SAVE SOME MONEY

Today's edition has savings up to **$152.60**. Sunday editions so far this year have offered savings of **$4,887.44**.

FOOTBALL FOCUS

Get caught up on all the football action inside:

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RockHounds punch ticket to TLCS with win over Hooks.

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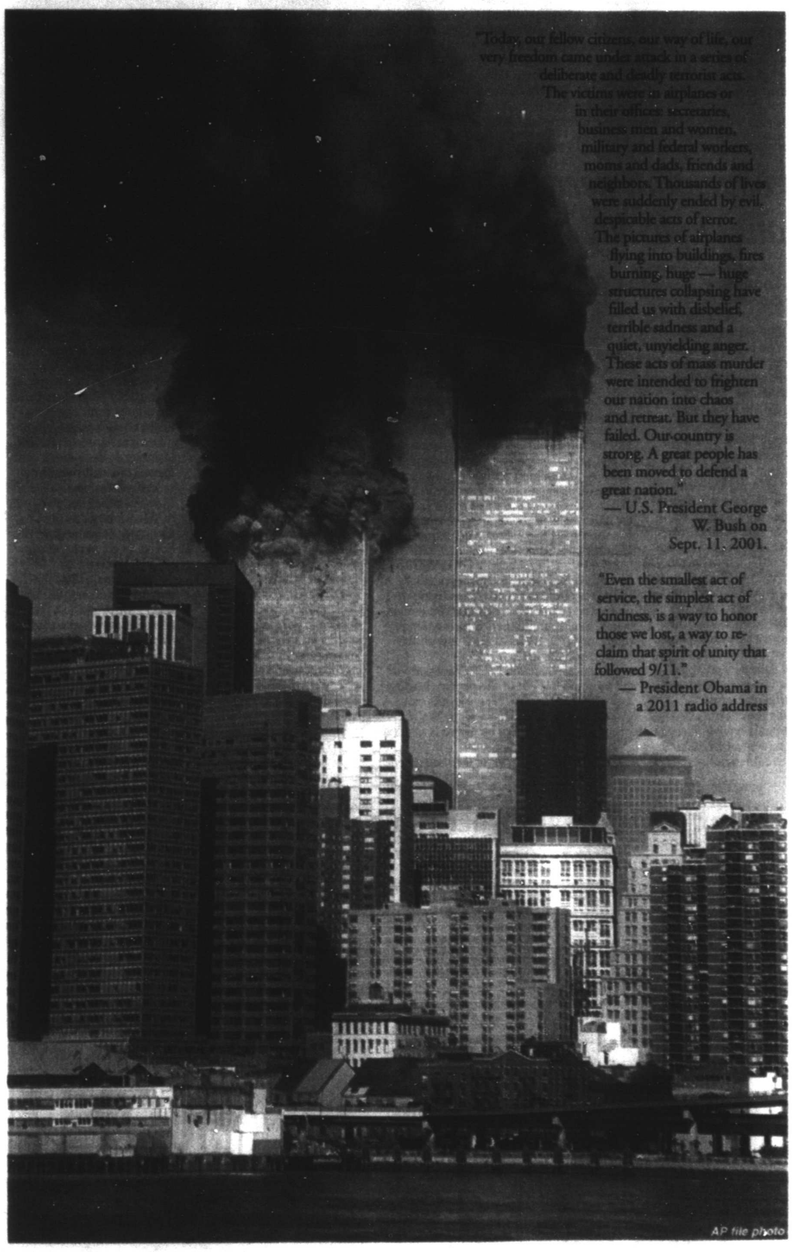

"Today, our fellow citizens, our way of life, our very freedom came under attack in a series of deliberate and deadly terrorist acts. The victims were in airplanes or in their offices: secretaries, business men and women, military and federal workers, moms and dads, friends and neighbors. Thousands of lives were suddenly ended by evil, despicable acts of terror. The pictures of airplanes flying into buildings, fires burning, huge — huge structures collapsing have filled us with disbelief, terrible sadness and a quiet, unyielding anger. These acts of mass murder were intended to frighten our nation into chaos and retreat. But they have failed. Our country is strong. A great people has been moved to defend a great nation."

— U.S. President George W. Bush on Sept. 11, 2001.

"Even the smallest act of service, the simplest act of kindness, is a way to honor those we lost, a way to reclaim that spirit of unity that followed 9/11."

— President Obama in a 2011 radio address

AP file photo

Permian crude finding new markets overseas

■ Exports of US crude expected to rise

By Mella McEwen
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What could be a record amount of crude oil is set to make its way from the U.S. to Europe this month and next following the end of the ban on exporting domestic crude. And much of that crude was produced in the Permian Basin.

Global trading company Trafigura reports it will move 5 million to 7 million barrels of crude from the U.S. to Europe and has booked three ships to transport 2 million of those barrels from Texas and Louisiana. Those ships are destined for The Netherlands and Great Britain.

Trafigura, headquartered in Geneva, opened an office in downtown Midland's Bank of America building this spring. The company has been buying Permian Basin

Please see **CRUDE**/3A

■ STATE OF EDUCATION

Unite and put 'Midland Students First' this November

Editor's note: The official political action committee — "Midland Students First" — provided the following report. Please see the list of founding members at the end.

During the last few months, the community of Midland has been presented with data that shows that our public schools are not producing the quality education that we want for our most precious natural resource: our children. Even worse, many of us have been uninvolved when it comes to our public school system. We have left the teachers, principals and administration to address the needs of our kids the best way they can with little support from the community

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Weather Mostly sunny 87/67 *Get your complete forecast on B9*

Did you know? The State Department spotlighted **global threats** in urging Americans to be vigilant about their security. Page 4A

The big number First responders might be sick **15 years after 9/11** and might not even know it. Read more on Page 8A.

Word of the Day: woodnote Do you know what it means? Find out the definition on Page 2A.

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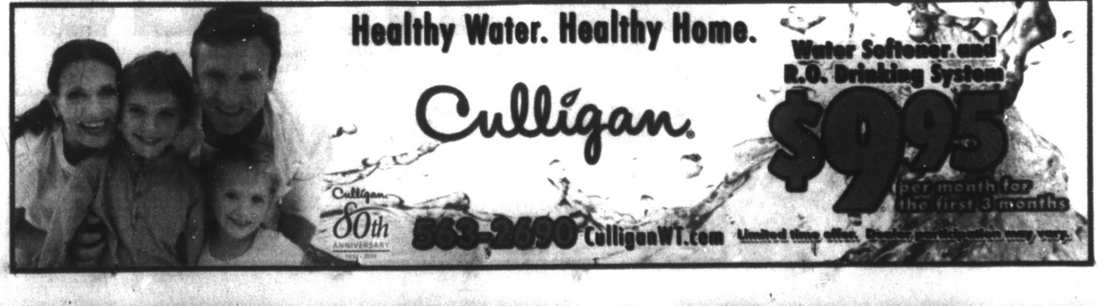

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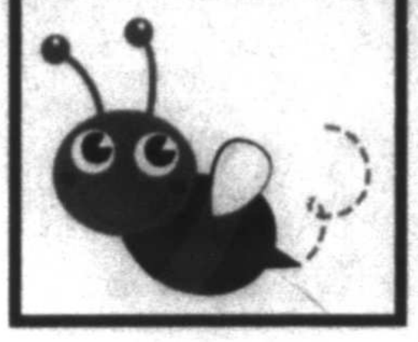

Looking at immigration reform through an economic lens

The Economist

By M. Ray Perryman

Immigration reform is a complex issue and one that often spurs inflamed rhetoric and intense opinions across the entire political spectrum. In particular, the current election cycle has provided far more heat than light.

My firm has analyzed this issue throughout the U.S. for more than 20 years, including a major study of Texas in conjunction with the Ford Foundation earlier this year. Given the state of the current debate, it is worthwhile to provide a few results from our recent report. It is unbiased and data-driven rand hopefully offers a bit more illumination than radiation.

We estimated the total economic and fiscal benefits of the undocumented workforce then adjusted them to reflect offsetting costs such as education, social services and health care. We also estimated the potential consequences of mass deportation or other overly restrictive immigration policies.for Texas.

In our recent study, Texas Needs the Workers, we found that the undocumented population is crucial to business operations across the state, especially in certain industries such as agriculture, construction and various hospitality services. The estimated 1.7 million undocumented individuals in Texas, about 7 percent of the state's population, generate gains of millions of jobs and billions of dollars in tax revenue. Without this source of labor, some businesses would not have the manpower necessary to continue to operate successfully, resulting in fewer jobs and decreased prosperity in the state as a whole.

It should be noted that more than 1.2 million of these persons are working in the state each day, a fact which in and of itself explodes a couple of myths. First of all, there are more than two undocumented workers for every non-worker. Thus, the notion that is often portrayed of large families streaming across the border to utilize U.S. services is simply not true. The vast majority of the undocumented population is in the workforce, and the number actually fluctuates with labor demand. Second, the number of undocumented workers is more than twice as large as the number of unemployed Texans, which means that it is not possible that these workers are displacing large numbers of job opportunities for citizens, as is frequently asserted.

Although the majority of undocumented workers are employed in the construction and service industry groups, the agriculture industry also relies heavily on undocumented workers as a proportion of total farm labor. According to our analysis, the undocumented agricultural workforce produces $10.4 billion in net direct benefits to the Texas economy each year, yet shortages remain in some segments. In fact, the Texas Farm Bureau has noted that the current H-2A visa system is a primary cause of these constraints, with the result being that Texas loses out on the potential for additional economic activity.

With farms struggling to meet staffing needs and relying heavily on the undocumented population already here, it is easy to see how mass deportation would devastate the industry. The same is true of other sectors. In our report, we looked at a scenario where immigration policy restricts entry, includes more enforcement mechanisms and does not provide a sensible approach to obtaining needed labor resources, thereby resulting in a reduction in the pool of labor now available through undocumented workers of about 35 percent. Under such policy, the loss of workers in the agriculture industry alone would result in a $1.89 billion reduction in Gross State Product and a loss of $5.93 billion in total expenditures, or more than 25 percent of total spending in this sector. A mass deportation or other policy reducing the workforce by more than 35 percent would have even greater consequences. It is clear that Texas' agriculture industry would be hard hit, with farm failures the likely result. Food prices across the state and region would almost certainly rise.

The agriculture industry provides just one example of the devastating impact mass deportation would have across the entire state and country. Net spending across the entire state would be reduced by over $100 billion per year through such restrictive policies. If the mass deportation of the entire undocumented population were to occur, the loss would balloon to more than $650 billon per annum. Obviously, the losses to the country are much larger and, in fact, catastrophic.

The facts show that Texas benefits from our undocumented workforce. There are more open jobs than workers to fill them, especially in industries like construction, agriculture, and hospitality. Even if all currently unemployed U.S. citizens filled positions held by undocumented workers (which is impossible for a variety of reasons), Texas would still be short hundreds of thousands of workers across all industries. Conversely, a rational immigration policy that allowed more efficient use of an essential component of the workforce would provide a notable net stimulus.

In the midst of an election cycle, it is easy to get caught up in a frenzy of sound bites and misinformation, but it is important to remember the incontrovertible facts. Undocumented workers play a significant positive role in our economy, and their economic potential would increase notably if they were allowed to come out of the shadows and seek a pathway to legalization. Instead of advocating for policies such as mass deportations that would cripple many of the state's critical industries, we should look toward more permanent reforms that would promote a reliable and stable pool of much-needed workers.

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More education needed to get people out of payday lending trap

By Chris Tomlinson
Houston Chronicle

■ **COMMENTARY**

The good news is that more Americans have bank accounts. The bad news is that one-in-five is still using expensive, exploitative services such as payday lenders, check-cashers or pawnshops.

The number of American households without a bank account fell from 7.7 percent in 2013 to 7 percent in 2015, according to an FDIC report released Thursday. That may not seem like much of an improvement, but considering the slow economic recovery for the nation's poorest people, it's a welcome step forward.

About 19.9 percent of American families, though, still use payday lenders, pawn shops or check-cashing stores for their financial needs. That's unchanged from 2015, and represents a huge drag on the ability of these families to break out of the poverty trap.

These alternative financial services like to say they offer an important service to people on the margins of society, but any close inspection reveals that their tactics exploit the financial naivete of the uneducated and exacerbate their financial problems.

The most frightening aspect of this problem is that millennials have embraced them. More than 42 percent of millennials have used an alternative financial service in the last five years, according to a survey by PricwaterhouseCoopers and the Global Financial Literacy Excellence Center at George Washington University.

Two years ago, I wrote about how American Express and others saw an opportunity to provide affordable services to the so-called under-banked, who spend $89 billion a year in fees and interest at payday loan and pawn shops. But those services are making limited headway.

The FDIC came out with a study in May that found convenience was a major factor in the under-banked choosing to use an alternative service. Millennials also don't trust banks following the Great Recession of 2008.

"Banks are often perceived as untrusted and unresponsive to consumer needs," FDIC researchers found. "Promising opportunities exist for banks that are considering developing longer-term, sustainable relationships with unbanked and underbanked consumers."

Financial education is also necessary to get more people out of the payday lending trap. They need to know that banks can meet their needs at half the cost. We're making some progress, but more is needed.

