. Rd. 1250	4 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Carport	U/C
16307 N. Western	Gardendale/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	U/C
8602 S. Co. Rd. 1110	4 Bdrm/2 Ba/4 Car Garage	$280,000
2705 S. Co. Rd. 1114	Greenwood/4 Bdrm/2.5 Ba/1 Car Garage	$299,000
4201 S. Co. Rd. 1185	3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	$295,000
16403 N. Western Ave.	Gardendale/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Carport	U/C
208 E. Co. Rd. 127	3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	$329,500
2100 S. Co. Rd. 1130	3 Bdrm/3 Ba/2 Car Garage	$269,000
310 Co. Rd. 221	4 Bdrm/3 Ba/222 Approx. Acres	$975,000

SUBURBAN HOME SITES

Luna Rosa Estates	W. Co. Rd. 307/5.0-7 Acre Lots	Call Gary

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

302 S. Marienfeld	11,040 Sq. Ft./0.402 Acres	$750,000
Seal Parkway	3.00 Acres	$1,475,000
3000 Ohio Rd.	3.25 Acres/Office/Warehouse	$1,000,000

OUT OF TOWN PROPERTIES

121 Tomahawk Trail	Ruidoso/3 Bdrm/2 Ba	U/C
1401 HWY 176	Big Spring/20 Acres	$279,000
1901 Co. Rd. C 3200	Tarzan/4 Bdrm/3 Ba/Approx 4 Acres	$299,500

RENTAL PROPERTIES

18 La Cangrena Dr.	Odessa/3 Bdrm/4.5 Ba/3 Car Garage	$4,500
1115 Amistad Dr.	3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	$2,400
5309 Austin Dr.	3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	$2,300
2327 Glenmore Ave.	3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	$1,600
12200 W. Co. Rd. 30	Mobile Home/3 Bdrm/2 Ba	$1,300
3125 Storey Ave.	2 Bdrm/1 Ba	$1,100
4700 Boulder Ave.	2 Bdrm/2 Ba	$1,000
3316 Caldera Blvd. #107	1 Bdrm/1.5 Ba	$800
3316 Caldera Blvd. #109	1 Bdrm/1 Ba	$800
3316 Caldera Blvd. #233	1 Bdrm/1 Ba	$800
3316 Caldera Blvd. #242	1 Bdrm/1 Ba	$800
3330 Caldera Blvd. #210	1 Bdrm/1 Ba	$800

Contact Lillian Reynolds @ 432-210-2682

PARADE OF HOMES

5609 Camino Reale

4 bedrooms, 2 baths, 3 car garage, priced @ $382,500

5300 Brown Heart Lane

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5313 Brown Heart Lane

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300 WILLOWOOD DR.
$145,000

Are you a first time home buyer or know someone looking for their first home? Well take a look at this cute home priced just right! New carpet, less than 2 year old flooring, all appliances stay, landscaped front and back yard with very little maintenance and a bonus room! Don't miss out on this ready to move in home! Schedule your appointment today!

Shown by Heather Johnson, 325-650-9007

OPEN TODAY 2:00-3:00
4113 LEHIGH DR.
$349,900

Fabulous 4BR/3.5BA, plus bonus room. Four car garage! 2 living areas, dining room, huge kitchen w/granite! Double convections ovens, island, built-in desk, gas cook top! Large master w/new carpet, huge master bath with 2 closets! 3BR/2BA upstairs! New fans, plantation shutters! All baths have been tiled! Steel shingled roof, new energy efficient AC/Heat unit and two cool/heat units. Must see!

Shown by Ruth Young, 432-352-0996

OPEN TODAY 2:00-4:00
3301 CORD DR.
$259,900

Open concept living & dining w/a super big kitchen. Seller has done many updates. All recent appliances, granite on cabinet tops, new kitchen cabinets (unfinished), beautiful wood look tile in living, formal dining, hall & bdrms. Some painting & updates are in progress. Oak cabinets in kitchen. Seller will give allowance to paint or stain. Very nice 4 bdrm, 2 1/2 baths, 2 living, 2 dining & 2 car garage.

Shown by Henry Munoz, 432-234-4096

5302 OAK VALLEY DR.
$425,000

Don't miss this Gorgeous custom home! 4 bedroom, 3 bath. Sequestered master suite has walls of arched windows and wonderful master bath. Gourmet kitchen with beautiful cabinetry, tons of granite, huge breakfast bar, gas cook top, pantry and breakfast nook. Formal dining area, large living with beautiful gas log fireplace and built-ins. Second living, play room or study. Nice yard & covered patio.

Call Sharon Horton, 432-853-7875

409 SHANDON AVE.
$115,000

Adorable and cute!! 3 bed room home. Nice size living room, with picture window looking out to a large back yard. Spacious bed rooms this house is a must see for you growing family!!!!!

Call Tanya Salas, 432-271-6737

4+ BEDROOM			3 BEDROOM			2 BEDROOM	
1104 DOGWOOD DR		SOLD	504 S. CO. RD. 1205	FACT ID #1205	$314,900	1107 E. 6TH	$135,000
4 DUNRAVEN COURT		PRICE REDUCED $457,500	4201 ROSEWOOD	FACT ID #1206	PRICE REDUCED $310,000		
5302 OAK VALLEY DR	FACT ID #1072	$425,000	2301 TERRACE AVE	FACT ID #1211	$134,900	IRA TEXAS	
5307 PRAIRIE RIDGE	FACT ID #1059	U/C	901 SW A LANE		SOLD	1101 EDMONDS LAND IRA, TX	$1,200,000
4113 LEHIGH DR	FACT ID #1055	PRICE REDUCED $349,900	5209 S. ARCHER AVE		SOLD	ODESSA	
3108 LAKEHILL LOOP		$335,000	3624 E. SINCLAIR AVE	FACT ID #1058	SOLD	2207 ANDREWS HWY - FUN CITY	$250,000
1116 CRAIG DR	FACT ID #1061	$335,000	3616 W. MICHIGAN	FACT ID #1057	U/C	1109 SAN MARINO DR	FACT ID #1041	$245,000
3309 ARAPAHOE DR	FACT ID #1051	PRICE REDUCED $325,000	309 WILLOWOOD DR	FACT ID #1076	$145,000	1105 E. 52ND ST - DUPLEX	FACT ID #1040	$238,000
3005 S. CO. RD. 1205	FACT ID #1063	$315,000	4113 STOREY AVE		$349,900	1115 W. CARPENTER		$210,000
2301 FAIRWAY CT	FACT ID #1064	PRICE REDUCED $309,000	3301 E. PARKER AVE	FACT ID #1081	$259,900	1109 HOLIDAY DR	FACT ID #1042	$198,000
3121 SAN SARA AVE		U/C	4202 E. HARVARD AVE	FACT ID #1082	$139,900	1104 E. 52ND ST		SOLD
3109 S. PEACH DR	FACT ID #1047	$279,900	4417 HARLOW DR	FACT ID #1083	$135,000	2300 E. 52ND ST	FACT ID #1038	PRICE REDUCED $99,900
3 CAMP DR	FACT ID #1049	$264,900	4417 HARLOW DR	FACT ID #1084	$135,000	2401 W. 42ND ST - 2 FURNISHED HOMES ON 1 LOT		$25,000
3121 S. CO. RD. 1205	FACT ID #1050	$249,900	3616 SHANDON AVE	FACT ID #1085	$115,000	STANTON		
3309 S. ANGUS AVE	FACT ID #1053	PRICE REDUCED $139,900	3705 E. FORTUNA	FACT ID #1086	$115,000	901 W. CARPENTER STANTON, TX		$110,000
	FACT ID #1054	$110,000	3701 E. KENTUCKY	FACT ID #1087	$110,000	MCCAMEY		
3 BEDROOM			2 BEDROOM			2105 S. BOULEVARD MCCAMEY, TX - DUPLEX		$175,000
1107 E. 6TH	FACT ID #1110	$135,000	1107 E. 6TH	FACT ID #1110	$135,000	FOR LEASE		
			3609 E. HOWARD AVE	FACT ID #1088	$110,000	1406 LANHAM		$2,200/MO
						3001 BEDFORD AVE		$1650/MO

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$313 GREENHOUSE AVE. - $309,900 — 3 bed/2 bath, 1,611 sq. ft. Home was extra garage, lovely kitchen w/granite throughout, beautiful engineered hardwood floors in living/ eat-in kitchen, granite counters, skylight tub, and walk-in shower, high ceilings, plantation shutters, gorgeous tile, and wood crown molding throughout. This wonderful 4 bedroom home also includes a study.

10031 E. COUNTY RD. 104 E. - $315,900 — Lovely well maintained one owner custom on .25 acre lot! Spacious corner lot w/ circular drive leads to front porch. Spacious living area with, Open kitchen w/lots of cabinets & walk-in pantry. Tile floors thru most entire, separate tub & shower, Round windows, Oversized patio overlooks big yard w/mature cedar trees provide such & "BIG" drop w/electricity.

5915 BUCKSKIND COVE - $529,000 — Custom custom executive home! Gorgeous full GE w/SS appliances, granite counters, wood floors & tile throughout, Master bdrm w/sitting area, Master bath w/ jetted tub, separate shower, dual sinks, Great room w/ soaring 12 foot ceilings, 3 beds, custom cabinets w/built-in spice rack, tray ceiling & crown molding, Study, Large patio, Sprinkler system, Extra large 3 car garage & much more. Call today!

5317 PRAIRIE RIDGE - $464,900 — Spectacular 4 bedroom/3 bath home! Gorgeous hardwood floors throughout, wonderful open great room w/ fireplace, Kitchen w/ granite counters, SS appliances, breakfast bar, & walk-in pantry, Master bdrm w/ sitting area, Master bath w/ jetted tub, separate shower, & dual sinks, Beautiful granite w/natural edges, Premium surround sound throughout, Luxurious, Must to see! Call today, you deserve it! Big closet, 4th bed is oversized and could be media room!

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MIDLAND

5527 Bella Plaza - 3 bed, 2.5 bath 2,011 sq. ft. $400,000
1910 Elm Lane 3 bedroom 2.5 bath in Green Tree $429,000
5328 Bella Plaza - 4 bedroom, 3 bath, Luxury living home in Green Tree $395,000
305 Kilgoward - Great investment Property, income producing quadraplex with 4 tenants in place $339,000
1617 San Donaldson - 4 bedroom 2.5 bath gated back yard $292,000
2032 Lavelle - 3 bedrooms 2 bath 2 car garage Gorgeous New cul de sac/home ..... Under Contract $294,000
12019 W Edgewood 3 bedroom 2 bath 1493 Sq ft ! ! ! Of course custom cabinets and granite with stained floors and plenty of room $342,000
4312 Bangor - Update kitchen with granite & stainless appliances and flooring, new window throughout ..... Under Contract $316,000
3205 Shell - 3br 2bath single storage, Fenced without distress $239,000
1616 Biggs - 3 Bedroom $214,000
2511 Rankin - 3 br 2 bath with pool $215,000
4304 W. Orange - 3/2 spacious and immaculate $199,000
3910 E OK 140 - 3/2/1 with an 8 acres. Large living, recent water heater, AC, phone, dishwasher. Storage building and large workshop. 3 bedroom 2 ..... $199,000
4309 Lesley - updated 3 bedroom 2 bath with 2 car garage with 2 living areas priced to move $179,000
311 Hodgkins Dr. - 3 br 2 bath 2 car garage, new appliances, updated baths and kitchen $199,000
5108 Thomason - 3br 2bath 2 car updated bathrooms, close to hwy and schools $199,000
2107 Kentucky Way 2 homes for $142,000
500 Maxwell 2 bedrooms 1 bath 924 sq ft huge back yard great price $84,900
4708 Dunbar Circle 1953 2 bedroom 1 bath $84,900

MIDLAND RENTAL

5307 Bella Plaza - 3 bed 2.5 bath patio home 2,011 sq. ft. ..... $1,500 month
1712 Princeton Ave - Fantastic large backyard with circular block home 3 bedroom 2 bath 4+ car garage ..... $2,200 month
1000 N. Big Spring - commercial suite ..... $1,000 month
1210 Cleveland ..... $1,400 month
211 & 215 Edgewood St. ..... $1,000 month
501 W Sutherland - 512 sq ft ..... $525 month

ODESSA RENTAL

705 Hill Country ..... $1000 month

ODESSA

6012 W County Road - 3/2/2/2 Spacious floorplan, formal living, large eat-in kitchen and Priced to move ..... $1,600 month

ODESSA

609 E. 16th - 3 bedroom 2 bath, less than 5 years old, 2 large bedrooms, master bath has tile and linen closets and jetted tub $212,900
709 Sunset Avenue 3 bedroom 2 bath 1700 sq ft Charming home and maintained neighborhood $185,000
1502 Pedro Dr. - 3/2 2 living areas, 2004 sq ft $189,900
5727 Lamar Ave. Odessa - 3/2 very nice, brand-in-new Cheap building, very cut ..... PRICE REDUCED $139,000
2101 W. 16th - 3/2/2 close to the living and shopping. Minutes from I-20. Affordably priced at $117,000
1605 E 36th St. - 3/1/1 Wood shingle, updated kitchen, updated bathroom and laundry/ enclosed home. $85,000
609 30th St. - move in ready with recent upgrad ..... PRICE REDUCED $89,000

1200 E 52 St - In coveted Greenwood. Practically new 3/2 on 4.72 acres with 2 septic systems. No restrictions. $174,900
6317 County Rd. 70 // Acres Mid/ Restrictions. Greenwood Schools $15,000
E County Rd. 91 10 acres $35,000 or may be subdivided into 2.5 acre tracts for $55,000

STANTON

1015 SCR 1051 - 4 bedroom 2 bath 2014 mobile home on private property/ 5+ acre land $179,000

GARDENDALE

7 lots in Gardendale for sale with 1.9 water meter. Subdivision water available. Call for more information ..... $6,000 each

GREENTREE

Big lease 6 lots available in Green Tree North on Elton Joyce Way for ..... $75,000 per lot or builder will construct build

LENORAH

3309 CR/ 3309 Lenorah TX - 3 bedroom 2 bath with 2.36 acres in Greta school district/ home fitted with average details $210,362

LOTS & COMMERCIAL LISTINGS

3001 N Loop 2084 - 21 Acres $22,147,000
CR 66 - 343.5 acres multi use property $1,300,000
1001 Airport Road $350,000
CR 66 - 5 lots of .46 acres each $65,000
Lot available in Florida - 10 acre, Of Fourth and Fresno. Close to everything $1,500

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SUNDAY FEATURED HOMES

2633 Lonako Ave., Midland, TX
Beautiful home with lots to offer. Living area, downstairs and upstairs bathroom, 3 bedrooms, 2 bath rooms, 2 living rooms, formal dining, and great location. Large open backyard with covered patio and circular drive. The kitchen offers granite counter tops, a dishwasher, stove, microwave and a pantry. A private patio with a hot tub. Low maintenance yard.
Call Warner Ivey 432-238-7832

1309 Pecan Ave., Midland, TX
DELIGHTFUL THREE BEDROOM, TWO BATH HOME located on a DEAD END STREET. Open floor plan, stunning cabinets, tile backsplash, stainless appliances, recreational master tub and tiled shower, crown molding, blinds, low window sill from bedroom. Covered Patio, large back yard with brick/cedar fence. ZONE 1 AREA, DUT, 2nd YEAR UPGRADES!!!
Call Christi Jones 432-940-0477

2215 S County Rd. 1133, Midland, TX
NEEDLESS TO SAY, AMAZING! This home has BEAUTIFUL granite counter tops throughout, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bathroom home, master bedroom has his and hers closets and jetted tub, separate shower, dual sinks, great room with soaring 12 foot ceilings, open floor plan, stunning fireplace, kitchen w/ granite counters, SS appliances, breakfast bar, & walk-in pantry, Master bdrm w/ sitting area, Master bath w/ jetted tub, separate shower, & dual sinks, Great room w/ soaring 12 foot ceilings, 3 beds, custom cabinets w/built-in spice rack, tray ceiling & crown molding throughout, Study, Large patio, Sprinkler system, Extra large 3 car garage & much more. Call today!
Call Jamie McMahan 432-664-0913

Warren Ivey Managing Broker 432-238-7832

Sarah Ivey Managing Broker 432-238-8392

2404 Fairview Lane, Midland, TX
Nice maintained home with 3 bedroom, 2.5 bathrooms, 1 car garage, study, formal dining, and a large living area with "cozy" wood burning fireplace. Kitchen has a breakfast nook, pantry, and refrigerator. Master bedroom has a walk-in closet and master bathroom with double sinks and a garden tub. Fenced backyard with covered patio. Call today!
Call Bobby McCourt 432-967-0852

4823 Stacy Ave., Midland, TX
THIS 3 YEAR UPGRADED HOME! Three Bedrooms, two Bathrooms, Formal Living Area with a gas log fire with a Marble Hearth. Custom kitchen cabinetry, granite tops and backsplash, stainless appliances, microwave, dishwasher and free standing gas range. Beautiful tile work and counter tops in both bathrooms. Three spacious bedrooms, all are carpeted, attached carport with side access.
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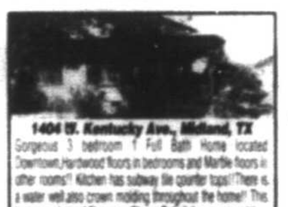
1404 W. Kentucky Ave., Midland, TX
Gorgeous 3 bedroom 1 Full Bath Home located in Downtown! Hardwood floors in bedrooms and Marble floors in other rooms! Kitchen has subway tile counter tops! There is a water well also known installed throughout the home! This home has lots of Character/Charm! Definitely a must see!
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2089 S Co. Rd. 1007, Midland, TX
NEXT TO NEW MIDLAND! 3 br, 2 bathroom, 1 1/2 car garage with a 2 car carport. Open floor plan, very nice. Living area, Dining area, Kitchen & Appliances. Jim Bowie Elementary, Legacy Middle School & Midland High School. Call today!
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4412 A&B Thomason, Midland, TX
GREAT INCOME! 4 BEDROOM 4 BATHROOM HOME. Two living areas with a fireplace in each. Formal dining area. Dining area. Kitchen has a breakfast bar, pantry, and refrigerator. Refrigerator, range, and dishwasher all stay with the home. Master bedroom has a walk-in closet and master bathroom with double sinks and a garden tub. Two bedrooms downstairs with a Jack and Jill bathroom. Two bedrooms upstairs with a Jack and Jill bathroom. Call today!
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304 N. Dewberry Dr., Midland, TX
CHARMING, THREE BEDROOM TWO BATHROOM HOME. This home offers an open floor plan with a formal dining area, and a breakfast nook. The kitchen has a gas cooktop, built in oven, and a pantry. Master bedroom has a walk-in closet, and an open entry to the living area which has a large window that looks out on the backyard. Master bathroom has a garden tub and a separate shower. Two bedrooms downstairs with a Jack and Jill bathroom. Master bedroom upstairs with a walk-in closet. Covered Patio and fenced backyard.
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OPEN TODAY 1:00-2:00
5000 Bluebird Branch Ct., Midland, TX
Beautiful home with 4 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, and 2 car garage. Open floor plan with a formal dining area, and a breakfast nook. Kitchen has a gas cooktop, built in oven, and a pantry. Master bedroom has a walk-in closet, and an open entry to the living area which has a large window that looks out on the backyard. Master bathroom has a garden tub and a separate shower. Two bedrooms downstairs with a Jack and Jill bathroom. Master bedroom upstairs with a walk-in closet. Covered Patio and fenced backyard.
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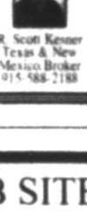
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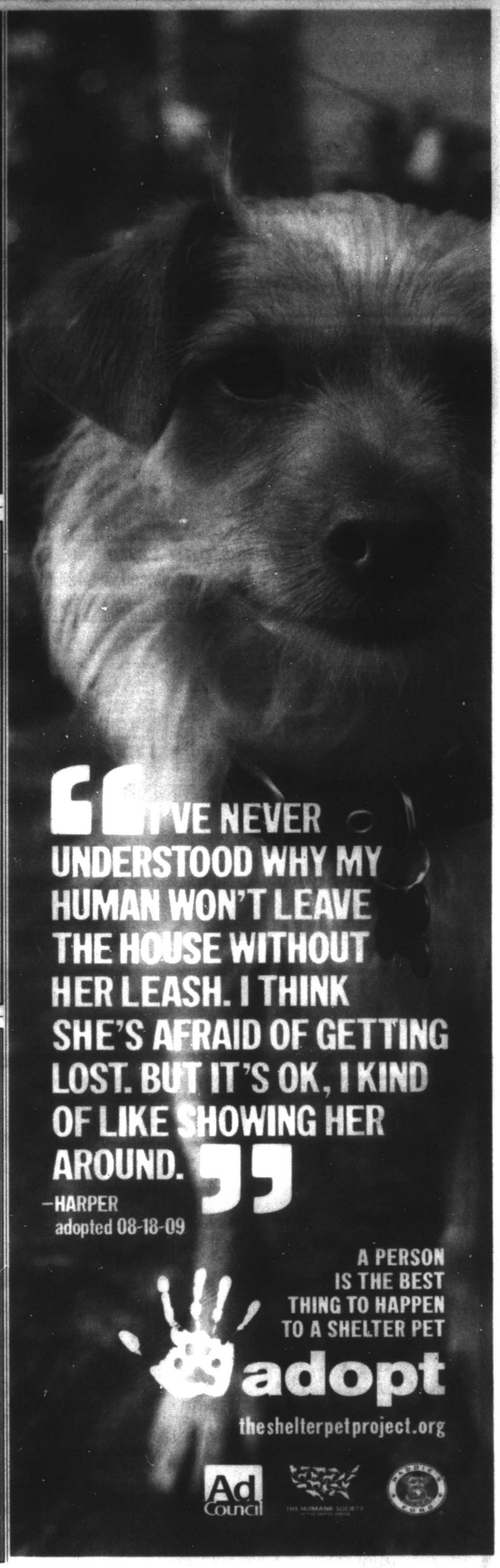
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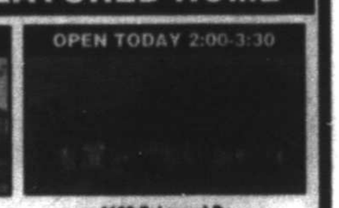
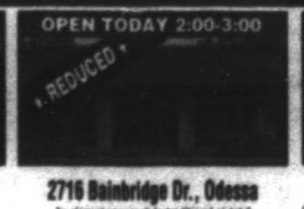
SUNDAY OPEN HOUSES & FEATURED HOME

OPEN TODAY 3:00-4:00
60 Via Playa, Odessa
Fabulous 2 bedroom/2 bath townhome in Lakeside Estates! Separate patios, views of lake, storage, vaulted ceilings, skylights, gas fireplace, finished out attic for storage, well kept.
$210,000

OPEN TODAY 1:00-2:00
4405 Casa Verde Ct.
Contemporary means now!! This 3 bedroom/2.5 bath home is loaded with brick wall accents, soft grays throughout, premier cabinets, top of the line granite kitchen! Low maintenance yard.
$429,000


OPEN TODAY 2:00-3:30
4100 Fairwood Dr.
Open the page of "House Beautiful" and step into this 3 bedroom/3.5 bath home on a lot & a half! Private study/workout room/2 poss/ble play area! Luxurious master bedroom!
$750,000

OPEN TODAY 1:00-3:00
6606 Mesquite Dr.
Spectacular! 4 bedroom/3 bath/4-car garage low maintenance home! Fabulous finishes, upgraded granite and appliances! High ceilings! Wonderful private master suite! A must see!
$499,000


OPEN TODAY 2:00-3:00
REDUCED
2716 Bainbridge Dr., Odessa
An elegant approach to traditional style! 6 bedrooms/5baths/3-car garage/media room! Your own private gym! Gorgeous custom pool area! Enormous gourmet kitchen, perfect for upcoming holidays!
$699,000

OPEN TODAY 1:00-2:00
5805 Rio Grande Ave.
Great 3 bedroom/2bath Payne model that's light & bright with open floorplan! Covered patio great for entertaining! Replacement master w/double vanities, jetted tub & big walk-in closet!
$269,000

OPEN TODAY 3:00-4:00
405 Pinewood Ct.
Outstanding 3 bedroom/2 bath home with light & bright open floor plan! Separated master! Cooks kitchen w/stainless appliances, beautiful Alder Wood custom cabinets, granite counters! Home office!
$345,000

Gorgeous!!
9206 Dublin St., Odessa
Upgraded to the Max!! Check out the extras in this 4 bedroom/2 bath home! Crown molding, floors, recent paint, full granite, bath front! & backyards! Corner fireplace. 10-ft ceilings!
$260,000

Stunning!
25 Durham St.
Be the first to own this Stunning 4 bedroom/3 bath home! Rock and brick accents, Barrel ceiling in entry, Gorgeous round wood ceilings in den, Open kitchen w/ stainless appliances, granite counters.
$434,900

Spectacular!
4009 Oporto St.
Gorgeous 4 bedroom/2 bath estate with rare 3-car garage! Loaded w/full life and appliance package. High ceilings. Open plan w/Gourmet Kitchen! Corner fireplace. Separated Master!
$310,000

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HOMEWISE

Real Estate Tips and Advice

Making Smart Hires

You may find the home building process a bit like being a boss.

There are multiple balls to juggle and stringent deadlines to meet. There are various moving parts, contractors to choose and checks to sign.

Building a home also will require the hiring of many people for different jobs. Starting the home building project with smart hires is the only way to go. So how do you make sure this happens? You'll need connections, trust and some luck along the way, but orchestrating an enjoyable building experience is definitely within reach.

Contractors

Hiring an architect or contractor is the first piece of business. Many of them handle the hiring of sub-contractors themselves, so it's important that you trust their judgment of character, integrity and work ethic.

According to the Federal Trade Commission, these are the types of contractors involved in a new home build:

- General contractor, who manages all aspects of a project, including hiring and supervising subcontractors, getting building permits and scheduling inspections.
- Specialty contractor, who installs particular products, such as cabinets and bathroom fixtures. This also can include a pool installer or solar system expert.
- Architect, who designs homes, additions and major renovations — especially ones involving structural changes.
- Designer or design-builder contractor, who provides both services.

Research/Questions

To find the right contractors, why not start with your local network? Ask friends, neighbors or co-workers about local contractors and firms. Check out your local newspaper for ads in the daily section or classifieds section. Put out the question to your social media networks to see who your friends and family endorse.

Look for a currently licensed and established company that is insured appropriately. Ask for references and always ask to review required building permits. Remember that final cost isn't always the most important factor. In the end, you want to be comfortable asking questions and making changes with your contractor. It's important to find a hard worker who also understands your personality and goals.

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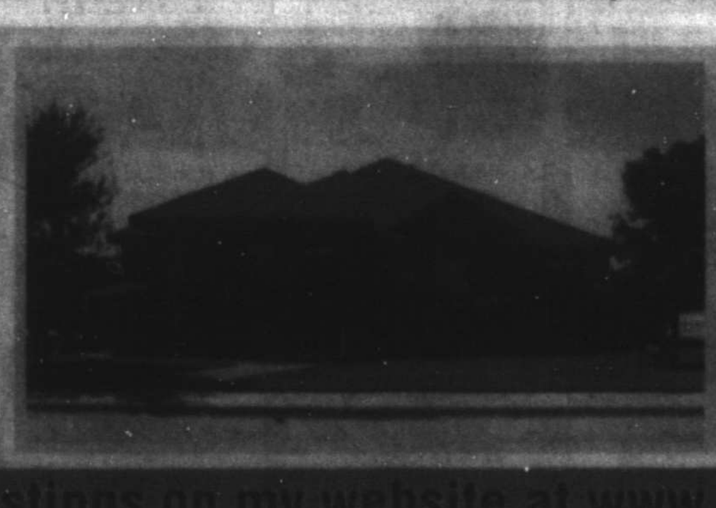

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OPEN 1:00-2:00

5907 SABINE DRIVE - $359,000

3114 PALO VERDE GLEN - $1,299,000

1909 PAGEWOOD DR. - $605,000

5213 ELLEN JAYNE WAY - $495,000

2806 EMERSON LANE - $350,000

1207 PORTERFIELD RD. - $309,500

OPEN 1:30-2:30

1001 W SCHARBAUER DR. - $165,000

913 KEYSTONE CT. - $1,150,000

3102 SEABOARD AVE. - $600,000

5621 HATHAWAY CT. - $450,000

6020 FRIO DR. - $316,500

6118 CANDLESTICK - $300,000

OPEN 2:00-3:00

5812 OAK CREEK DR. - $372,500

215 WINDRIDGE CIRCLE - $750,000

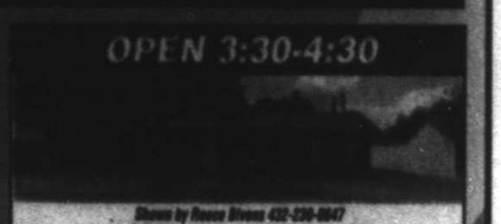
4100 BAYBROOK DR. - $525,000

1903 S. CO. RD. 1140 - $400,000

806 LAWSON AVE. - $310,000

2805 DOUGLAS AVE. - $295,000

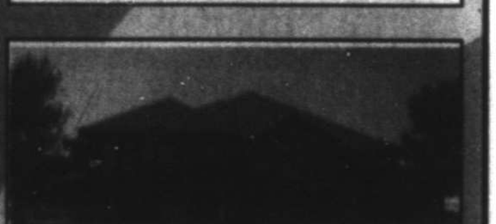
OPEN 3:30-4:30



813 SHELL AVE. - $200,000

2012 FRINGEWOOD DR. - $615,000

4408 COYOTE TRAIL $510,000



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1208 PORTERFIELD - $309,500

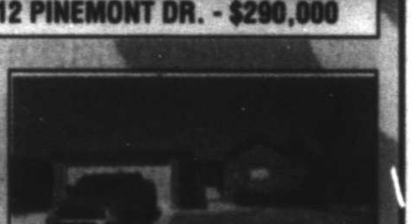
3412 PINEMONT DR. - $290,000

2905 CALDERA BLVD.
$275,000

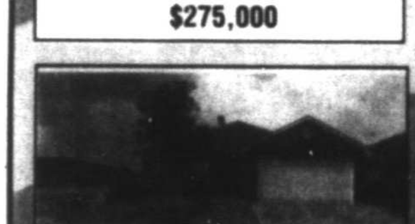
7305 GIOTTO STREET
$270,000

3013 MOSS AVE.
$272,500

5213 SAN ANTONIO AVE.
$235,000



1125 PORTERFIELD RD.
$222,500



5801 NOLAN RYAN DR.
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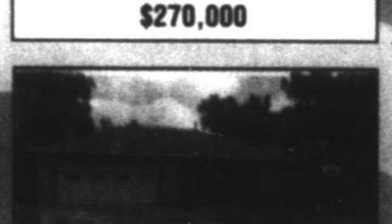

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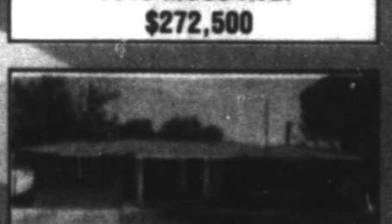

3002 PRINCETON AVE.
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2403 EMERSON CT.
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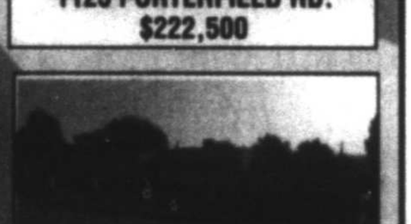