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BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU

College game days bring out the scammers

The schedules are out, and the college football season is officially here! Students, alumni and fans alike are looking forward to Saturday tailgates packed with food, drinks and games, organized viewing parties and of course, the actual stadium experience. To ensure you have the best game day experience, Better Business Bureau serving Central, Coastal, Southwest Texas and the Permian Basin advises football enthusiasts watch out for these common scams:

■ **Parking scams.**

Scammers have been known to pose as parking lot attendants to scam you out of your money. After they ask for cash and give you a phony claim ticket or receipt, they direct you to park in a lot that may not be a legitimate lot, which can put you at risk of getting towed or ticketed. BBB recommends parking in lots or garages that require payment by meter or machine. If you do park in a lot, be sure to examine the ticket the attendant hands you closely, and look for the company's name, location and prices.

■ **Counterfeit merchandise.**

Scammers have been known to advertise and sell fake merchandise and claim that it's official gear for that team. This counterfeit merchandise could be sold on a website that appears to be legitimate, on online classifieds or on the streets. Not only are many of these items blatantly fraudulent, they're often drastically underpriced. If you want the real deal, visit the official team's website or storefront where legitimate merchandise is carried. Remember, use a credit card instead of a debit card when ordering merchandise online.

■ **Fake tickets.**

There are currently thousands of game day tickets listed on classifieds sites — however, they offer no guarantees and do not require identification from sellers. Buying tickets in person is not always a sure thing either, as it has become easier for scammers to make fake tickets look real. When purchasing tickets online, BBB advises people to use a legitimate website, such as the college or university's website, verified ticket brokers that resell game day tickets or buy them in person at the stadium's box office.

Remember, try to use a credit card when possible, and avoid using cash to pay for merchandise or parking. When you pay with a credit card you have more protection, and therefore, may be able to get a refund from your provider. Also, never wire money or give a prepaid debit card to somebody you don't know. This request is an automatic red flag that you could be dealing with a shady business or scammer.

US stocks slump; traders fear higher rates

Associated Press

Investor jitters over the possibility the Federal Reserve is ready to raise interest rates this year roiled Wall Street on Friday, handing the stock market its worst day in more than two months.

The Dow Jones industrial average sank nearly 400 points, its worst single-day loss since June. The broad slump wiped out two months of gradual gains, jolting the market out of a mostly flat course over the past several weeks.

Phone and utilities stocks, which investors have sought out this year for their high dividends, fell far more than the rest of the market. Energy companies, which have also gained a lot this year, took a drubbing as the price of crude oil fell.

Remarks by a Fed bank president early Friday fueled growing speculation among traders that the central bank could be ready to lift its key interest rate for the first time since December 2015. Ultra-low interest rates have been a key driver of an extended stock market rally.

"We have a good probability that we're getting it by the end of the year," said JJ Kinahan, chief strategist at TD Ameritrade.

The Dow lost 394.46 points, or 2.1 percent, to 18,085.45. The Standard & Poor's 500 index slid 53.49 points, or 2.5 percent, to 2,127.81. The Nasdaq composite index lost 133.57 points, or 2.5 percent, to 5,125.91.

The three indexes notched their biggest losses since June 24, just after Britain voted to leave the European Union. They S&P 500 also had its worst week since early February.

Friday's swoon was a swift reversal for the market. The Nasdaq set record highs on two consecutive days earlier this week. And the Dow and S&P 500 hit new highs last month.

The signs of a rough day appeared early Friday as the market opened lower. Then investors got wind of the remarks by Fed Bank of Boston President Eric Rosengren, who said a case could be made for the central bank to raise its key interest rate sooner rather than later.

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TODAYINMIDLAND

Things to do

Today

■ **Septemberfest 2016: Technicolor Flashback** with artist booths, live entertainment, KinderFest and more, noon, Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. $5 adults, $3 children. museumsw.org.

■ **Redwine Band** at the Permian Basin Fair and Exposition, 1 p.m., Ector Coliseum, Odessa. Permianbasinfair.com.

■ **Suez Shrine Circus**, 1:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m., Horseshoe Arena, 2514 Arena Trail. $18, $16 ages 12 and younger. Supershrinecircus.com.

■ **Bingo Nights** at the American Legion Auxiliary, 4 p.m., 501 Veterans Airpark Lane. 432-682-5511.

■ **Permian Basin Fair and Exposition** at Ector Coliseum, Odessa. Permianbasinfair.com.

■ **Little Joe y La Familia, Redwine Band** at the Permian Basin Fair and Exposition, 5 p.m., Ector Coliseum, Odessa. Permianbasinfair.com.

■ **Delta Bombers**, 6 p.m., Some Place Else Club, 7409 W. Industrial Ave.

Thursday

■ **Ryan Bingham, Brian Fallon & the Crowes, Paul Cauthen**, 7 p.m., Horseshoe Amphitheater, 2514 Trail. $20-$60. Etix.com.

Friday

■ **Eli Young Band**, 6 p.m., Dos Amigos, 4700 Golder Ave. $25 advance, $30 door. Odessa. Dosamigos.com.

Saturday

■ **UTPB vs. West Texas A&M**, 7 p.m., Ratliff Stadium, 1862 E. Yukon Road, Odessa. $12. utpbfalcons.com.

Trio of Gardens

* The 20th annual Trio of Gardens is 1-4 p.m. today at 3 Santa Anita Lane, 2303 Texland Circle and 2403 Texland Circle. The event is a fundraiser for Keep Midland Beautiful.

Tickets are $12 in advance and $15 on the day of the event. Ticket holders will be eligible for a $500 Aldredge Gardens gift certificate.

Tickets are available at Agave Garden, Aldredge Gardens, La Casa Verde, both H-E-B stores, Ivy Cottage, the KMB office and at keepmidlandbeautiful.org. For more information, call 688-7745.

Meetings this week

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

■ **Midland Development Corp.**
11 a.m. Monday
City Hall basement,
300 N. Loraine Ave.

■ **MISD**
5:30 p.m.
Administration building
615 W. Missouri Ave

■ **Greenwood ISD**
7:30 p.m. second Monday
Distance Learning Center, Greenwood High School.
2700 Farm-to-Market Road 1379

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

Watering schedule

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

Even-numbered addresses may water outdoors 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

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Pick 3 day: 3-0-4
Pick 3 evening: 4-6-6
Pick 3 night: 4-4-3
Daily 4 morning: 4-1-6-7
Daily 4 day: 5-5-5-9
Daily 4 evening: 6-3-7-5
Daily 4 night: 2-9-1-6
Cash Five: 10-14-20-30-35
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Texas Triple Chance: 8-9-13-18-20-23-28-34-37-43
Powerball: 3-17-49-55-68 PB: 8
Power Play: 2
All or Nothing morning: 5-6-9-11-12-13-15-18-21-22-23-24
All or Nothing day: 3-4-5-9-11-12-15-17-18-20-22-23
All or Nothing evening: 1-2-5-6-7-14-15-16-17-19-21-24
All or Nothing night: 1-7-8-10-11-12-13-14-16-18-21-22

Today in history

Today is Sunday, Sept. 11, the 255th day of 2016. There are 111 days left in the year.

Today's highlight:

On Sept. 11, 2001, nearly 3,000 people were killed on an unprecedented day of terror as 19 members of al-Qaida hijacked four passenger jetliners, sending two of the planes smashing into New York's World Trade Center, one into the Pentagon and the fourth into a field in western Pennsylvania.

On this date:

In 1936, Boulder Dam (now Hoover Dam) began operation as President Franklin D. Roosevelt pressed a key in Washington to signal the startup of the dam's first hydroelectric generator.

In 1941, groundbreaking took place for the Pentagon.

In 1954, the Miss America pageant made its network TV debut on ABC.

STUDENTS

From 1A

Things are beginning to change. It has been exciting to see the energy and interest growing among parents as well as other interested community members. Many are identifying how they can use their gifts and talents to help students. They are beginning to organize volunteers and roll up their sleeves, ready to do whatever is necessary to help our kids.

Perhaps the most important piece of the puzzle of local education improvement is the MISD school board. We can propose all the wonderful ideas in the world but if we do not have school board trustees who are dedicated to putting Midland students first, our community efforts are doomed to fail. Four of the seven school board seats will be up for election on Nov. 8. Of those four, three will be contested elections.

Our seven school board trustees are charged with governance of the school district. This means that they determine the vision and goals of MISD, monitor effectiveness of the education being provided, approve a complex budget of over $230 million and communicate with the community. They will recruit and hire a new superintendent who will lead the school district through the challenges we currently face.

The lack of community involvement has been evident at the ballot box. Voter turnout has been very poor. This too must change.

Election of school board members is perhaps the most impactful tool that we community members have to improve the quality of our students' education. The make-up of the school board will determine the direction of the school district for years to come. Our seven representatives will make decisions that will have long-term effects for kids currently in MISD, those Midland children now in their infancy, and the children of employees being recruited to move to Midland. Not only must we participate actively in this election but also we must be sure those elected school board trustees continue to be engaged and dedicated to academic improvement.

Recognizing the importance of the school board in the transformation of MISD, a growing group of concerned citizens and parents has organized a political action committee called Midland Students First. We are dedicated to supporting, and electing great school board leaders for MISD. We believe that Midland kids should have access to a great public education no matter who they are or where they come from. Our mission is to raise community awareness about MISD issues, focus on students first, and organize voters around great school board candidates.

The core principals of Midland Students First are:

1. We believe in making tough decisions that put students first.

2. We believe that all students deserve outstanding teachers.

3. We believe that great schools have empowered and accountable leaders.

4. We believe in high expectations for everyone involved in education.

This is an exciting time for Midland. Momentum is building in the community. People are coming together to ensure that all our kids have the best education possible to get them ready for life. We cannot miss the opportunity to participate in the election process. If you would like to learn more about Midland Students First, please see our website www.midland-studentsfirst.org. Most importantly, register to vote, learn about the candidates who hope to represent your district, attend school board meetings, and vote.

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CRUDE

From 1A

crudes from New Mexico, the Delaware Basin, Midland Basin and Cline Shale. Paul Vega, director, West Texas marketing, told the Reporter-Telegram when the Midland office opened in March that the company has been moving 30,000 to 35,000 barrels a day and expected that figure to rise to 40,000 barrels a day.

Jeff Kopp, Trafigura's director of North America operations, said at that time that the company's goal is to move product around the globe to the best market.

The rise in exports from the U.S. just nine months after the 40-year ban was lifted is good news to local officials who supported the ban's end.

"Lifting the antiquated ban on oil exports was a critical step in bringing our nation's energy industry to the world table," U.S. Rep. Mike Conaway said in an email. "I'm glad to see West Texas producers leading as we start to export oil to our allies, creating jobs and economic growth here at home while helping our friends around the world reduce their dependence on unstable Russian and Middle Eastern energy sources."

The congressman from Midland had been a leading supporter of lifting the ban, and filed legislation in 2015 to end the ban.

Yet another strong supporter of lifting the ban was Scott Sheffield, chairman and chief executive officer of Pioneer Natural Resources. He had testified before Congress last year about the impact of the ban and the benefits its end would bring.

"The great thing I think we're doing is we're facilitating an energy renaissance not just in the U.S., but globally, providing energy for developing countries."

Jared Blong, chief executive officer of Octane Energy LLC

Sheffield said in an email that Trafigura's announcement "confirms the importance of last year's lifting of the crude oil export ban. Local economies — and particularly Midland — benefit thanks to increased demand from outside the United States. The lifting of the ban, combined with sufficient new pipeline takeaway capacity to reach the Gulf Coast, now allows the industry and companies like Pioneer to clear these barrels to the global marketplace."

Midlander Jared Blong, chief executive officer of Octane Energy LLC, even traveled to the nation's capital in the summer of 2014 to testify before the House Small Business Subcommittee on Agriculture, Energy and Trade on how the export ban was hindering the growth of small energy businesses and thus, job creation and business opportunities.

"It was a good thing to participate in the process, as lengthy as it was," he told the Reporter-Telegram in a telephone interview. "It was good to initiate the conversation on Capitol Hill as a small business."

Blong continued, "It supports the need for folks out here to participate in the political process."

He said he is pleased to see events unfolding as they are in the aftermath of the ban's end.

"It's exciting, not just for the Permian Basin but for the U.S. and it's good to send this great Permian Basin crude across the pond. Our brand of crude is premier and there are places (overseas) that can process it," Blong said.

Beyond helping Permian Basin producers, exports will help other nations, especially developing countries, he said.

"The great thing I think we're doing is we're facilitating an energy renaissance not just in the U.S., but globally, providing energy for developing countries," Blong said.

He said there are three pillars needed to support a strong economy: Energy, education and health care. "When those three are in place, it makes economic development easier," he said.

Despite the potential offered by exports, John Christmann IV, chief executive officer of Apache Corp., is keeping his eyes on the domestic market, at least for now.

Apache just announced a major resource discovery, the Alpine High, in the southern Delaware Basin and estimates it holds 75 trillion cubic feet of natural gas and 3 billion barrels of crude in the Woodford and Barnett formations alone.

"We're selling at a premium West Texas Intermediate price," Christmann said. "This is such a strong crude, such a unique crude, right now we're selling into traditional markets."