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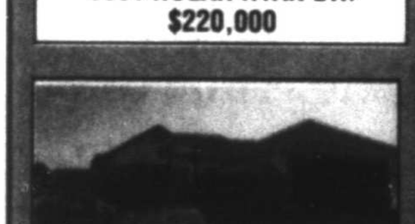

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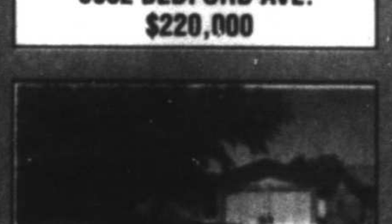

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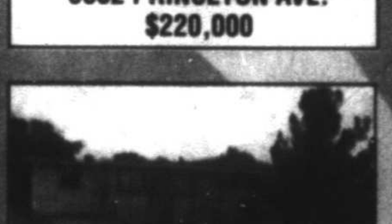

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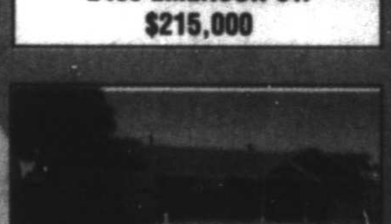

3620 SINCLAIR AVE.
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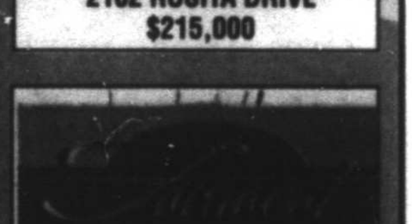

4700 BOULDER #101
$70,000

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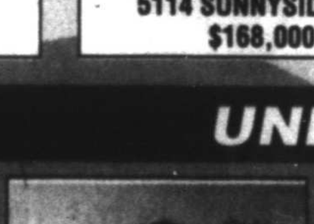
1905 JADEWOOD DR.
$525,000

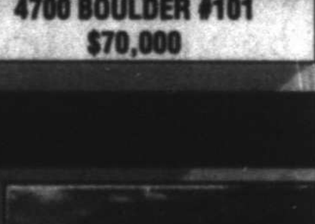


SALE PENDING
6005 BARTON SPRINGS CT.
$369,000

SALE PENDING
2011 COLEMAN CT.
$369,000

SALE PENDING
5012 FRIO DR.
$325,500

SALE PENDING
3322 HAYNES AVE.
$275,000



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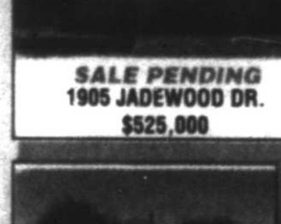

SALE PENDING
5012 PEDERNALES
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SALE PENDING
2902 DORA PLACE
$230,000

SALE PENDING
1206 PORTERFIELD
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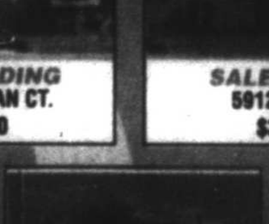

SALE PENDING
6216 BLUE HAVEN DR.
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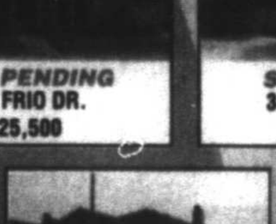

SALE PENDING
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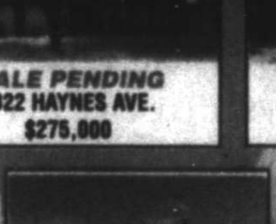

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3316 CAMARIE AVE.
$195,000

SALE PENDING
3000 ILLINOIS #40
$57,500

SOLD LISTINGS

★★SOLD★★
6012 DUNBARTON OAKS BLVD.
$1,700,000

★★SOLD★★
531 SIR BARTON
$1,600,000

★★SOLD★★
6201 ALYSHEBA LANE
$1,300,000

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6004 DREXEL COURT
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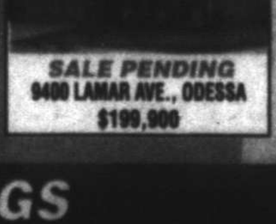

★★SOLD★★
1929 PAGEWOOD
$700,000

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804 CANONERO
$535,000

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4001 EDGEBROOK DR.
$500,000

★★SOLD★★
729 PINEHURST DR.
$458,000

★★SOLD★★
1502 PRINCETON AVE.
$370,000

★★SOLD★★
514 COLISEUM CT.
$275,000

★★SOLD★★
2618 TERRACE AVE.
$264,000

★★SOLD★★
2826 FANNIN AVE.
$260,000

★★SOLD★★
3203 W DENGAR AVE.
$227,000

★★SOLD★★
3100 TEALWOOD PLACE
$180,000

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SUNDAY FEATURED HOME

5803 S. County Road 1200
$320,000

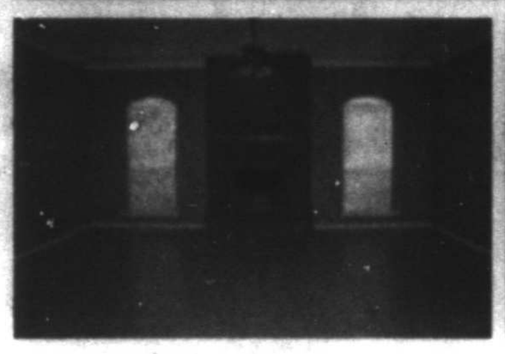
Open House 1:00-2:30

PERSONALITY PLUS! This unique 3394 square feet country property built in the 30s has had charm restored to every nook and cranny and sits on over 8 acres of land. This home features 2 bedrooms downstairs, 2 suite-style bedrooms upstairs, 3.5 baths, and 2 fabulous living areas. Soaring ceilings, hardwood floors, built-in bookcases, a 2nd story balcony, dual sinks & separate tub/shower in master, a single car garage, 4 carports, and a large workshop complete this must-see listing!

5013 Pimlico - $347,500

Open House 3:00-4:30

MOVE-IN READY!! This beautiful 4 bedroom home is situated on over half an acre and has a true sequestered floor plan. Enjoy the privacy afforded by the main 3 bedrooms and 2 baths being on one end of the house while your adult child or parent enjoys their own privacy in a secluded area that includes its own small kitchenette, bedroom, bath and private entrance on the opposite end. An open-concept kitchen, dining, living area centers the entire home and opens onto a lovely sunporch which overlooks a large patio and landscaped yard. You will enjoy many sunsets from the shade of the mature trees if you can resist the urge to take a dip in the unique, rocked pool on the opposite end of the same yard. Trailer or RV? No problem. There's plenty of room for extra parking on the open land behind the backyard fence. All within minutes of shopping and restaurants. Don't miss seeing this one!



Susan Palmer, Realtor Associate
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SUNDAY OPEN HOUSES

OPEN 1:00-2:00
910 Douglas - $850,000
5BD/4.5BA
Listed by Ashley St. John

OPEN 1:00-2:00
3404 Sinclair Ave. - $190,500
3BD/2BA
Listed & Shown by Denise Brasher

OPEN 1:00-2:00
5007 Sabine Dr. - $389,000
4BD/2BA
Listed by DeLaura Gammage
Shown by Stacy Gonzalez

OPEN 1:00-2:00
3330 Providence
3BD/2BA
Shown by Pam Messer

OPEN 1:00-3:30
5507 Sundance - $321,000
4BD/3BA/1LA/3CG
Listed & Shown by Sandy J. Hanson

OPEN 1:30-3:30
4300 Crowley Boulevard - $420,000
Listed by Josie Reeder
Shown by Mark Philliber

OPEN 1:30-2:30
4073 Rustic Trail - $439,000
Listed & Shown by Reannah Glover

OPEN 1:30-2:30
1107 Cedar Creek Rd. - $229,900
4BD/2BA
Listed by Cheryl Parrish

OPEN 1:30-2:30
5506 Rio Grande Ave. - $289,000
3BD/2BA
Listed by Kalli Moss

OPEN 1:30-2:30
1001 Scharbauer Dr. - $165,000
3BD/2BA
Listed by DeLaura Gammage
Shown by Reece Bivens

OPEN 1:30-3:00
5108 Widener Strip - $850,000
5BD/4BA
Listed & Shown by Danny Norwood

OPEN 2:00-3:00
5612 Oak Creek Dr. - $372,500
4BD/2.5BA
Listed by DeLaura Gammage
Shown by Madison Shaw

OPEN 2:00-3:00
3301 Wedgwood St. - $262,500
3BD/2BA
Listed & Shown by Kay Bivens

OPEN 2:00-3:00
3341 Providence
3BD/2BA + Pool
Shown by Josie Alvarez

OPEN 2:00-3:00
4503 E. Co. Rd. 60 - $625,000
Listed by Virginia Elizondo
Shown by Darlene Morales

OPEN 2:15-3:15
3007 Lockheed Dr. - $419,900
3BD/3BA
Listed & Shown by Denise Brasher

OPEN 2:30-3:30
3705 Fairhaven - $237,500
3BD/2.5BA
Listed by Ashley St. John

OPEN 2:30-3:30
2603 Sentinel Drive - $489,900
4BD/4BA
Listed & Shown by Pam Messer

OPEN 2:30-3:30
4713 Cindy Place - $224,000
Listed by Stacy Gonzalez

OPEN 2:00-4:00
8204 Teakwood Trace - $399,000
Listed & Shown by Reannah Glover

OPEN 2:00-4:00
4002 Lehigh Dr. - $259,950
4BD/2.5BA/1LA/2CG
Listed & Shown by Sandy J. Hanson

OPEN 2:00-4:00
3213 Chelsea Place - $289,900
3BD/2BA/3CG
Listed by Tracy Farrow
Shown by Melody Carroll

OPEN 2:30-4:30
3214 Stutz Drive
Listed by Madison Shaw

OPEN 2:30-4:30
513 Snell Ave. - $200,000
3BD/2BA
Listed by DeLaura Gammage
Shown by Reece Bivens

OPEN 2:30-4:30
3003 Bayerlage Ct. - $309,900
Listed by Sandy J. Hanson
Shown by Kalli Moss

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SUNDAY OPEN HOUSES

OPEN 1:00-2:30

5507 SUNDANCE

Fabulous Grassland Property that boast 4 bdrms, 3 bath, 1 living plus 3 garage! Beautiful "wood look" ceramic tile flooring flows through the open living room, entry and kitchen. Great kitchen complete w/recently added counter tops! Sequestered master bdrm, tons of natural light.... Don't miss this one!
$321,000 MLS# 50003500

OPEN 3:00-4:00

4002 LEHIGH DRIVE

This one is simply beautiful....tons of updating throughout in this fabulous 4 bdrm, 2.5 bath, 1 living, 2 car garage home! So move-in ready, just bring your boxes and unpack! Unbelievable floor plan, lush landscaping, situated on a beautiful centrally located tree lined street. Come see....you'll be impressed!
$299,000 MLS# 50004000

OPEN 3:30-4:30

3004 BAYBRIDGE COURT

Beautiful from Top to Bottom....you'll love this home! Awesome open floor plan complete w/beautiful tile flooring, wall of windows, plus an unbelievable kitchen that will bring a smile to the "Chef" of the family! Spacious master bdrm plus bath this boast dual sinks & separate closets ...Lots of great storage, granite counters and low maintenance backyard!
A Must See!! $309,900 MLS# 50004570

FEATURED LISTINGS

9709 FM 307	3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 1 living, pool, guest house	MLS #50004561		$800,000
7000 ALMEY CT.	5 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, 2 LA, 2 DA, outdoor kitchen, pool	MLS #50002533		$651,000
1306 WCR 130	2 Homes, Barn, Shop & Wood Shop on 12.49 Acres	MLS #50001502	OFFER WELCOME	$449,000
801 ECR 139	4 bedrooms, 2 bath, 4.44 acres, pool	MLS #50003946		$369,900
5602 SCR 1214	New Construction 4 bed/2 bath on 1.062 Acre	MLS #50002202	SOLD	$369,600
3305 Feldspar Ln.	4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, 2 living areas, 3 car garage	MLS #50004761	NEW LISTING	$345,000
5601 SCR 1214	New Construction 4 bed/2.5 baths on 1.048 Acre	MLS #50002033		$329,600
7411 ECR 93	4 bedrooms, 2 baths, Greenwood	MLS #50003884		$325,000
5507 Sundance Cr.	4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, cul-de-sac	MLS #50003680	NEW PRICE	$321,000
3004 Baybridge Ct.	3 bedrooms, 2 bath, 1 living,	MLS #50004570		$309,900
5605 SCR 1214	New Construction 4 bed/2 bath on 1.045 Acre	MLS #50002196		$303,750
1004 N. A St.	3 bedrooms, 2 baths	MLS #50004815	NEW LISTING	$259,950
4002 Lehigh Dr.	4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, 1 living	MLS #50004668		$259,900
3200 W. Wadley	3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, 2 living, 2 car garage, RV space	MLS #50004231	UNDER CONTRACT	$242,900
505 Coliseum Ct.	3 bedroom, 2 baths, 1 living, 2 garage	MLS# 50005030		$209,900
5110 Blue Haven	3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 1 living	MLS #50004813	UNDER CONTRACT	$168,900
4500 Palmer	3 bedrooms, 2 bath, 1 living	MLS #50004491		$164,000
3317 Providence Dr.	3 bedrooms, 2 bath, 2 living, 2 garage	MLS #50004264	UNDER CONTRACT	$157,500
5252 Lake Co. Rd. 256	3 Bed, 2 Bath, On Lake Colorado City	MLS #108038	OWNER CARRY	$99,400
9213 Dunbarton Oaks Blvd.	.87 acres RESIDENTIAL LOT	MLS #102875		$140,000
6714 FM 715	22 Acres	MLS #108863		$805,000
0000 E. FM 1212, Stanton, Tx.	3.880 acres with Caliche put on property, non-restricted	MLS #108092		$32,000
SUNRIDGE RANCH ESTATES SECTION III				
6400 WCR 41	Lot 1, Block 6, 3.850 Acres	MLS #50003663		$119,000
6401 WCR 41	Lot 1, Block 8, 3.650 Acres	MLS #50003662		$119,000
6407 WCR 41	Lot 2, Block 8, 3.548 Acres	MLS #50003661		$119,000
6607 WCR 41	Lot 6, Block 8, 3.548 Acres	MLS #50003660		$119,000
6400 WCR 44	Lot 14, Block 8, 3.655 Acres	MLS #50003659		$119,000

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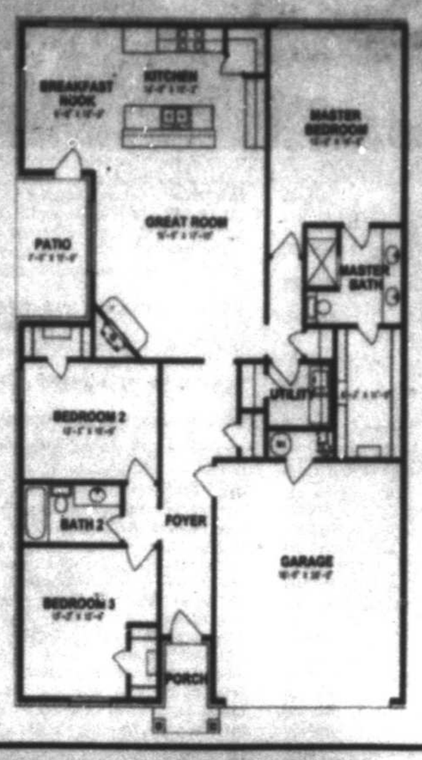

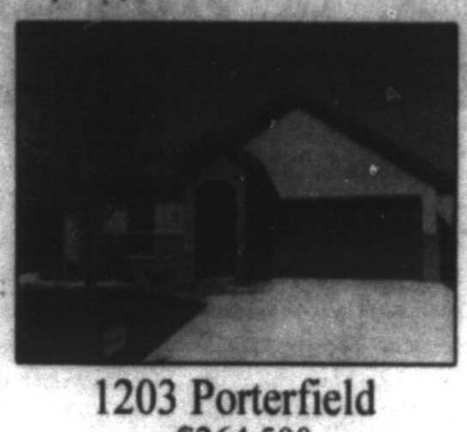

1203 Porterfield
$264,500

This 3 bedroom, 2 bath townhome at Stonebridge features an open kitchen with stained cabinets, granite countertops, subway tile and a large breakfast bar. Floor to ceiling tiled fireplace is a great focal point in the open living!

6115 Turtle Creek
$428,500

Located on a quiet cul-de-sac in Heritage Oaks, this home boasts 10' ceilings and walls of windows in the open living room and gourmet kitchen. Featuring 4 beds, 3 baths, a formal dining & game room.

Mark Payne Homes Available Homes

1206 Porterfield- 3 Bed, 2 Bath, Study, 2 Car Garage	UC
1207 Porterfield- 3 Bed, 2.5 Bath, Study, 2 Car Garage	$309,500
6113 Wichita- 4 Bed, 3 Bath, Study, 3 Car Garage	UC
6020 Frio Drive- 4 Bed, 2 Bath, 2 Car Garage	$316,500
6111 Frio Drive- 4 Bed, 2 Bath, Study, 2 Car Garage	$342,500
6112 Turtle Creek- 3 Bed, 3 Bath, Flex Room, Formal Dining, 3 Car	$403,500
4002 Heritage Oaks- 4 Bed, 3 Bath, Formal Dining, Game Room, 4 Car	$495,000
1101 Breckenridge- 4 Bed, 3 Bath, Formal Dining, Game Room, 3 Car	$595,000

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1905 D St.
3BR, 2BA, 2 Dining Areas, 2 Car Garage.
Shown by
Deborah Pierce (432) 889-2489

OPEN 2:00-3:00

3231 Whittle Way
3 BR, 2.5 BA, 1 LA, 2 DA, 2 Car Garage Townhome.
Shown by
Amanda Brito (432) 488-9452

FEATURED HOME

3304 Travis
2 BR, 1 BA, All Brick. Below MCAD Value.
For more info. call
Lee Cannes (432) 528-0577

FEATURED HOME

4017 Baybrook
4 BR, 3.5 BA, 2 LA, 2 DA, 3 Car Garage.
For more info. call
Denise Underwood (432) 553-0121

FEATURED HOME

803 N 19th St. - Lamesa
3 BR, 2 BA, 2 LA. 2 DA. Carport.
For more info. call
Lee Salcido (432) 557-4407

FEATURED LISTINGS

7 Weeping Willow-5 Bedrooms, 4.5 baths amazing estate with guest quarters huge shop	REDUCED $1,295,000
4301 ECR 83-4 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, indoor pool	REDUCED $899,000
713 Pinehurst Drive -5BR 4.5 BA 3 Living Areas 2 Dining Areas 3 Car Garage Pool	$785,000
2305 Homeland Ct. - 5BR 5.5BA 2 Living Areas 2 Dining Areas 4 Car Garage Robert Graham Construction	$772,150
4200 ECR 83-New Quiroz on 2 acres 4 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, 3 living, 2 dining	REDUCED $610,000
4017 Baybrook Dr. - 4 BR 3.5 BA 2 LA 2 Dining Areas 2 Car Garage	$565,000
FM 1213-115 AC residential or commercial, 2 Bldgs, Multiple wells	$499,900
906 Citation-3 bedrooms, 4.5 baths, Saddle club town homes Gameroom, workroom	REDUCED $459,000
1612 Dukes-5BR, 4.5BA, 3LA, 2 Dining, 3 Car Garage	REDUCED $455,000
4013 Spring Meadow-3BR 2 BA 2 Car Garage Gourmet Kitchen, updates galore, double lot	REDUCED $355,000
1636 N Flamingo-Odessa Commercial property, No restrictions, Zoned Commercial or Residential	$345,000
5117 Ashdown-4 BR 2BA 2 Car Garage	$290,000
4309 Valley-4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, 2 living, 2 dining, Huge corner lot, new carpet and paint	REDUCED $269,900
1005 N. D St.-3BR, 2BA, 2 Dining Areas, 2 Car Garage	REDUCED $265,000
2012 Dale-3 BR, 2 BA, 2 Car Garage on pretty street	REDUCED $262,900
3211 E Street-3 BR + Office, 2 BA, 2 LA, 2 Dining Areas	$230,000
2501 Camarie Ave-4BR, 2 BA, 2 LA, 2 Dining Areas, 2 Car Garage	REDUCED $235,000
2 Linda Ct-2 bedroom, 2 bath home conveniently located, great for entertaining	$230,000
3012 Hyde Park-3 BR 2 BA High Ceilings Great View	REDUCED $199,900
2106 Marvin - 3 BD, 2 BA, 1 LA, 1 DA, 2 Car Garage	REDUCED $190,000
12700 ECR 81-2013 Mobile Home, 8.5 AC, 2 Water Wells, Convex Storages, Barn, Wood decking	REDUCED $190,000
5309 San Antonio Ave-3BR 2 BA 2 Car Garage Updated	$187,500
3233 Whittle Way-3 BR, 2.5 BA, 2 Car Garage, Town House	REDUCED $165,000
10010 E. Brent St. (Gardendale)- 3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, 4.48 Acres, 6 Horse Stalls	REDUCED $170,000
3306 S County Road 1298-499 2BA 2 LA 4 Car Carport 1.05 AC	REDUCED $169,900
3231 Whittle Way - 3 BR, 2.5 BA, 1 LA, 2 DA, 2 Car Garage townhome	$165,000
2102 Club Dr - 3/2/1, recent paint, tile floors, updated bath, 2 storage/shop bldgs	$149,900
4709 W Bowie Drive-3 Bedrooms, 1 Bath, 1 Living Area, 1 Dining Area, 1 Car Garage, Move in Ready	$140,000
803 N 19th Street-Lamesa 3BR, 2 BA, 2 LA, 2 Dining Areas, 1 Carport	REDUCED $134,000
4401 Erie Dr.-3 bedrooms, 2 baths	$129,900
4417 Laddy Dr-3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, 720 sq ft workshop in back	$129,900
706 Calhoun-3 Bedrooms, 1 Bath	$115,000
609 W Kansas Ave -3 bedrooms, 1.5 bath, bonus room, storage bldg in back	$109,000
906 NE 9th St-3BR, 3Ba, Andrews TX	$109,000
2405 City View Rd. - 4 bd, 1 bath, rear efficiency apartment in back	$85,000
3304 Travis-2BR 1 BA, All Brick, big yard & storage Bldg	REDUCED $81,500
127000 E CR 81-6 Acres	$72,000
3005 ECR 157-2 Acres to build your house or bring in a mobile home!	$71,500
4700 Deuitzer Ave #1005-Condo, 2 BR, 1 Bath, Granite Counter tops, Crown Molding	REDUCED $65,000
4057 Southbrook Ct, Odessa-PETS WELCOME! 4 bdrm 3 bath 4 car garage, Frig, W/D, Dbay Fncs, Hot Tub	$2700 Monthly/$2700 Deposit
FOR LEASE: 2600 Maxwell -4BR 2BA 2 Car Garage	$2400Monthly/$2400Deposit
FOR LEASE: 2600 Kenwick-3 BR, 2BA, 2LA, 2 Dining Areas, 2 Car Garage	$2500 Monthly/$2000 Deposit
FOR LEASE: 3012 Hyde Park - 3BR 2 BA in ground Pool	$1700 Monthly/$1700 Deposit
FOR LEASE: 3233 Whittle Way for Lease	$1600 Monthly/$1600 Deposit
FOR LEASE: 106 S Redwood-3BR 1.5 BA	$1350 Monthly/$1350 Deposit
FOR LEASE: 4317 S Storey - 3BR 2 BA, 2 Car Garage, low maintenance owner pays water	$1200 Monthly/$1200 Deposit
FOR LEASE: 905 S. K Street #1-1 BR, 1 BA	$700 Monthly/$500 Deposit

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NEW CONSTRUCTION IN MIDLAND

Property / Agent	MLS	Price
E. CO. RD. 60, VISTA DEL SOL, GREENWOOD...Michelle Lesikar 230-3633		$474,900
1206 PORTERFIELD..DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001979	SALE PENDING
JC CHAVEZ CONSTRUCTION		
601 S. TERRELL..Josie Rendon 889-8394		$167,000
MASTER BUILT HOMES		
608 CALUMET ST..DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003463	$264,900
OCCAN CUSTOM HOMES		
5301 HALF MOON...Cheryl Parrish	MLS #50001193	$498,900
TROY HUNT		
609 CALUMET ST...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #108155	SOLD
GOMEZ CONSTRUCTION		
1203 E.NOBLES..Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #105412	SOLD
MARK PAYNE		
6109 WICHITA...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003444	SOLD
6020 FRIO DR....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004935	$316,500
6012 FRIO DR....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004100	SALE PENDING
1207 PORTERFIELD...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50005011	$309,500
1208 PORTERFIELD...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001681	$309,500
1210 PORTERFIELD...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001683	SOLD
FORMOSA HOMES, LLC		
4300 CROWLEY BLVD..Josie Rendon 889-8394		$420,000
MIDLAND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORP.		
1200 ELM AVE..Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #109125	SALE PENDING
WBC CUSTOM HOMES		
13106 E. CO. RD. 116, GREENWOOD..Michelle Lesikar 230-3633	MLS #107905	SALE PENDING
GE HOMES, INC.		
7201 E. CO. RD. 91..Josie Rendon 889-8394		$438,375
7207 E. CO. RD. 91..Josie Rendon 889-8394		$434,662
6901 E. CO. RD. 92..Josie Rendon 889-8394		$340,120
1202 A NOBLES..Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #50001360	$159,000
1202 B NOBLES..Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #50001370	$159,000
WESCOM SERVICES LLC		
1203 HICKORY..Karen Foster 559-4086	MLS #108305	SALE PENDING
HANSON HOMES, LLC		
5601 S. CO. RD. 1214..Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50002203	SOLD
KEA BUILDERS, LLC		
5602 S. CO. RD. 1214..Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50002202	SOLD
5605 S. CO. RD. 1214..Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50002196	$303,750
RIBDAS HOMES, INC		
611 N. MAIN ST..Josie Rendon 889-8394		SALE PENDING

FOUR OR MORE BEDROOMS IN MIDLAND

Property / Agent	MLS	Price
3114 PALO VERDE GLEN...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003404	$1,290,000
913 KEYSTONE CT..DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #1000031268	$1,150,000
6112 HOMESTEAD..Danny Norwood 618-5012	MLS #50004595	$849,900
2700 CALLAWAY...Mark Philliber	MLS #50004948	$799,000
531 SIR BARTON...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #107327	SOLD
5701 DEVLIN PL...Peggy Spence 664-3011	MLS #50001410	SALE PENDING
215 WINDRIDGE CIRCLE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004214	$750,000
7000 ALMEY CT..Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50002953	$651,000
4303 E. CO. RD. 60...Virginia Elizondo	MLS #50004033	$625,000
1211 CASTLE ROCK COURT...Kay Bivens 934-5995	MLS #50003742	SALE PENDING
2012 FRINGEWOOD DR....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002343	$615,000
1909 PAGEWOOD DR....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003880	$605,000
3102 SEABOARD AVE....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001400	$600,000
2511 REGENCY OAKS CT...Reannah Glover	MLS #50004706	$550,000
5106 WIDENER STRIP...Danny Norwood	MLS #50004532	$550,000
910 DOUGLAS AVE...Ashley St. John 352-6254	MLS #50003105	$550,000
4001 FAIRWOOD...Danny Norwood 413-2764	MLS #107438	$549,900
4106 BAYBROOK DRIVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001799	$525,000
1905 JADEWOOD DR....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004685	SALE PENDING
2102 DEEANNA LANE...Martha Manulik 557-8744	MLS #50001168	$509,500
2803 SENTINEL DR...Pam Messer 349-3075	MLS #50004878	$489,900
4001 EDGEBROOK DR...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001288	SOLD
729 PINEHURST DR...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003095	SOLD
5621 HATHAWAY CT...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002952	$450,000
5800 SUNDANCE...Pam Messer	MLS #50003309	$450,000
4873 RUSTIC TRAIL...Reannah Glover	MLS #50004534	$439,000
3407 TRINITY MEADOWS DR...Denise Brasher, 889-5022	MLS #50003284	$429,900
4803 RUSTIC TRAIL	MLS #50003407	$429,000
6005 BARTON SPRINGS CT....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003647	SALE PENDING
5909 OAK CREEK DRIVE....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002646	SOLD
2011 COLEMAN CT....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001401	SALE PENDING
5307 WIMBERLEY SPRING CT...Jo Keller 269-8319	MLS #50003316	SALE PENDING
4604 TEAKWOOD TR...Cheryl Parrish 352-3053	MLS #108254	SALE PENDING
5911 OAK CREEK DRIVE...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50003471	SALE PENDING
5204 TEAKWOOD TRACE...Reannah Glover	MLS #50003407	$399,000
5912 OAK CREEK DR...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004468	$372,500
1502 PRINCETON AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002360	SOLD
3124 PATRICK...Wendy Waddell 638-9955	MLS #50002486	$366,500
5007 SABINE DRIVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003507	$359,000
2806 EMERSON LANE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004974	$350,000
4208 EDGEBROOK...Skye Farris 294-3336	MLS #108002	SALE PENDING
2903 PRINCETON Amanda Gunter 413-7330	MLS #50002294	SALE PENDING
4101 CRESTGATE...Angie McKay 599-0272	MLS #50002492	$349,900
2405 TERRACE...Danny Norwood 413-2764		$349,000
2001 COLEMAN CT...Martha Manulik 557-8744	MLS #107897	$349,500
5013 PIMLICO...Susan Palmer 978-7816	MLS #108856	$347,500
3305 FELDSPAR LN...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50005761	$345,000
1001 ALMONT PL...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003244	SOLD
3007 CRESTLINE AVE...DeLaura Gammage, 288-3880	MLS #50003198	SOLD
1204 CERRILLOS...Cheryl Parrish	MLS #50002778	$324,900
10604 E. CO. RD. 109...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50002619	SOLD
5507 SUNDANCE CT...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50003680	$321,000
6001 NOTTINGHAM LANE...Mark Philliber	MLS #50002494	$315,000
603 LAWSON AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003381	$310,000
3903 GUADALUPE...Virginia Elizondo, 349-7782	MLS#50003215	$305,000
6116 CANDLESTICK...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004777	$300,000
3511 STANOLIND...Larry Hatfield	MLS #50003112	$299,000
1719 NORMANDY...Leah Watkins 599-2187	MLS #50002167	SALE PENDING
3111 STANOLIND CT...Martha Manulik 557-8744	MLS #50001703	SALE PENDING
2204 STRATFORD...Larry Hatfield 349-4788	MLS #50003534	SOLD
512 WAGNER...Lisa Russell 741-5964	MLS #50001562	SOLD
4012 NORWOOD ST...Michelle Lesikar 230-3633	MLS #50004883	$295,000
7 STUTZ COURT...Kay Bivens 934-5995	MLS #50004707	SALE PENDING
3412 PINEMONT DR...DeLaura Gammage, 288-3880	MLS #50003821	$290,000
1416 SAN MIGUEL CT...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS #50002053	SALE PENDING
2205 PRINCETON...Virginia Elizondo	MLS #50004137	SALE PENDING
5801 PEDERNALES...Martha Manulik	MLS #50003539	SOLD
404 MILE HIGH LANE...Pam Messer 349-3075	MLS #50004246	SALE PENDING
1001 CLEMENTE CT...Lana Flores 385-5843		SOLD
2509 STUTZ PLACE...Cheryl Parrish	MLS #50004607	$279,900
8105 SAN ANTONIO ST...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004090	SALE PENDING
5006 CHAPEL HILL...Lana Flores 385-5843	MLS #50002087	SOLD
2905 CALDERA BLVD...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004871	$275,000
1210 W. GOLF COURSE...Amanda Gunter 413-7330	MLS #50002353	$275,000
4811 TIMBER LN...Denise Brasher 889-5022	MLS #50003232	$274,900
2513 MAXWELL...Madison Shaw 528-4640	MLS #50001322	$265,000
2410 TERRACE AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001417	SOLD
6003 RANCHLAND DR...Lisa Russell		SOLD
4002 LEHIGH DR...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50004668	$259,900
1502 NEELY...Josie Alvarez 618-5013	MLS #50001779	SALE PENDING
1107 CEDAR CREEK RD...Cheryl Parrish	MLS #50004598	$229,900
1917 HUNTINGTON...Danny Norwood 413-2764	MLS #50003883	$229,000
4713 CINDY PLACE...Stacy Gonzalez 413-7061	MLS #50004920	$224,000
3905 CRESTGATE AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #108432	SOLD
3011 STANOLIND AVE...Kim Merrill 664-4702	MLS #50004641	$210,000
5216 BLUE HAVEN DR...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004510	SALE PENDING
3210 CARVER...Reannah Glover	MLS #50002694	$199,900
307 S. BENTWOOD DR...Brittany Boyd 978-7202	MLS #50004327	SALE PENDING
604 W. KANSAS AVE...Lisa Russell 741-5964	MLS #108203	$189,900
2802 ANDOVER...Susan Palmer 978-7816	MLS #50003605	$185,000
2408 NEELY AVE...Kay Bivens 934-5995	MLS #50004558	SALE PENDING
1202 S. WEATHERFORD ST...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004337	$165,000
2402 CAMARIE...Pam Dodd 413-0780	MLS #107069	SOLD
3303 MICHIGAN...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS #50001886	$153,000
601 BECKLEY...Josie Alvarez 618-5015		$149,900
3806 AVONDALE...Gina Reyes 553-6381	MLS #50001402	SALE PENDING