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In this Sept. 11, 2015, photo, President Barack Obama, first lady Michelle Obama, and others, pause on the South Lawn of the White House in Washington as they observe a moment of silence to mark the 14th anniversary of the 9/11 attacks.

On 9/11 anniversary, Obama hails 'true spirit of 9/11'

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Hailing the values and resilience that he says both defines and sustains Americans, President Barack Obama on Saturday honored the nearly 3,000 souls that were lost in the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks, as well as the bravery of survivors and the emergency personnel who responded, and the work of scores of others who have labored since to keep the homeland safe.

In his weekly radio and Internet address, Obama said that although so much has changed in the years since 9/11 it's important to remember what has stayed the same. "The core values that define us as Americans. The resilience that sustains us," he said on the eve of the 15th anniversary of one of the nation's darkest days.

He said the terrorists' goal is to frighten Americans into changing how they live, but "Americans will never give in to fear."

"We're still the America of heroes who ran into harm's way, of ordinary folks who took down the hijackers, of families who turned their pain into hope," Obama said.

Nearly 3,000 people were killed in New York City, Pennsylvania and at the Pentagon when hijacked commercial airliners were slammed into all three locations in attacks that were planned and carried out by the al-Qaida terrorist group. Al-Qaida leader Osama bin Laden was killed nearly a decade later by U.S. forces during a May 2011 raid on his Pakistani hideout, which Obama authorized.

Obama noted in his address that the terrorist threat has evolved since Sept. 11 "as we've seen so tragically from Boston to Chattanooga, from San Bernardino to Orlando," cities that suffered headline-grabbing, terrorist-linked, fatal shootings.

He pledged that the U.S. will stay relentless against terrorism from al-Qaida and the Islamic State group, which is spreading its mayhem across the Middle East and the West.

Obama will mark today's anniversary by observing a moment of silence in the privacy of the White House residence at 8:46 a.m. EDT, when American Airlines Flight 11 crashed into the north tower of the World Trade Center, before delivering remarks at a Pentagon memorial service.

9/11 BRIEFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

WASHINGTON

Ahead of 9/11, US makes note of global threats

Ahead of Sunday's 15th anniversary of the Sept. 11 attacks, the State Department is reminding U.S. citizens about threats around the world and urging Americans to be vigilant about their personal security.

The department's latest worldwide caution says "current information suggests that terrorist groups continue to plan attacks in multiple regions" and that extremists "may use conventional or nonconventional weapons to target official government and private interests."

The U.S. government says extremists remain interested in "soft targets" such as high-profile public events; hotels, clubs and restaurants; places of worship; schools; shopping malls and markets; public transportation systems; and events where Westerners gather in large numbers, including during holidays.

NEW YORK

Thousands expected at Long Island 9/11 memorial service

POINT LOOKOUT — Thousands are expected at a seaside service on Long Island to commemorate the 15th anniversary of the Sept. 11 attacks.

Officials in the town of Hempstead will converge at Point Lookout, on the south shore of Long Island. On Sept. 11, 2001, many people watched the attacks on the World Trade Center from the seaside vantage point.

The service begins at 7:30 a.m. today and will feature a new monument that shows a reverse shadow box of the twin towers. That will be accompanied by a 35-foot long mural.

During the program, participants will be able to write inspirational notes and names of victims on the mural.

After 15 years, last artifacts of 9/11 have been given away

By Adam Geller
Associated Press

NEW YORK — Behind the barbed wire, the minivan's busted windows and crumpled roof hint at its story. But forklifted to this windblown spot on the John F. Kennedy International Airport tarmac, between a decommissioned 727 and an aircraft hangar, it's doubtful passing drivers notice it at all.

In the long struggle with the memories of 9/11, though, the van's solitary presence here marks a small but significant transition point.

Tons of wreckage — twisted steel beams, chunks of concrete smelling of smoke, a crushed fire engine, a dust-covered airline slipper — were salvaged from the World Trade Center site for preservation after the 2001 terrorist attacks. Now, 15 years later, this van from a government agency motor pool likely sheltered in a garage beneath the complex, is the last artifact without a resting place.

When the van is claimed, it will fulfill a pledge that, to move beyond 9/11 without losing sight of it, New York would share relics of that terror, along with the tales of sacrifice and fear that come with them. The decision to give away pieces of wreckage has been praised and criticized over the years. But its impact is undeniable.

More than 2,600 artifacts have gone to 1,585 fire and police departments, schools and museums, and other nonprofit organizations in every state and at least eight other countries.

"They are the relics of the destruction, and they have the same power in the same way as medieval relics that have the power of the saints," said Harriet Senie, author of "Memorials to Shattered Myths: Vietnam to 9/11."

After the attacks, it wasn't at all clear what would happen to the wreckage. The Port Authority of New York & New Jersey, the Trade Center's owner, dispatched an architect to comb the site, saving a fraction of the material, which was sent to JFK's empty Hangar 17.

A judge determined the artifacts could be donated to those who promised to care for them. But where to begin?

"It was piles and piles, probably my height or higher, of steel beams," says Amy Passiak, the archivist hired to catalog the artifacts, recalling the first time she walked into the hangar in 2010. Passiak, a high school senior in Michigan at the time of the attacks, had been working as an intern at New York's 9/11 museum, but says she was still unprepared for the scene.

"I remember going home that day and just being exhausted, just from being there a few hours, just being emotionally exhausted and not being able to comprehend the amount of work that was going to go into the process."

As word spread that the Port Authority was giving the material away, requests poured in. Through August, it had distributed 2,629 artifacts.

Many went to fire departments, local governments and organizations in the New York area with direct ties to those who perished.

"That's where the DNA is," said John Hodge of the Stephen Siller Tunnels to Towers Foundation, named for his cousin, a New York firefighter killed on 9/11. In late July, the foundation claimed an elevator motor from the Trade Center, a piece of the parking structure, and a portion of a broadcast antenna that crowned the complex.

"Neither my cousin or anybody else from Squad 1 was ever found, but it's in that steel," Hodge said.

But for many of the people and groups that adopted artifacts, the loss was more abstract.

Heath Satow, a sculptor in southern California hired to design a 9/11 memorial for the plaza fronting Rosemead's city offices, recalls awkwardly scanning a digital catalog showing beams available from the Trade Center. But hundreds of hours creating the memorial — a 10-foot beam cradled by hands of chrome, the palms and fingers formed from 2,976 interlocking birds representing individual victims — left a deep impression.

"Every individual was attended to," said Satow, his voice breaking. "I just was totally unprepared for it. But when you spend all that time seeing it as individuals it will just wreck you."

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Photos from the Associated Press

CLOCKWISE: This Sept. 3 photo shows a beam from the destroyed World Trade Center buildings, part of the 9/11 Memorial near the Veterans' Pavilion at the Fulton County Fair, in Wauseon, Ohio. Pedestrians walk by artist Heath Satow's sculpture "Reflect," made with a damaged, rusted I-beam from the collapsed World Trade Center buildings, Aug. 26 outside the Rosemead, Calif., city hall plaza. The 9/11 memorial sculpture has 2,976 interlocking birds representing individual victims from the 2001 attacks. In this May 31, 2010, photo, U.S. soldiers unveil a steel construction beam from the World Trade Center destroyed in the Sept. 11, 2001 terrorist attacks during a ceremony marking the Memorial Day at the main U.S. base in Bagram north of Kabul, Afghanistan.

ARTIFACTS

From 4A

At Flour Bluff Junior High School in Corpus Christi, students from an officer training program stand guard each September alongside Trade Center steel displayed near the cafeteria. Bruce Chaney, the naval science instructor who applied for the artifacts, brings another, smaller piece to his classes.

The artifact is "twisted and somewhat burned. It's not pretty. I'm hoping it will make them think, as they're growing up, that they have to pay attention to their past," Chaney said.

But 15 years after September 11, memories of the attacks are set against continued fears of terrorism.

"We just don't know where the events of 9/11 have led us," said Rick Sluder, fire chief in Wauseon, Ohio, which obtained a Trade Center beam and, together with neighboring departments, built a memorial at the Fulton County Fairgrounds.

"A lot of people are looking at this as, "Is this the point of downfall or the point at which we rose above the rest, the point of resiliency?'" Sluder said.

By early this year, there was little left at Hangar 17, Passiak said. Items like police cruisers, whose purpose that day were clear, found takers. But unmarked vehicles, anonymous but for their place in the wreckage, were initially passed over.

When the Port Authority shuttered the artifact program in August, officials moved the only remaining artifact — a white Dodge Caravan — to the tarmac. It, too, is likely to go soon, to a group officials will not identify until its application has been approved.

Passiak, who recently moved to Michigan to start a job at an art museum, said some day she'd like to take a road trip, stopping to see where the artifacts have found homes.

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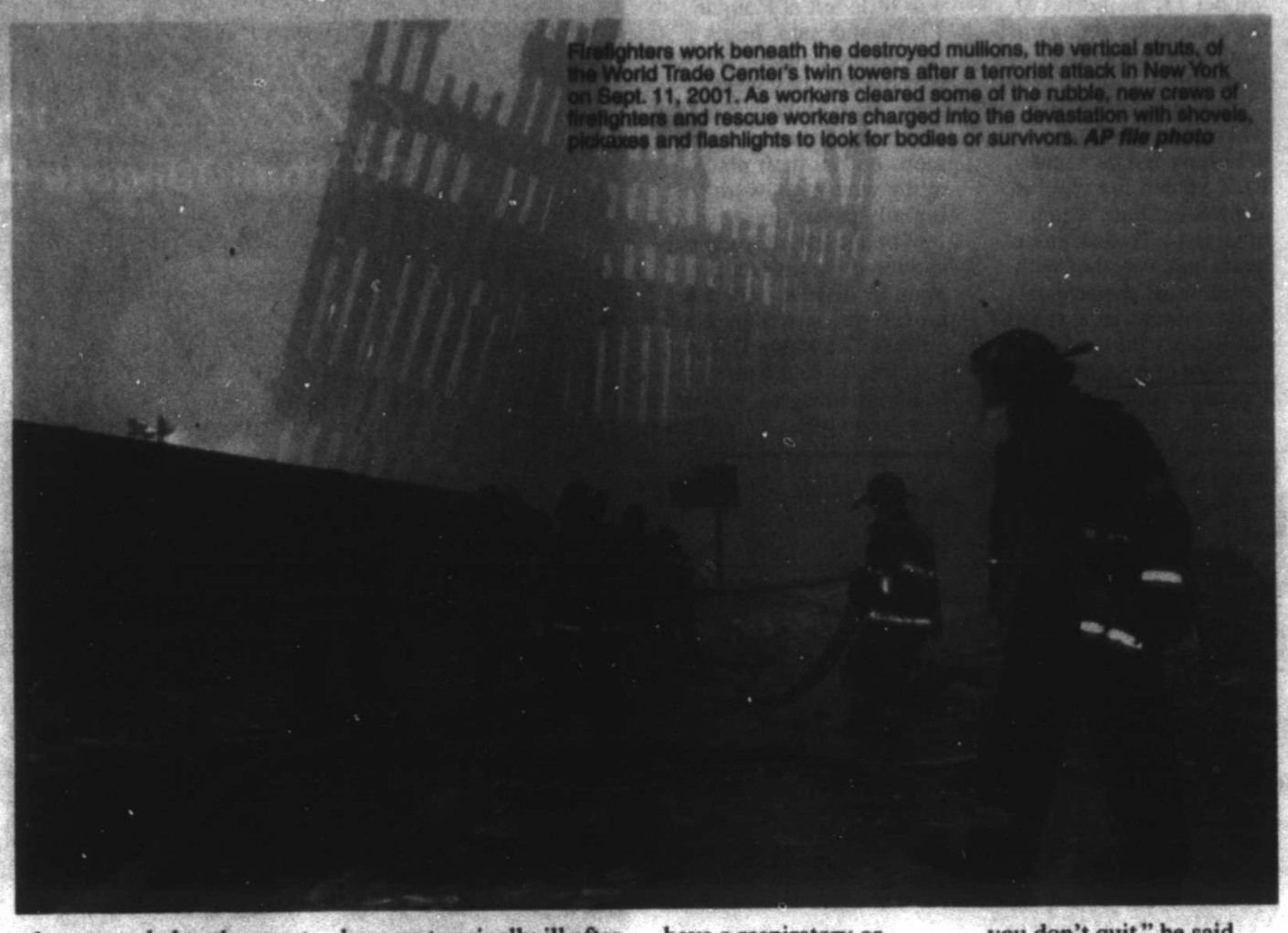
15 years later, 9/11 responders might be sick and not even know it

By Alison Bowen
Chicago Tribune



Firefighters work beneath the destroyed mullions, the vertical struts, of the World Trade Center's twin towers after a terrorist attack in New York on Sept. 11, 2001. As workers cleared some of the rubble, new crews of firefighters and rescue workers charged into the devastation with shovels, pickaxes and flashlights to look for bodies or survivors. *AP file photo*

CHICAGO — Making the decision to help 15 years ago might end Garrett Goodwin's life early.

Goodwin, 39, was one of tens of thousands of people at the World Trade Center right after the Sept. 11, 2001, attacks. A trained medic, he traveled from Tampa, Florida., to New York to volunteer.