THREE BEDROOMS IN MIDLAND

Property / Agent	MLS	Price
1803 MABERRY...Danny Norwood 413-2764		$649,900
804 CANONERO ST...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002868	SOLD
4406 COYOTE TRAIL...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004030	$510,000
5213 ELLEN JAYNE WAY...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004705	$495,000
3007 LOCKHEED DR...Denise Brasher 889-5022	MLS #50004245	$419,900
5011 LOS PATIOS...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003554	$375,000
5502 LOS PATIOS...Pam Dodd 413-0780	MLS #109152	SALE PENDING
2910 COUNTRY CLUB DR...Denise Brasher 889-5022	MLS #50003851	$330,000
5909 LLANO COURT...Danny Norwood 413-2764	MLS #108526	SALE PENDING
3706 CASADY COURT...Wendy Waddell 638-9955	MLS #50001122	$309,900
3004 BAYBRIDGE CT...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50004576	$309,900
2805 DOUGLAS AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004042	$295,000
3213 CHELSEA PLACE...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50005027	$289,900
5506 RIO GRANDE AVE...Kalti Moss 661-904-7715	MLS #50004297	$289,000
511 COLISEUM CT...Madison Shaw	MLS #50004310	SOLD
6010 MEDINA DR....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003975	SOLD
5709 SAN SABA AVE....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002557	SOLD
6203 CROSLEY DR...Mark Philliber	MLS #50003212	SOLD
514 COLISEUM CT....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003751	SOLD
3322 HAYNES AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002248	SALE PENDING
3013 MOSS AVE....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #108982	$272,500
1502 W. PINE...Amanda Gunter	MLS #50005024	$269,900
3301 WEDGWOOD STREET...Kay Bivens 934-5995	MLS #50004991	$262,500
5619 LLANO CT...Lauren Therrell 557-4114		SALE PENDING
1004 N. A ST...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50004815	$259,950
5912 PEDERNALES....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003615	SALE PENDING
102 CLUB DR....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003374	SOLD
604 E. BROADWAY ST...Leah Watkins 599-2187	MLS #50002190	SALE PENDING
1009 VENTURA...Larry Hatfield 349-4788	MLS #50003010	$259,900
2903 GODDARD PLACE...Reannah Glover 553-5352	MLS #50004490	SALE PENDING
6304 DRIFTWOOD...Leah Watkins	MLS #108780	SALE PENDING
4606 BISHOPS CASTLE DR...Cheryl Parrish 352-3053	MLS #50003188	SALE PENDING
3501 CLAREMONT DR...Darla Davis 260-8077	MLS #50001061	$249,000
2601 CALDERA DR...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002766	SOLD
4102 DYER CIRCLE...Lana Flores 385-5843	MLS #40204633	$244,000
3305 EDGEMONT DR...Leah Watkins		$242,000
3214 STUTZ DR...Madison Shaw 528-4640	MLS #50004740	$240,000
3200 W. WADLEY...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50004231	SALE PENDING
2515 HUMBLE...Danny Norwood 413-2764		$239,900
3705 FAIRHAVEN CT...Ashley Brasher-St. John 352-6254	MLS #50004043	$237,500
5213 SAN ANTONIO AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004515	$235,000
3304 CLAREMONT...Donna Omar 349-1458	MLS #108683	$235,000
6213 MILE HIGH...Virginia Elizondo	MLS #50004013	SALE PENDING
1603 NEELY AVE...Martha Manulik 557-8744	MLS #50004091	$232,500
2902 DORA PLACE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003127	SALE PENDING
2818 PURPLE SAGE TRAIL...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS #50004403	$229,000
405 CRENSHAW DR...Leah Watkins 599-2187	MLS #50004711	$225,000
3203 W. DENGAR AVE....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002894	SOLD
3601 STANOLIND...Danny Norwood 413-2764		$225,000
4303 DOWNING...Karen Foster 559-4086	MLS #50002999	SALE PENDING
908 SHEA LN...Jerrilyn Garrison 202-0276	MLS #50003252	$223,000
1125 PORTERFIELD RD...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004215	$222,500
3002 PRINCETON AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003430	$220,000
5801 NOLAN RYAN DR...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004158	$220,000
5210 CANADIAN...Donna Omar	MLS #50003775	$220,000
3902 BEDFORD AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002783	$220,000
2500 CIMMARON AVE...Denise Brasher	MLS #50004672	SALE PENDING
6106 SPAHN ST....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002566	SOLD
6108 SPAHN ST....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880		SOLD
2403 EMERSON CT....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003838	$215,000
2102 ROSITA DRIVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003503	$215,000
3203 W. SHANDON...Martha Manulik 557-8744	MLS #50001315	$215,000
4700 ELMA...Susan Palmer 978-7816	MLS #50001332	SALE PENDING
3216 FRONTIER DR...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50003614	$214,000
3605 JORDAN AVE...Skye Farris		$213,000
505 COLISEUM CT...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50005030	$209,000
406 ILDEWILDE DR...Josie Rendon 889-8394		$207,000
3602 DOUGLAS AVE...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50004613	SALE PENDING
3309 STEWART AVE...Virginia Elizondo	MLS #50004262	$202,000
4302 FERNCLIFF...Karen Foster 559-4086	MLS #50001466	SALE PENDING
813 SHELL AVE....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003941	$200,000
3341 PROVIDENCE DR...Josie Alvarez 618-5013		$199,900
2506 HOYA DR...Leah Watkins 599-2187	MLS #50002192	$195,000
5608 E. CO. RD. 57...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50003506	$194,900
5103 BLUE HAVEN...Reannah Glover 553-5352	MLS #50002134	SOLD
3318 CAMARIE AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001767	SALE PENDING
2602 FRONTIER...Karen Foster	MLS #50004099	$193,500
1304 VENTNOR...Susan Palmer 978-7816	MLS #50003606	SALE PENDING
3404 SINCLAIR AVE...Denise Brasher 889-5022	MLS #50002569	$190,500
2309 COUNTRY CLUB DR...Lauren Therrell 557-4114	MLS #50004098	$185,000
3306 DENGAR...Josie Alvarez 618-5013	MLS #50004072	$185,000
5018 MOUNT VERNON...Pam Dodd 413-0780		SOLD
5005 RAINBOW RD...Amanda Gunter 413-7330	MLS #50001365	SALE PENDING
3516 CAMARIE AVE...Stacy Gonzalez 413-7061	MLS #108161	SALE PENDING
2500 PRINCETON...Martha Manulik 557-8744	MLS #50001320	SALE PENDING
4222 GREENBRIAR...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50001997	SOLD
113 SOUTH TYLER...Pam Messer 432-349-3075	MLS #108445	$179,500
4307 CRENSHAW DR...Sue Lytle 661-5338	MLS #50003905	$175,000
3330 PROVIDENCE DR...Pam Messer 349-3075	MLS #50004880	$174,500
403 NICKLAUS ST...Kim Merrill		SALE PENDING
3211 FRONTIER DR...Lisa Russell 741-5964	MLS #500019770	SOLD
3318 STOREY AVE...Jerrilyn Garrison 202-0276	MLS #50001776	SALE PENDING
201 N. EISENHOWER DR...Leah Watkins		SALE PENDING
5110 BLUE HAVEN...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50004813	SALE PENDING
5114 SUNNYSIDE DR....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004276	$168,000
1001 W. SCHARBAUER DR....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004355	$165,000
410 W. ESTES...Josie Rendon 889-8394	2 HOUSES	$165,000
3230 WHITTLE WAY...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50002629	$165,000
5206 SUNNYSIDE DR...Martha Manulik	MLS #50004108	$165,000
5204 SAN ANTONIO...Danny Norwood	MLS #50004827	$160,000
3400 W. GOLF COURSE RD...Amanda Gunter	MLS #50002095	SALE PENDING
4509 PALMER...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50004491	$159,500
3620 SINCLAIR....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001680	$157,500
3317 PROVIDENCE DR...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50004254	SALE PENDING
3011 BALTIC...Stacy Gonzalez 413-7061	MLS #50004492	$150,000
4203 AMETTA...Ashley St. John	MLS #50004332	$149,900
4725 PRINCETON AVE...Pam Messer 349-3075	MLS #50004156	SALE PENDING
3000 W. OHIO...Lavonne Johnson 770-3883	MLS #50001730	$149,000
302 S. LINCOLN...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS #50001233	$145,000
1510 E. SCHARBAUER DR...Lisa Russell 741-5964	MLS #50004057	$129,000
414 E. DENGAR AVE...Tina Atkins 661-0062	MLS #50003983	SALE PENDING
402 S. TILDEN...Josie Alvarez 618-5013		SALE PENDING
1203 HICKORY...Karen Foster 559-4086	MLS #108305	SALE PENDING
4610 MERCEDES...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS #50003518	SALE PENDING
703 RUBY...Donna Omar	MLS #50002293	SALE PENDING
3309 W. OHIO...Ashley St. John	MLS #50003817	$119,000
1004 MAGNOLIA...Josie Rendon 889-8394		$116,000
1000 DELMAR...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS #50003818	$114,000
309 E. PINE...Karen Foster 559-4086	MLS # 50003468	$109,000
306 CEDAR STREET...Karen Foster 559-4086		SALE PENDING
3119 KESSLER AVE...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50004434	$95,900
2100 W. WADLEY #26...Lavonne Johnson 770-3883	MLS #50001233	SALE PENDING

ONE/TWO BEDROOMS IN MIDLAND

Property / Agent	MLS	Price
3706 CASADY CT...Wendy Waddell 638-9955	MLS #50001122	$299,000
5003 BRUNSWICK...Martha Manulik 557-8744	MLS #50004633	SALE PENDING
2402 CASTLEFORD...Larry Hatfield 349-4788	MLS #50003521	SOLD
4526 LANHAM ST...Cheryl Parrish	MLS #50004805	$169,900
3230 WHITTLE WAY...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50004487	$165,000
211 E. CIRCLE DRIVE...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50003464	SALE PENDING
104 HOLLY...Amanda Gunter	MLS #50004592	$133,500
1403 W. TENNESSEE...Martha Manulik	MLS #50003894	SALE PENDING
2105 W. WASHINGTON...Sue Lytle	MLS #50002944	$93,500

HOMES IN MIDLAND COUNTY

Property / Agent	MLS	Price
11506 W. CO. RD. 39...Pam Messer 349-3075	MLS #50002990	$2,000,000
4409 E. CO. RD. 63...Danny Norwood 413-2764	MLS #108422	$799,000
9708 FM 307...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50004561	$900,000
6800 E. CO. RD. 109, OAK RIDGE SUBDIVISION...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #5107880	$759,900
7208 E. CO. RD. 113...Leah Watkins 599-2187	MLS #50001535	$699,000
12107 W. CO. RD. 52...Lisa Russell 741-5964	MLS #108236	$484,900
1306 W. CO. RD. 130...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50001502	$449,900
10200 E. CO. RD. 103, GREENWOOD...Michelle Lesikar 230-3633	MLS #50003989	SOLD
1903 S. CO. RD. 1140....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002151	$400,000
2202 S. CO. RD. 1085, GREENWOOD...Michelle Lesikar 230-3633	MLS #50003930	$385,000
10506 E. CO. RD. 104, GREENWOOD...Lana Flores	MLS #50002338	$380,000
6706 E. CO. RD. 110, GREENWOOD...Stephanie Rogers	MLS #50002295	$379,000
801 E. CO. RD. 130...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50003946	$369,000
12119 E. CO. RD. 142...Lana Flores 385-5843	MLS #50001291	$365,000
12900 FM 307, GREENWOOD...Michelle Lesikar 230-3633	MLS #50001345	SOLD
5703 W. CO. RD. 60...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50002866	SOLD
7411 E. CO. RD. 93, GREENWOOD...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50003684	$325,000
5803 S. CO. RD. 1200...Susan Palmer	MLS #50002447	$320,000
3700 W. CO. RD. 145...Danny Norwood 413-2764		$309,000
10909 E. CO. RD. 108...Lisa Russell 741-5964	MLS #108961	6.51 Acres/$295,000
4607 S. CO. RD. 1177...Darla Davis 260-8077	MLS #50002162	$275,000
3105 SAN ANTONIO ST....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004090	$275,000
9103 W. CO. RD. 160...Lisa Russell 741-5964	MLS #50001570	$260,000
1300 E. CO. RD. 120...Michelle Lesikar 230-3633	MLS #108197	$225,000
3906 S. CO. RD. 1185...Susan Palmer 978-7816	MLS #50004234	$215,000
5608 E. CO. RD. 57...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50003506	$194,900
4207 S. CO. RD. 1135...Josie Rendon		$190,000
4600 S. HWY. 349...Susan Palmer	MLS #50004032	$165,000
5000 S. CO. RD. 1130...Andrea Snell 559-4417	MLS #50003799	$150,000
1201 E. CO. RD. 120...Pam Messer 349-3075	MLS #108266	SALE PENDING
3308 S. CO. RD. 1216...Michelle Lesikar 230-3633	MLS #50003260	$149,995

HOMES OUTSIDE OF MIDLAND COUNTY

Property / Agent	MLS	Price
401 4TH ST., STANTON, TX...Lisa Russell	MLS #50004541	
624 OAK POINT DR., MAY, TX...Kim Merrill 664-4702	MLS #50001949	$560,000
3351 FM 3113, STANTON, TX...Denise Brasher 889-5022	MLS #50002286	1.0 Acre/$344,900
10014 W. SWAN RD., ODESSA...Mark Philliber	MLS #101711	$325,000
1017 JESSICA LOOP, CRANE, TX...Tina Atkins 661-0062	MLS #50004318	SALE PENDING
12 PLACID COURT, ODESSA...Larry Hatfield	MLS #101647	SALE PENDING
16100 N. DOGWOOD AVE., GARDENDALE...Janice Murrell 349-7242	MLS #100605	SOLD
9208 DUBLIN, ODESSA...Susan Palmer		$289,900
7305 GIOTTO STREET, ODESSA...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004733	$270,000
409 E. 98TH STREET, ODESSA...Amanda Gunter 413-7330		$189,900
9400 LAMAR AVE., ODESSA...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002237	SALE PENDING
3102 EASTOVER DR., ODESSA...Mark Philliber	MLS #100898	SALE PENDING
14241 LOYOLA, GARDENDALE...Leah Watkins	MLS #50002358	$180,000
200 N. GOLD, GARDEN CITY, TX...Pam Messer 349-3075	MLS #50001229	$179,000
812 CORONADO...Jerrilyn Garrison 202-0276	MLS #100010	$160,000
10975 E. EMERSON ST., GARDENDALE...Leah Watkins 599-2187	MLS #50004438	$149,000
1103 CARPENTER, STANTON...Michelle Lesikar 230-3633	MLS #105750	SALE PENDING
404 S. ODESSA ST...Leah Watkins 599-2187	MLS #107041	$105,000
5252 LAKE CO. RD. 258...Sandy J. Hanson	MLS #106038	$99,400

COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRIAL

Property / Agent	MLS	Price
10204 FM 307...Michelle Lesikar 230-3633	MLS #106620	$1,520,000
3400 W. 7TH ST., BIG SPRING...Mark Philliber 222-5071	MLS #106813	$1,195,000
807 E. 2ND ST., ODESSA...Sue Lytle	MLS #107382	$870,000
PANDALE RESORT w/PECOS RIVER FRONTAGE...Mark Philliber 222-5071	MLS #109135	18+ Acres/$549,000
313 E. SUMMITT...Josie Rendon		$190,000
4600 S. HWY. 349...Susan Palmer	MLS #50004032	$165,000
13409 W. CO. RD. 132, ODESSA...Angie McKay 599-0272	MLS#50001862	$150,000
1108 W. HWY. 80, STANTON...Kay Bivens 934-5995	MLS #108426	0.743 Acre/$150,000
401 MIDLAND DR...Lydia Scudder 853-2200	MLS #103887	$90,000

LAND AND LOTS

Property / Agent	MLS	Price
3000 N. CO. RD. 1278...Mark Philliber	MLS #50002830	40 Acres/$729,000
N. CO. RD. 1250...Reannah Glover	MLS #107925	70.5 Acres/$493,530
3201 CYNTHIA DR...Josie Rendon	MLS #108772	11.44 Acres/$343,200
2900 S. CO. RD. 1200...Lisa Russell 741-5964	MLS #50001167	2 Acres
1121 E. DORMARD AVE...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50003414	$175,000
1108 W. HWY. 80, STANTON...Kay Bivens 934-5995	MLS #108426	0.743 Acre/$150,000
6601 CO. RD. 41...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #103862	$125,000
6400 W. CO. RD. 41 LOT 1, BLK 6...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50003663	$119,000
6401 W. CO. RD. 41, LOT 1, BLK 8...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50003662	$119,000
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000 HWY. 137, STANTON...Michelle Kidd	MLS #50002598	$100,000
S. CO. RD. 1133, GREENWOOD...Lana Flores		2 Acres/$80,000
2401 N. CO. RD. 1278...Gina Reyes 553-6381	MLS #56301009	$75,000
E. CO. RD. 115...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50004077	1.5 Acres/$75,000
E. CO. RD. 116...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50004076	1.5 Acres/$75,000
5601 S. CO. RD. 1185...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003718	$60,000
QUAIL RIDGE SUBDIVISION...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880		84 Lots Available/Starting At $43,500
6300 E. FM 1212, STANTON, TX...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #108092	3.888 Acres/$32,000
1702 CALIFORNIA...Josie Rendon 889-8394		$19,000
807 S. JACKSON...Josie Rendon 889-8394		$19,000
000 FM 307 (Greenwood) Appx 3.34 acres...Michelle Lesikar 230-3633	MLS #106786	SALE PENDING

TOWNHOMES-PATIO HOMES

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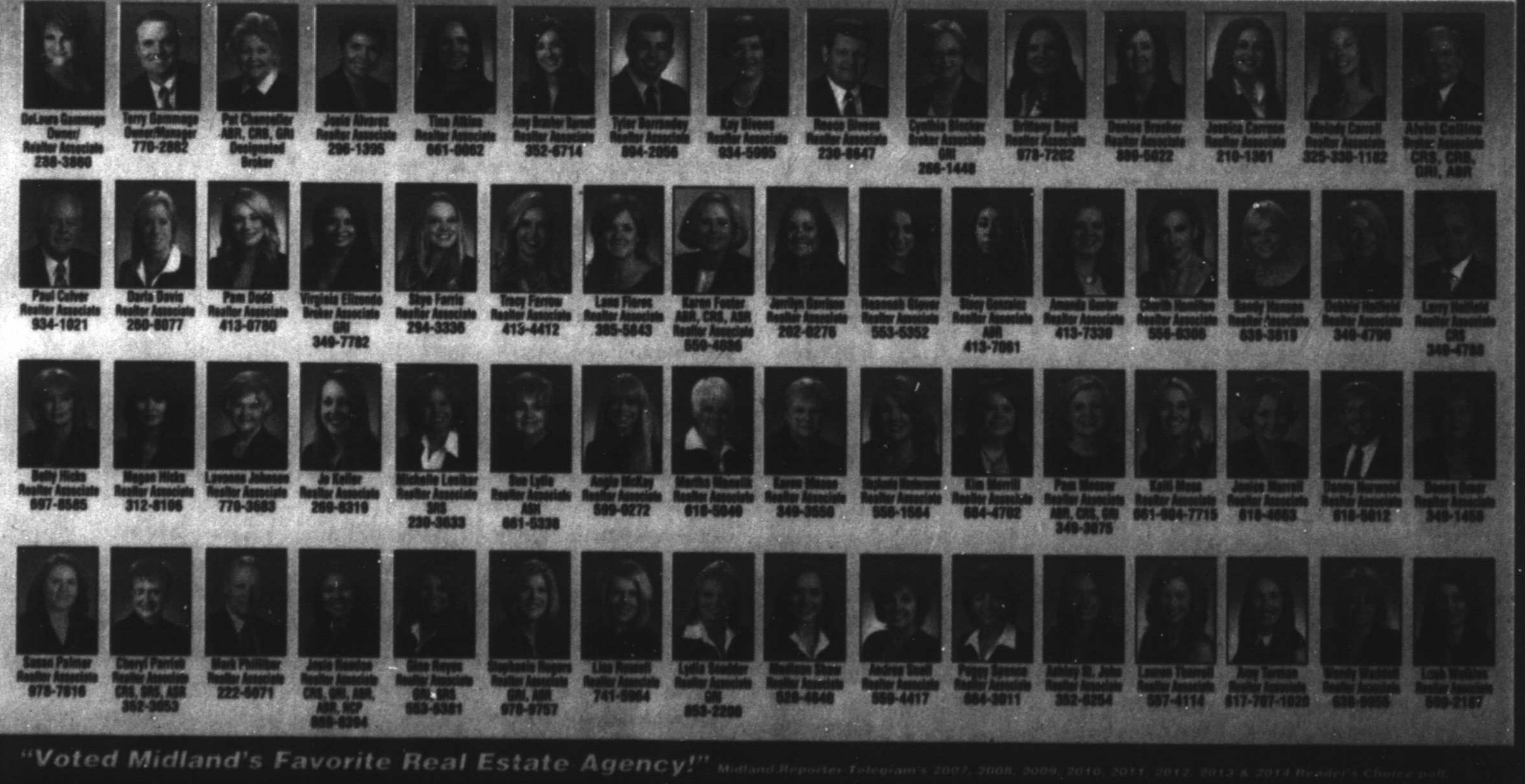
4802 OAKWOOD CT...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003557	SOLD
1405 W. PINE AVE...Brittany Boyd	MLS #50003132	SALE PENDING
3301 WEDGWOOD COURT...Kay Bivens 934-5995		$262,500
1009 VENTURA...Larry Hatfield 349-4788	MLS #50003010	$259,900
3010 MOSS...Karen Mason	MLS #50001761	$229,900
3200 W. WADLEY...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50004231	SALE PENDING
3100 TEALWOOD PL...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003228	SOLD
2100 W. WADLEY #26...Lavonne Johnson 770-3883	MLS #50003230	$120,000
4700 BOULDER #1303...Larry Hatfield 349-4788	MLS #50004259	$85,000
501 W. SCHARBAUER DR. #6...Angie McKay 599-2072	MLS #50004472	$85,000
4700 BOULDER #1301...Ashley St. John	MLS #107963	$78,500
4700 BOULDER #101...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003815	$78,000
3000 ILLINOIS #49...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002388	SALE PENDING

FOR LEASE

Property / Agent	MLS	Price
4311 ST. ANDREWS...Pam Dodd 413-0780		$2,400/MONTH
5615 LLANO CT...Mero Elizondo 349-6490	MLS #50004930	$2,350/MONTH
2811 MAXWELL...Mero Elizondo 349-6490	MLS #50004928	$2,150/MONTH
3230 WHITTLE WAY...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50004487	$1,800/MONTH
5104 CANADIAN...Ashley St. John 352-6254		$1,750/MONTH
1117 HICKORY...Mero Elizondo 349-6490	MLS #50004879	$1,500/MONTH
4700 BOULDER #101...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003863	$1,100/MONTH



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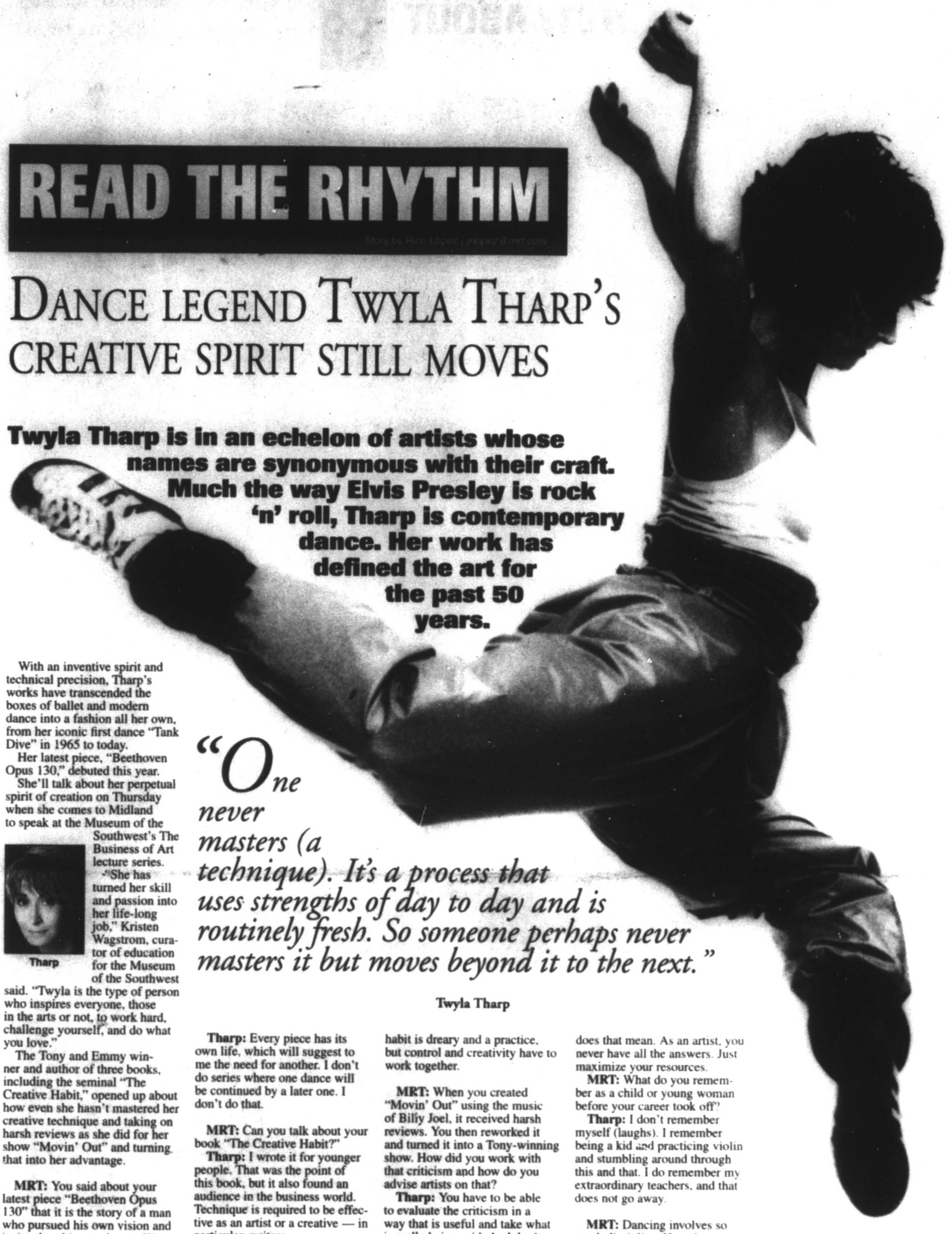
Story by Rich Lopez | rlopez@mrt.com

DANCE LEGEND TWYLA THARP'S CREATIVE SPIRIT STILL MOVES



Twyla Tharp is in an echelon of artists whose names are synonymous with their craft. Much the way Elvis Presley is rock 'n' roll, Tharp is contemporary dance. Her work has defined the art for the past 50 years.

With an inventive spirit and technical precision, Tharp's works have transcended the boxes of ballet and modern dance into a fashion all her own, from her iconic first dance "Tank Dive" in 1965 to today.

Her latest piece, "Beethoven Opus 130," debuted this year.

She'll talk about her perpetual spirit of creation on Thursday when she comes to Midland to speak at the Museum of the Southwest's The Business of Art lecture series.

Tharp

"She has turned her skill and passion into her life-long job," Kristen Wagstrom, curator of education for the Museum of the Southwest said. "Twyla is the type of person who inspires everyone, those in the arts or not, to work hard, challenge yourself, and do what you love."

The Tony and Emmy winner and author of three books, including the seminal "The Creative Habit," opened up about how even she hasn't mastered her creative technique and taking on harsh reviews as she did for her show "Movin' Out" and turning that into her advantage.

"One never masters (a technique). It's a process that uses strengths of day to day and is routinely fresh. So someone perhaps never masters it but moves beyond it to the next."

Twyla Tharp

MRT: You said about your latest piece "Beethoven Opus 130" that it is the story of a man who pursued his own vision and insisted on his own honor. Were you telling your own story, or was there a particular moment in your career that pointed to that pursuit?

Tharp: Yes. That happened from the very beginning. There is always a search for one's own singular contribution, but there would be questions that repeated: What do I understand? What can I learn from this to generate the next piece?

MRT: Those are questions that still come up for you?

Tharp: Definitely.

MRT: What is the catalyst, then, for when you create a new piece?

Tharp: Every piece has its own life, which will suggest to me the need for another. I don't do series where one dance will be continued by a later one. I don't do that.

MRT: Can you talk about your book "The Creative Habit?"

Tharp: I wrote it for younger people. That was the point of this book, but it also found an audience in the business world. Technique is required to be effective as an artist or a creative — in particular, writers.

MRT: With such acclaim to your career, would you say you've mastered your technique?

Tharp: One never masters that. It's a process that uses strengths of day to day and is routinely fresh. So someone perhaps never masters it but moves beyond it to the next.

MRT: You've been known to have a strong control in your choreography, which seems ironic to the creative process. Is there a tension between the two?

Tharp: We think of creativity always as spontaneous and inspired or of the moment. And habit is dreary and a practice, but control and creativity have to work together.

MRT: When you created "Movin' Out" using the music of Billy Joel, it received harsh reviews. You then reworked it and turned it into a Tony-winning show. How did you work with that criticism and how do you advise artists on that?

Tharp: You have to be able to evaluate the criticism in a way that is useful and take what is really being said. And don't be dissuaded. It's not easy for anyone, but you have to move on with what can be profitable.

It was tough. And just because we changed it, didn't mean that it was fixed, but I was fortunate to have two companies to work with on the show. I think that was the most valuable aspect of that situation. We had a lot of people who wanted to see this thing fly so we had to have a destination.

MRT: So is having a destination necessary for all artistic endeavors?

Tharp: You have to believe the work is going to be received and have a curiosity of what does that mean. As an artist, you never have all the answers. Just maximize your resources.

MRT: What do you remember as a child or young woman before your career took off?

Tharp: I don't remember myself (laughs). I remember being a kid and practicing violin and stumbling around through this and that. I do remember my extraordinary teachers, and that does not go away.

MRT: Dancing involves so much discipline. How do you unwind or let loose?

Tharp: Working is a release for me, so there's no need for escape.

MRT: So then, do you ever have a day off?

Tharp: I basically don't have any free time. I'm working on my next book, planning tours. I'm working on a curriculum that can hopefully service university dance departments. Archiving is always ongoing so there is lots to do. If I'm not working, then I read a lot.

MRT: What are you reading right now?

Tharp: Oh, should I read the stack next to me right now? I have "Barbarian Days: A Surfing Life," "A Legacy," some (Ralph Waldo) Emerson because you should always have that and Bruce Springsteen's autobiography. He's very interesting.

Twyla Tharp presents "The Creative Habit: Learn It and Use It for Life" at the Business of Art lecture series, 7 p.m. Oct. 27 at the Museum of the Southwest in the Blakemore Planetarium, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. Free but seats are first come, first serve. museumsw.org.

In the New Mexico desert, a sustainability is discovered

By Andrea Sachs
The Washington Post

I have never felt so righteous about flushing.

At most eco-lodgings, I experience a pinch of guilt over pressing the handle, worried that I am loosening the stopper on our finite water reserves. That's not the case at the Greater World Community near Taos, New Mexico. The world's largest off-the-grid subdivision considers the toilet a friend of Mother Earth. The blackwater from the bowl hydrates the yards of its 70 residences, including several rental properties available to overnight visitors.

If you see a tropical bloom in the New Mexico desert, you can lay your thank-you flowers before the porcelain throne.

"It's just simple homesteading stuff," said Ryan Halpin, who works in Earthship Biotecture's rental division and is building a Bachelorship for himself. "It's a conscientious lifestyle."

Earthship Biotecture is a supermodel of sustainable living. The construction firm's houses are based on the environmental innovations and Seussian designs of American architect Michael Reynolds. The oft-called Garbage Warrior, who built his first Earthship home in 1988, discovered his calling on the side of the road. A glint of trash led to an of-this-world experience.

"Using the empty beer cans as building materials was a flash of inspiration for everything that later followed," said Kirsten Jacobsen, Earthship's education director.

Earthships appear in all 50 states and more than 20 countries. The homes are built for a wide spectrum of individuals and environments, such as a family residence in Guatemala, an emergency shelter in post-earthquake Haiti and a planned resort on an environmentally fragile island in Indonesia. The Taos-area community is the only site in the world that is open for tours and available for sleepovers. In July, I booked an eco-pad for the night out of curiosity — and to be prepared in case Cormac McCarthy's "The Road" turns out to be a work of nonfiction.

"These are the ways people are going to have to live in the future," said Kirsten, who owns an Earthship styled after a Manhattan loft.

The structures embody a string of self-hyphenates: -sufficient, -reliant, -sustaining, -empowering. (The "ship" in the company's name represents the concept of autonomy.) Michael's blueprints rely heavily on nature's resources and humankind's drinking and driving habits. He uses discarded tires packed with dirt for the exterior walls and recycled bottles and cans for the interior structures. Buried cisterns collect melted snow and rain; the filtered water flows through sinks in the bathroom and kitchen. Instead of air conditioning, the walls absorb the heat, and knee-high vents expel cool air from subterranean depths. In the winter, the structure emits the stored toastiness like a space heater. No doubt, a weatherman reporting from inside the Taos community would grow bored: Today, like yesterday, and tomorrow, will be a pleasant 72 degrees.

"It has the stability of a cave," Kirsten said. "You are never going to freeze or die from heat."

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BY JULIE DONNELLY

PANCAKE FUNDRAISER

Todd Robbins, from left, Cara Robbins, Coby Robbins

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Christy Hudgins, from left, Eric Hudgins, Sylvia Aguirre and German Aguirre

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Mary McCourt, from left, Mike Conaway, Janet Cross, DeLaura Gammage, Skeet Doss and Carolyn Arnold

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Jessica Rule, from left, Orlando Rule, Meghan Berry, Rebecca Patry and Brennan Berry

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Bob Clohessy, from left, Mary Clohessy, Robert Clohessy and Deborah Clohessy

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Earl Erdmann, from left, Kerri Payne and Eddie James

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Emily Pickett, left, and Jennifer Pickett

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Donna Bruno, left, and Steven Palma

SPEAKEASY SOIREE

Mercedes Benz of Midland showed its appreciation for its customers by transforming its dealership location on Andrews Highway into a "Speakeasy Soiree."

The event featured a filet mignon carving station, crabmeat cocktails, stuffed spinach wontons and cabbage rolls. At the dessert station, guests enjoyed mini crème brulee, s'more shooters and tiramisu martinis.

There also was a "secret juice joint." After giving the pass code, guests were served unique drinks and received a gift of shot glasses bearing the event's theme.

A big hit of the soiree was the torcedor from West Texas Humidor in Odessa who rolled cigars on the spot.

PANCAKES FOR A CURE

Pancakes, with just about every topping you could ask for, sausage, coffee, orange juice and milk were the items of choice for the recent Cure for Alzheimer's Pancake Jamboree. The breakfast got underway after a speech from U.S. Rep. Mike Conaway.

The jamboree was in honor of Eloma Ashwin and Jerry Wright and in memory of Florence Doss. The West Texas Alzheimer's Association, Midland Young Professionals Network and the Permian Basin Board of Realtors sponsored the donation-only event, which raised $5,000.

To have an event included in "Out and About," contact Julie Donnelly at mrtjulie@outlook.com.

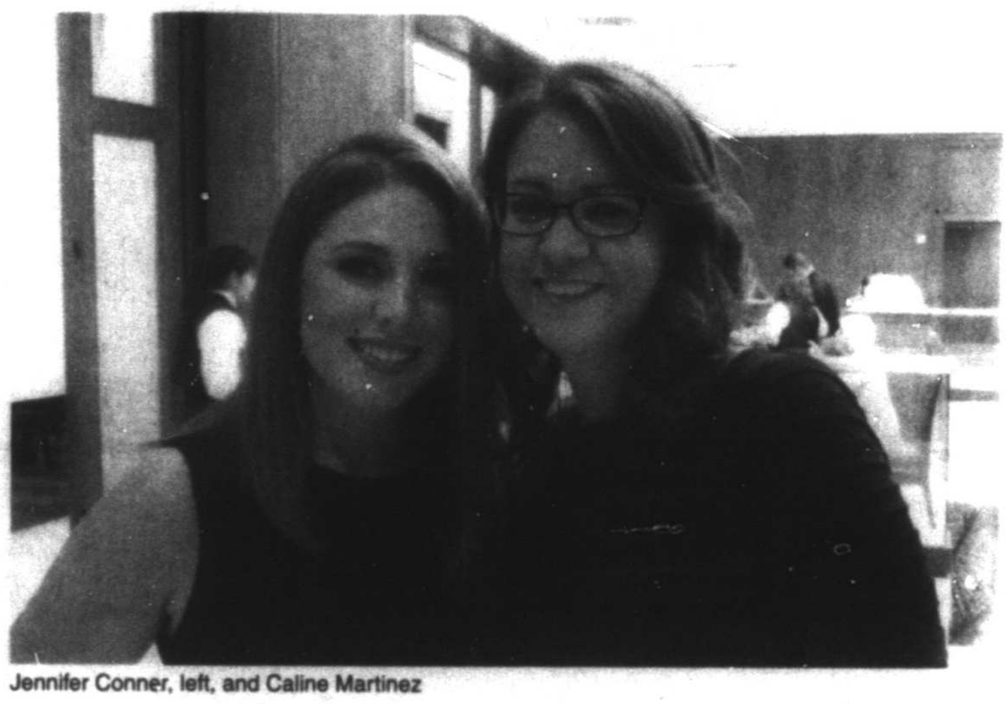
UPW RECOGNIZES LAURA ROMAN

Laura Roman was honored Oct. 10 by the Uptown Midland Business and Professional Women Organization as the Woman of Achievement for 2016. The event was held in conjunction with National Business Women's Week, which was Oct.16-22.

Courtesy photos

Danny and Carla Holeva

Martin and Annette Dozier



Jennifer Conner, left, and Caline Martinez

Brad and Nellwyn Barnett

Austin and Ellen Ramsey

Kris Moore, from left, Rachelle Wells and Katie Presley

ENGAGEMENT

Scott - Johnson

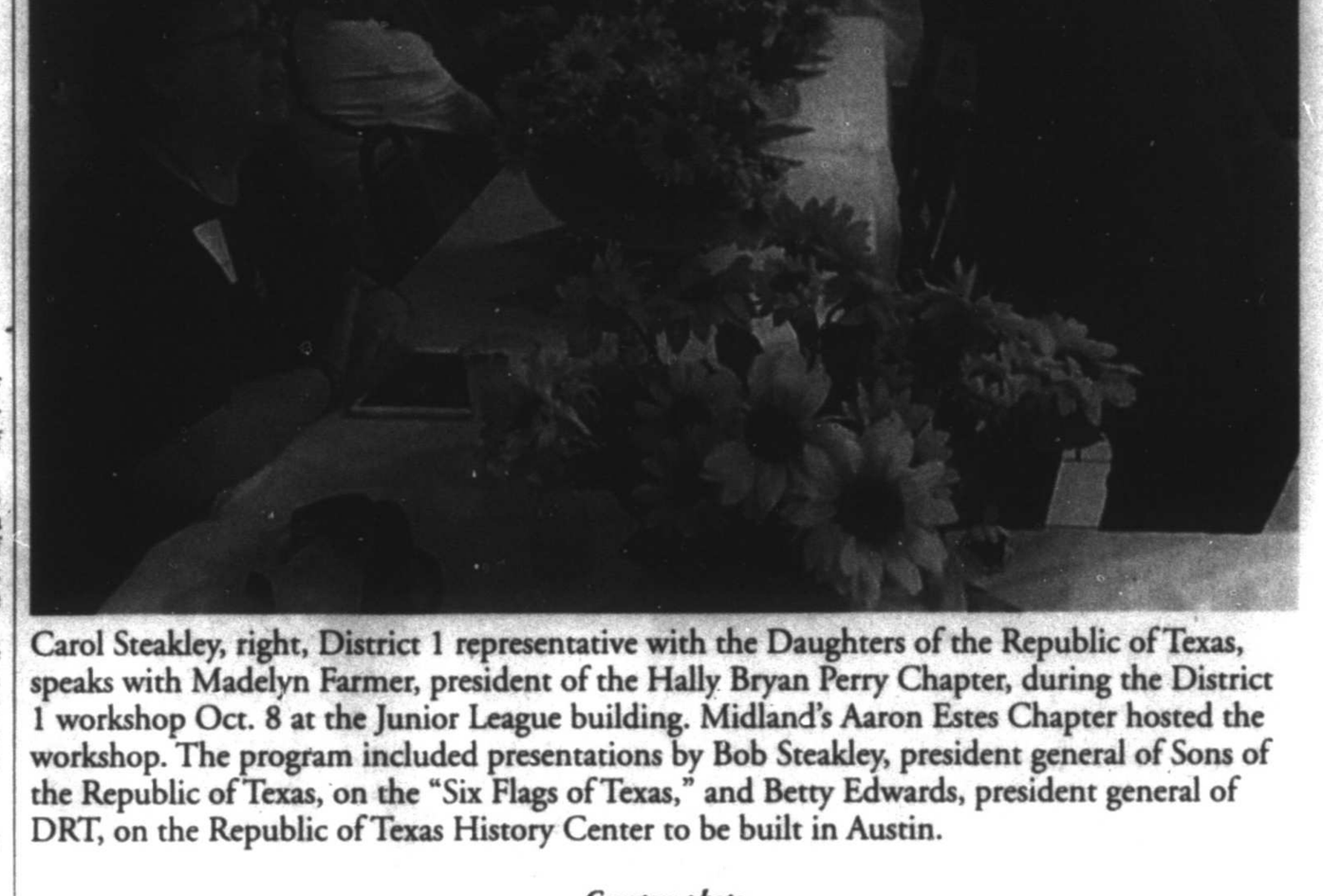
Mike and Susan O'Brien of Midland, and Mark Scott of Midland, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Melissa Sue Scott, to Trevor Marcus Johnson, son of Russell and Karen Johnson of Midland.

Melissa is the granddaughter of Wesley and Doris Chalfant of Midland, and Earl and Betty Scott of Harlingen. She is a 2006 graduate of Midland High School and has a Bachelor of Science in Nursing from Texas A&M University and Masters of Science in Nursing from the University of Cincinnati. She is employed by Motherly Way.

Trevor is the grandson of Georgie Upshaw and the late Rev. T.O. Upshaw of Rotan, and the late Adron and Imogene Johnson. He is a 2009 graduate of Robert E Lee High School and has a Bachelor of Science in Horticulture and Turfgrass from Texas Tech University. He is employed by Alldredge Gardens.

The couple will be married February 11, 2017 at First Baptist Church in Midland, Texas. After the wedding, they will honeymoon in Jamaica and return to reside in Midland.

DAUGHTERS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS HOLD WORKSHOP

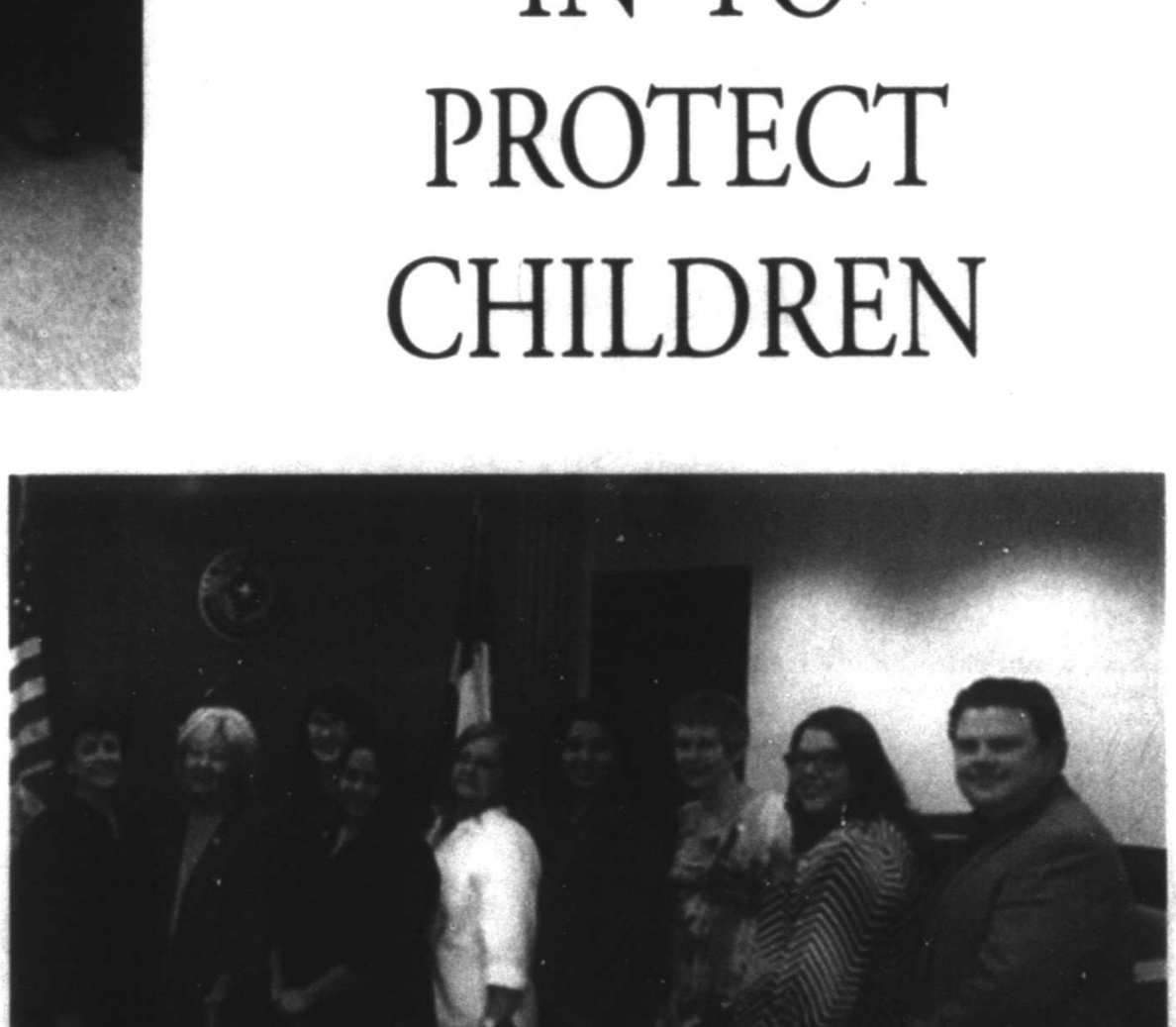


Carol Steakley, right, District 1 representative with the Daughters of the Republic of Texas, speaks with Madelyn Farmer, president of the Hally Bryan Perry Chapter, during the District 1 workshop Oct. 8 at the Junior League building. Midland's Aaron Estes Chapter hosted the workshop. The program included presentations by Bob Steakley, president general of Sons of the Republic of Texas, on the "Six Flags of Texas," and Betty Edwards, president general of DRT, on the Republic of Texas History Center to be built in Austin.

Courtesy photo

FIFTEEN VOLUNTEERS ARE SWORN IN TO PROTECT CHILDREN

Fifteen volunteers were sworn in Monday by Judge Sylvia Chavez of the Child Protection Court of the Permian Basin. The volunteers serve as Court-Appointed Special Advocates for abused and neglected children. They are: (above, from left) Jim Connell, Samantha San Miguel, Tiffany Woodward, April West, Odella Rickard, Amanda Torres, Sunnie Earls, (right, from left) Lu Stephens, Jozlyn Long, Fannita DeJesus-Barakat, Christy Petty, Virginia Elizondo, Louise Gonzalez, Claudia Juarez and Patrick Mayers.



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BRIDGERESULTS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

PERMIAN BRIDGE CLUB

Oct. 10

Charles Grimes-Ann Servatius, Betty Moore-Belle Harris, Audie Brooks-Brenneman, Marilyn Higgins-Linda Buzan, Greg Keys-Lonnie Yee, Linda McDonald-Linda Scarpelli

Oct. 11

Brenda Brauner-Higgins, Servatius-Grimes, Marlene Blumentritt-Dale Beck, Bill Brooks-Audie Brooks

Oct. 12

Flo Curry-Blumentritt, Grimes-Servatius, B. Brooks-A. Brooks, Ann Parish-Servatius-Grimes, Keys-Yee, Scott Vaughan-Higgins, Parish-Harris, Kay Sewell-Yee

Oct. 13

David Hudson-Helen Davis, Paula Baggett-Brenneman, Melba Lancaster-Blumentritt, Terri Melton-Peter Berzanskis, Linda Farrar-Georgia Temple Scarpelli-Grimes, John Seymour-Les Neal, B. Brooks-A. Brooks, Edward McPherson-Parish

Oct. 14

Jean Pistole-Marilyn Matthews, Brenda Leonard-Patti Witt, Richard Stein-Carol Hastings, Bonnie Hubbard-Judy Duke Miller Grimes-Servatius, Bob Bacon-Tommie Strack, Vaughan-Baggett, Ricki Perry-Kay Arrell, Janet Stoltz-Martha Poss

Oct. 16

Bob Baker-K.C. Evans, Perry-Strack, Irene Oppenheim-Grimes-Bacon-Servatius, Martha Poss-Vaughan, McPherson-Parish

HINTS FROM HELOISE

King Features Syndicate

Good mat has a bad smell

Dear Heloise: My new microfiber dish-drying mat smells bad. Nothing I've tried, including hand-washing, spraying both sides with a vinegar/water solution and air-drying, has worked. Any hints are greatly appreciated. — A Reader, via email

These microfiber drying mats are machine-washable, so try washing in cold water and then tumble-dry them on low. I'd throw them in with a load of bath and dish towels. This should help to get the smell out. — Heloise

Seasonal pancakes

Dear Heloise: I like to surprise the kids with "pumpkin pancakes" at this time of year. With Halloween right around the corner, I put a few drops of yellow and red food coloring into pancake batter and mix until it is an orange color (adding more coloring if needed). When you cook the pancakes, they look like little pumpkins.

For Christmas pancakes, just do a batch of pancakes with red food coloring and another with the green food coloring. So much fun for the kids! — Lily G., Colorado Springs, Colo.

Produce storage

Dear Heloise: Since it is just my husband and me now, we use less lettuce and vegetables. I have found that if I wrap the lettuce in a paper towel, then back in the original bag, it stays fresh for up to two weeks. I also found that by putting a paper towel around the inside of bagged salad, it will last longer. I also put paper towels under mushrooms, strawberries and cut onion for fresher and longer-lasting produce. You even can wrap a paper towel around green onions. Paper towels have become my product to use for many produce items to keep them fresh. — Janet, via email

A lot of people have great success storing these items in paper towels (then wrapping in a plastic bag or storing in a vegetable bin in the refrigerator). It has to do with keeping moisture away from the lettuce and vegetables. Be sure to check the dampness of the paper towels every couple of days, and replace as needed. — Heloise

Responsibly reuse

Dear Heloise: As an avid cook, I am always in the kitchen, which means a lot of hand-washing. I prefer to use my hand towels that can be washed, but sometimes you need a paper towel or it's closer at the time. When I use a paper towel to dry my hands, I then let the paper towel air-dry so that I can use it again to wipe up messes on the counter and floor. It seems to really make my paper-towel roll last longer! — Carol H., Omaha, Neb.

DEBBIE ROLAND

Permian Basin Master Gardener, compost specialist

Follow these simple steps to have a green thumb

My friends will often tell me they can't grow anything and that they have a brown thumb. I simply respond, "I can teach you how." Once I start explaining., I see in their eyes that they are quickly overwhelmed and have that far away look that Jackson, my ever-patient husband, gets when I tell him about a new project.

So I decided to break it all down with this step-by-step information on a small scale.

Fall is the perfect time to put this all to a test. What do you have to lose? Your soil will have about five months to rest and regenerate.

First, I recommend that you assemble everything required before you begin.

Find a favorite sunny spot in your barren yard. I started with a bed that was about 3 feet wide and 10 feet long. Don't worry about the rest of your beds yet. This is a process. If you get the gardening bug, it will be a process that will last years.

If you have a favorite bed that is ready with borders that will hold in compost and mulch, you are a step ahead. Remove any grass or weeds so you can start with a clean slate. Turn the soil to make it easier to work with. It isn't necessary to rent a backhoe for this job. Just turn over the top few inches. We want it to easily soak up what we are going to give it.

However, if it is a new spot with weeds or grass, spray it with vegetation killer. Wait a week and then turn the soil with a shovel or a tiller.

Next, you will need a border, and how fancy you go or how much you spend is up to you. Life will be easier if you have at least 4 inches in height to hold in everything you will be adding now and in the future. I used edging bricks that I purchased at a local big box store, but another master gardener used caliche rocks and they look beautiful.

Now your bed is ready to prep. Using your water hose, gently water the bed. It isn't necessary to flood it. Now put down a layer of cardboard. Yep, cardboard. Drive down most alleys behind stores and they have it out back in the yellow recycling dumpsters. I've never met a store manager yet who cared if I took their discarded cardboard. After you have a layer of cardboard down, water it again. You want the cardboard wet but not flooded.

Afterward, put down several layers of newspaper. I don't use colored paper because of the dye. After your layers are down, water it again.

Next, put down about 4 inches of compost. You can make your own but that takes months, so go to your favorite big box store and buy it. Get online and do some research about brands. It is inexpensive and comes in big bags. You will need several depending on how big your bed is. Dump the compost on top of the newspaper and spread it around. Water again.

If you plan to put in a drip irrigation system (and I highly recommend that you do that) now is the time to do it. It is simple and will save water, money and hours in the future. You simply connect it to the faucet you already have. Timers are available if you feel like you need one. The local stores that sell drip irrigation are always willing to show you how it all fits together.

Once your drip is in place, add about 4 inches of mulch. The great part about this is the Time Machine in Odessa offers free mulch. They even put fresh mulch out every day. All you have to do is back up and load up.

Voila — you're finished. During fall and winter, turn your water on once a week. The moisture will attract beneficial bugs and worms that will have a winter feast on your cardboard and newspaper. The worms will leave their "castings" (poop) which is gold for your beds and future plants.

In the spring, simply pull back the mulch, dig a hole the depth of your plant and twice as wide, put the plant in, put your soil back around the plant and return the mulch to its place around the plant. You will be surprised to see the newspaper and cardboard are gone, replaced by a rich, wormy soil.

Once planted, you will water more often. However, because of the drip irrigation and mulch you took the time to put in, you will be surprised how little water your plants will require, even in West Texas.

As time goes on, you will add more mulch as it decomposes and feeds your plants and your worms.

Trees can add more to both your home and life

JEFF FLOYD

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension

Fall and winter are excellent seasons to plant trees. Warm soil and short days give young trees a jump start on establishing before the stress of summer arrives. Planting a tree can even be a fun family activity that also adds value to your home and encourages younger types to become good stewards of our urban forest. Planting the right tree in the right location using the right methods will give your children and their children something to appreciate for many years.

And there is much to appreciate in trees.

They provide food and shelter for wildlife. They produce oxygen while cleaning the air. Spending time around trees and shrubs can even boost mental health and shorten healing time for patients after surgery. When my wife catches me staring off into the dense foliage of our neighbor's ash tree in the evenings, I excuse myself by explaining that it reduces stress. A study published in the Journal of Environment and Behavior in 2016 found the stress level of people was reduced by simply viewing natural landscapes. The study noted that stress relief increased as the number of trees in the images increased.

Trees cool the air, particularly beneath their canopy. The temperature of objects under trees has been measured an average of almost 28 degrees lower than nearby objects not shaded by trees on a hot day.

An increase in property value can even be assessed because of them. A 2007 University of Washington survey discovered that trees in well-landscaped lawns increase the selling price of homes between 7 percent and 19 percent. Those homes sold quicker than those without.

So gather the kids this fall and plant the right tree in the right place. It will give you and them something to cherish and enjoy for years to come. It's great exercise and adds lasting value to your property.

For starters, there is a right way and a wrong way to plant a tree. Plant it wrong and your tree may be doomed from day one. For a list of trees appropriate for West Texas, contact the County Extension office or the TreeKeepers committee of Keep Midland Beautiful. TreeKeepers, in conjunction with local nursery professionals, certified arborists and master gardeners produced an excellent tree selection and planting guide in 2016.

Locate the top of the first roots in the root ball by brushing away any soil that covers them up. Dig a hole that is exactly the same depth as the root ball and two times the width of the root ball. You want the tree to sit on firm soil once planted to avoid excess settling over time. Settling causes the area immediately near the trunk to hold more water and less oxygen. Research has discovered that trees planted as little as 1-inch too deep can develop life-long health problems that often lead to killing the tree. Plant the tree using the same soil that was removed from the hole. There is no need to add any amendments or fertilizers to the planting hole.

Maintain a 3- to 4-inch layer of organic mulch over the entire root zone for at least a couple of years if not permanently. Slowly decomposing mulch conserves moisture, moderates temperatures and returns valuable nutrients to the soil, which increases the biological activity of microorganisms that benefit trees.

Resist the urge to stake the tree. Staking can become a big problem for trees by weakening their development or possibly choking them, which would kill the tree if not monitored very carefully. If you must stake, use a method that allows it to move somewhat naturally with the wind and don't tighten any twine, hose or rope around the trunk. Instead, leave the material loose to avoid girdling it.

To learn more about trees in your yard or how to become a Texas Master Gardener, contact the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension office at 432-686-4700. Texas Master Gardener training classes begin with an orientationfrom 1-5 p.m. Jan. 12 at the Midland County Extension office, 2445 E Highway 80. You'll learn about native and adapted plants, vegetables, lawn care, trees, landscape design, composting, botany, weed control, water conservation and much more. The registration fee of $250 which covers a comprehensive master gardener manual and speaker expenses.

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Lost dream of grandparenthood leaves hole in woman's heart

DEAR ABBY

Universal Press Syndicate

DEAR ABBY: I have two wonderful children (28 and 30). Both are married and have great spouses.

Ever since I was a girl, I have dreamed of being a mother and a grandmother. My heartbreak is that neither of my children wants kids. Every time I hear that my sister or brother is becoming a grandparent again, my heart aches so bad I sit down and cry.

My husband says I need to accept it and move on. I have tried, but I'm so depressed right now I don't know what to do. I'm thankful my children found their soul mates and are doing very well. I just don't know how to get past this missing part of me. — UNHAPPY IN COLORADO

DEAR UNHAPPY: Have you considered going online and researching volunteer opportunities to work with children or teens? While they wouldn't be related to you, it would give you an opportunity to make a significant difference in a child's life.

One organization that comes to mind is Big Brothers Big Sisters of America, which would give you the chance to be a mentor. Another program you might enjoy is Foster Grandparents, which is sponsored by the Corporation for National and Community Service.

Or call the hospitals in your area and ask if they need someone to come in on a regular basis to hold and rock premature infants and newborns. If you contact CASA for Children (casaforchildren.org), you could become a court-appointed advocate for abused and neglected children and teens, which may provide the emotional satisfaction you need.

I hope my suggestions will help you. However, if they don't, then you must accept that plans we make for ourselves when we are young don't always work out as we wish they would, and let them go.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I have been together for more than 30 years. It has been a very lonely marriage. I raised the kids alone while he worked and volunteered at the church and teen club.

I spent the first 10 years of our marriage nagging him to spend time with me and the kids, but he was always too busy "doing good." I tried a couple of times to participate in his life by camping with him and the teens, but the girls gossiping until 1 a.m. and the boys stick sword fighting at 5 a.m. left me exhausted and irritable. Plus, it didn't accomplish anything because he didn't spend any time with me and the kids, anyway. I finally gave up nagging and just concentrated on raising our three kids.

Our kids are now grown, although one still lives at home and attends college. I feel stuck because I don't have biblical grounds for divorce. I'm only 50, so I'm looking at 30 more years of loneliness.

A couple of years ago, I found a really fun sport — scuba diving. I've made some great friends, but this isn't something I'll be able to do for the next 30 years. Do you have any suggestions? — LONELY IN THE WEST

DEAR LONELY: Not knowing to which religious denomination you belong, the best advice I can offer is for you to talk to your clergyperson about possible grounds for divorce within your religion. That you have been effectively emotionally deserted for decades by your husband might qualify. You have my sympathy.

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Library invites community to stop in this fall

JOHN TRISCHITTI III

Midland County Public Libraries, director

Despite the 90-degree temperatures, this fall season is well underway, which means trunk or treat events for the children and elections for the adults. With that, the Midland County Public Libraries has a full schedule the next coming weeks for everyone in the family that are free to the public.