Now, his lungs are failing him, and doctors say that will lead to his death. Goodwin is one of many volunteers who spent long hours toiling in the World Trade Center ruins, where toxic fumes made many sick or dead.

Most of the Sept. 11 responders were from the New York area. But about 9,500 came from elsewhere across the country, according to the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health.

"People really did come from all over," said Dr. Michael Crane, medical director of the World Trade Center Health Program at Manhattan's Mount Sinai hospital.

Some of them might not be aware that cancer or a cough, diagnosed by a doctor in Ohio or California, could be connected to that work 15 years ago.

Crane estimates that 90,000 people helped in the area after the attacks. Right now, about 65,000 responders are in the WTC Health Program, run by NIOSH to track and treat them.

"There's still a good chunk of folks out there who responded to the event and most likely have not been seen by anybody yet," Crane said.

Federal officials hope to reach them.

A continuing public awareness campaign includes a May video with comedian Jon Stewart and a nationwide provider network to connect responders to help wherever they might be.

Their message? Sign up for the program, which provides medical care and monitoring through the James Zadroga 9/11 Health and Compensation Act, named for a detective who became terminally ill after working at the World Trade Center site. In December, President Barack Obama signed a law extending funding through 2090.

More than 5,000 people in the program have Sept. 11-related cancer, Crane said. About 40 percent have a respiratory or gastrointestinal problem. Studies are regularly released monitoring Sept. 11-related health issues.

Goodwin remembers frantically trying to find anyone alive in the smoldering ruins.

"You charge hard, and you don't quit," he said. "You try to cover as many voids and spaces and move as much debris and get as deep as you can to try and save people."

But now, years later, his lungs aren't working properly.

He said doctors explained to him last September that, because of heart and lung issues, they estimate he has one to seven years to live.

"I'm not even 40 yet," he said.

John Feal, founder of the FealGood Foundation, which advocates for responders like himself, said he knows many affected in various states, but that many with symptoms don't even realize there's a link.

"Take into effect people from Illinois or other parts of the country that went to ground zero in the early weeks or months and went home and got sick," he said. "Nobody knew why they got sick."

About 1,500 registry members live in Florida, where New York police and firefighters often retire.

Doctors have connected illnesses, like asthma and debilitating cancers, to the World Trade Center catastrophe. The most common ailments include respiration issues and cancers such as lymphoma and thyroid cancer.

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...over the ruins of the World Trade ... of dust and smoke Oct. 1... New York. *AP file photo*

RESPONDERS

From 6A

Arthur Noonan got cancer.

He and fellow Chicago firefighters flew to New York days after the attacks. In Manhattan, they joined the line of workers clearing dust and debris on "the pile."

He remembers the smell of fuel. And the dust.

"It was all pulverized," he said. "It was like a powder you were digging through, and it would clog the face pieces up almost immediately."

He has since been diagnosed with leukemia. In remission, he's thankful for extra years others did not get and the time to enjoy his eight grandchildren and his children's weddings.

"It's like living with a hand grenade under your belt," he said.

Noonan, like many responders, does not want attention for his illness. He and Goodwin spoke about their experiences in hopes it would prompt other responders to see a doctor.

Even among those who are healthy, cancer is a constant fear.

Mental issues are also an enormous, enduring obstacle. Some who were there still have nightmares or anxiety near a city skyline. Terrorism headlines also are triggers.

According to registry statistics, 1 in 5 responders suffer from post-traumatic stress disorder.

"These guys were really, really exposed to some horrifying sights," Crane said, adding that depression rates are similar to those of young war veterans. "It left an impact."

Doctors continue to prepare for what lies ahead.

Part of that means trying to make it easier to monitor far-flung patients. Crane is thinking of responders who retire elsewhere; video checkups would be less burdensome than a trip to New York for care, for instance.

And some illnesses may occur years from now.

For example, dust contained asbestos, which can create lung problems and, in some cases, cancer as many as 40 years later, Crane said. Hence, the importance of monitoring as many people as possible.

Some research will come too late. More than 50 New York police officers have died from 9/11-related illnesses, more than twice the number (23) who died on Sept. 11.

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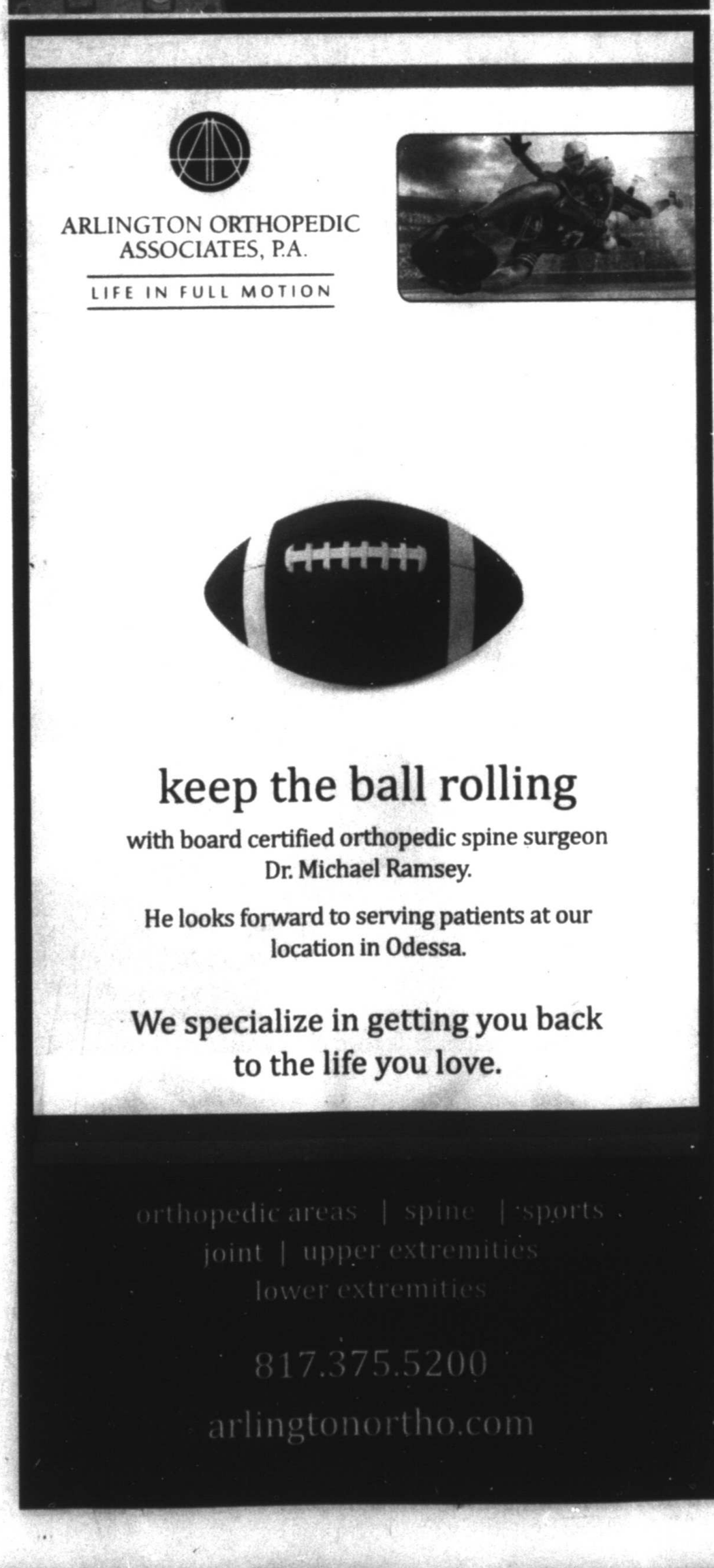

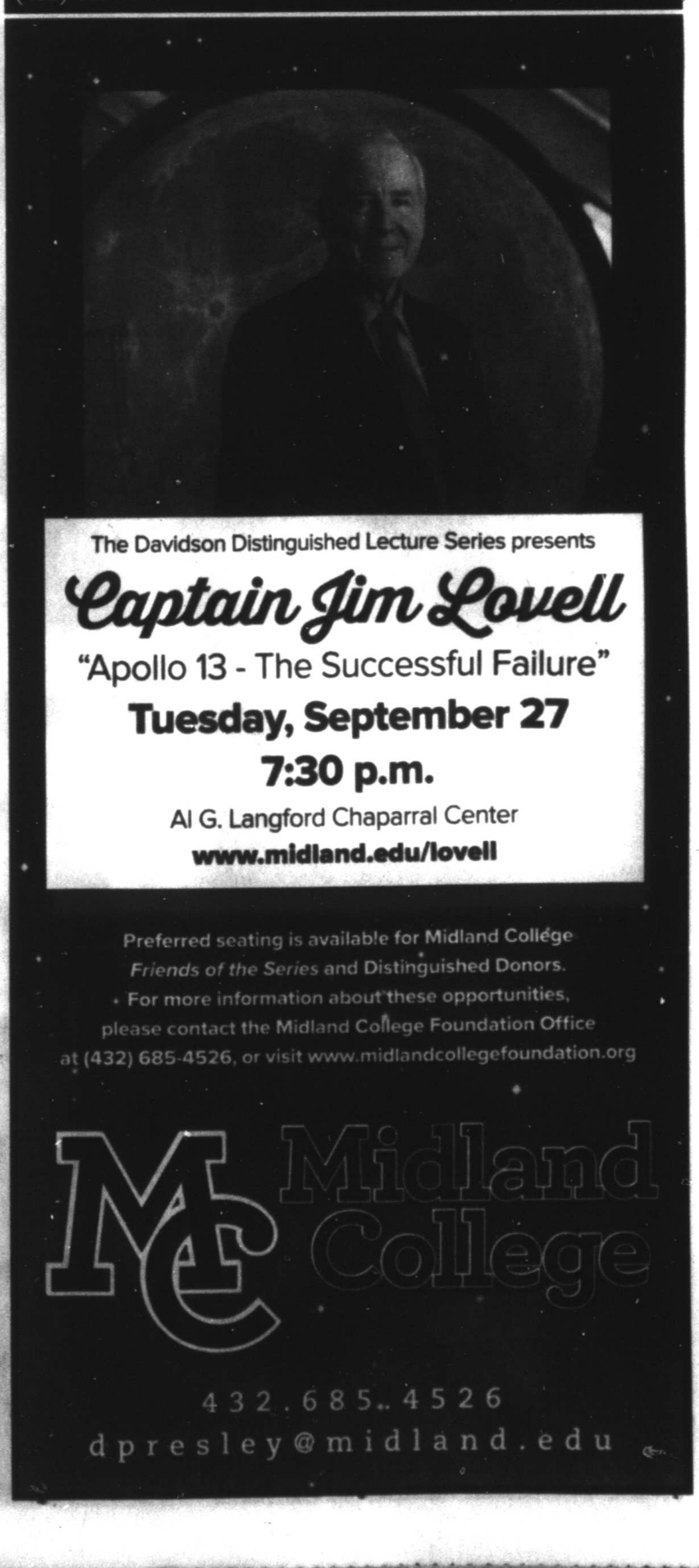

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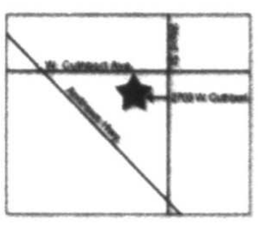

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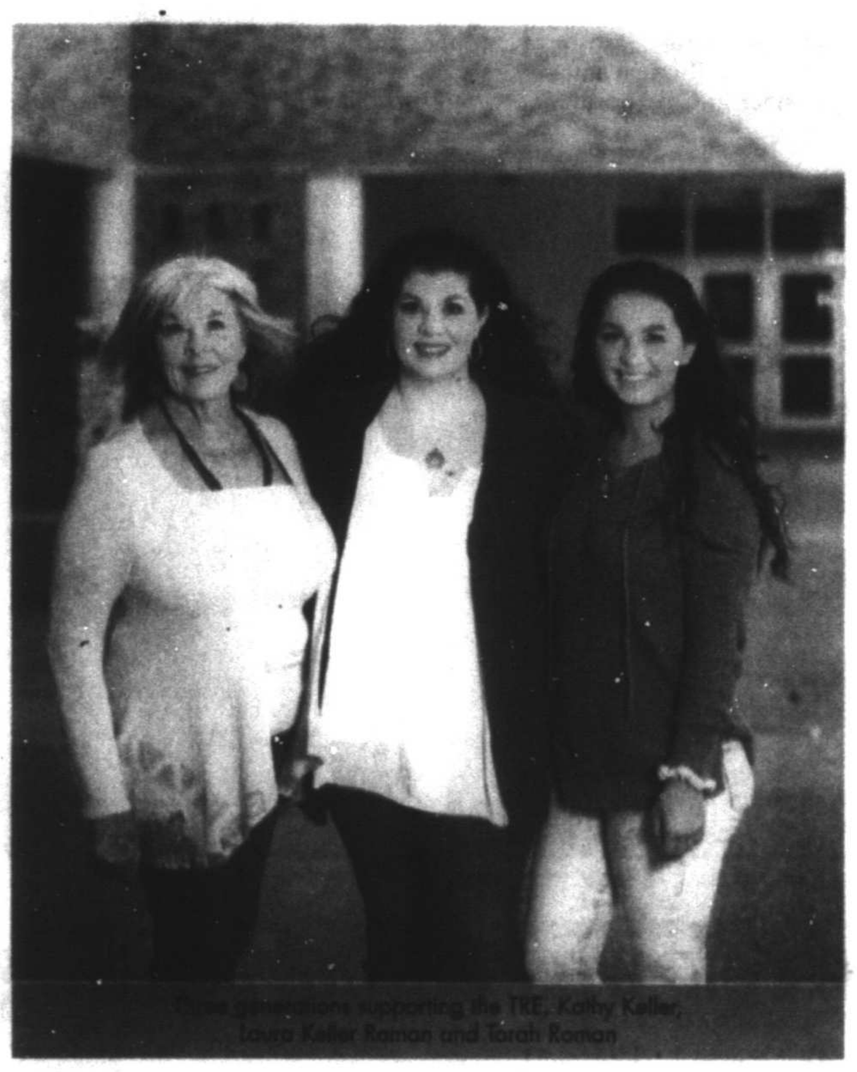

Three generations supporting the TRE, Kathy Keller, Laura Keller Roman and Tarah Roman

Laura Roman attended Midland ISD and is a graduate of Midland High School. Now, she and her husband Nick are the proud parents of Tarah Roman, who also attends Midland High School and is currently a junior. Laura serves as one of the TRE election campaign chairs. She is a partner at Weaver and specializes in tax and strategic business services.