This year's fall festival will be Saturday from 1-3 p.m. at the downtown branch. We encourage children to come in their costumes and experience crafts, games and more.

The Midland County Public Libraries are proud to be a polling site for this fall's election. This type of offering is what the library strives for — meeting the needs of the community we serve. We hope that the library is an easy and convenient destination for you to cast your ballot. Early voting will be held at the Centennial branch beginning Monday and going through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Oct. 30 from 1 to 6 p.m.

The week of Oct. 31 through Nov. 4, voting times will be 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

On Election Day, Nov. 8 both the downtown and the Centennial branches will be polling sites from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Last month's Project Literacy was another great success in bringing the importance of literacy to the student of Midland County. More than 5,000 students were directly affected during the week either receiving a book to take home, experiencing an author visit or attending a book signing at the library. A special thanks to all our partners and sponsors: Wells Fargo, City of Midland hotel/motel tax, Vicky and S. Javaid Anwar of Midland Energy Inc. and Petroplex Energy Inc., Fasken Oil and Ranch, Henry Resources, Betenbough Homes, the Midland Reporter-Telegram, MCPL Foundation, Friends of Libraries and Literacy and the Texas Center for the Book. Without these organizations' support, the impact, scope and scale of Project Literacy would be much smaller. Planning for Project Literacy 2017 is already underway and it promises to be the biggest and best one yet.

Keep up with library happenings online at our website at co.midland.tx.us/lib and follow us on Facebook at @tallcitylibraries

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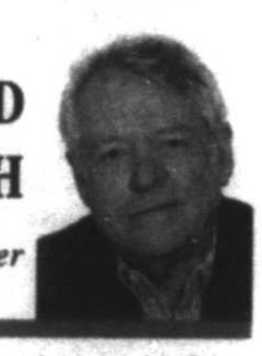
Dentist visit sparks look into Texas languages



TUMBLEWEED SMITH

Storyteller

Some of my best friends are dentists. Considering I have spent a good portion of my life and income with them, it's no wornder. And it all started when I was about eight years old and chasing my dog Patsy.

That was a bad day in several ways. I had been chucking rocks at telephone poles and kept missing them. My throws were no good. The frustraton over finding my dog and my poor rock-throwing average, I got a foot away from a pole, picked up a rock half the size of my fist, took a windup and let 'er go. That rock bounced back and hit me right in my mouth, breaking one of my front teeth. Just then, Patsy showed up to give me comfort.

My parents took me to the dentist, who said the tooth couldn't be repaired until I was 18. All my school pictures from the third grade on show me with a broken front tooth. I got it repaired when I was in high school but I didn't think it was a good job. The work was sloppy and the repaired tooth was uncomfortable.

When I was in the Army I got a new pair of front teeth. They were huge.

Years later, I received some quality dental work from a dentist friend. He told me I was a special case because of all the work he did on me.

Growing up in my dad's grocery store I drank plenty of root beers and ate many peanut butter logs, so I was a good dental client. I've had everything from fillings to implants. I've had jewelry made from some of the platinum and gold in my mouth. One piece is a belt buckle.

Another dentist friend works with the American Dental Association. Over lunch recently he told me the Americans with Disabilities Act requires information in dental offices to be available in the 15 most common languages outside English spoken in Texas. My friend said if no one in the office is able to provide the necessary information to a patient who speaks another language, the office can call the American Dental Association and for $1.47 a minute, the information will be provided to the patient.

I was curious about the 15 most common languages spoken in Texas so I looked up the list. Some might surprise you. Topping the list is Spanish, which is spoken by nearly 40 percent of the state's 28 million population. Then come Vietnamese, Chinese, Korean, Arabic, Urdu (the national language of Pakistan), Tagalog (Philippines), French, Hindi, Farsi, German, Gujarati, Russian, Japanese and Laotian.

You say you've never heard of Gujarati? According to the list, 10,000 Texans speak it. It is from the Indian state of Gujurat. The CIA says some 5 percent of India, or 55 million people, speak that language. Mahatma Gandhi spoke Gujarati.

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Los Angeles Times Sunday Crossword Puzzle

Edited by Rich Norris and Joyce Nichols Lewis

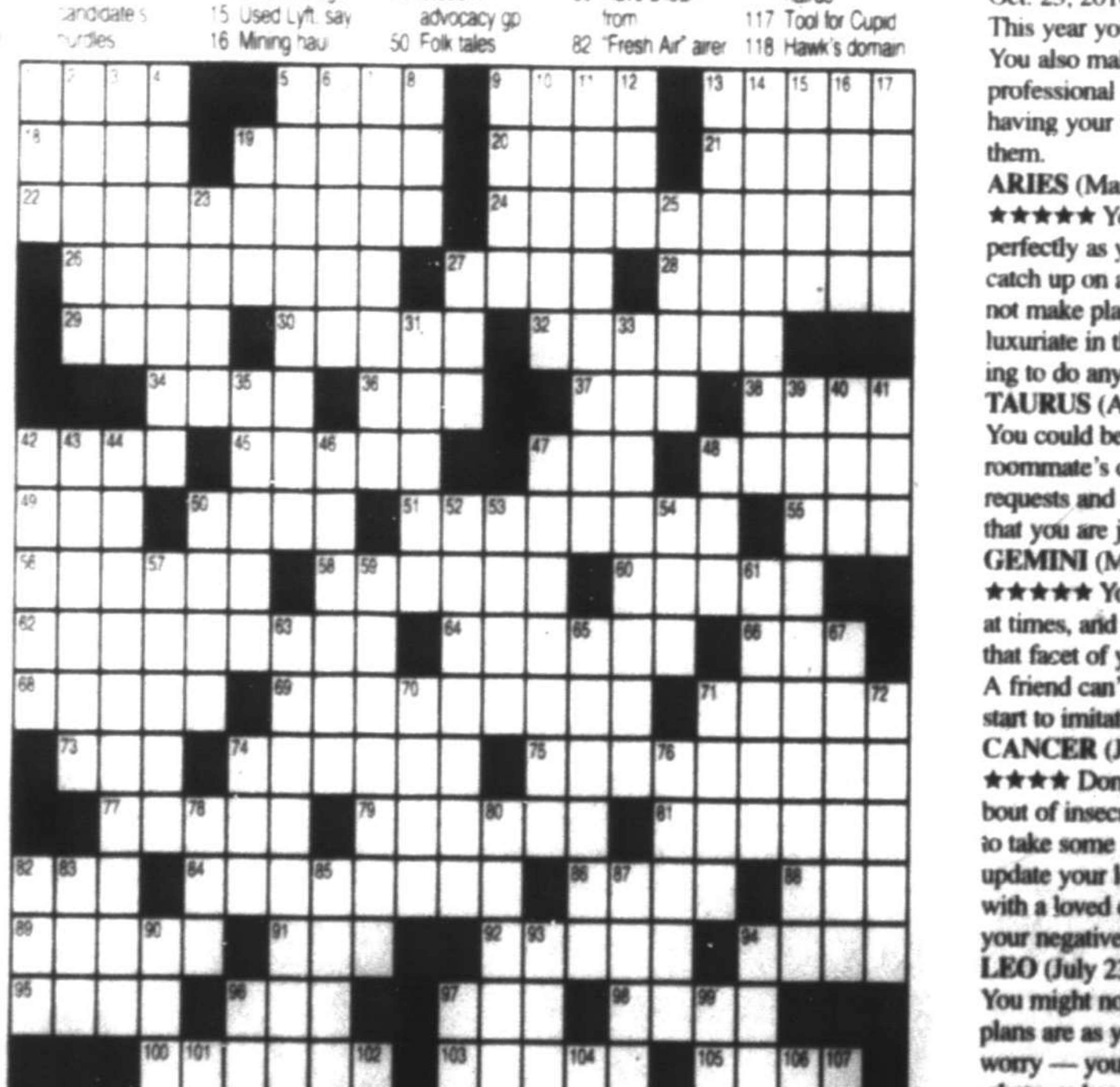
"POSSESSION" By C.C. BURNIKEL

ACROSS

1 Twinkler
5 Block from the White House
9 Sunburn salve
13 Others in Oaxaca
18 Almond candy
19 Like leggings
20 Fist bumps
21 Talked a blue streak?
22 Ill-kept confidence
24 Seasonal drink
26 Tossed a bone to
27 Playground retort
28 Up-to-the-minute
29 "I never ___ purple cow": Burgess
30 New Mexico county bordering El Paso
32 Dance partner
34 Mr. or Mrs.
36 Hard-to-imagine period
37 It's charged
38 Winds up or winds down
42 *English surgeon Henry
45 Talks like Daffy
47 Mo. town
48 Like a paddling surfer
49 With 113-Across "Funeral in Berlin" author
50 Waikiki wingding
51 Sounded nostalgic about
55 Tiger, e.g.
56 Churchill, notably
58 Curaçao cocktail
60 American Red Cross founder Barton
62 Prankster's missile
64 "Popeye" pirate
66 Racing Unsers
68 Zen garden piece
69 Match made in heaven
71 Kept from squeaking
73 Lifesaver, initially
74 Potted dwarf
75 *Noted WWII lifesaver
77 Sticks figure
79 Drive-thru burger chain whose name has two hyphens
81 Make a home
82 Squat
84 Summary
86 It has Air, Mini and Pro versions
88 Part of a circ.
89 Fervently wishes
91 Stooge with a bowl haircut
92 Center of Florida?
94 Gov't guidelines
95 Name on the 1984 album "My Kind of Country"
96 Cologne cooler
97 NYC commuter letters
98 Thunder sound
100 Pains
103 Courier and Roman
105 King with a pipe
108 Very destructive
111 Nursery cry
113 See 49-Across
115 1990 #1 rap hit
117 Specialized slicing tools
119 Chugged, say
120 Links seen at pga.com
121 Doctoral candidate's hurdles
122 Furry sci-fi creature
123 Huffy states
124 Duma vote
125 Lose intensity
126 Prevent

DOWN

1 Letters connected to theater capacity
2 Collectible baseball card brand
3 Boston-to-D.C. rail service
4 Took off
5 *Second-longest reigning British monarch
6 Blue heron kin
7 Peter Benchley thriller
8 Giants great Mel
9 "First of all?"
10 Slip
11 Facing
12 Bilingual sub.
13 Award declined by George C. Scott
14 Company with a blue bird logo
15 Used Lyft, say
16 Mining haul
17 Barcelona-born muralist
19 Leaves for a Chinese dinner
23 Line crosser
25 SpaceX CEO Musk
27 Chicago's ___ Center
31 Carlo ___ wine brand
33 Money immediately available
35 Book jacket entry
39 Consequence of the telemarketing boom
40 It's in our genes
41 Disappeared from view
42 Looks really happy
43 Upgrade, as on Yelp
44 Vet student's workplace
46 Send for
47 Type of massage
48 Student advocacy gp.
50 Folk tales
52 Ownership claim ... and a hint to the relationship of each answer to a starred clue to a word it intersects
53 Earth goddess
54 Subj. with unknowns
57 Approaching the hour
59 Coarsely insulting, as language
61 Vice squad incursions
63 Classic for which Pavarotti won a Grammy
65 Frenzied
67 Did some farm work
70 Legal scholar Guinier
71 Lacking width and depth
72 Worst of the worst
74 Drink, in Dover
76 Hot
78 Foreman stat
80 Have a loan from
82 "Fresh Air" airer
83 Country on St. George's Channel
85 *Memorable 1968 role for Mia
87 Treat on a stick
90 "Really, Captain Obvious?"
93 *First human woman, in Greek myth
94 Scheduled
96 Perry's creator
97 CalArts degree
99 Eight, to Mozart
101 Street fare seekers
102 Luxurious fur
104 Bonnie or Clyde
106 Lerner collaborator
107 Company with an ironically crooked logo
108 Shadow targets
109 Beige shade
110 Marsh duck
112 Computer game title island
114 Gloomy fellow
116 Ballerina's hairdo
117 Tool for Cupid
118 Hawk's domain



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GOREN BRIDGE

With Bob Jones

Jourdain again

Rubber bridge, 40 partscore for North-South. South deals

NORTH
♠ J 8 5
J 8 7 4
Q 10 8 7 3
♣ A

WEST
♠ A K Q 7 3
Q 2
K 9 6 5 4
♣ 10

EAST
♠ 9 4
10 9
A 2
♣ 9 8 7 5 4 3 2

SOUTH
♠ 10 6 2
A K 6 5 3
J
♣ K Q J 6

The bidding:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1	2 *	3	All pass

*Spades and a minor

Opening lead: Ace of ♠

Another lovely hand from a 1991 article by the late Patrick Jourdain, of Wales. Jourdain was East, again partnered by "Maestro Junior," a fine player but a horrible partner, who expected his partners to find the winning play — even when that play was nearly impossible to find.

West started with three rounds of spades, Jourdain discarding a low club, before shifting to diamonds. Jourdain won with his ace and returned the suit, but declarer ruffed and quickly drew trumps before claiming nine tricks and his contract.

"Nothing to do about that one," thought Jourdain, but the dark look on his partner's face made him reconsider. After some thought, Jourdain saw the light. "I should have discarded my ace of diamonds on the third spade," said Jourdain. "You could then have cashed the king of diamonds and continued the suit. My ruff would have promoted your queen of trumps into the setting trick. So sorry, partner. I'll try to do better."

Jourdain was too much of a gentleman to point out an alternate defense. Had West shifted to a diamond at trick two, Jourdain could have won with his ace and reverted to spades. It would then have been a simple matter for him to discard his remaining diamond on the third spade. A diamond ruff at that point would have resulted in the same uppercut.

JACQUELINE BIGAR'S STARS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Sunday, Oct. 23, 2016:
This year you become more caring. You also make your mark in the professional world. Others enjoy having your upbeat spirit around them.

ARIES (March 21-April 19)
★★★★★ Your Sunday starts perfectly as you lounge around and catch up on a loved one's news. Do not make plans with others; instead, luxuriate in the freedom of not having to do anything.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★
You could be overwhelmed by a roommate's or family member's requests and demands. Recognize that you are just one person.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
★★★★★ You can be quite chatty at times, and you'll demonstrate that facet of your personality today. A friend can't help but laugh as you start to imitate different people.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)
★★★★ Don't be surprised by a bout of insecurity. You might need to take some time for yourself to update your look or have a chat with a loved one who sees both your negative and positive qualities.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★★★
You might not know what your plans are as you wake up. Don't worry — you will be delighted by whatever happens.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★
You might want to kick back for a day or so. You often run around helping others with a project, errands or whatever needs to be done. Take a day just for you.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★
You might be more possessive of a loved one than you have been in a long time. You tend to draw in what you want.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
★★★★ You could be pushed to handle a commitment that isn't your responsibility. Do not feel as if you must say "yes."

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
★★★★ You might not discover how complicated a situation really is until the last moment. If you need to bail out, do.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
★★★★ You appreciate the benefits of one-on-one business conversations more than other signs do. The same goes for your personal life.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
★★★★ You might have planned the perfect Sunday, only to be met with interference. Instead of getting on your high horse, relax.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
★★★ Don't make a big deal out of turning down invitations. You have a hobby you love, so dedicate some hours to this pastime.

BORN TODAY
Talk-show host Johnny Carson (1925), actor Ryan Reynolds (1976), singer/songwriter "Weird Al" Yankovic (1959)

ANSWER TO TODAY'S PUZZLE

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KMLM IND	11	12	12	11	11	Southwest "Part 2"		Walking	Mission	In Touch Ministries		Aleph	Zion	Chur.Way	R/Manusc	Nueva Vida	
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	Minute	Secrets	Lightks.	B&N Min.	Sunday Today (N)		Meet the Press (N)		To Be Announced		Paid	FigSkate
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	Sesame	Mr. Rogers	C.George	Cat	Sid	WordGirl	O. Squad	O. Squad	Arthur	Cyberch.	Clos.Truth	For Home
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	Nacional	Mercury	Programa pagado		Como dice el dicho		Al punto		Netas divinas		Fútbol Central	
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		LatiNat.	Latino	Spaces	Homeown.	Green	Hazelton	O.House	HomeT.	First Baptist Church		The NFL Today (L)	
FLIX	340	575		165		(:05) ★★ Calendar Girls Helen Mirren.				★★★ Basquiat ('96, Dra) Jeffery Wright.				★★ The Package Gene Hackman.			
HBO	300	550	14	14		deNiroSr	(:45) ★★★ The Fantastic Four Miles Teller.				Wednes	Ride Along 2 Ice Cube.			(:45) ★★ The Soloist		
HBO2	302	551	15	101	23	★★★★ The English Patient ('96, Rom) Ralph Fiennes.					(:45) Deuce Bigalow: Male ...			(:15) Class Divide			Movie
HBOS	304	552	16	102		(5:20) Riding in Cars With Boys			(:35) Brooklyn ('15, Dra) Saoirse Ronan.				★★ Everest ('15, Adv) Jake Gyllenhaal.				LastWeek
MAX	380	557	17	120	24	Movie	★★★ The Dancer Upstairs Javier Bardem.				(:45) Term Life Vince Vaughn.			(:20) ★★ End of Days			
MAX2	382	558	18	122		(5:25) The Assassination of Jesse James...				(:05) ★★ The Glass House Leelee Sobieski.				(:55) Closed Circuit Eric Bana.			Movie
PLEX			96			(:05) ★ Let It Ride			(:35) Cops and Robbersons			(:10) ★★★ October Sky Jake Gyllenhaal.				Rescue Dawn	
SHOW	320	565	19	140	25	(5:15) Along Cam...		Inside the NFL		F.State	★★ Mission: Impossible II Tom Cruise.				(:35) Circus	(:05) The Usual ...	
TMC	336	573	22	155	26	(5:30) ★ Beat		(:05) Compared to What: Th...			(:35) ★★★ Bubble Boy			Becoming Bulletproof			Movie
A&E	27	58	28	35	47	The Way Home		Criminal Minds		C.Minds "Snake Eyes"		Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds	
AMC	40	74	23	42	51	Walking Dead "Here's Not Here"			Dead "Now"		The Walking Dead		Dead "Heads Up"		Dead "Start to Finish"		Dead
BET	58	-		40		D. Grier	Carpenter	Abundant	BET Rej	Joyful Noise (N)		Lift Voice	Payne	Payne	Payne	Menace II Society	
BRAVO	65	76		41		Manzo'd	Tardy...	YourMine	YourMine	Million Dollar List		Below Deck		Real Housewives		Vanderpump Rules	
CNBC	46	52		39	72	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid
CNN	43	50	51	30	56	New Day Sunday		Inside Politics		State of the Union		Fareed Zakaria GPS		Reliable Sources		State of the Union	
DISC	50	60	31	24	42	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Sea Gold "Hello Heartache/ Goodbye Nome"				Rush "The Gambler"		Gold Rush	
DISNEY	56	64	36	25	36	Stuffins	Mickey M.	The Lion	Sofia 1st	Elena	Zhu Zhu	Underc.	StuckMid	Cali Style	Bunk'd	The Swap	
ESPN	32	35	48	31	30	SportsCenter		SportsCenter		SportsCenter		NFL "Sunday Edition"		Sunday NFL Countdown (L)			
ESPN2	34	36	49	32	31	BASS Fishing		Football Final		OLines	Report (N)	SportsCenter		Fantasy Football Now (L)			
FNC	45	48	53	23	55	(5:00) FOX & Friends Sunday						Morning Futures		MediaBuzz		America's News HQ	
FOOD	64	70	27	68	54	Barefoot	Patricia H	Southern	Pioneer	Big Bite	Cooking	Dinner	Barefoot	Pioneer	Southern	Giada	Brunch
FREEFORM	53	63	34	42	33	Melissa	★★★★ The Goonies ('85, Adv) Sean Astin.					(:10) Monsterville: Cabinet of Souls				(:20) Scooby-Doo	
FSSW	37	38	50	45	29	Whitetail	Thunder	Mavricks	Spurs	Paid	Paid	NHL Hockey Columbus vs Dallas				Game365	Golf Life
FX	31	56	59	64	69	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	★★ Knight and Day ('10, Act) Tom Cruise,				
HALLMARK	54	71	58		34	Lucy	I Love Lucy	Middle	Middle	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	Good Witch: Secrets of Grey House			
HGTV	63	69	26	48	44	Love It or List It		Love It or List It		Love It or List It		Love It or List It		Love It or List It		Love It or List It	
HISTORY	71	59	29	50	43	Cities "City of Caves"		Cities of Underworld		Cities of Underworld		Cities of Underworld		Gates of Hell			
LIFETIME	28	30	25	28	48	In Touch Ministries		Amazing	David Jer.	J.Osteen	Paid	The Way Home		A Fatal Obsession Tracy Nelson.			
MSNBC	47	53		49	73	Hardball	Business	PoliticsNation		MSNBC Live		AM Joy				MSNBC Live	
NBCSN	38	43				MatchDay	Leauge Live (L)		(:25) EPL Soccer Southampton vs Man City (L)				Live	(:55) EPL Soccer Man Utd vs Chelsea (L)			
NICK	55	-	39	34	37	ALVINNN	ALVINNN	Dino	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	LoudHou.	Liar, Liar, Vam...	
SPIKE	30	-	55	53	58	Paid Program		Paid Program		Power	Power	Power	Power	★★★ The Dark Knight Rises			
SYFY	66	82	41	57	67	(5:00) Paid Program		Twilight	Twilight	Phantasm Ramastered				Finder's Keepers ('14, Thril) Jaime Pressly.			
TBS	25	33	44	66	41	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	★★ The 40-Year-Old Virgin ('05, Com) Steve Carell.					Movie
TCM	41	75	24	63	66	(5:00) Ah, Wildern...		★★ Stage Fright ('50, Myst) Jane Wyman.				★★★ The Outlaw Jane Russell.				(:15) Neptune's ...	
TELE	20	-	10	20		Pagado	Pagado	Pagado	EPL Fútbol Southampton vs Man City (L)				Liga extra	EPL Fútbol Manchester United at Chelsea (L)			
TLC	51	61	32	38	52	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	Yes Dress
TNT	24	34	40	26	50	Law&Order "Captive"		Law&O. "Over Here"		Law & Order		Law & Order		LawOrder "Darkness"		Law & Order	
TVLAND	49	-	35	54	35	(:10) Chris	(:50) G. Girls	(:25) The Golden Girls		G. Girls	(:35) G.Girls	(:10) G.Girls	(:50) G.Girls	(:25) The Golden Girls		G. Girls	G. Girls
USA	26	55	42	27	49	Paid	T.Point	In Touch	J.Osteen	Chrisley	Chrisley	Eye. "Buffalo '07"		SVU "Slaves"		SVU "Asunder"	
WGN	19	85				Lord	Creflo	Key David	Paid	In Heat of Night		In Heat of Night		In Heat of Night		Heat Night "Legacy"	

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	G	S	R	C	W	12 PM	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	Paid	Paid	Paid	World of X Games (N)			STIHL Timber (N)		Blue Bloods		News	Carrasco
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	NFL Football Oakland Raiders at Jacksonville Jaguars Site: EverBank Field (L)							(:25) NFL Football New England vs Pittsburgh (L)				
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	BradyB.	BradyB.	Gilligan	Gilligan.	HappyD.	Laverne	Lucy	Lucy	The Love Boat		The Love Boat	
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	NFL Football Minnesota Vikings at Philadelphia Eagles (L)						The OT	Reggie Jackson Film		HomeT.	BigBang	BigBang
KMLM IND	11	12	12	11	11	Z. Levitt	Mani Erfan	Jerusalem	Restore	Southwest "Part 1"		Southwest "Part 2"		HaYesod	Hebrew	About Us	Housecall
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	(11:30) ISU FigSkate Skate America			Pre-race	F1 Auto Racing United States Grand Prix (L)				F1 Extra (L)		Inside Ed.	News
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	W.L.Yoga	Wild Photo	Martha	Martha	Chef's	Chef	Baking "Desserts"		Nova		News. (N)	Ireland
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	MFL Fútbol Tigres UANL at UNAM (L)				Republica deportiva		Voces del futuro		Primer Impacto		Nacional	Noticiero
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		Fam.Feud	Bucket List	Green	Homes	CARS.TV	AmAthlete	Entertainers		Missing	Insider	Major Crimes	
FLIX	340	575		165		★★ Split Decisions			(:35) Hidden in America			(:10) ★★ Wooly Boys Peter Fonda.				Frank and Jesse	
HBO	300	550	14	14		Movie	(:45) Bill Maher		(:45) ★★ A Beautiful Mind ('01, Dra) Russell Crowe.					Ride Along 2 Ice Cube.			Movie
HBO2	302	551	15	101	23	(11:30) Steve Jobs			(:35) ★★★ Rushmore			(:10) ★★ Pan ('15, Fam) Levi Miller.				The Man From ...	
HBOS	304	552	16	102		(:10) Westworld		(:10) ★★ The Boy Next Door			Divorce	(:15) Seventh Son ('14, Adv) Jeff Bridges.				Maintain	LastWeek
MAX	380	557	17	120	24	Movie	(:25) ★★ The Order			(:10) Quarry		(:05) ★★ Speed Racer ('08, Adv) Emile Hirsch.					Movie
MAX2	382	558	18	122		(11:35) ★★★★ Malcolm X ('92, Doc/Dra) Denzel Washington.						★★ The Village Adrien Brody.			(:50) Kingsman: The Secret...		
PLEX			96			(11:00) Rescue Da...		(:05) ★★ Mr. Mom			(:40) ★★★ The Fortune Cookie				(:50) ★ Hail Caesar		
SHOW	320	565	19	140	25	(11:05) The Usual ...		(:55) 45 Years			★★ Carol ('15, Dra) Cate Blanchett.				Circus	Masters of Sex	
TMC	336	573	22	155	26	(11:25) ★★ Black Hawk Down			(:50) ★★★ Bubble Boy			(:15) ★★ Jane Wants a Boyfriend				Camp X-Ray	
A&E	27	58	28	35	47	C.Minds "Snake Eyes"		Criminal Minds		S. Wars	S. Wars	S. Wars	S. Wars	S. Wars	S. Wars	S. Wars	S. Wars
AMC	40	74	23	42	51	Dead	Dead "The Next World"		Dead "Knots Untie"		The Walking Dead		The Walking Dead		Dead "Twice as Far"		Dead
BET	58	-		40		(11:00) Menace II Society			Brotherly Love ('15, Dra) Keke Palmer.				★★ Takers ('10, Act) Matt Dillon, Chris Brown.				
BRAVO	65	76		41		Married to Medicine		Housewives Atlanta		Housewives NJ		Housewives NJ		Housewives NJ		Housewives NJ	
CNBC	46	52		39	72	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid
CNN	43	50	51	30	56	Fareed Zakaria GPS		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom	
DISC	50	60	31	24	42	(11:00) Gold Rush		Rush "Eye in the Sky"		Edge of Alaska		Edge of Alaska		Edge of Alaska		Alaska/Frontier	
DISNEY	56	64	36	25	36	Movie	(:40) Jessie	(:05) Austin	Underc.	Walk	Walk	Walk	Walk	Walk	Walk	Walk	Walk
ESPN	32	35	48	31	30	Champ	E:60Pics	30 for 30 "Phi Slama Jama"			First Take	MLS Soccer Real Salt Lake at Seattle Sounders FC (L)					F. Final
ESPN2	34	36	49	32	31	Billiards		Billiards		Billiards		MLS Decision Day Whiparound (L)					Featured
FNC	45	48	53	23	55	(11:00) News HQ		Fox News Sunday		Journal E.	Housecall	America's News HQ				Fox News Sunday	
FOOD	64	70	27	68	54	The Kitchen		Worst Bakers		WorstCooks		Cutthroat Kitchen		Chopped Junior		Hallow "Two-Faced"	
FREEFORM	53	63	34	42	33	(11:20) ★★ Scooby-Doo			Scooby-Doo 2: Monsters Unleashed				(:40) ★★★★ Matilda ('96, Fam) Mara Wilson.				
FSSW	37	38	50	45	29	Big 12 Showcase		NCAA Soccer Kansas vs. Baylor (L)				NCAA Soccer Texas Tech vs. TCU (L)				NCAA Soccer (L)	
FX	31	56	59	64	69	★★★★ Mission: Impossible - Ghost Protocol Tom Cruise.						★★★ Oblivion ('13, Act) Morgan Freeman, Tom Cruise.					
HALLMARK	54	71	58		34	Pumpkin Pie Wars ('16, Rom) Julie Gonzalo.				All of My Heart ('15, Dra) Lacey Chabert.				Good Witch: Secrets of Grey House			
HGTV	63	69	26	48	44	Property Brothers		Property Brothers		Property Brothers		Property Brothers		Property Brothers		Property Brothers	
HISTORY	71	59	29	50	43	Universe "Stonehenge"		Universe "Pyramids"		The Universe		The Universe		American Pickers		American Pickers	
LIFETIME	28	30	25	28	48	Honor Student ('14, Thril) Josie Loren.				A Wife's Suspicion ('16, Cri) Andrea Roth.				Death of a Vegas Showgirl			
MSNBC	47	53		49	73	MSNBC Live		Meet the Press		Pulse of America		MSNBC Live		In Other News		In Other News	
NBCSN	38	43				NASCAR	Count.	NASCAR Auto Racing Alabama 500 Site: Talladega Superspeedway (L)							Post-race	Victory Lap (L)	
NICK	55	-	39	34	37	Movie	H.Danger	The Thundermans		Thunder	LoudHou.	LoudHou.	LoudHou.	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge
SPIKE	30	-	55	53	58	(10:00) ★★★ The Dark Knight Rises				Bar Rescue		Bar Rescue		Bar Rescue		Bar Rescue	
SYFY	66	82	41	57	67	Shadows of the Dead Kennedy Tucker.				★★ The Texas Chainsaw Massacre				Texas Chainsaw Massacre: The Begin...			
TBS	25	33	44	66	41	(11:30) Anchorman: The Lege...			★★★ Role Models Seann William Scott.				(:45) ★★★ Pineapple Express ('08, Com) Seth Rogen.				
TCM	41	75	24	63	66	(11:15) Neptune's ...		★★★ People Will Talk Cary Grant.				★★★ The Lady Eve Barbara Stanwyck.				Father of the B...	
TELE	20	-	10	20		Enfoque	Angel	★★★ El Exterminador 2 ('91, Act) Arnold Schwarzenegger.						Noticiero	Conducta	El Lado humano	
TLC	51	61	32	38	52	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	90 Day Fiancé		90 Day Fiancé		90 Day Fiancé	
TNT	24	34	40	26	50	★★★ The Expendables 2				★★★ Ocean's Eleven ('01, Cri) George Clooney.					★★ Bad Boys II		
TVLAND	49	-	35	54	35	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba
USA	26	55	42	27	49	Law&O: SVU "Ripped"		SVU "Persona"		Law&O: SVU "Crush"		Law & Order: S.V.U.		Law & Order: S.V.U.		Law & Order: S.V.U.	
WGN	19	85				Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Blue Bloods	