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Q. Voters have heard lots of reasons about why the Midland Independent School District needs additional funds. Can you explain what has happened to make the TRE so important?

A. When oil prices started declining, local property values – particularly mineral values – were slow to react and while local tax revenues were reduced, MISD School Board Trustees were able to avoid seeking a tax increase last year by spending nearly $7 million from the district's reserve (savings) fund in 2015 and $6 million in 2014. In the years prior to 2014, MISD was able to increase its reserves without increasing taxes. With fluctuation in oil prices, there was always hope that our local conditions would improve in 2016 thereby eliminating the budget deficit; however, mineral values continued to decline. When combined with the increase in the current year's Robin Hood payment to "property poor districts," MISD began the school year facing a $25 million budget deficit. This deficit was managed with $6 million in budget cuts and salary freezes, a generous $10 million donation from the Scharbauer Foundation and $2.3 million in reserve fund spending. Our schools still need additional funding. That is why it is so important for the community to vote FOR the TRE so they can raise the needed $6.7 million. (the TRE will raise the M&O rate from $1.04 to $1.09, generating the additional $6.7 million)

Q. So the deficit has NOT been caused by overspending at the district level?

A. No. Midland ISD has already cut $6 million from its budget by freezing salaries, imposing 10 percent budget cuts across all departments, and targeting additional cuts in select areas such as transportation – all in an effort to balance spending with available revenues. In addition, the district proposes to spend $2.3 million in reserve funds (savings) in order to balance the budget. This combination of budget cuts, reserve fund spending, and an M&O tax rate increase is possible only because the Scharbauer Foundation donated $10 million in an effort to limit budget cuts that would impact academics and classroom instruction.

Q. Instead of raising taxes, why won't the district cut all non-essential programs such as band, football, foreign languages and other "extras?"

A. I believe extracurricular activities and sports are crucial to engaging students in education! Even if all of those programs were cut, MISD would still not be able to make up the budget deficit left from the increased Robin Hood tax payment and decline in current year property tax values.

Q. What have you experienced as an MISD parent? How do you feel about the education your daughter is receiving?

A. There are some truly incredible teachers at MISD and my daughter Tarah has had the benefit of having several of them as her teachers! She enjoys her fellow students and the ability to interact with diverse groups of people. She is getting a much broader understanding of our community. Tarah has been in both public and private schools, but Midland ISD has allowed her more choices for extracurricular activities, course selection and opportunities to meet people with different backgrounds, belief systems and cultural values. These often challenge her worldview to expand while also making her even more grounded in her Christian faith, sense of character, and strength against peer pressure.

Q. What happens if the TRE does not pass?

A. The district will be forced to cut an additional $6.7 million. This will adversely affect teachers, classroom instruction and academic performance.

Q. Why do you think public schools are important to the future success of Midland as a city?

A: Education is the foundation of a community. The ability to provide a child with a proper education that allows them to reach their potential is the greatest tool for opportunity that we can give them. This investment in providing great public schools for our students is a benefit for all of us. It provides our city with a skilled and well-educated workforce. This gives us a community of innovation and ingenuity, and equips individuals with the potential to get jobs, support families and contribute to community well-being. An educated community is essential to the future of that community.

Q. I don't have children in MISD. Why should I support the TRE?

A. The TRE is a community issue. The yield of our public education system is our future workforce, taxpayers, voters, business owners and leaders. Midland has always prided itself on its ability to excel in business and we should not lower our standards for our future because we were not willing to invest in our schools.

Q. I am retiree, living on a fixed income. How will this affect me?

A. If the TRE is approved by voters, tax rates will NOT increase on residences owned by taxpayers who have filed with the Midland Central Appraisal District to claim their Age 65 or older exemption.

Q. What is the one thing you hope people understand about this issue?

A. We, as voters, are being asked to approve a net tax increase of $.03 in the total MISD property tax rate to ensure that further cuts caused by Midland being a "property wealthy" district under Robin Hood are not required. We have made academic improvement in our public schools our highest priority and we cannot afford to cut programs and teachers that are crucial to this process. I like to use the example that a net tax increase of $.03 on a $200,000 house is about $47 per year in additional property taxes.

Q. If the TRE is passed, how will I know how the money is being used?

A. All school board meetings are open meetings, and a matter public record. Videos of the meetings along with agendas and packet information are available on MISD's website, including access to financial information. It is every member of the community's responsibility to hold our elected officials accountable for the stewardship of taxpayer money among their other obligations.

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Trump smashes moral compass of conservatism

■ His comparison of Obama and Putin is rediculous and so very Trump

JONAH GOLDBERG

Tribune News Service

There was a time when one of the worst sins you could commit on the American Right was to buy into "false moral equivalence."

During the Cold War, this usually meant saying that we were no better than the Soviet Union. For example, Democratic Sen. William J. Fulbright -- Bill Clinton's mentor — said of the Soviet Union in 1971, "Were it not for the fact that they are Communists — and therefore 'bad' people — while we are Americans — and therefore 'good' people — our policies would be nearly indistinguishable."

My old boss William F. Buckley famously had the best retort to this kind of myopic asininity. "To say that the CIA and the KGB engage in similar practices is the equivalent of saying that the man who pushes an old lady into the path of a hurtling bus is not to be distinguished from the man who pushes an old lady out of the path of a hurtling bus: on the grounds that, after all, in both cases someone is pushing old ladies around."

After the Cold War, the false moral equivalence arguments didn't stop; they simply mutated to fit the times. The isolated abuses at Abu Ghraib prison in Iraq were expanded into an indictment of America itself. "Shamefully," Sen. Ted Kennedy declared in 2005, "we now learn that Saddam's torture chambers reopened under new management: U.S. management." Sen. Dick Durbin claimed American policies were indistinguishable from those of the Nazis, the Soviets and Pol Pot. Amnesty International dubbed the prison at Guantanamo Bay "the Gulag of our time."

The problem with this sort of rhetoric should be obvious; however bad Abu Ghraib or Guantanamo Bay may be in your eyes, logic and facts can't make them the moral equivalents of genocidal mass slaughter (in Saddam's Iraq, Nazi Germany, Pol Pot's Cambodia or the Soviet Union). Nor is locking up terrorists and enemy combatants anything like imprisonment -- or summary execution -- of dissidents, intellectuals and other civilians.

Last year, President Barack Obama went for a personal best in the worst moral equivalence Olympics. At a National Prayer Breakfast, he argued that those who condemn the tactics of the Islamic State — the beheadings, the slavery, the mass rapes, burying people alive and so forth — must understand that Christians did some very bad things 10 centuries ago during the Crusades. So let's not "get on our high horse" about all that.

Conservatives, including yours truly, ran to their respective rhetorical garages to get as many brickbats, crowbars and sledgehammers as necessary to demolish that specious nonsense.

So it's interesting to see how conservatives have been responding to the Republican nominee's own adventures in moral equivalence. Last December in an interview with MSNBC's Joe Scarborough, Donald Trump was asked about his sometimes lavish praise of Vladimir Putin.

Scarborough noted that Putin "kills journalists, political opponents, and invades countries. Obviously that would be a concern, would it not?"

"He's running his country, and at least he's a leader," Trump replied. "Unlike what we have in this country."

Scarborough persisted: "But again: He kills journalists that don't agree with him."

Trump's answer: "I think our country does plenty of killing, also, Joe, so, you know."

More than nine months later — a suitable period to rethink one's absurd and ridiculous position, one might think — Trump was asked again about his so-called bromance with the Russian autocrat. In a "Commander-in-Chief forum," NBC's Matt Lauer confronted Trump with some of his past quotes about Putin, including Trump's claim that, "in terms of leadership, he's getting an A, our president is not doing so well."

When Lauer ran through just a few of Putin's offenses, including his alleged involvement in the hacking of the Democratic Party's computers, Trump responded: "Well, nobody knows that for a fact. But do you want me to start naming some of the things that President Obama does at the same time?

I take a backseat to no one as a critic of Barack Obama, but this is repugnant. Barack Obama has done some terrible, foolish and deplorable things as president. But all of his transgressions are measured against the standards of our constitutional system and our political culture. For instance, in 2009, the Obama Justice Department outrageously monitored the phone calls and emails of my Fox News colleague James Rosen. In order to get the warrants, they hilariously named Rosen a "criminal co-conspirator" of one of his sources. That's really bad. But it is not the moral equivalent of having Rosen gunned down in the street.

That Donald Trump cannot see such distinctions is no longer shocking. That many of his conservative supporters can't either grows less shocking by the day.

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OUR VIEW

Not much reason to be optimistic 15 years after attacks on America

Today is Patriot Day.

Time and Date.com describes Patriot Day as "the annual observance on Sept. 11 to remember those who were injured or died during the terrorist attacks in the United States on Sept. 11, 2001."

This is the 15th anniversary of the attacks on America. It is hard for some of us to believe it has been 15 years. Time flies when your country has been at war with those who want nothing more than our annihilation.

The 15th anniversary comes right in the middle of one of the most messed-up political races of our time. The presidential race between its major party candidates, Hillary Clinton and Donald Trump, has been one for the toilet bowl. That in itself would be discouraging enough for us, but when you factor in the Sept. 11 anniversary, the instability across the world and recruitment of those wanting to kill Americans, it makes that toxic political environment even more disappointing.

There are real issues in the Middle East. Syria, Iraq and Afghanistan still are hotbeds for terrorism with no answer likely in the short term. The al-Qaida/ISIS influence has spread into other target areas, even other continents, making the job more complex.

The mess in the Middle East and with radicals looking to use religion as an excuse for terroristic acts started long before President Obama — and even before President George W. Bush. However, neither has or will be able to leave office saying the situation improved on their watch.

Sadly, we don't see that Clinton or Trump has a plan that is any better, which is hardly confidence-inducing. America, our people, our soldiers and our way of life will continue to be threatened, and there's little we have seen to make us believe that is going to change. The leadership, in our view, isn't there.

This Patriot Day we will say a prayer for the thousands of people who have died in the war on terrorism, which subsequently followed the 9/11 attacks. We pray specifically for local families whose sons and daughters didn't return from service — such as Army Spec. Robert Arsiaga of Greenwood, Clayton Henson of Midland and Stanton and Army Cpl. Ray Bevel of Andrews. We also will be thinking about those men and women who returned home with mental or physical issues, only to see that their country did not step up with the care it should have provided.

Lastly, we pray for all Americans. We wish that the White House and Washington offered real leadership, so we feel more comfortable that the next 15 years will be better than the past 15 years. However, we aren't there yet. Our men and women will remain on the battlefields in foreign lands with no end in sight. Also, tragedies at home, such as the ones in Orlando, San Bernadino, California, or Fort Hood, are likely.

Today, we even think about Jake Young, a Lee High graduate, lawyer, husband and father. He died, not on a battlefield in Afghanistan or Iraq but at a nightclub in Bali — the victim of an al-Qaida network bombing in 2002. Yes, we have learned terror can happen anywhere and any time — at home, aboard or on the battlefield.

This Patriot Day, take some time to think about those who were impacted since the moment the first aircraft slammed into the World Trade Center. Then, hope that the presidential candidates rise above the low bar we have set. If the ultimate winner doesn't, we pray God gives Americans the wisdom to do better in four years.

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The past week was embarrassing

■ Our electorate deserves better than what was on display

KATHLEEN PARKER

Washington Post Writers Group

America has had better weeks than the one just past.

Only days away from the 15th anniversary of the 9/11 terrorist attacks, the Democratic and Republican presidential candidates convened for what was dubbed the "Commander-in-Chief Forum," sponsored by NBC News and hosted by "Where in the world is Matt Lauer?"

Indeed.