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	G	S	R	C	W	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	America's Funniest Home Videos		Once Upon a Time "Street Rats" (N)		Secrets and Lies "The Detective" (N)		Quantico "Kubark" (N)		Local 2 News/ 10	(:35) Basin Gridiron	(:05) American Ninja Warrior	
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	(3:25) NFL Football	60 Minutes		NCIS: Los Angeles "Ghost Gun" (N)		Madam Secretary "South China Sea" (N)		Element. "Render and Then Seize Her" (N)		CBS 7 News	(:05) CBS 7 Wire	(:35) Falcon
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	A. Griffith	A. Griffith Show	Columbo A seemingly bumbling detective solves murders.		M*A*S*H		The Odd Couple	Honeymooners	Cheers	B.Newhart	MaryTylerM.	Taxi
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	The Simpsons	Bob's Burgers (N)	TheSimpsons (N)	Son of Zorn (N)	Family Guy (N)	Last Man (N)	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	2 Broke Girls	Paid Program	Jack Van Impe	Texans 360
KMLM IND	11	12	12	11	11	Mission: M25	Shepherd's Heart		Walking	Light of the Southwest "Part 1"		Light of the Southwest "Part 2"		Update News	Behind the Veil	Wings of Truth	Creation Proclaims
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	Football Night in America (L)		(:20) NFL Football Seattle Seahawks at Arizona Cardinals Site: University of Phoenix Stadium -- Glendale, Ariz. (L)							(:35) News	Country Reporter	Whacked Out
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	G. Trekker "Isolated Islands: St. Helena"		Masterpiece "The Durrells in Corfu" (N)		Masterpiece Classic "Poldark" (N)		Masterpiece Classic "Indian Summers" (N)		The Forsyte Saga Soames divorces Irene.		SpeakEasy	
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	Sal y pimienta		La Banda				Aqui y Ahora		Durmiend o mi jefe	Noticiero Univision	Republica deportiva	
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		Rizzoli & Isles		Castle		CSI: Miami		H.S. Football PHS vs. San Angelo Central					
FLIX	340	575		165		(5:00) Frank & Jesse		★★ Blown Away ('94, Thril) Jeff Bridges.				(:05) ★★ The Package Gene Hackman.				Beyond the Law	
HBO	300	550	14	14		(5:50) Gods of Egypt Gerard Butler.				Westworld (N)		Divorce	Insecure	LastWeek	Westworld		Insecure
HBO2	302	551	15	101	23	(5:00) The Man F...		WWorld "The Stray"		★★★ Jackie Brown ('97, Dra) Pam Grier.					(:35) ★★★★ Juno Ellen Page.		
HBOS	304	552	16	102		Bill Maher		★★★ The Wedding Singer			(:45) ★★ The Boy Next Door			(:15) ★★★★ Deadpool Ryan Reynolds.			
MAX	380	557	17	120	24	(5:25) ★★ Self/ Less			(:25) Term Life Vince Vaughn.			Insurgent ('15, Sci-Fi) Shailene Woodley.				Live Free or Die ...	
MAX2	382	558	18	122		(4:50) Kingsman: ...		Quarry		★ Exodus: Gods and Kings ('14, Dra) Christian Bale.					(:35) Quarry		Movie
PLEX			96			Movie	(:25) ★ Let It Ride			★★ Mr. Mom Michael Keaton.			(:35) Cops and Robbersons			(:10) ★ In the Mix	
SHOW	320	565	19	140	25	Shameless		Circus (N)	Circus	Shameless (N)		Masters of Sex (N)		Shameless		Circus	Masters
TMC	336	573	22	155	26	(5:00) Camp X-Ray		★★ Black Hawk Down ('01, Act) Josh Hartnett.					★★ War ('07, Act) Jet Li.			(:15) The Disapp...	
A&E	27	58	28	35	47	S. Wars	Storage W.	S. Wars	S. Wars	S. Wars	S. Wars	S. Wars	S. Wars	(:05) S.Wars	(:35) S.Wars	(:05) S.Wars	(:35) S.Wars
AMC	40	74	23	42	51	(5:30) Dead	Walking Dead "Last Day on Earth"			Walking Dead (N)		(:05) Talking Dead (N)			(:35) Walking Dead		ComicB.
BET	58	-		40		(3:30) ★★ Takers		★★ Waist Deep ('06, Act) Tyrese Gibson.					Husbands	Husbands	GaryOwen	Abundant	BET Rej
BRAVO	65	76		41		New Jersey Social (N)		Housewives NJ (N)		Manzo	Housewives NJ		Manzo'd	Watch (N)	Housewives NJ		Manzo'd
CNBC	46	52		39	72	Under Boss "Hooters"		Undercover Boss		Undercover Boss		Undercover Boss		Millionaire Inventor		Millionaire Inventor	
CNN	43	50	51	30	56	CNN Newsroom		Anthony Bourdain		A. Bourdain (N)		This Is Life (N)		This Is Life		Anthony "London"	
DISC	50	60	31	24	42	Alaska/Frontier		Alaska: Exposed (N)		Alaska "Stranded" (N)		Edge of Alaska (N)		(:05) Alaska/Frontier		(:05) Edge of Alaska	
DISNEY	56	64	36	25	36	Walk	Walk	Walk (N)	Bizaard.	Underc.	Lodge	Lodge	Liv/Mad	Walk	Babysit.	Austin	Jessie
ESPN	32	35	48	31	30	F.Final	SportsCenter		Poker World Series			Poker World Series		SportsCenter			SportsC.
ESPN2	34	36	49	32	31	Kickboxing Glory 34				Football Final		Featured "Pin Kings"		ESPN FC (N)		Tonight	Champ
FNC	45	48	53	23	55	FOX Report Sunday		Legends & Lies		The Kelly File		Greg Gutfeld Show		Legends & Lies		Hannity	
FOOD	64	70	27	68	54	Game "Spice Masters"		Guy's Game (N)		Halloween Wars (N)		Worst Bakers (N)		Halloween Baking		Halloween Wars	
FREEFORM	53	63	34	42	33	Toy Story (:20) ★★★ Monsters University					(:50) ★★★ Hocus Pocus ('93, Com) Bette Midler.					J.Osteen	Jeremiah
FSSW	37	38	50	45	29	(5:00) NCAA Soccer (L)		Sooner Football (N)		WPT Poker		Bull Riding		Knockout	School (N)	WPT Poker	
FX	31	56	59	64	69	★★★ Jack Reacher ('12, Act) Rosamund Pike, Tom Cruise.						Strain "Do or Die" (N)		Strain "Do or Die"		Strain "White Light"	
HALLMARK	54	71	58		34	Anything for Love (2016, Romance)				Stop the Wedding Rachel Boston.				G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls
HGTV	63	69	26	48	44	Property Brothers		Hawaii	Hawaii	Life (N)	Life (N)	Island	Island	H.Hunt	House	Life	Life
HISTORY	71	59	29	50	43	American Pickers		American Pickers		American Pickers		American Pickers		(:05) Amer. Pickers		(:05) Amer. Pickers	
LIFETIME	28	30	25	28	48	Troubled Child ('16, Dra) Andy Scott Harris.				Killing Mommy ('16, Thril) Yvonne Zima.				Troubled Child ('16, Dra) Andy Scott Harris.			
MSNBC	47	53		49	73	Dateline NBC		Dateline "The Deed"		Dateline NBC		Dateline NBC		Dateline NBC		In Other News	
NBCSN	38	43				F1 Auto Racing United States Grand Prix				Grudge	FIS Skiing			Sport	Sport	Match of the Day	
NICK	55	-	39	34	37	Welcome to Monster High			Sam Cat	F.House	F.House	F.House	F.House	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends
SPIKE	30	-	55	53	58	Bar Rescue		Bar Rescue		Bar Rescue		Bar Rescue		That Awkward		Bar Rescue	
SYFY	66	82	41	57	67	★★★ The Faculty Jordana Brewster.				★★ I, Frankenstein Yvonne Strahovski.				★★★ Mary Shelley's Frankenstein			
TBS	25	33	44	66	41	Girls	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	People	★★★ Pineapple Express		
TCM	41	75	24	63	66	(5:00) Father of t...		★★ Frankenstein Created Woman				★★ Frankenstein Must Be Destroyed!				The Phantom ...	
TELE	20	-	10	20		Hasta Que Te Conoci		Hasta Que Te Conoci		Hasta Que Te Conoci		Don Francisco		Titulares	Conducta	Mentiras perfectas	
TLC	51	61	32	38	52	90 Day Fiancé		Day Fiancé "This Is What You Came For" (N)				90 Day Fiancé (N)		90 Day Fiancé "This Is What You Came For"			
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TRAVEL

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From what had I read and heard, I could survive an apocalypse inside my one-bedroom fortress, which was named Lemuria. (The inventory changes as the homes are sold and built; five houses are available for rent.) In addition to the cord-cutting power and self-sustaining water supply, each abode contains its own greenhouse. I could forage for figs, bananas, pineapple, broccoli, rosemary and chives in my fluffy socks. Or if the zombies weren't looking, I could dash over to my neighbor's place for supper. The Phoenix, a three-bedroom that sleeps six, dedicates one-third of its space to food production. Its tropical jungle supports parakeets and cockatiels (not for consumption) and a garden bursting with fruits and vegetables, including grapes, artichokes, lemons, melons, kale, squash, hot peppers and mushrooms that cling to a log. Chickens cluck around the back yard, which features a sunken den with a grill for coop-to-kebob meals. An indoor fishpond once contained a robust stock of tilapia before a group of guests threw a fish fry. Now, the littlest survivors swim laps with koi. For the dairy course, the staff is considering resident goats.

If you go

- Earthship Biotecture's Greater World Earthship Community
- 2 Earthship Way, Tres Piedras, N.M.
- 575-751-0462
- earthship.com
- From $140 a night.

"You are the power company, the water company, the sewage-treatment plant and the food production," Ryan said. "You control a lot of your life, instead of relying on others."

From the road, Earthship Biotecture resembles Tatooine, with a few alterations: lizards instead of krayt dragons, for instance, and Pruses in place of Jawa sandcrawlers. Most of the adobe houses are built low and are camouflaged by the 630 acres of khaki-colored terrain. I scanned the sun-baked landscape, wondering which brown lump was mine.

Check-in is between 2:30 p.m. and 4 p.m. I was punctual partly out of frugality. The confirmation letter warns late arrivals of a possible $20 hourly charge. When I drove up, several people were standing on the roof of the visitors' center, inspecting the solar panels. I parked by a sign informing guests that the community is drone-free. On my way into the visitors' center, I passed tomato and melon plants suspended from buckets. Netting covered several pieces of heavy fruit, protecting guests' toes. Inside, a gallery with a film, slide show and informational panels explained Earthship's practices and principles. The lessons don't stop at the bathroom door; a sign informs loo-goers that the water is reused four times.

The visitors' center is part of a complex of buildings that includes an academy for students and the Earthship Village Ecologies project, a sustainable testing site where worker-bee interns live and learn. Drop-in visitors pay $7 for a self-guided tour of the public areas; as a renter, I could come and go for free.

I met the bearded and blue-eyed Ryan inside the center and followed the Wisconsin native in his car. We passed two entrances to the community before turning onto a bumpy unmarked road. I would need glow-in-the-dark bread crumbs to find my way home again.

The welcome at Earthship is much more elaborate — and academic — than at traditional lodgings. Ryan started his overview by charging up a dirt incline to the roof, where he pointed out the solar panels and water-capturing system. Back on crusty ground, we entered the 1,400-square-foot house through a side door surrounded by the bottoms of beer and wine bottles. The colorful circles shimmered like a sea glass. I stepped into a lush garden lining the windowed hallway and started to sweat in the humidity. Ryan yanked on a rope, opening a skylight and ushering in fresh air.

I trailed Ryan from kitchen to living room to laundry room (off-limits to guests) to bedroom to bathroom. Along the way, he knelt by various mystery boxes and strange cabinets, explaining the operating systems. I tried to grasp the sustainable jargon — greywater planter cell, power-organizing module, thermal mass — but I eventually gave my mind a hall pass to wander. After Ryan left, however, I realized how much I had retained. I remembered which faucets were for drinking and which ones were for washing, and how to turn on the Apple TV. I knew better than to search for the coffeepot, iron and blow dryer, because they didn't exist: traditional hotel amenities are power hogs. When I turned on the faucet, I recognized the groaning noise as the greywater pump, not the angry remonstrations of the God of Wastefulness.

"We're trying to show people that they don't have to majorly change their lifestyle to live like this," Kirsten said. "It's like a high-end Taos hotel."

Before settling in for the night, I made a food run to Taos. (With no walking dead on the horizon, I didn't want to poach the emergency food supply.) After storing my groceries in the Sun Frost fridge, I set out for a neighborhood stroll. The residents are a slice of regular life: teachers, architects, IT professionals, businessfolk. Their homes are private and well-spaced, but by craning my neck just so, I could be a bit nosy. I noticed whirring wind generators that resembled outsider-art sculptures and admired entryway mosaics born from the detritus of boozing. One house had a trampoline, a zero-carbon approach to exhausting children. A house in its infancy looked like a landfill, with piles of bottles and tires.

As the sky darkened, my imagination started to light up with the eyes of snakes and coyotes. I hustled back to Lemuria and climbed a small hill overlooking the desert. I watched the split screen of lightning bolts to my right and triple rainbows on my left. A jack rabbit hopped down my driveway and disappeared into the yard. He was still there when I returned to the house, nibbling away at the curious patch of greenery.

The night passed peacefully. I cooked dinner on the propane stovetop, watched Netflix and contemplated a serious life change. According to a notebook on the coffee table, the utility-bill-free life of Lemuria could be mine — for $275,000. (Update: The house sold a few weeks after my visit.) I went to bed and gazed at the silvery stars through the southern-facing wall of slanted windows. I awakened at dawn to watch the sun rise and recharge my ship.

I had to check out by 11 a.m., and the possibility of a dawdler fee pushed me out of bed. However, before leaving, I made sure to water the plants with a flush and a rinse.

CALENDAR

TODAY

Compiled by staff reports and the Arts Council of Midland | acmidland.org.

Fall Market, 1-5 p.m. at Kamiposi, 510 S. Big Spring St. facebook.com/kamiposi.

TCM Big Screen Classics: "The Shining," 2 and 7 p.m. today and Wednesday at Regal Tall City Stadium 14, 4915 W. Loop 250 N. $14.88. fathomevents.com.

MONDAY

Third Annual Big Beer Brew-Ha with pairings by Bill's Bistro and The Wine Rack. 6 p.m. at The Wine Rack, 4610 N. Garfield St. Call 432-218-7383 or 432-570-9436 for reservations.

Midland Community Band's weekly meeting and rehearsal at Midland College Fine Arts Building Band Hall. 7-9 p.m. New members welcome and some instruments are available for use at the college. Contact 432-553-0632 for more information.

Opera 101 is a continuing education course at Midland College. This semester the class will study Wagner's "Tristan Und Isolde," Mozart's "Don Giovanni," Verdi's "Nabucco" and Gounod's "Romeo et Juliette." Those same operas will be featured as part of the Live at the Met series which screens at Regal's Tall City Cinema, 7 p.m. Mondays at 3600 Garfield Road. mypbo.org.

TUESDAY

"Nature Notes" on Marfa Public Radio. 8:35 a.m. and 4:45 p.m. KXWT-Midland/Odessa-91.3 FM.

Watercolor Workshop by JoBeth Gilliam. 9 a.m through Thursday at the Palette Club, 907 W. Wadley Ave. $200-$250. paletteclubmidland.com.

Watercolor Classes by local artist Sara Drescher Braswell. Learn how to paint in watercolors. This class is for all levels. Classes will go through basics to creating your own works. 10 a.m.-noon and 6-8 p.m. at Arts Council Midland, 1506 W Illinois Ave. To regsiter, email sara@artbysaradb.com.

First Drum Circle, 7 p.m. at Kamiposi, 510 S. Big Spring St. facebook.com/kamiposi.

Permian Basin Dance Club with live country western bands weekly. 7:30-10 p.m. at St. Stephen's Catholic Church, 4601 Neely Ave. 432-520-4343 or 432-296-9640.

Crossing the Line: West Texas Line Dancing weekly meetup. 7:30-9 p.m. at MLK Community Center, 2300 Butternut Lane. Classes are free but there is a $1 center entry fee. 713-876-9097. bbberesik@gmail.com. meetup.com/CrossingTheLineWest-Texas.

WEDNESDAY

Story Time, 9:30 a.m. for ages up to 2 years; 10:30 a.m. for ages 2-6 at Midland County Public Library Centennial branch.

Hilda Cuevas, Mariachi Reyna de Los Angeles, 7:30 p.m. at the Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, 1310 N. FM 1788. $25-$45. wagnernoel.com.

THURSDAY

Masquerade Mixer hosted by the Association of Fundraising Professionals. 5 p.m. at Beer Garden, 7112 W. Highway. 80.

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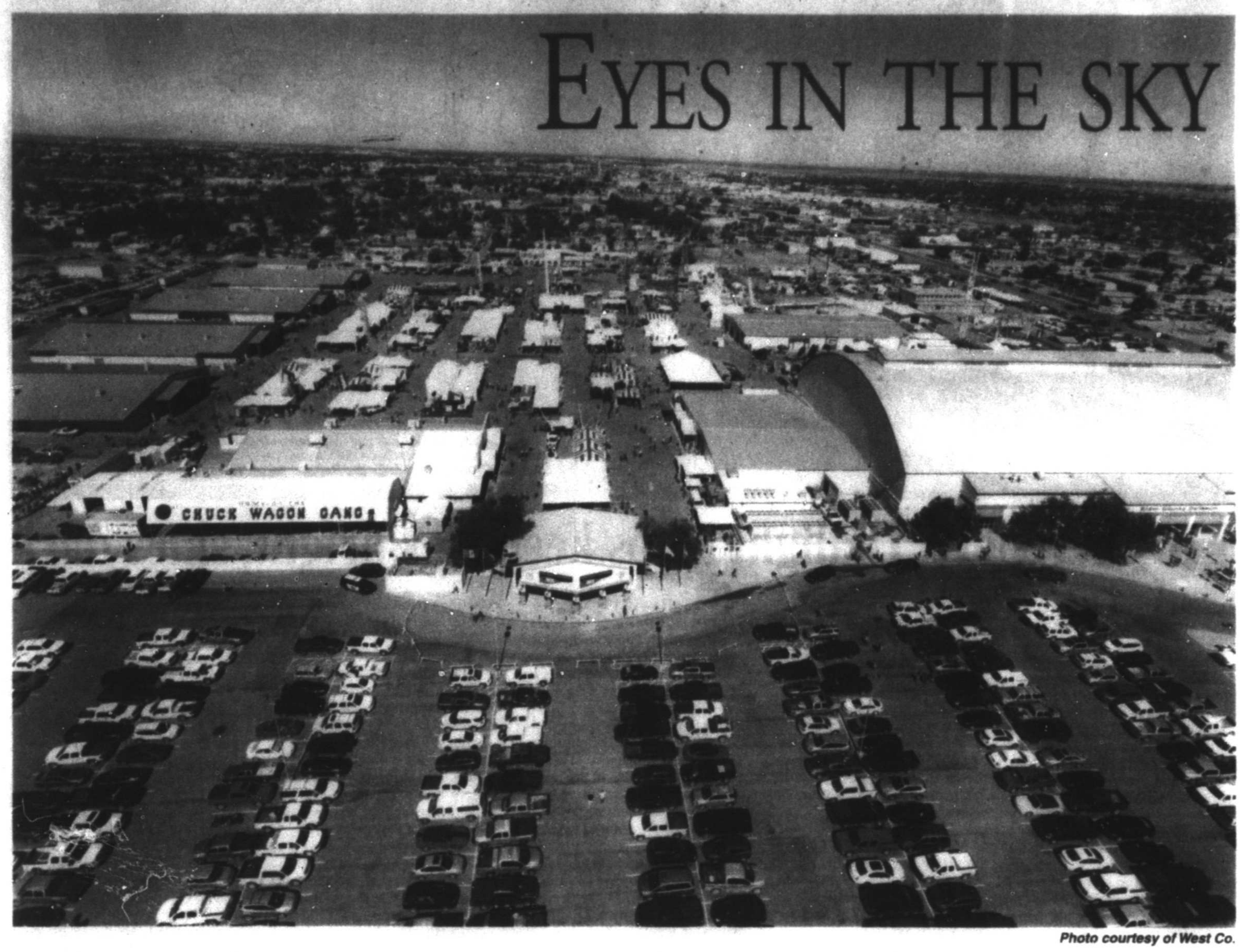
Pronto Spanish Lessons, 6 p.m. Thursdays through Oct. 27 at Ellen Noel Art Museum, 4909 E. University Blvd., Odessa. $20 for all classes, $8 per class. Noelartmuseum.org.

West Texas Dance Club with live country music, 7:30-10 p.m. at 301 E. 51st St. in Odessa. 432-697-0281 or 432-631-6125.



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This aerial photo of the 2016 Permian Basin International Oil Show grounds was shot by land surveyors West Co. on Wednesday. West Co. used a quadcopter-style drone for the photo. In the field, it collects data with a plane-style drone.

For plotting land, surveyors head skyward

By Trevor Hawes
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Every week in the news, there seems to be a report about a new groundbreaking use for drones, small aerial flying machines that can be outfitted with cameras and sensors to collect pictures and data unencumbered in the air. At the 2016 Permian Basin International Oil Show, one company showed just how important drones can be for the oil industry.

West Co., a subsidiary of Landpoint, has implemented drones in its surveying operations. No longer is a five-man crew required to head to faraway oil leases to track the land point by point. Instead, a pair of surveyors can be dispatched to fly a pre-programmed drone to collect millions of data points and high-resolution images, all of which the customer can see on their web browser.

West Co. vice president Chad Souter took time away from his company's very busy booth to talk with the Reporter-Telegram about drone technology and its use in surveying.

MRT: How are drones changing surveying?

Souter: Drones are changing the way we collect data. We used to, and still do, go out and take individual shots of an area of interest for an oil company; that can be a pipeline, a facility, a well location — any of those things we would traditionally go out and stake one or two points at a time, make notes of those, send (clients) the drafting and then send the customer the plat.

With drones, we can collect millions of data points as opposed to just one or two, and our surveyors can use those to accurately define the area of interest. (Customers) are getting more accurate data to make decisions on, and since we're out there with the drones, we've collected the imagery that we can put behind the plats. That imagery is not Google Earth imagery; it's more precise, it's a higher resolution, and it's up-to-date.

At the end of the day, these guys have better plats faster and with more information.

MRT: How much of a cost savings is there?

Souter: It's hard to quantify, but we're thinking between 25 and 30 percent on pipelines; for the facilities, the high 30s.

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Trevor Hawes/Reporter-Telegram

A drone purpose built for surveying is on display at West Co.'s booth Wednesday at the Permian Basin International Oil Show. The drone is fitted with the latest surveying technology and can survey land parcels much faster and in more detail than traditional manned crews.

The wait pays off: RSP Permian enters Delaware

By Mella McEwen
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News broke last week that RSP Permian had agreed to acquire Silver Hill Energy Partners LLC and Silver Hill E&P II LLC for $1.25 billion in cash and 31 million shares of RSP common stock in aggregate for a total purchase price of about $2.4 billion.

By the time the two-stage acquisition is complete, RSP Permian will gain a significant foothold in the Delaware Basin, a culmination of the company's patient approach to acquisitions. When completed, the deal will result in a combined current production

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With new regulations coming, companies know to call the 'crane lady'

By Trevor Hawes
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"Spartans are very dominant, and in Greek history, the Spartans were based on loyalty, integrity and honesty, and that's what I want my company to be based on; that's what you're going to get when you come here."

Katrina Mendenhall of Spartan Consulting & Safety

Professions in the diverse oilfield services end of the oil and gas industry are male-dominated, but Katrina Mendenhall of Spartan Consulting & Safety has made her niche as a woman in the world of crane operating. Mendenhall is known around the Permian Basin as the "crane lady," a sobriquet she finds slightly odd when companies use it to ask for her, but she also considers it endearing because businesses know that when they need crane operator training, she's the one to call.

Mendenhall started her company three years ago, shortly after leaving her position at a crane company. Her customers encouraged her to start her own consulting and safety company because she excelled at crane training. Spartan has since expanded and remains the only business that offers National Commission for the Certification of Crane Operators certification training in the Permian Basin. With new regulations coming, business should soon be booming.

She spoke with the Reporter-Telegram at her booth at the 2016 Permian Basin International Oil Show.

MRT: How has business been for Spartan?

Mendenhall: It's going very well. There is a new OSHA regulation concerning cranes going into effect next year that requires all crane operators to be certified by a nationally

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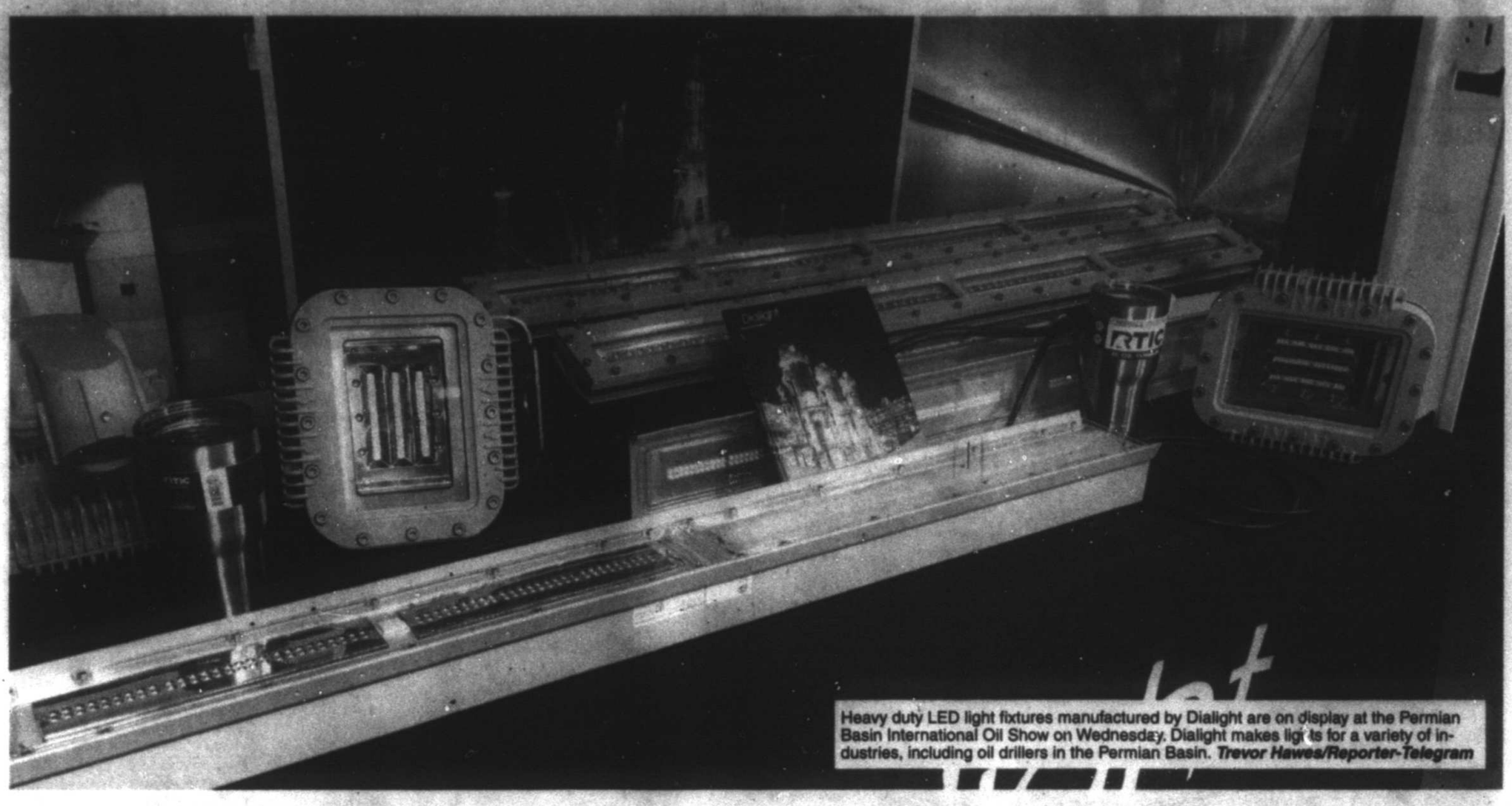

Heavy duty LED light fixtures manufactured by Dialight are on display at the Permian Basin International Oil Show on Wednesday. Dialight makes light fixtures for a variety of industries, including oil drillers in the Permian Basin. *Trevor Hawes/Reporter-Telegram*

PBIOS report: Dialight helps keep rigs bright, skies dark

By Trevor Hawes
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West Texas has some of the darkest skies in the world, but as drilling activity has become more prevalent in the Delaware Basin, McDonald Observatory has noticed a lot of light pollution on the horizon coming from rigs dotting the region. The Fort Davis-based observatory has partnered with cities, counties and the Permian Basin Petroleum Association to work with oil and gas companies on ways to reduce light pollution, such as redirecting lighting down toward the work surface with shrouds, but also by encouraging the use of new technology.

Dialight is an industrial lighting manufacturer and has worked with McDonald Observatory and oil and gas companies to educate the energy industry about the benefits of swapping traditional lighting with modern bright white LEDs, such as less long-term cost, increased safety and less light being lost to the sky. Gulf Coast regional sales manager Phil Hausman spoke with the Reporter-Telegram at the 2016 Permian Basin International Oil Show about what the company does to help keep West Texas skies dark.

MRT: Do you sell a lot of industrial lighting in the Permian Basin?

Hausman: We really got our start out here about three, four years ago. We help companies completely make the changeover from traditional fluorescent and HID (high-intensity discharge) lighting to complete LED systems.

MRT: How has lighting changed on rigs over the years?

Hausman: I'm trying to take the commodity out of it so you don't just keep buying lights and ballasts. Every time a rig moves, you have lamp breakage, you have to have lamp storage and disposal. With LED lighting, it's really no maintenance. There's nothing to replace on the light, and Dialight fixtures have five- to 10-year warranties. We don't want anyone having to touch them after they're installed. When an electrician is assigned to four or five rigs in the area, I don't want him to have to work on the lighting; I want him to work on the more technical components on the rig.

MRT: There is a big push out here for directional lighting because light pollution is affecting operations at McDonald Observatory. Does Dialight offer a solution?

Hausman: All of our fixtures are what they call dark sky compliant and are DLC, or DesignLights Consortium, approved. LED lighting is much more of a pinpoint lighting. I have talked with the people at the conservatory in Fort Davis, and we work with the drillers on how to position the lights and make sure they buy the right quantity that they need.

MRT: It's also simply better for rigs to point as much light as possible down to the work area instead of the sky, right?

Hausman: That's where the need is. What you see with LED lighting is much better color rendition, especially if you're working on electrical cabling with multiple colors. With traditional high-pressure sodium lights, all of the colors get blended together.

MRT: How long has Dialight been making LED lights?

Hausman: We started way back with colored LED light panel boards. We call the new fixtures white lighting or solid state lighting, and that's really only been around for eight or nine years, when they found they could take a chip and a diode, put some phosphorus on it, add energy and make it light up.

MRT: How long do LED lights last?

Hausman: Our lights are good for at least 100,000 hours, and that our minimum. That will last 11 or more years. We know that some people are going to get 20 years of service out of them.

Crane lady

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recognized organization. We prep crane operators, so it's kind of like driver's ed for them. The NCCCO then comes in and tests them.

MRT: What ultimately prompted you to start your own business?

Mendenhall: I left my job but didn't want to give up crane training. I started by myself out of my house, but we've grown and now office with QMC, a woman-owned crane manufacturer from California. They make cranes, and we train crane operators, so it goes hand-in-hand.

When I left my previous job, my customers encouraged me to start my own business doing crane safety training because I was good at it.

MRT: What made you learn how to operate a crane?