And then there was the Libertarian candidate, Gary Johnson, whose spaceship apparently had just landed in the middle of Earth's 2016. Appearing Thursday on "Morning Joe," he responded to Mike Barnicle's question about Aleppo with, "And what is Aleppo?" Barnicle might as well have said it was an Italian coffeemaker and moved on.

At the forum, we learned that Lauer apparently just got wind that Clinton used a private email server because he devoted fully one-third of her allotted time to questions about the email, which has been investigated exhaustively, including by the FBI, for about two years. Otherwise, we learned that Clinton's top counterterrorism goal is to defeat the Islamic State, which failed to awaken any of the thousands of people who requested an induced coma until after Nov. 8.

From Trump we learned that he built a great company, which was news to us, and that he has a plan for defeating the Islamic State but he's not about to tell anyone because he might win the election and then the terrorists would know that he intends to ask his top generals for a plan.

We also learned, because we've never heard this before, that the U.S.-led Iraq invasion was a mistake that Clinton once favored and that Trump did not, except that he did. But who, pray tell, ever cared what Trump the New York real estate developer thought about our military plans for Iraq? Why not just ask Joe the doorman at 30 E. 76th Street? Or the cashier at Madison Avenue's 3 Guys Restaurant?

Today, let's face it, everybody's against it after they were for it.

Clinton seems to have abandoned even her qualifying trope for voting for the Iraq invasion — *based on the intelligence we had at the time.* At the forum, rising from her seat, she simply and solemnly intoned that it "was a mistake."

This was a noteworthy moment, obviously premeditated in anticipation of the question, and seems to have been choreographed to convey statesmanlike buck-stops-here gravitas. A curious choice when speaking to the military audience gathered and an unqualified obscenity to the ears of families whose loved ones perished. Why not use the opportunity to say that as commander in chief, her first order of business would be to ensure no such intelligence failure ever happens again?

Similarly curious was Trump's response outlining his qualifications to command the military: "I've built a great company." For real? He missed an obvious opening to say something thoughtful and original that highlights what he has over his opponent — a record of dealmaking and negotiation. He had a chance to create a new narrative: If war is a failure of diplomacy, then Trump could say he's uniquely qualified to use his talents to end all wars.

This isn't necessarily so, but it sure beats his usual campaign Big Talk about nukes and nationalistic jingoism. Instead, he essentially finessed the forum by saying so little of substance that no one's the wiser and his supporters can continue to invent whatever fantasy narrative gets them through the night. Including, it would seem, that it's OK for the Republican nominee to blow kisses at Vladimir Putin, whom Mitt Romney long ago, and to much eye-rolling, identified as our greatest geopolitical foe.

Not to Trump, who declared Wednesday that Putin is a far better leader for Russia than Barack Obama has been for the U.S. Never mind that Putin — former KGB officer, aggressor, oppressor, autocrat and, yes, dictator — leads in part by ensuring that his opponents cease breathing. Is this really Trump's idea of leadership? What could go wrong?

To distill the week: Clinton proved herself knowledgeable, if foggy, and experienced in public affairs, as well as in artifice and deceit. Trump is a substance-free figment of his own imagination, whose stated reason for running for president is that he thinks he can win. Finally, Johnson is a former governor who stopped smoking pot to run for commander in chief because a crow landed on his shoulder in the New Mexico desert and whispered in his ear that he should.

Missing Romney yet?

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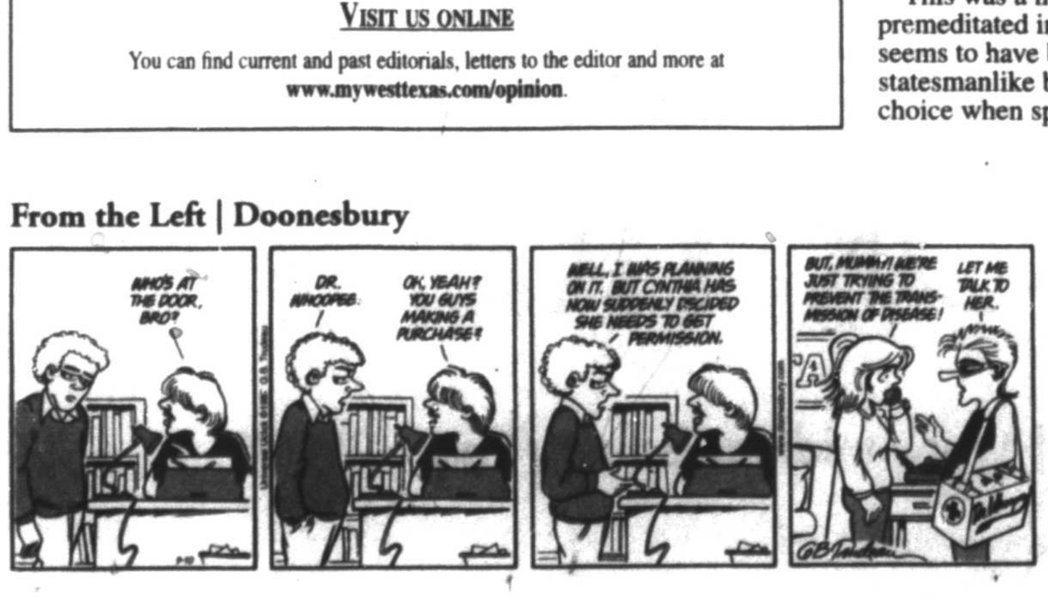

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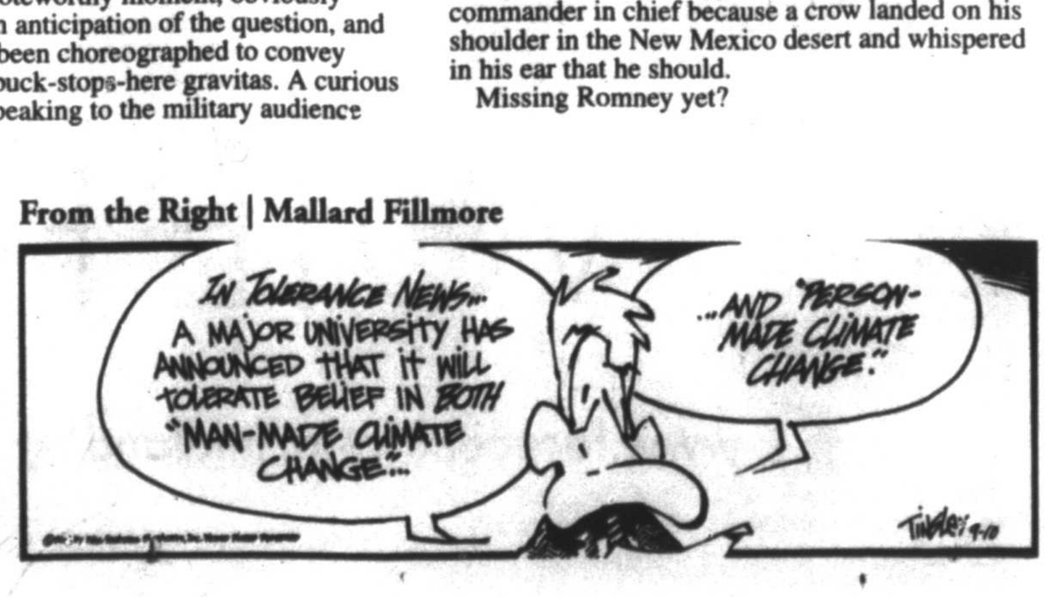

Dallas Morning News endorsement of Clinton wrongheaded

MARK DAVIS
Dallas Morning News

I wouldn't want to be manning the Dallas Morning News phones.

I'm just the radio guy who's filed a column here for the last 12 years, and even I'm getting peripheral artillery fire, as if I'm on the editorial board. I'm not, as I have reminded various emailers and tweeters, explaining that those who do serve in that capacity have examined the candidates and decided they prefer Hillary Clinton to Donald Trump. That is their call to make.

As many of my political allies ask me to channel their anger at the Hillary recommendation, I remind them that I've had the complete freedom to share any thoughts I please, often in direct contrast to the editorial board and other columnists. I have no intention of scolding the newspaper for speaking its collective editorial mind. It is a continuing honor to be part of one of the most ideologically diverse op-ed pages in the country. But I'm glad to continue a legacy of weighing-in.

I acknowledge the occasionally tricky waters the Trump campaign ship must navigate. My choice was Ted Cruz, but when that did not pan out, Trump was the only option to achieve a focused conservative goal: preventing a Hillary Clinton presidency.

Trump has put some unfortunate hurdles in front of Republican voters on the path to unity, but they are meager compared to the promise of the third Obama term Clinton will bring. The Morning News editorial board's assertion that "Trump is no conservative" is partially true; it turns out GOP voters sought a candidate offering more populism than textbook conservatism.

But "not a Republican?" That is incorrect by definition. Anyone can become a Republican, and apparently anyone can garner the party's nomination. Brief conservative hesitation was understandable when Trump became the presumed nominee four months ago; today it is inexplicable when considering the alternative.

The editorial distancing from Trump indicated that the long broken string of Republican endorsements was due to an affinity for "individual liberty, free markets and a strong national defense." There is simply no measure by which Hillary Clinton is a superior choice on any of those beliefs.

So it must be something else, and it seems to be a common affliction among voters (and newspapers) disillusioned by either choice. For some reason, in some minds, Trump's negatives wholly devour his attributes, which are at least as good as some recent Republican candidates and in some ways preferable.

Trump is a lot to swallow, and some of it is not good. But his protectionism, which I do not like, is not a gateway to Obama-esque fiscal policies, which we are sure to get with Clinton.

The oft-invoked "authoritarian" streak is little more than a personal style that in no way suggests the Hitler/Chavez nightmare some have floated. And I'll take Trump's stewardship over our First and Second Amendment rights over the left's affinity for judicial tyranny and political correctness any day.

And if his foreign policy pronouncements are unrefined and even fluid, I'll take his overall compass of strong borders and defeating the Islamic State over additional failure to even recognize and identify our most pressing immigration and terror problems.

Much is made of Hillary's experience. A resume means nothing if the ideas are wrong.

Some newspapers have issued no recommendation, just as some voters have said they will stay home Nov. 8. This I understand, if one is willing to tolerate a Hillary presidency. But an actual recommendation of her, or a vote for her, can be based on only one thing: a proactive desire for her to be president.

And that is not a desire one can communicate while holding on to even the slightest claim of conservatism.

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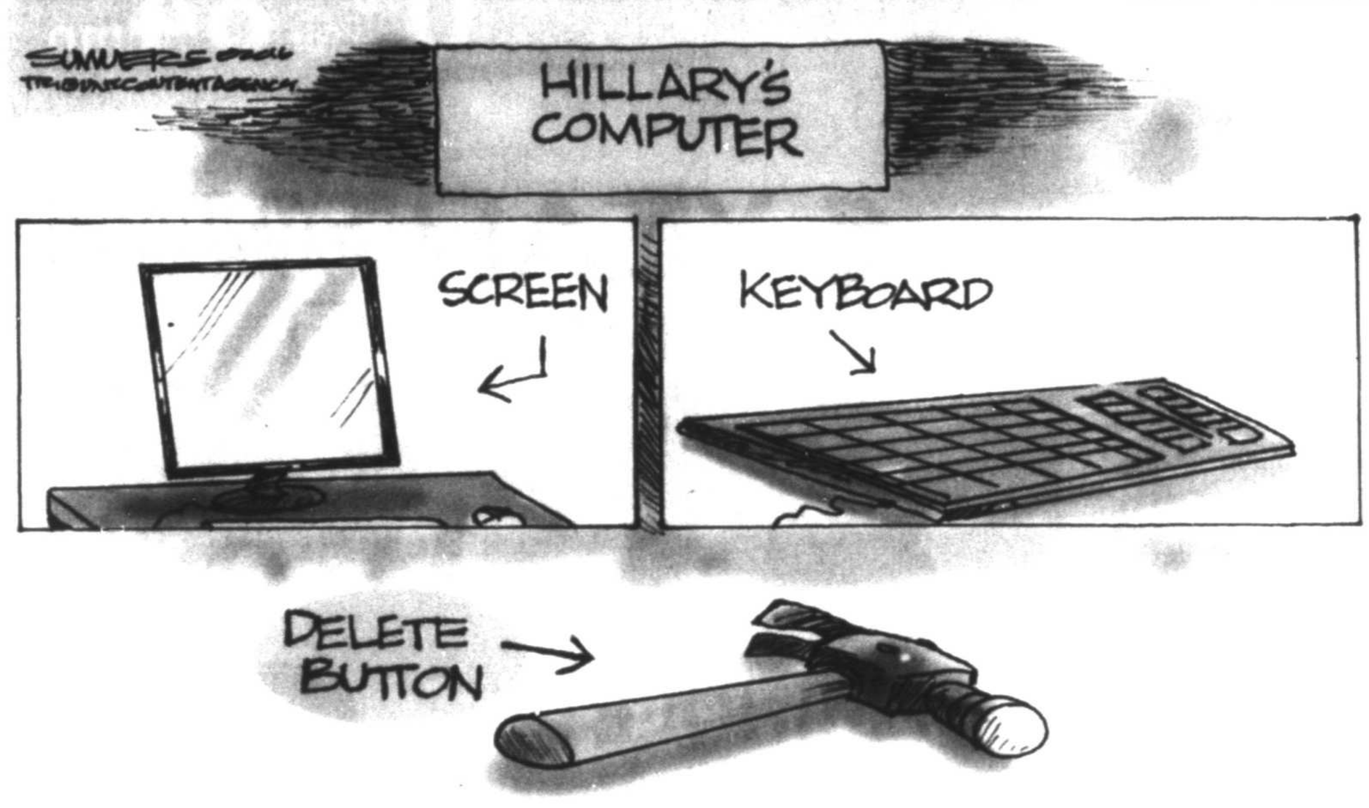

GUEST VIEW

The Dallas Morning News recommends Hillary Clinton for president

The Dallas Morning News

There is only one serious candidate on the presidential ballot in November. We recommend Hillary Clinton.

We don't come to this decision easily. This newspaper has not recommended a Democrat for the nation's highest office since before World War II — if you're counting, that's more than 75 years and nearly 20 elections. The party's over-reliance on government and regulation to remedy the country's ills is at odds with our belief in private-sector ingenuity and innovation. Our values are more about individual liberty, free markets and a strong national defense.

We've been critical of Clinton's handling of certain issues in the past. But unlike Donald Trump, Hillary Clinton has experience in actual governance, a record of service and a willingness to delve into real policy.

His name might be at the top of the GOP ticket, but Trump doesn't reflect Republican ideals of the past; we are certain he shouldn't reflect the GOP of the future.

Resume vs. resume, judgment vs. judgment, this election is no contest.

In Clinton's eight years in the U.S. Senate, she displayed reach and influence in foreign affairs. Though conservatives like to paint her as nakedly partisan, on Capitol Hill she gained respect from Republicans for working across the aisle: Two-thirds of her bills had GOP co-sponsors and included common ground with some of Congress' most conservative lawmakers.

As President Barack Obama's first secretary of state, she helped make tough calls on the Middle East and the complex struggle against radical Islamic terrorism. It's no accident that hundreds of Republican foreign policy hands back Clinton. She also has the support of dozens of top advisers from previous Republican administrations, including Henry Paulson, John Negroponte, Richard Armitage and Brent Scowcroft. Also on this list is Jim Glassman, the founding executive director of the George W. Bush Institute in Dallas.

Clinton has remained dogged by questions about her honesty, her willingness to shade the truth. Her use of a private email server while secretary of state is a clear example of poor judgment. She should take additional steps to divorce allegations of influence peddling from the Clinton Foundation. And she must be more forthright with the public by holding news conferences, as opposed to relying on a shield of carefully scripted appearances and speeches.

Those are real shortcomings. But they pale in comparison to the litany of evils some opponents accuse her of. Treason? Murder? Her being cleared of crimes by investigation after investigation has no effect on these political hyenas; they refuse to see anything but conspiracies and cover-ups.

We reject the politics of personal destruction. Clinton has made mistakes and displayed bad judgment, but her errors are plainly in a different universe than her opponent's.

Trump's values are hostile to conservatism. He plays on fear — exploiting base instincts of xenophobia, racism and misogyny — to bring out the worst in all of us, rather than the best. His serial shifts on fundamental issues reveal an astounding absence of preparedness. And his improvisational insults and midnight tweets exhibit a dangerous lack of judgment and impulse control.

After nearly four decades in the public spotlight, 25 of them on the national stage, Clinton is a known quantity. For all her warts, she is the candidate more likely to keep our nation safe, to protect American ideals and to work across the aisle to uphold the vital domestic institutions that rely on a competent, experienced president.

Hillary Clinton has spent years in the trenches doing the hard work needed to prepare herself to lead our nation. In this race, at this time, she deserves your vote.

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Texas can learn from Sooner State on quakes

■ COMMENTARY

By Chris Tomlinson
Houston Chronicle

Oklahoma regulators immediately suspended activity at 37 wastewater disposal wells last weekend after a 5.8 magnitude earthquake shook north-central Oklahoma.

The quick action by the Oklahoma Corporation Commission reveals its confidence that the high-pressure injection of oil and gas wastewater into the ground can cause damaging earthquakes.

Although Saturday's quake has not been conclusively linked to wastewater injections, the commission demonstrated caution by suspending operations.

"All of our actions have been based on the link that researchers have drawn between the Arbuckle disposal well operations and earthquakes in Oklahoma," spokesman Matt Skinner said Saturday.

Texas regulators, meanwhile, are still trying to deny there's a link between the chemically saturated lubricant going into the ground and the sudden increase in the movement of subterranean rocks along fault lines.

"We cannot definitively say that there is or is not a direct causal relationship between disposal wells and earthquakes in Texas," Texas Railroad Commissioner Ryan Sitton wrote in an op-ed. The commission is studying the possible link, but Sitton says it's wrong to tie oil and gas drilling to seismic activity.

Why Texas and Oklahoma have chosen to name their oil and gas regulators with non-descriptive names will be the subject of a future column, but these two state agencies regulate the same companies doing the same activities along a common border. The three members on each commission are elected, thanks to generous campaign donations from the oil and gas industry.

So what do the Oklahomans know that the Texans don't?

First of all, in Oklahoma they've hired qualified seismologists, and commissioners respect academic researchers and nonpartisan federal regulators. In Texas, conservative politicians hired one rancher to study the seismology, while commissioners reject any independent research that suggests a link between earthquakes and the petroleum industry.

Yet, overwhelming evidence suggests that the frequency of earthquakes in Texas has risen in tandem with the growing use of disposal wells, an activity spurred by hydraulic fracturing of oil and gas wells.

And here's the funny thing. When companies stop injecting fracturing fluid into wells, the earthquakes in that area stop, almost immediately. You don't need a Ph.D. to recognize that there must be a connection.

There also is an easy solution: require oil companies to clean up their fluid and recycle it. Texas would save water, and the earthquakes would stop. The only problem is that oil and gas companies don't want to spend the extra money. They'd rather allow the earthquakes to continue because it costs them nothing when a grandmother's fine china falls off the walls.

Since I started writing about energy two years ago, I've been a staunch defender of fracturing wells, but I've also recognized the connection between disposal wells and earthquakes. Sitton and the other members of the Texas Railroad Commission need to start emulating our neighbors to the north.

Or else more temblors are on the way.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

BBBS provides positive role models

A recent article in the Reporter-Telegram talked about Midland's youth craving face-to-face mentoring. I have two boys, 12 and 8. I contacted Big Brothers Big Sisters of Midland in December 2013 about my sons, who were 6 and 8 at the time. Both boys were matched with their big brothers, or "Bigs," in April 2014. My 6-year-old was matched with Josh, and my 10-year-old was matched with Isaac.

These two men have been such a blessing to my boys. Isaac and Josh take time to pick up the boys and spend time with them. This has done wonders for the boys' self-esteem, emotional health and even physical well-being.

Isaac picks up my oldest, and they just hang out for dinner, go to movies or go to parks. Isaac introduced my oldest to tennis, and my son is now taking tennis at his junior high. My son loves to spend time with Isaac and feels like Isaac really likes to be with him. My son wants to go to college where Isaac went and go into engineering.

Josh and my younger son have an amazing friendship. Josh spends time with just my son and he also includes my son in activities with his own family. My son not only got a big brother, but he got a family, with younger kids and Josh's wife. My son looks forward to his time with Josh and his own family. This is so important to me, as a mom, because my sons get to see what a family with a father should look like. Josh does more than just mentor my son. He goes above and beyond to show my son what a man/father does in a family.

My boys are "A" students at school and are very well-adjusted boys. Josh and Isaac have so much to do with that. Big Brothers Big Sisters provides positive role models to children.

Shannon Lewis

City's identity suffers because of MISD's reputation

A town's identity is created by many things. It is built by local companies, schools, churches and the words people like you and I say about it. You can learn all you need to know about a town from one simple conversation.

There are many great things about Midland, but the identity of our community is suffering because of the reputation our school district has acquired. MISD has become known for budget cuts, poor test scores, a shortage of textbooks for students and a dismal lack of growth in available technology.

This is a great disservice to our students. We owe it to our children and our town to change this identity of stagnation to one of growth and success — to once again be the type of town that produces and nurtures future leaders and prosperous individuals.

The residents of Midland have an opportunity to help make that happen. We have the choice of allowing the status quo to continue, or to elect those who will make a difference. To put it simply, the time for change is now.

Aimee Fisher

MISD school board

(candidate letters have a 200-word limit.)

District 7

House knows challenges teachers face

My friend and professional colleague, Margy House, is running for the District 7 spot on the MISD board of trustees. Ms. House is an outstanding educator, a talented classroom teacher with more than 35 years of service to her credit. She well knows the challenges faced by teachers, students and parents in our community. Ms. House is a measured and thoughtful individual, one able to look at issues from different points of view and willing to forge creative solutions to problems.

She is tenacious, committed to excellence and always fair-minded. Ms. House believes every child in every classroom in this community will benefit if we can create a rising tide of progress for all. Ms. House also believes in the importance of developing and supporting professional educators, as good teachers can make a real difference in the lives of children.

I have every confidence that Margy House is a good choice for this important position at this critical time. She deserves your support.

Patricia A. Maurer,
Head of Preschool and Lower School at Trinity School, former MISD administrator

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Clinton: 'Deplorables' comment was 'grossly generalistic'

By Catherine Lucey
Associated Press

WHITE PLAINS, N.Y. — Hillary Clinton said Saturday that she was wrong to put half of Donald Trump's supporters in a "basket of deplorables," but didn't back down from a description of his campaign the Republican nominee said smeared many Americans and would take a political toll.

Less than 24 hours after she made the comments at a private New York City fundraiser, Clinton said in a statement, "last night I was 'grossly generalistic' and that's never a good idea. I regret saying 'half' — that was wrong." But she argued that the word "deplorable" was reasonable to describe much of Trump's campaign.

"He has built his campaign largely on prejudice and paranoia and given a national platform to hateful views and voices, including by retweeting fringe bigots with a few dozen followers and spreading their message to 11 million people," the Democratic nominee said.

Responding in a statement, Trump said it was "disgraceful that Hillary Clinton makes the worst mistake of the political season and instead of owning up to this grotesque attack on American voters, she tries to turn it around with a pathetic rehash of the words and insults used in her failing campaign?"

Trump added that Clinton was showing "bigotry and hatred for millions of Americans," arguing that she was "incapable to serve as President of the United States."

Clinton, who has said she is the candidate to unify a divided country, made the "deplorables" comment at an LGBT fundraiser Friday night at a New York City restaurant, with about 1,000 people in attendance. She has made similar comments recently, including on an Israeli television station.

"To just be grossly generalistic, you could put half of Trump's supporters into what I call the basket of deplorables. Right? The racist, sexist, homophobic, xenophobic, Islamaphobic — you name it," she said, before stressing that other Trump supporters are frustrated and need sympathy.

Trump and his supporters quickly pounced on the remark, arguing that it revealed Clinton as disconnected from struggling Americans.

"Wow, Hillary Clinton was SO INSULTING to my supporters, millions of amazing, hard-working people. I think it will cost her at the polls!" Trump said in a tweet.

Running mate Mike Pence, in remarks at the Values Voter conference in Washington, shot back: "The truth of the matter is that the men and women who support Donald Trump's campaign are hard-working Americans, farmers, coal miners, teachers, veterans, members of our law enforcement community, members of every class of this country who know that we can make America great again."

Of course, while Clinton is taking heat for her comment, Trump's brand is controversy. At a rally in Pensacola, Florida, on Friday, he said Clinton is "so protected" that "she could walk into this arena right now and shoot somebody with 20,000 people watching, right smack in the middle of the heart. And she wouldn't be prosecuted."

Clinton's rhetorical stumble came as the candidates head into the final two months of the campaign, with Trump trying to make up ground before the Nov. 8 election.

Clinton has not let the media into many private fundraisers, but press was allowed in to hear her remarks Friday. At the New York restaurant, Clinton bemoaned the people she described as "deplorables," saying, "unfortunately, there are people like that. And he has lifted them up. He has given voice to their websites that used to only have 11,000 people — now how 11 million. He tweets and retweets their offensive hateful mean-spirited rhetoric. Now, some of those folks — they are irredeemable, but thankfully they are not America," said Clinton, who was the country's top diplomat during President Barack Obama's first term.

Clinton then pivoted and tried to characterize the other half of Trump's supporters, putting them in "that other basket" and saying they need empathy.

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Democratic presidential candidate Hillary Clinton speaks at a LBGT For Hillary Gala at the Cipriani Club, in New York on Friday. *Andrew Harnik/Associated Press*

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She described them as "people who feel that the government has let them down, the economy has let them down, nobody cares about them, nobody worries about what happens to their lives and their futures, and they're just desperate for change."

Seeking to explain the statements, Clinton spokesman Nick Merrill said in a series of tweets after the remarks that Clinton has been talking about the "alternative right," or "alt-right" movement, which often is associated with efforts on the far right to preserve "white identity," oppose multiculturalism and defend "Western values." Merrill argued that "alt-right" leaders are supporting Trump and "their supporters appear to make up half his crowd when you observe the tone of his events."

But the moment recalled comments about voters — also at private fundraisers — that have tripped up presidential nominees in the past.