Mendenhall: I saw it and thought, "I can do that." I started working at a crane company in the office doing accounts receivable, and the owner saw a drive in me. I went from the office to a safety trainer to crane training.

MRT: Do you have a personal connection to crane operating and training?

Mendenhall: This is my passion; I love it. This isn't just a job for me. A lot of companies call me the "crane girl" because I have such a deep knowledge about cranes.

MRT: What other services does Spartan offer?

Mendenhall: Premier Education Council safety training; medic CPR, first aid and blood-borne pathogens; hydrogen sulfide training; and heavy equipment training, so forklift, manlift and backhoe. We do CPR because I had taught with the Red Cross before. We wanted to be an all-around safety company, so we also sell supplies, as well: gloves, glasses, etc.

MRT: Where did the name "Spartan" come from?

Mendenhall: Spartans are very dominant, and in Greek history, the Spartans were based on loyalty, integrity and honesty, and that's what I want my company to be based on; that's what you're going to get when you come here.

Drones

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The areas much easier to quantify are safety because you're higher up; we're not going directly over an area, so we're not worried about hydrogen sulfide leaks because we're collecting from afar. Another area that we can quantify is that you spend less up front because we're surveying larger areas much faster.

Being able to get more data faster propagates the entire project. The fact that we're sharing this information with engineering, with environmental and key stakeholders, in addition to sharing it internally, that's where the savings are.

MRT: Particularly with time.

Souter: You've got all of that data, and you can look at it on a web browser offsite. If I'm a construction company analyzing what it's going to take to build out this bid, I can look at this data set that West Co. has collected. I don't have to go offsite 200 miles way and take five people with me to look at it. We can all look at it on a computer screen in the office.

MRT: How long has West Co. used drones in surveying?

Souter: This technology is only about 18 months old, and we got into it in the very beginning. It has come a long way in 18 months.

MRT: Who had the vision to use drones?

Souter: The industry collectively said, "We need to use this." The equipment we use is Swiss, and a lot of European companies that have had access and agencies that control airspace have been a lot more lax than the FAA. The FAA wants to control the airspace a lot tighter, so the Europeans are ahead of us in drone technology. We've been leeching off their technology for the past 18 months.

MRT: What type of drones do you use?

Souter: We use surveying-specific drones, particularly the senseFly eBee. It's more like a little plane. We use a quadcopter for imagery only. Survey-specific drones are more expensive: $60,000 compared to $1,500.

MRT: Is it radio-controlled, or is its flight programmed?

Souter: Both. We go out and design the flight plan of, say, a square pad sight. The drone launches and flies the grid pattern, then belly lands. We grab the drone, download the photos, process the data to create the 3-D point cloud and store and distribute that information.

MRT: How many competitors do you have using drones in West Texas?

Souter: Not many can accomplish all four areas of what we would consider the challenges of controlling the drone platform. You have to have FAA approval; you have to purchase the equipment, which is expensive; you have to train your guys to use it so they don't destroy the equipment; you have to have processing and storage capacity. We don't have any competitors in the survey market right now that have been able to steer through all of those individual challenges.

MRT: Have you had any detractors to drone tech?

Souter: We've had a few, but only until they saw the demo data. Then they're like, "Oh, now I see why it's important to use this technology"

MRT: It looks like your booth has been very busy at the oil show.

Souter: Absolutely. A lot of people are interested in the technology. Just the drones are great for marketing purposes because everyone has seen them become more popular and have seen them fly around. Everyone is interested in how we're using them for our business.

MRT: For surveying, are you only now beginning to realize the potential of drones?

Souter: Yes. With the FAA's approval to allow non-pilots to fly these and the costs coming down to acquire the hardware, the last six months has really opened doors to a lot of operational uses.

MRT: Can you foresee drone technology being used in any other aspects of surveying?

Souter: As far as the maintenance side of surveying, we've been able to use drones on pipelines for methane detection and corrosion, and as those come into play more, we can put additional sensors on the drones. We can put thermal, multispectral and methane sensors.

MRT: Why is surveying important to the oil industry?

Souter: Surveying has always been required; it's a key component you can't do without on projects. The way we're using this new technology propagates the savings throughout the industry. In times like these when people are pinching pennies, you want to be able to use technology like this to collect the data.

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Client needs drive changes to Caballo Loco Midstream

By Mella McEwen
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The Caballo Loco Midstream begun by Suzie Boyd three years ago is quite different from the company that just celebrated its new home at 400 E. Loop 250 N.

"We just go where the clients want us to go," said Boyd, laughing. "Thus the 'crazy horse' mantra."

She founded Caballo Loco, which does indeed mean "crazy horse" in Spanish, in 2013 largely to offer commercial consulting.

"Helping people get the best prices for their gas," she said.

Some clients don't understand price contracts, said Boyd, who helps clients determine which company offers the best price and the best facilities.

Her expertise is based on 35 years of experience that range from operations engineering and reservoir engineering for Mobil and then 15 years in gas gathering and processing for DCP Midstream. When she left DCP to join Enterprise Products, she transferred to Houston from Midland, "where I learned about natural gas liquids."

Being around the production and midstream sides of the business has given her a lot of contacts and "I know who to call."

Returning to Midland in 2013, she formed Caballo Loco. She began by negotiating natural gas processing and then began to offer "support on the engineering side and operations consulting," she said.

Construction consulting services were added when the company built a gas plant that it also operates for a client.

Yet another client requested help with lease operating services, so the company now offers pumper services for four clients.

"It makes sense for small businesses, because they have a small staff, to use us for extra boots," Boyd said. "We handle the human resources issues, the drug testing, the background checks."

She employs six advisors in both the commercial and engineering side; she also employs 16 pumpers and is looking for more.

"All of us come from big companies and we know what needs to be done," she said. "Sometimes we see clients who don't even know what they need."

Having expanded into those consulting services, Boyd is now looking at offering contract geologists and regulatory agents.

She is considering dabbling in larger assets, such as taking on operations of a pipeline or processing facility.

"I can identify an older facility that needs some tender loving care," she said.

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of about 50,000 barrels of oil equivalent per day, over 100,000 net surface acres, over 500,000 net effective horizontal acres and more than 3,600 net drilling locations across multiple pay zones, including the Wolfcamp B, upper and lower Wolfcamp A, 3rd Bone Spring, 2nd Bone Spring, Avalon and Brushy Canyon. Tighter spacing offers substantial upside opportunities.

Looking ahead, RSP anticipates adding a fourth operated horizontal rig in the Midland Basin and a third horizontal rig in the Delaware Basin during the second quarter of 2017. The addition of a fourth horizontal rig in the Delaware by late 2017 will bring the company's total operated horizontal rigs to eight.

RSP Permian Chief Executive Officer Steve Gray took a few moments to discuss the deal's impact and what it means going forward.

MRT: This is RSP's entry into the Delaware Basin. Has the company been patiently waiting for a long time for Delaware assets?

Gray: RSP has actively reviewed potential acquisitions in the Permian Basin, whether Midland Basin or Delaware Basin, since inception, although we hadn't transacted in the Delaware until now. Silver Hill's position stood out to us based on its prime location in the deeper part of the Delaware Basin which has thicker horizontal pay zones and is over-pressured, resulting in horizontal wells that have higher productivity than most other areas of the Delaware. In addition, the production from the horizontal wells in this area has higher oil cuts than other areas of the Delaware, leading to better economics on the wells that are drilled. Silver Hill has drilled and produced from seven horizons well-suited for horizontal development with additional potential zones as upside. The Silver Hill package also came with a significant production base of about 15,000 barrels of oil equivalents per day.

MRT: The Delaware properties are nicely blocked for longer laterals. How will the Delaware differ from your Midland Basin activities?

Gray: The quality of the Silver Hill asset is consistent with our core Midland Basin properties, with rates of return for drilling locations that will rank amongst the top of our combined inventory. Notably, the hydrocarbon pay here is more than twice as thick as in the Midland Basin — over 4,000 feet of stacked pay — and therefore we believe it will support more wells per section than our Midland Basin properties. Both positions are highly contiguous supporting efficient development, and we expect to apply many of our learnings on the operations side, particularly the use of longer laterals and high intensity completions, to enhance the already strong economics of the Delaware assets.

MRT: How significant is it that Silver Hill's owners took a stake in RSP Permian? That's a rarity in M&As

Gray: This is a very significant part of this transaction, and we were pleased that Silver Hill and its private equity sponsors agreed with us that a combination with RSP was a perfect fit. Kayne Anderson and other shareholders of Silver Hill took $1 billion of their consideration in RSP stock and now collectively are RSP's largest shareholders. Their willingness to take a large ownership position in us is a testament to the confidence they have in our management team, our asset base, and the combined upside they see with the addition of Silver Hill to RSP.

MRT: You forecast heightened activity in 2017. Are you concerned rising activity and the resulting production will inundate markets again?

Gray: After almost two years of underinvestment, production is declining in the U.S. and generally declining worldwide, and these rates of decline are increasing. So while activity levels are ramping up in select areas at current pricing levels, we don't see a near term risk of flooding the markets.

MRT: Now that you've got an entry into the Delaware, what about your original Midland Basin work?

Gray: We are positioned from an organizational and balance sheet perspective to run incremental rigs in the Delaware while continuing to increase our development activities in the Midland Basin as planned. We have accelerated to three rigs running currently in the Midland Basin, with potential to add a fourth rig in the near term. We are nearing "manufacturing mode" with our pad development, though we continue to work on optimizing completion technology and determining the ideal well spacing for full field development. Our wells are continuing to get better with our enhanced drilling and completion techniques and there is still room for improvement that we feel will drive meaningful value for our shareholders.

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Start Date: February 7 - March 4, 2017 Registration Deadline: Noon, Feb 7, 2017
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Fracking brings presidential campaign to Midland-Odessa

■ Touts job creation, economic and environmental contributions

By Mella McEwen
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Traveling to a region that is likely filled with supporters, Fracking brought her presidential campaign to Midland-Odessa on Wednesday.

She touted her role in West Texas job creation and contributions to the Texas economy as she campaigned alongside running mate American Manufacturing.

According to Fracking, the West Texas portion of the Permian Basin supports more than 440,000 jobs and each year contributes more than $60 billion to Texas' gross domestic product.

"The Permian Basin has certainly been impacted by the recent market downturn, albeit less than many other regions," Fracking said. "Nonetheless, it's good to see active drilling rigs out here, and more importantly, it's great to see more energy workers returning to the job sites. Other areas haven't been quite as fortunate, and we still have much more work to do together."

As important as the economic contributions is the contributions to environmental protection, Fracking said. The campaign notes that, while Permian Basin oil production has nearly doubled since 2011 while natural gas production has risen nearly 30 percent, greenhouse gas emissions have fallen during that time. Since 2011, methane emissions in the Permian have fallen by 600,000 milli metric tones of CO2 equivalent, according to data from the Environmental Protection Agency.

She decried the EPA's plans to finalize more expansion of its methane emissions rules, now to incorporate existing wells," campaign spokesman Steve Everley said by email. "Two recent peer-reviewed studies even confirm that the global increase in methane emissions is not due to fossil fuels, but rather biogenic sources like wetlands. The leakage rate in the United States is not only declining, but is actually far lower than the worldwide average.

"We are already a global leader in addressing methane. Yet the Obama administration still pushed forward with the rules, and actually removed an exemption for marginal wells, whose emissions are negligible," Everley said. "In other words, as more data have emerged showing methane emissions are under control, the EPA expanded the scope of its regulations. Maybe the latest data from EPA itself will show why trying to rush through costly regulations to meet arbitrary deadlines is so problematic.

"What's also relevant here is that new regulation could hamper the very innovation that has delivered progress on methane emissions. EPA's own data show that oil and gas companies have cut methane emissions in Texas by more than 3.5 million metric tons, yet the EPA is still pushing costly new methane rules that will destroy jobs and reduce local tax revenue," he said. "Every dollar spent on paperwork and regulatory compliance is a dollar not invested in the kinds of research and technology that have actually reduced emissions."

Said Fracking as she campaigned in Midland-Odessa, "The last thing that workers in the Permian Basin need is more regulation from the EPA, especially since methane emissions are already declining. My plan is for more jobs and more energy security, not more power in Washington."

Fracking for President is a project of FrackFeed and North Texans for Natural Gas. It is intended for educational purposes only, "although we can't help it if people laugh, too," said FrackFeed and North Texans For Natural Gas.

Halliburton ready to sacrifice market share to boost profit

By David Wethe
Bloomberg

After boosting North American sales for the first time during the downturn, Halliburton Co. is determined to raise prices for its services to lock in profits in the world's largest fracking market.

Dave Lesar, chief executive officer for the biggest fracturing provider, said he's even ready to give up market share to cheaper rivals if that's what it takes to return to a solid record of profitability. The company surprised investors by posting a penny-a-share third-quarter profit Wednesday, due in part to two-years of brutal cost-cutting during the downturn. Halliburton also benefited from an increase in oilfield drilling as crude prices strengthened from February lows and customers went back to work.

"I never thought I would be so satisfied by barely making a profit," Lesar told analysts and investors Wednesday on a conference call to discuss the earnings. "Our customers' animal spirits remain alive and well in North America, even though for some, they may feel caged in a bit by cash flow constraints in the short term."

Halliburton rose the most in six months as oil prices climbed above $51 a barrel, the biggest intraday gain since April 6.

The Houston-based company that helps oil explorers drill and complete wells eked out net income of $6 million, or 1 cent a share, according to a statement Wednesday. Investors had been braced for another loss comparable to the $54 million, or 6-cent, loss Halliburton posted a year earlier.

"In the U.S., we believe we now have the highest market share we've ever had," Lesar said. "At this point, if we have to give some of it back to move margins up, we might take that approach."

Oilfield service prices are expected to improve next year, the company said Wednesday, putting within reach an operating profit margin not seen in more than four years.

"We're definitely going to need some price to get back toward the historic margins that we've had in the past," Chief Financial Officer Mark McCollum said on the investor call. "We're going to be pushing as hard as we can to get back to 20 percent as quick as we can."

Halliburton sales in the U.S. and Canada had plunged by more than two-thirds during the downturn as customers slashed spending to survive a global oil rout brought on by a glut of new production. Executives at Halliburton and its largest competitor, Schlumberger Ltd., declared at the end of July that the worst may be over after oil prices bounced off their low in February and the U.S. land rig count hit bottom in May.

"There's definitely light at the end of the tunnel as it relates to North America onshore activity," said Byron Pope, an analyst at Tudor Pickering Holt & Co. in Houston. "Now it's just a question of what's the timing and the magnitude of the recovery."

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SPE environmental group hosts Pioneer Water supervisor

Members of the Environmental Study Group of the Society of Petroleum Engineers will meet Tuesday at the Petroleum Professional Development Center 105 W. Illinois Ave., beginning at 11 a.m.

Michael J. Neese, area supervisor for operations and maintenance for Pioneer Water Management LLC, will discuss the company's wastewater contract with the City of Odessa.

Cost is $20 in advance, and prepayment can be made online at http://mkt.com/spe-esg-permian-basin/spe-esg-guest-speaker-luncheon. Cost at the door is $25. Reservations should be made by noon October 25 by email at christa@etechenv.com.

Oasis Petroleum launches stock sale to finance acquisition

Oasis Petroleum Inc. is banking on the proceeds from millions of shares of common stock to fund part of its planned acquisition of another company's Bakken Shale assets.

The Houston-based exploration and production company has begun selling 48 million shares of common stock, the company announced Tuesday. The company anticipates gross proceeds of $518.4 million.

Oasis is buying 55,000 net acres in North Dakota's Williston Basin from SM Energy Co. Reuters reported SM Energy's deal with Oasis is worth $785 million.

In a statement, Oasis said if its planned acquisition of SM Energy's assets doesn't occur, it will use proceeds from the stock sale for "general corporate purposes, which may include funding a portion of the company's 2017 capital budget."

Light Tower Rentals receives recapitalization

Clearlake Capital Group LP and Light Tower Rentals Inc. announce that certain affiliates of Clearlake have led the recapitalization of LTR in partnership with the company's management team and other existing stakeholders.

Founded in 1994 and headquartered in Odessa, LTR is a diversified specialty equipment rental company focused on oil and gas operations in the prolific Permian Basin, with yards in other leading U.S. basins including the SCOOP/STACK, Eagle Ford, Bakken and Marcellus. LTR's core equipment rental fleet includes mobile natural gas and diesel driven power generators, light towers, mobile housing units, field heaters and fluid handling products.

LTR emerged from Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection as part of a process whereby Clearlake, in partnership with Avenue Capital, led an ad-hoc bondholder committee resulting in a fully consensual pre-packaged bankruptcy plan that was completed in less than 40 days from filing and resulted in a 90 percent reduction of LTR's debt. LTR was able to complete the restructuring with no disruption to its employees, customers, suppliers or operations. As LTR's new majority shareholder, Clearlake has significant experience partnering with leading companies and management teams in the industrials and energy service sectors, with numerous relevant investments in the space.

"We are very proud of the entire team at LTR and we want to thank them, our customers and our suppliers for their support during this transition," said Pat Bond, president and chief operating officer of LTR. "We'd also like to thank our new lead sponsor, Clearlake, for its support as we quickly executed our reorganization plan. This is a fresh start for LTR as we focus on building a leading specialty rental business that offers the same reliable equipment and customer-focused services that have always made us a preferred partner to our clients. We look forward to building on our legacy as we position the company for success during this new phase of our growth."

José E. Feliciano, founder and managing partner of Clearlake, commented, "We are enthusiastic about this partnership and firmly believe LTR is a best-in-class operation that will benefit tremendously from this recapitalization as well as from Clearlake's strategic input and operational expertise."

"LTR can now leverage Clearlake's substantial resources, experience and relationships in the energy and oilfield sectors to propel its growth strategy and take advantage of the current market environment," added Colin Leonard, a principal with Clearlake. "We look forward to supporting LTR and its management team as the Company executes a reinvigorated growth strategy, including through potential acquisitions."

Enbridge cuts jobs in Houston and Canada

Calgary-based Enbridge has eliminated 160 U.S. jobs, including about 45 in Houston, as part of the Canadian pipeline giant's 5 percent workforce reduction overall.

The vast majority of the 530 jobs lost are in Canada, where 370 positions were cut, said Enbridge spokesman Michael Barnes. Enbridge maintains its U.S. hub in Houston, where it will still employ about 600 people.

The cutbacks come as Enbridge is buying Houston-based Spectra Energy in a $28 billion deal to potentially create the largest oil and gas pipeline conglomerate in North America. The Spectra deal was announced in September and is expected to close early next year.

Barnes said layoffs are not related to the merger. The organizational review that led to these job cuts actually in early 2016.

Barnes said the decision is "focused on what we need to do to achieve our strategy of growth and diversification, enhance our competitiveness, and allow us to capitalize on opportunities now and into the future."

"Throughout this process, Enbridge is committed to treating people fairly and with respect," Barnes added in a prepared statement.

Kinder Morgan reports first net loss of the year

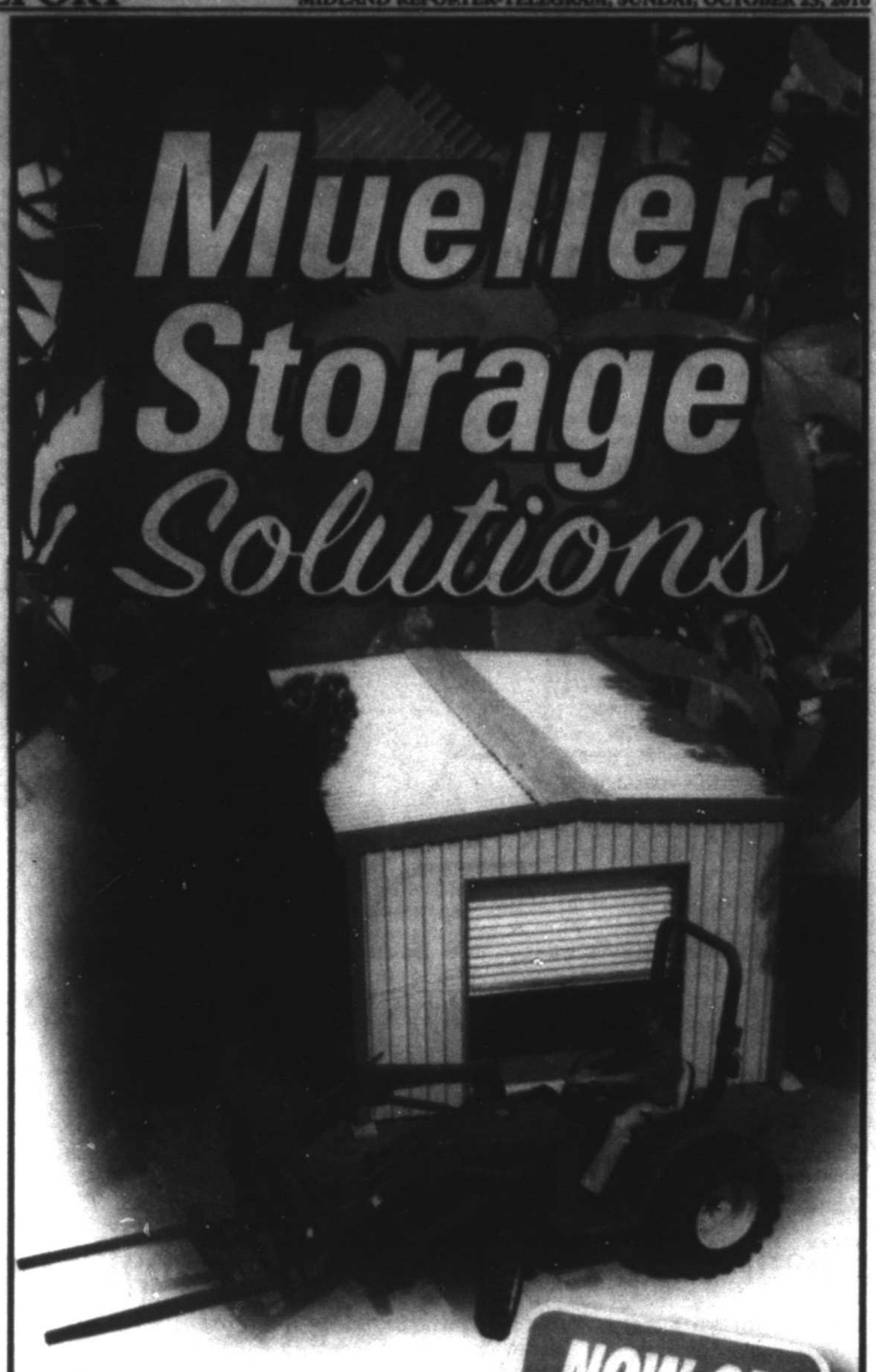
Houston pipeline giant Kinder Morgan posted its first quarterly loss of the year on Wednesday as the downturn continues to ripple through pipelines businesses.

Kinder Morgan's reported loss of $227 million for the third quarter compares to a $186 million profit during the same time last year, as well as a $333 million gain for the second quarter of this year. Kinder Morgan's revenues of $3.33 billion dipped from $3.71 billion last year. The numbers represented the company's first quarterly loss since the end of 2015.

Co-founder and Executive Chairman Rich Kinder said the company successfully focused on debt reduction during much of the third quarter. After previously reducing its dividend payments to investors during the downturn, Kinder said the tentative plan is to "substantially" increase the dividend back up again, but that it's too early to provide the timing.

Kinder Morgan attributed a big chunk of the quarterly loss to its struggling CO_2 pipeline and injection business for carbon dioxide that's used to help enhance oil production. The low oil prices hurt that business.

Despite increasing protests regarding new pipeline projects in North America, Kinder emphasized that natural gas pipelines will play a key role in reducing carbon emissions now that natural gas has surpassed coal as the nation's largest supplier of electricity generation.



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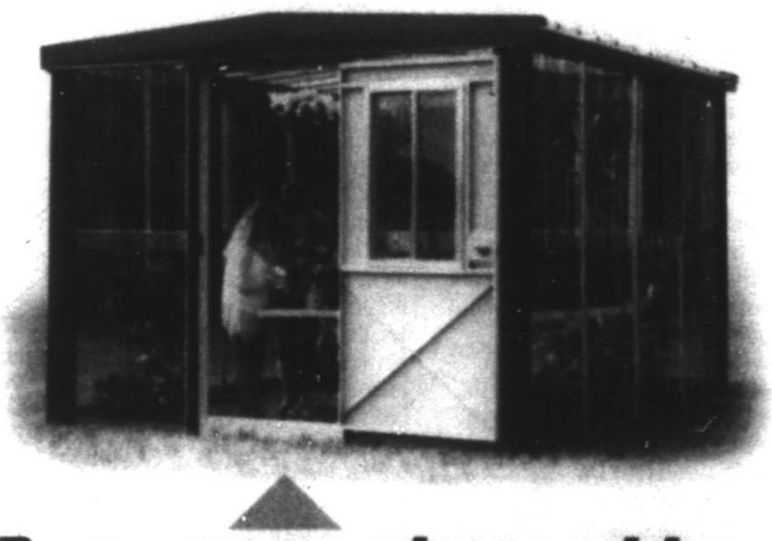

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Lesar credited the surprise third-quarter profit in part to "relentlessly managing costs" as the company took advantage of an uptick in drilling in U.S. shale fields, according to Wednesday's statement. Explorers boosted the U.S. onshore rig count by 100, or 25 percent, during the third quarter, according to Baker Hughes Inc.

Most of the oil-services sector this year has been operating at a loss in North America. Halliburton still isn't expected to report a profit in North American operations until the first quarter next year, Pope said.

The amount of hydraulic-fracturing equipment active in the U.S. stands at 7 million horsepower throughout the industry, Jeff Miller, president of Halliburton, said on the call. With about 70 percent of the industry fleet being used, more will have to go back to work in order for service companies to have pricing power.

While the world's contractors have begun trying to boost service pricing as activity climbs, Miller has lately characterized negotiations with customers as a " barroom brawl." The pricing battle was on display at last week's Oil & Money conference in London, where BP Plc CEO Bob Dudley said he's aiming to get 75 percent of the cost reductions producers won during the downturn to "stick."

Oil explorers will continue to be conservative in their spending as they plan for oil prices to stay below $60 a barrel for the foreseeable future, making many higher-cost projects uneconomic. Dudley said BP is unlikely to invest in new deepwater frontier exploration.

Lesar said Wednesday Halliburton will have to strike a balance between providing the service its customers need, while raising prices enough to generate profits for its own shareholders.

"It's going to be a give and take," he said on the investor call.

Halliburton last reported an operating profit margin of 20 percent for North America in the second quarter of 2012, said Andrew Cosgrove, an analyst at Bloomberg Intelligence. The company's margins in the region were once as high as 29 percent a year before that, he said. For the third quarter 2016, Halliburton's margin of operating loss was 4.1 percent.

The margin of operating loss in North America improved more than expected, Angie Sedita, an analyst at UBS Investment Research, wrote Wednesday in a note to investors.

"Total revenues were 1 percent below our forecasts, however, impressive cost controls across all regions led to higher margins across the board with operating income 65 percent above our forecasts," Sedita wrote. "We view the results as a modest positive for the stock."

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Aerial view of a fracking wellhead powered by a series of Halliburton pumping units at a fracking site managed by Octane Energy on Sept. 23 near Stanton.

Permian pumped at record rates

Bloomberg

Oil production in the Permian Basin keeps growing as other U.S. shale plays falter.

The region spanning West Texas and New Mexico will produce more than 2 million barrels of oil a day next month for the first time in data going back to 2007, the Energy Information Administration said. It's the only area where output is forecast to grow, as production across the nation's major oilfields is expected to drop 0.7 percent in November to 4.43 million barrels a day.

The Permian Basin, the largest oil region in the U.S., has been the most profitable shale play during the drilling recovery because of its cheaper operating costs and abundant resource base. Explorers are paying higher prices for drilling rights in Permian fields. RSP Permian Inc. paid the equivalent of $45,000 per acre in the Delaware Basin, the highest level ever seen in that section of the Permian, when it agreed last week to buy Silver Hill Energy Partners, according to Canaccord Genuity Inc.

Oil output in the Permian will increase 30,000 barrels a day to 2.01 million, while the Eagle Ford Shale in South Texas is expected to drop 35,000 barrels per day and the Bakken in North Dakota and Montana is forecast to drop 21,000 barrels per day.

Slowing decline

Overall U.S. oil production may be continuing a downward trajectory, but "declines are slowing," wrote Scott Hanold, an analyst at RBC Capital Markets, in a report Monday. He said oil output will begin gradually ramping back up in 2017 through 2018.

Even as current production slips, drilling rigs are going back to work at a rate that's expected to grow, or at least remain stable, in November. As rigs become more efficient, they're drilling more wells in less time, which will bring production online faster.

"Productivity per rig is something that should continue to grow across all major basins. It's a trend," said Matt Marietta, an analyst at Stephens Inc. in Houston by phone. "It'll be easy to have growth on a per-rig basis."

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A Summit customer in Yoakum County had experienced two back-to-back well failures using traditional ESP equipment. The first failure was from plugging caused by frac sand, the second was due to abrasives. The two failures were just 30 days apart, costing $300,000 in interventions for both.

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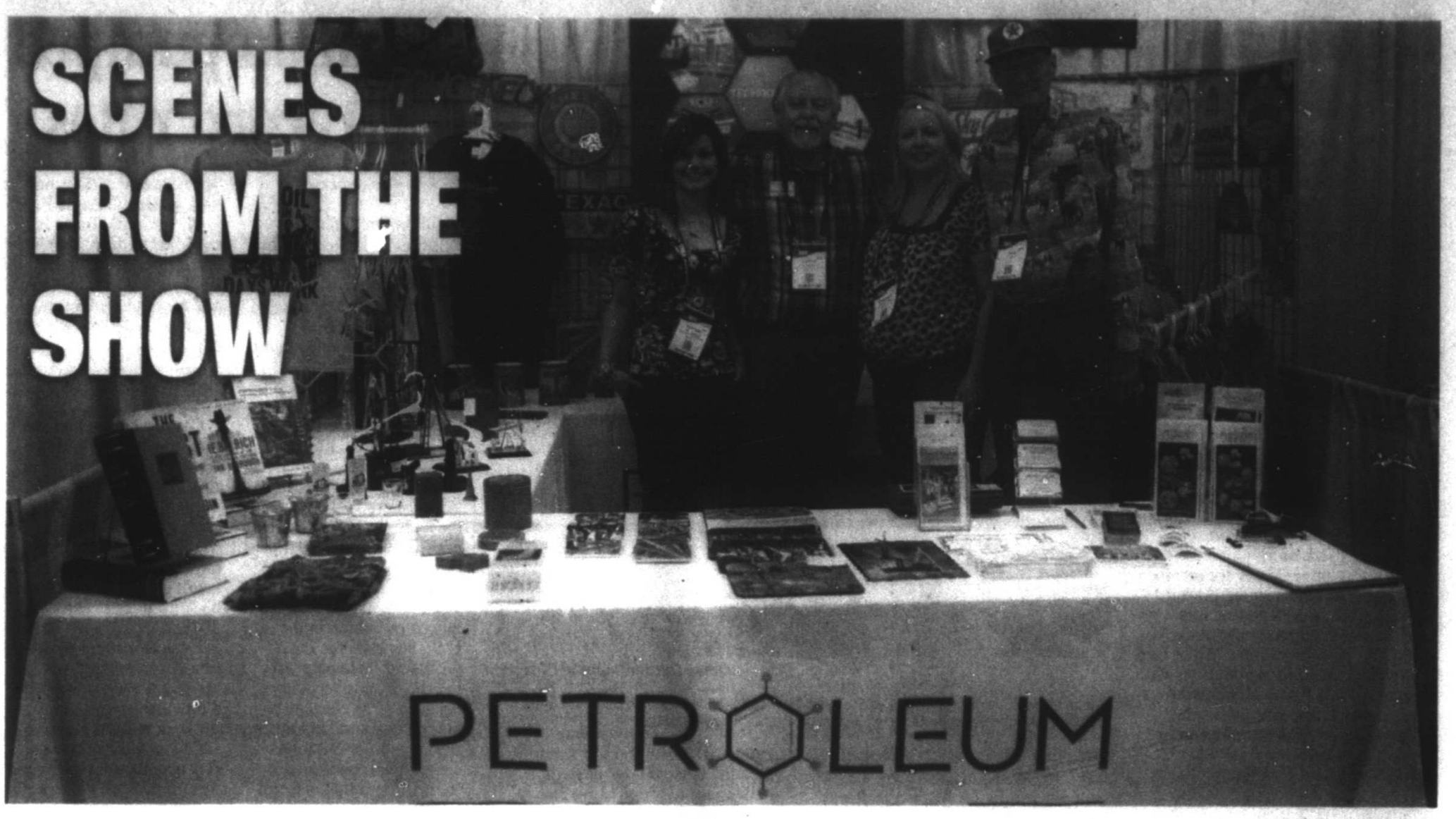

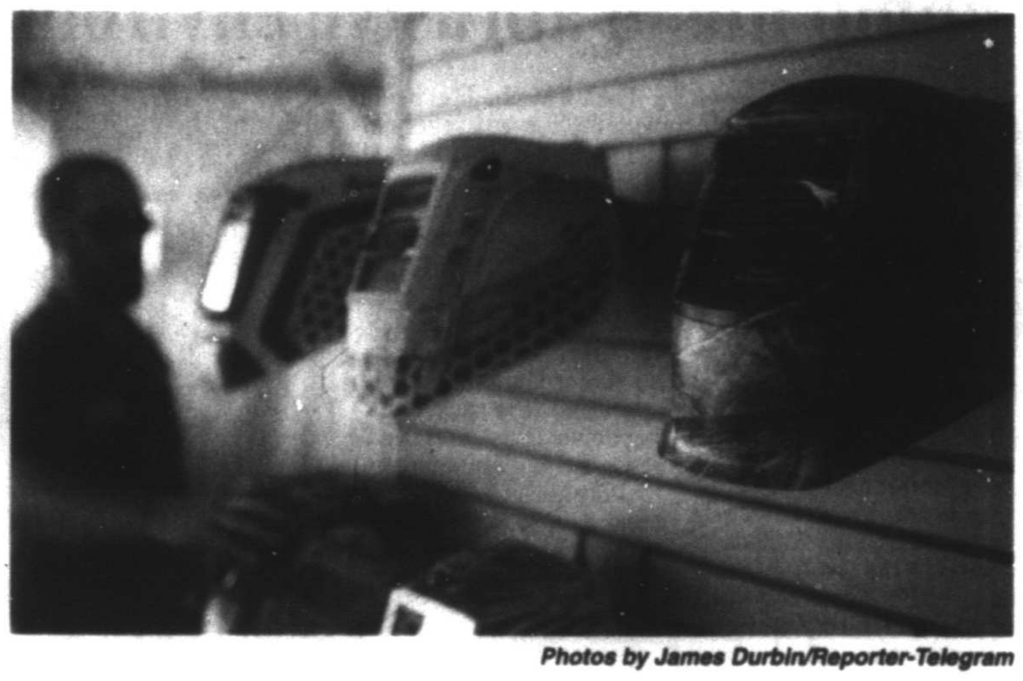

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Texas RRCD 7C

Regan County

AMERICAN ENERGY-PERM BASIN LLC, LIN (WOLFCAMP) (O/G) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 33HK UNIVERSITY UNIT 1 RE 10 4, 739 FNL 460 FEL, SEC 9 BLK 10, UL SUR., AU215 8450', 7 NW BIG LAKE API# 42-383-39625

AMERICAN ENERGY-PERM BASIN LLC, LIN (WOLFCAMP) (O/G) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 31HS UNIVERSITY UNIT 1 RE 10 4, 639 FNL 464 FEL, SEC 9 BLK 10, UL SUR., AU215 8000', 7 NW BIG LAKE API# 42-383-39628

BOLD OPERATING, LLC, SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 1HU TEXACO-PARISH UNIT 4, 1715 FSL 340 FEL, SEC 1, GC&SF SUR., A-163 8500', 9 NE BIG LAKE API# 42-383-39623

LAREDO PETROLEUM, INC., SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 5RU D SCHAEFER OU 15-47 (ALLOC-E), 220 FSL 4730 FWL, SEC 15 BLK O, N BOHANNAN SUR., A-44 9000', 14 S GARDEN CITY API# 42-383-39630

Upton County

COG OPERATING, LLC, SPRABERRY (TREND) (O) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 7128AH NORMA P1 UNIT, 290 FNL 2370 FEL, SEC 70 BLK C, CCSD&RGNG/ A MAYFIELD SUR., A-1027 10000', 15 NW RANKIN API# 42-461-40317

COG OPERATING, LLC, SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 7103BH NORMA P1 UNIT, 290 FNL 2415 FEL, SEC 70 BLK C, CCSD&RGNG/ A MAYFIELD SUR., A-1027 10000', 15 N RANKIN API# 42-461-40319

PT PETROLEUM, LLC, SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 4252B UNIVERSITY RED, 330 FNL 2200 FEL, SEC 25 BLK 4, UNIVERSITY LANDS SUR., A-U61 10600', 6 SE RANKIN API# 42-461-40335

Texas RRCD 8

Andrews County

CITATION OIL & GAS CORP., BLK A-34 (GLORIETA) (O) (RECOMP) Well# 15 RK DEFORD, 1270 FNL 1250 FEL, SEC 13 BLK A34, PSL/U BELL SUR., A-1837 6175', 12 N ANDREWS API# 42-003-46291

XTO ENERGY INC., FULLERTON (O) DRILL Well# 5742 FULLERTON CLEARFORK UNIT, 1238 FSL 2080 FWL, SEC 2 BLK A32, PSL/ODESSA RANCH CO SUR., A-2024 7500', 18 NW ANDREWS API# 42-003-47360

XTO ENERGY INC., FULLERTON (O) DRILL Well# 5842 FULLERTON CLEARFORK UNIT, 31 FNL 1985 FWL, SEC 9 BLK A32, PSL/ODESSA RANCH CO SUR., A-2025 7850', 18 NW ANDREWS API# 42-003-47359

Culberson County

ARRIS OPER. CO. LLC, COV (MORROW) DRILL (INJ) Well# 1D HM PHILLIPS STATE 94, 200 FNL 2130 FWL, SEC 16 BLK 110, PSL/CM CALDWELL SUR., A-6408 7000', 55 NE VAN HORN API# 42-109-32950

Ector County

CROSS TIMBERS ENERGY, LLC, S JORDAN (FSLMN) (O) (RECOMP) Well# 20 IDA MCDONALD, 658 FNWL 713 FNEL, SEC 27 BLK B16, PSL/GE PRINTZ SUR., A-1325 8955', 6 S PENWELL API# 42-135-02321

FDL OPER., LLC, SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL Well# 1 GARDENDALE 6, 577 FWL 502 FNL, SEC 6 BLK 41 T1S, T&P/JH BARRON SUR., A-518 11900', 13 SE ODESSA API# 42-135-43405

Howard County

BREITBURN OPERATING L.P., SPRABERRY (TREND) DRILL (INJ) Well# 1D LONE STAR, 65 FNL 1320 FWL, SEC 41 BLK 33 T2N, T&P SUR., A-338 6200', 3 SE KNOTT API# 42-227-38774

ENDEAVOR ENERGY RES. LP, JLM (MISSISSIPPIAN) (O) (RECOMP) Well# 1 GUITAR 26, 467 FSL 470 FWL, SEC 28 BLK A, BAUER & COCKRELL SUR., A-575 10350', 8 E KNOTT API# 42-227-36215

Loving County

ANADARKO E&P ONSHORE LLC, SANDBAR (BONE SPRING) (O/G) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 1H SILVERTIP 76-8 D, 400 FNL 280 FEL, SEC 17 BLK 76, PSL/AM ROSS SUR., A-1233 11500', 18 NE MENTONE API# 42-301-32905

ANADARKO E&P ONSHORE LLC, PHANTOM (WOLFCAMP) (O/G) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 1H SILVERTIP 76-17 P, 400 FNL 310 FEL, SEC 17 BLK 76, PSL/AM ROSS SUR., A-1233 12600', 18 NE MENTONE API# 42-301-32904

Martin County

AJAX RESOURCES, LLC, S BREEDLOVE (STRWN) (O) (FDTFR) Well# 1 LEMBERGER-EMIR UNIT, 1783 FWL 1152 FNL, SEC 258, BRISCOE CSL SUR., A-597 12000', 7 SW PATRICIA API# 42-317-38442

CROWNQUEST OPERATING, LLC, CEDAR FLATS (MISS) (O) DRILL Well# 6 LAGNAPPE 16, 2640 FWL 2165 FNL, SEC 16 BLK 36 T2N, T&P/ MRS E WARE SUR., A-842 12000', 4 N LENORAH API# 42-317-40390

ENDEAVOR ENERGY RES. LP, HILL RANCH (MISS) (O/G) (RECOMP) Well# 1 KENTEX 17, 660 FNL 660 FWL, SEC 17 BLK 34 T1N, T&P SUR., A-7 10512', 7 NE STANTON API# 42-317-35082

ENDEAVOR ENERGY RES. LP, HILL RANCH (MISS) (O/G) (RECOMP) Well# 3 KENTEX 17, 1756 FNL 330 FWL, SEC 17 BLK 34 T1N, T&P SUR., A-7 10510', 10 N STANTON API# 42-317-35400

QEP ENERGY COMPANY, LOWE (MISS) (O/G) (RECOMP) Well# 14 MABEE K, 2400 FNL 660 FEL, SEC 1 BLK H A, HA MOORE SUR., A-916 12042', 13 NW TARZAN API# 42-317-39689

QEP ENERGY COMPANY, LOWE (MISS) (O/G) (RECOMP) Well# 8 MABEE J, 716 FNL 500 FEL, SEC 2 BLK H A, HA MOORE SUR., A-917 11945', 12 NW TARZAN API# 42-317-38965

Midland County

COG OPERATING, LLC, PEGASUS (CONS) (O/G) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 108BH PEGASUS FIELD UNIT 3, 371 FNL 493 FEL, SEC 19 BLK 40 T4S, T&P SUR., A-302 12000', 23 SW MIDLAND API# 42-329-40932

COG OPERATING, LLC, PEGASUS (CONS) (O/G) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 108LH PEGASUS FIELD UNIT 3, 461 FNL 493 FEL, SEC 19 BLK 40 T4S, T&P SUR., A-302 12000', 23 SW MIDLAND API# 42-329-40933

Pecos County

JILPETCO, INC., WHITE & BAKER (O) DRILL Well# 21 WWJD, 2370 FSL 794 FWL, SEC 91 BLK 194, GC&SF SUR., A-4369 3000', 18 W IRAAN API# 42-371-39395

PARSLEY ENERGY OPERATIONS, LLC, SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 4301H TREES STATE 14-15, 350 FNL 330 FWL, SEC 14 BLK 8, H&GN/EH CLEMENTS SUR., A-6941 10710', 6 N COYANOSA API# 42-371-39396

Reeves County

CLAYTON WILLIAMS ENERGY, INC., HOEFS T-K (WLFCMP) (O) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 1H ONEY 15-50, 330 FWL 2567 FSL, SEC 15 BLK 50 T8S, T&P SUR., A-717 13500', 22 SE PECOS API# 42-389-35214

New Mexico

Eddy County

Lime Rock Resources II-A LP Eagle 26 I Fed #12 NE Red Lake; Sec 26 T17S R27E; 2300/S & 330/E; 8 mi SE Artesia; Rot 5292 Glo/Yeso; API #30-015-43908

Burnett Oil Co. Inc. Nosler 12 Fed LJ #7 Fren; Sec 12 T17S R31E; 2080/S & 152/W; 3 mi SW Maljamar; Rot 9006 Glo/Yeso; API #30-015-43907

Yates Petroleum Corp. Thriller BWL Federal #1 Rock Spur; Sec 30 T25S R29E; 330/S & 660/E; 9 mi SE Malaga; Rot 12994 Bone Spring; API #30-015-43909

Lea County

XTO Energy Inc. Ocloso 28 Fed Com #4 South Lusk; Sec 21 T19S R32E; 360/S & 550/W; 7 mi NW Halfway; Rot 14586 Bone Spring; API #30-025-43413

XTO Energy Inc. Ocloso 21 Federal #3 East Lusk; Sec 28 T19S R32E; 500/N & 2100/E; 6 mi NW Halfway; Rot 14778 Bone Spring; API #30-025-43412

GMT Exploration Co. LLC Soloman Federal Com #1 North Red Hills; Sec 22 T24S R34E; 400/N & 1700/E; 1 mi NW Ochoa; Rot 16271 Bone Spring; API #30-025-43414

Santo Operating LLC Ocotillo Sunrise 15 #1 South Pitchfork Ranch; Sec 15 T25S R34E; 330/S & 355/E; 4 mi SW Ochoa; Rot 17500 Wolfcamp; API #30-025-43419

Santo Operating LLC Ocotillo Sunrise 15 #2 South Pitchfork Ranch; Sec 15 T25S R34E; 330/S & 1316/E; 4 mi SW Ochoa; Rot 17500 Wolfcamp; API #30-025-43420

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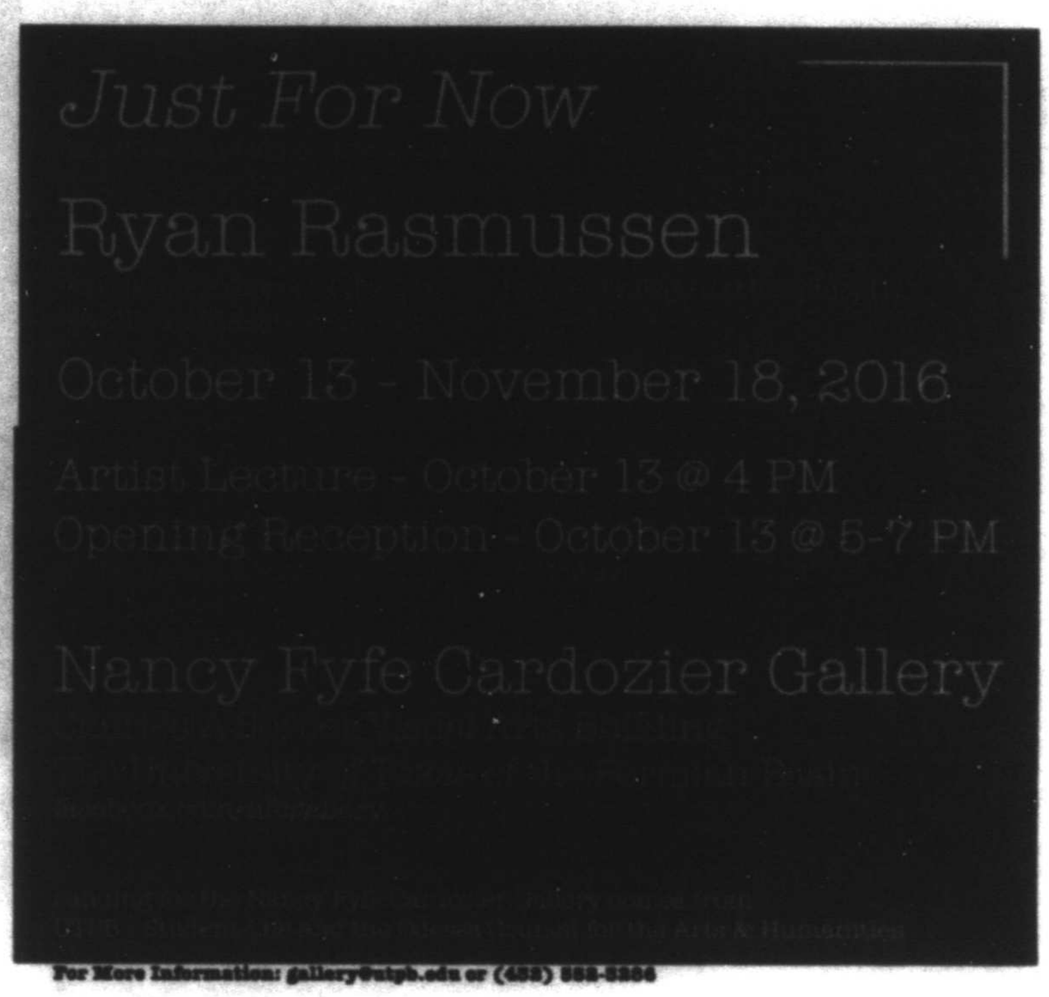

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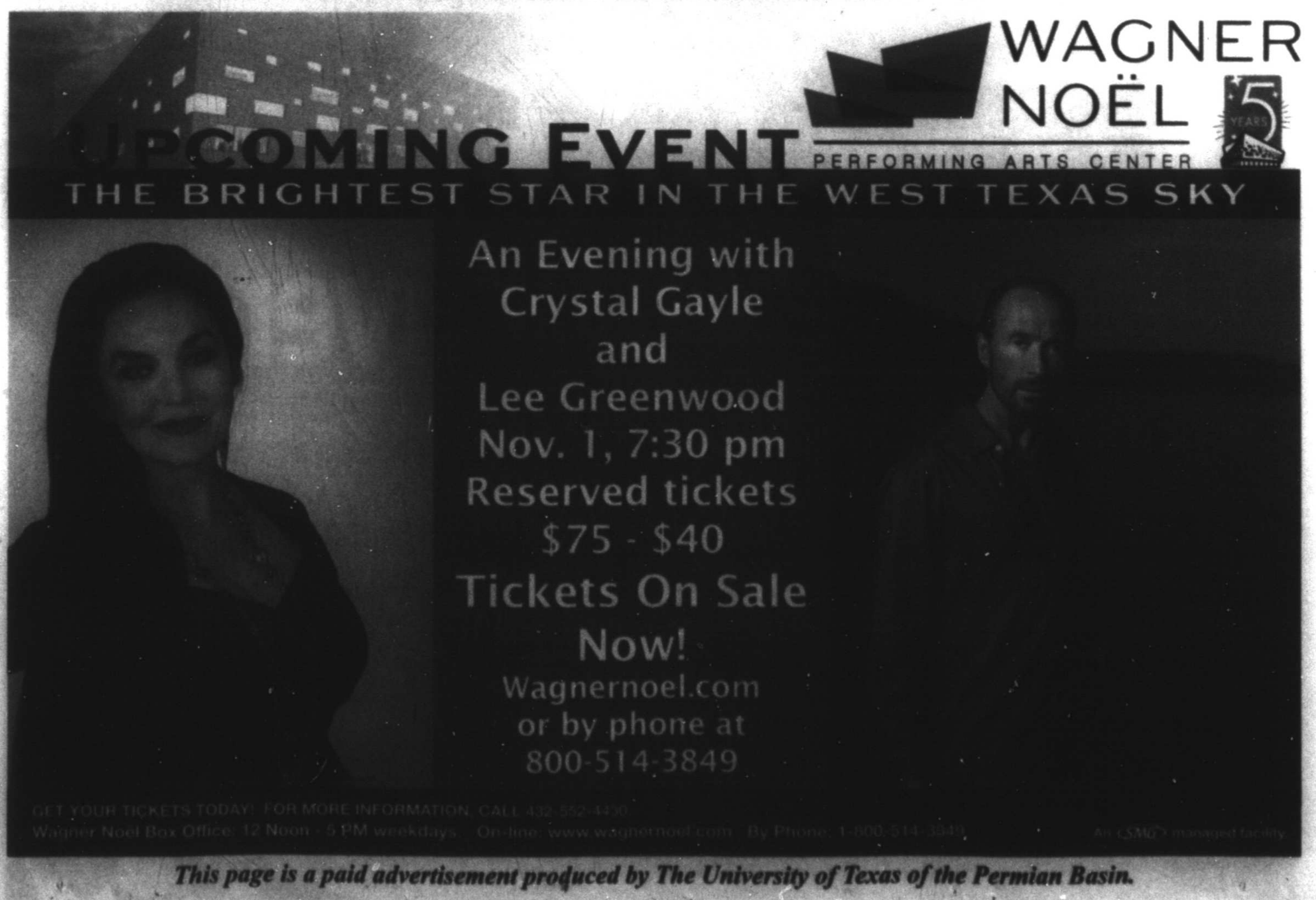

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XTO Energy Inc.
LHS Ranch #1708BH
Spraberry (Trend Area) R 40 EXC-Horizontal; 928 fwl, 1011 fsel, Sec 5, Blk 38, T-5-S, Abst. 1352, T&P RR, 4.3 nw Midkiff; TD 9493 TVD, 20691 MD; Comp 9/19/2016; producing from 10300-10300, fracture stimulated; flow 546 BO, 527 MCF, 3941 BW, 42.9 Oil Gravity; API #42-461-39768

XTO Energy Inc.
LHS Ranch #1702BH
Spraberry (Trend Area) R 40 EXC-Horizontal; 1686 fwl, 382 fsl, Sec 5, Blk 38, T-5-S, Abst. 1352, T&P RR, 4.3 nw Midkiff; TD 9388 TVD, 20220 MD; Comp 9/19/2016; producing from 9878-20082, fracture stimulated; flow 288 BO, 570 MCF, 4022 BW, 43 Oil Gravity; API #42-461-39760

New Mexico

Eddy County

Apache Corp.
NFE Federal Com #46
Cedar Lake; Sec 6 T17S R31E; 1980/N & 330/W. 1998/N & 547/W; EL 3759 GL, TD 9827 MD, 4870 TVD, PBTD 9827; Spud 12-9-15, Comp 8-13-16; production is through treated perfs: 5095-9788. Treat: 4,811,640# sd & 3055 bbls acid. IP: 8-29-16 Pump 24 hrs 273 BO, 1380 BW, 759 MCF, GOR 2780, Gty 37. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 460 w/1820 sx, 9 5/8 @ 3511 w/1820 sx, 7 @ 4292 w/630 sx, 5 1/2 @ 9797, 2 7/8 @ 4548; API #30-015-43443

Apache Corp.
NFE Federal Com #48
Cedar Lake; Sec 6 T17S R31E; 1915/N & 330/W. BHL: 1915/N & 547/W; EL 3763 GL, TD 10170 MD, 5303 TVD, PBTD 10170; Spud 12-23-15, Comp 8-13-16; production is through treated perfs: 5503-10051. Treat: 4,619,688# sd, 2987 bbls acid. IP: 8-23-16 96 BO, 1720 BW, 10 MCF, GOR 104, Gty 37. Csg; 13 3/8 @ 451 w/550 sx, 9 5/8 @ 3505 w/1800 sx 7 @ 4713 w/630 sx, 2 7/8 @ 4968; API #30-015-43442

Mewbourne Oil Co.
Foreigner 33/4 W2JO Fee Com #1
South Culebra Bluff; Sec 33 T23S R28E; 2450/S & 2310/E. BHL: 338/S & 2090/E; EL 3081 GL, TD 1757, PBTD 17560; Spud 4-30-16, Comp 8-23-16; production is through treated perfs: 10680-17541. Treat: Frac w/13,789,062 gals slickwater carrying 7,235,340# 100 Mesh & 3,624,000# 40/70 white sd. IP: 8-25-16 Flow 24 hrs 430 BO, 2433 BW, 4575 MCF. 26/64" Ch, CP 2950. GOR 10640, Gty 55.1. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 546 w/560 sx, 9 5/8 @ 2565 w/840 sx, 7 @ 10675 w/1000 sx, 4 1/2 @ 9841-17570 w/300 sx; API #30-015-43499

BOPCO LP
Poker Lake Unit #456
SW Poker Lake; Sec 22 T25S R30E; 1930/S & 1670/E. BHL: 1935/S & 150/E; EL 3300 GL, TD 14181 MD, 7794 TVD; Spud 11-13-14, Comp 7-22-16; production is through treated perfs: 8106-14181. Treat: Frac w/55804 bbls fluid, 2851437# propant. IP: 8-30-16 Pump 24 hrs 56 BO, 2910 BW, 165 MCF, GOR 2946. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 1337 w/1000 sx, 9 5/8 @ 3877 w/1250 sx, 7 @ 7931 w/700 sx, 4 1/2 @ 7838-14170, 2 7/8 @ 7019; API #30-015-42574

Lea County

BTA Oil Producers LLC
Rojo B 7811 JV P #1
Red Hills; Sec 22 T25S R33E; 210/N & 2178/W. BHL: 330/S & 2189/W; EL 3370 GR, TD 13819 MD, 9347 TVD, PBTD 13790 MD, 9347 TVD; Spud 11-11-15, Comp 1-4-16; production is through treated perfs: 9510-13765. Treat: 82874 gals 7 1/2% acid, 8313716# sd, 7743202 gals fluid. IP: 2-4-16 Flow 24 hrs 742 BO, 1425 BW, 1467 MCF. 34/64" ch, CP 780. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 1195 w/975 sx, 9 5/8 @ 5003 w/1570 sx, 5 1/2 @ 13819 w/2025 sx, 2 7/8 tbg @ 8844; API #30-025-42897

Chevron USA Inc.
Salado Draw 18 26 33 Federal #4
Wildcat; Sec 19 T26S R33E; 200/N & 1993/W. BHL: 280/N & 2275/W; EL 3189 GL, TD 13687, PBTD 13754; Spud 2-11-15, Comp 9-9-15; production is through treated perfs: 9441-13719. Treat: 982 bbls 15% acid, 40/70 premium white proppant 4,771,800 bbls total proppant. IP: 9-13-15 Flow 24 hrs 1090 BO, 981 BW, 1806 MCF, 25/64" Ch, TP 1100. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 876 w/1020 sx, 9 5/8 @ 4735 w/1555 sx, 5 1/2 @ 13900 w/1595 sx, 2 7/8 @ 8689; API #30-025-42279

EOG Resources Inc.
Ophelia 27 #708
Wildcat; Sec 27 T26S R33E; 2420/N & 2310/E BHL: 2410/S & 2290/E; EL 3277 GL, TD 17230 MD, 12369 TVD, PBTD 17080; Spud 5-21-16, Comp 6-3-16; production is through perfs: 12516-17081. IP: 8-16-16 Flow 24 hrs 1448 BO, 3464 BW, 2618 MCF, Open Ch, TP 810, CP 637. Csg: 10 1/2 @ 940 w/544 sx, 7 5/8 @ 11205 w/2822 sx, 5 1/2 @ 17239 w/690 sx; API #30-025-43128

Chevron USA Inc.
Salado Draw 29 26 33 Federal Com #1
Wildcat ; Sec 29 T26S R33E; 200/N & 1283/W. BHL: 365/S & 525/W; EL 3213 GL, TD 16467 MD, 9205 TVD, PBTD 16400; Spud 11-15-15, Comp 2-25-16; production is through treated perfs: 9493-16269. Treat: 9,198,140# 100 sd & 4070 sd. IP: 5-30-16 Flow 24 hrs 735 BO, 1184 BW, 1037 MCF, 36/64" Ch, TP 654, CP 218, GOR 1411. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 860 w/1008 sx, 9 5/8 @ 4791 w/1545 sx, 5 @ 16452 w/907 sx, 2 7/8 @ 8814; API #30-025-42829

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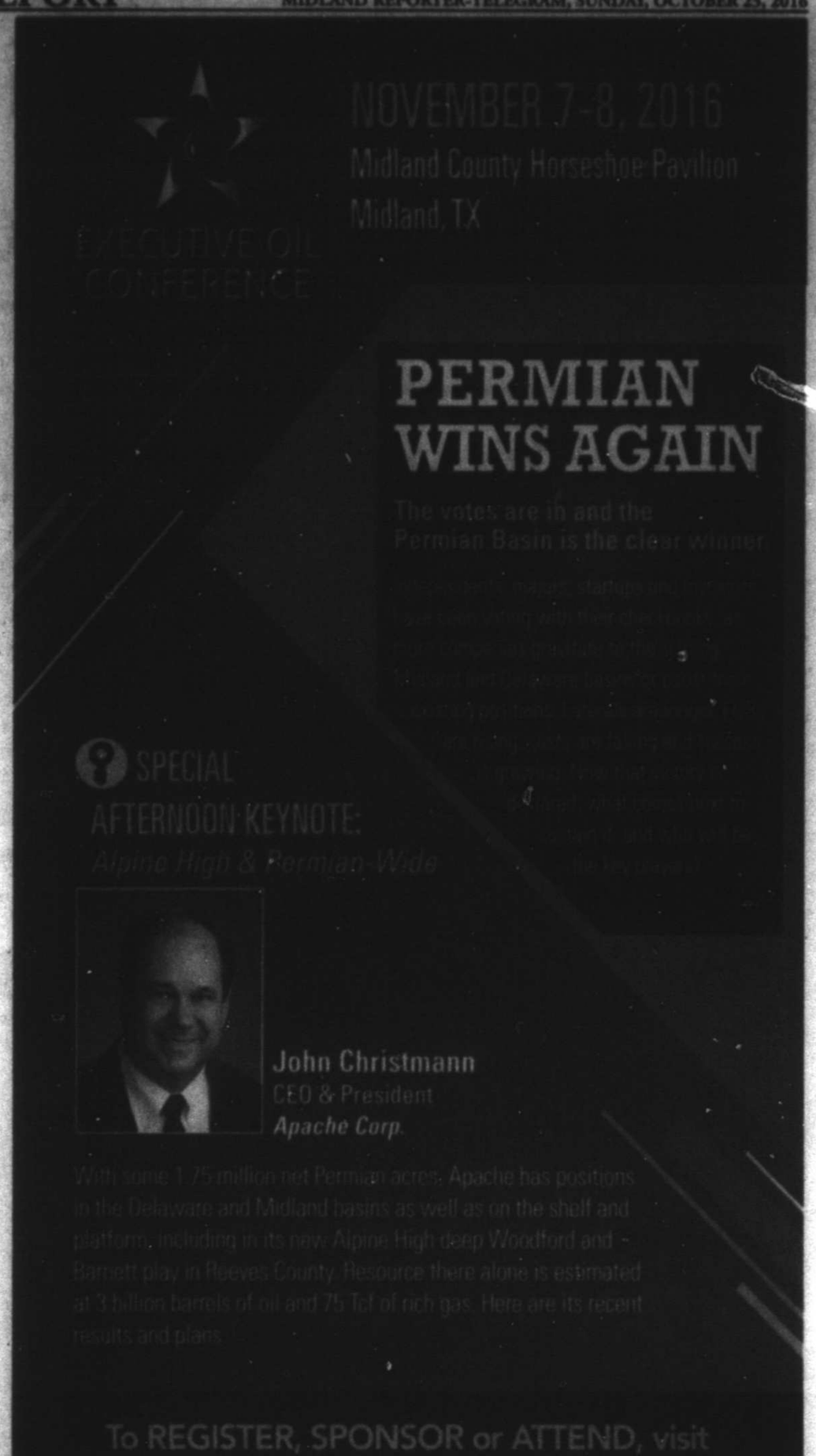

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