Weeks before the 2012 election, Republican Mitt Romney landed in hot water for saying that 47 percent of the public would vote for President Barack Obama "no matter what" because they depended on government benefits and his job was "not to worry about those people."

During the 2008 Democratic primary, then-Sen. Obama said that small-town voters "cling to guns or religion or antipathy to people who aren't like them or anti-immigrant sentiment or anti-trade sentiment as a way to explain their frustrations."

On Saturday, Clinton's staff said she attended another fundraiser at the Armonk, New York, home of attorney David Boies. But reporters traveling with her campaign were not allowed in and did not see her.

Trump, meanwhile, did not address Clinton's comment at his only scheduled public appearance on Saturday, a funeral in St. Louis for social conservative activist Phyllis Schlafly.

Trump noted that Schlafly rooted for the underdog, and "the idea that so-called little people, or the little person that she loved so much, could beat the system — often times, the rigged system."

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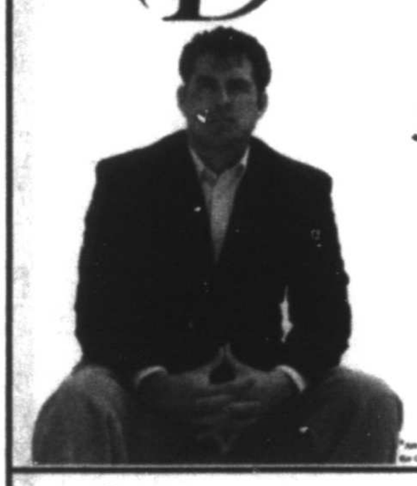

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Midlander recognized at Miss Texas USA pageant

Trinity School graduate Ba'Leigh Burns wins People's Choice Award

By Simone Jasper
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A Trinity School graduate won the People's Choice Award at the Miss Texas USA pageant last weekend.

Ba'Leigh Burns represented Midland at the statewide pageant and said winning the People's Choice Award had significance.

"It was really meaningful to me because it's voted on by the audience and goes toward Wounded Warrior," she said. "It goes to help veterans, and I want to bring awareness to them."

Voting for the People's Choice Award occurred before and during the pageant. Voters paid $1 to constitute a vote for their favorite contestant. This year's pageant donations benefited the Texas Wounded Warrior Foundation, an organization that helps veterans and their loved ones.

Burns has volunteered at the VA hospital in Big Spring and plans to work with veterans with PTSD. Burns' mom, Rhonda Burns, said she's excited the money is going toward a cause that aligns with her daughter's interests.

"Pageants choose a different organization each year," she said. "That was a coincidence that when Ba'Leigh was there; it benefited veterans."

Miss Texas USA was the first statewide competition for Burns, who was crowned Miss Midland 2016. Burns, a 2013 graduate of Trinity School, said she enjoyed the competition in Houston.

"I loved having the opportunity to represent Midland," she said. "The title is important wherever I go. I feel like I try to embody Midland — friendly faces and smiles, growing but still a small-town feel."

About 90 women from across the state competed at Miss Texas USA in Houston this year.

Angela Harral, recruiter for Miss Texas USA, helped Burns prepare for the pageant. She said the Midlander faced tough competition at the state level.

"Some of the young ladies start in their teen years and have been around for a long time," Harral said. "If you take on a 27-year-old who's been in pageants for 10 years, it's really harder to come out on top."

Burns participated in her first pageant

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Trinity School graduate Ba'Leigh Burns poses at the Miss Texas USA Pageant. Burns, who represented Midland, was given the People's Choice Award, which was voted on by members of the audience.

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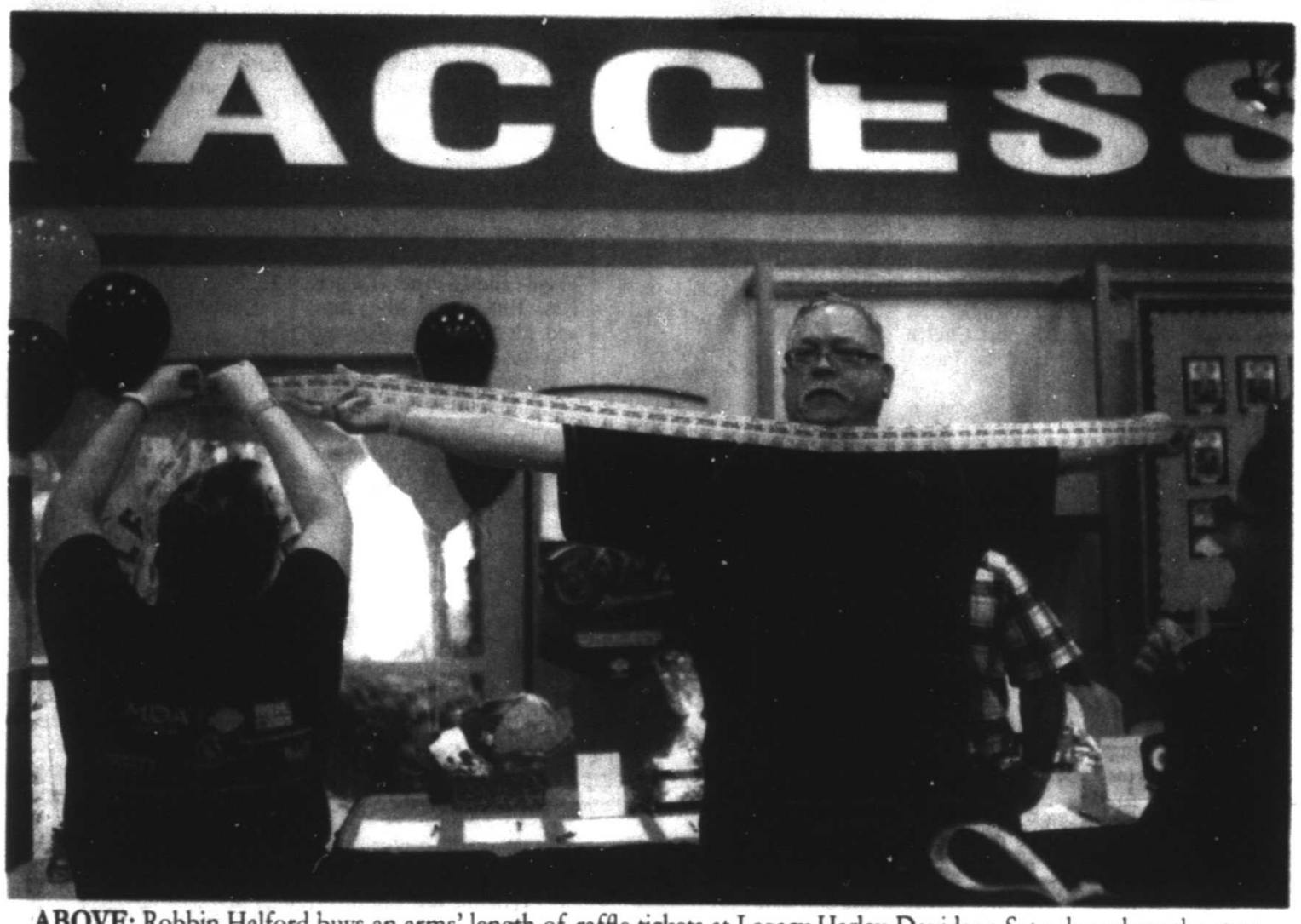

ABOVE: Robbin Halford buys an arms' length of raffle tickets at Legacy Harley-Davidson Saturday, where the start and finish of the Ride for a Cure benefitting West Texas Muscular Dystrophy Association was held. Raffle prizes included a 2016 Harley-Davidson Softail Breakout, a Harley-Davison leather jacket and a $200 Visa gift card.

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MELANIE NICHOLAS
Columnist

Attendence at school was optional; at the reunion? Not so much

The Lee High School Class of 1991 is planning its 25-year reunion in October, and they are looking for a local celebrity to help them get the word out. Apparently, I am the most famous person they could find to rep the mighty Lee Rebels. Which is kind of funny, since I skipped a lot of my time there.

No, it's not what you are thinking — I am not a secret genius that jetted off to college early. By the time my senior year rolled around, I was working almost full time and only going to school in the mornings. There were lots of days when picking up an extra shift or hanging out with my older friends was a lot more appealing than geometry. Apologies, Mr. Borrego.

Apparently, you can't have too many unexcused absences and still walk the stage. So, I made up my time in the office under the watchful eyes of Principal Don Mason and was allowed to graduate. High school just wasn't my jam. It wasn't awful or anything; it was just that step to take before going to college. For me, high school was a lot more about the friends I made than the education and experiences I was supposed to be receiving. I skipped proms, plays, senior dinners, pep rallies, project graduation and classes. I only went to one high school football game, wore only one homecoming mum. Wait! Now that I think of it, I even skipped graduation. My impacted wisdom teeth made me very sick. Talk about irony.

But I didn't miss out on everything. I participated in student government — I helped Susan Alexander hang a campaign sign when she ran for student body president. I was also a member of the National Honor

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Former Midlander completes 77-day trek

By Simone Jasper
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Not many people in today's connected world can say they've lived in isolation for 77 days. But Midland native Sam Glinsmann can.

Glinsmann

"Aside from the hard skills — like pitching a tent and cooking — we focused on leadership and being a group member," Glinsmann said.

He took a course with nine other students in remote areas of New Zealand. The course — which ran for three months earlier this year — included a 31-day hiking segment, followed by sea kayaking and sailing.

After being in isolation with only his course mates and instructors, Glinsmann said he came back as a better communicator.

"It taught me how to interact with people," he said. "They teach those communication skills, and they translate to the front country."

Glinsmann's only contact with friends and family members in the United States during the course was through letters. His mother, Connie Glinsmann, said her son enjoys reading handwritten messages and prefers talking face-to-face.

"He would much rather us call him than communicate over text," Connie Glinsmann said. "He feels that he loses the person you are when it's through technology."

After having few interactions in New Zealand, the Trinity School graduate said it was difficult to be around crowds in Midland.

"I really didn't like seeing people,"

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Kayaking in the Marlborough Sounds of New Zealand was part of a 77-day wilderness course completed by Trinity School graduate Sam Glinsmann, front.

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Society, there's even a yearbook photo to prove my academic prowess! And I enjoyed competing in debate and vocational education competition.

But mostly, I just met a lot of really great people. I think high school, like some jobs, becomes endurable because of the relationships you make. The upcoming reunion has gotten me thinking about some of the people I hold dearest in my heart from back in the day. I have lost touch with some of you, folks like David Faught. When I started at Lee my sophomore year, I was new to the Lee High cluster system. I knew absolutely no one. I sat by David in Miss Goodin's honor's English class, and I was the only girl there dressed like an extra from a Whitesnake video. But David and Teresa (Davis) Hansen didn't let my pointy boots and giant bangs get in the way and befriended me my first day. If I didn't tell you then, let me say that I am eternally grateful. Teresa and I are still friends, but David … well, I did a little Internet stalking and I think he is now David Faught, Ph.D., teaching in the English and modern languages department at Angelo State University. There are other people I miss that are evading my detective skills. Brian Pendleton, Jim Edmunds, Shari Cargile, Kellye Hearne — where are you guys?

I have been going through my yearbook, looking at all these beautiful young faces. There sure was a lot of hair in there, mullets and bangs and spiral perms for days! So many of you have not changed. Mike Loftis may have trimmed his "party in the back" locks from his football star days, but he is still the cutest boy. I can say that. I'm friends with his wife. Facebook helps me stay in touch with lots of you! I love seeing your lives, your children and all the ways you have all grown. Did you know Trey Smith, Jacque (Saunders) Lanning, Robin (Dutton) Cookson and Cody Shumake have all had children in the last few years? My uterus is so jealous! And two of my favorite high school couples, Neil Renton and Tracy (Pierce) Renton and Kathy (Hale) Firkins and Justin Firkins, are still together with beautiful families of their own.

There are several other people I graduated with who I consider real celebrities. Roshauna "Shaun" Niblett is now a minister, sharing her unshakeable faith with the world. You can find her Sundays at the Community Worship Center service held at the MLK Jr. Center or on YouTube. I follow her devotions on Instagram. I ran into Robert Wiley, or just plain "Wiley" as he was known in debate class, at the Austin airport a few years ago. Wiley has become an attorney specializing in labor law and owns his own successful practice in Dallas. He was named a rising star in employment law by Texas Super Lawyers and is active in politics and civil rights. And if you thought that a contestant on Jeopardy! looked strangely familiar in March, well, that was our superbrain salutatorian and all-around nice guy Todd Giese!

There are so many other folks I enjoyed knowing all those years ago. If you want to catch up, here's the chance. The LHS Class of 1991 reunion is planned for Oct. 7 and 8. If you're interested in a little Friday night football and some KD's barbecue, it will be a fun weekend. Chris Phillips, Celina (Madrid) Leyva, Suzann Haechten and Tonja (Mansfield) Loftis are in charge of planning. You can stay up to date with all the information by visiting the Midland Lee High - Class of 1991 Reunion page on Facebook.

Finally, a high school event I want to take part in!

Melanie (Maxcey) Nicholas is a full-time mother, writer and mommy blogger. She and The Hubs have two amazing children, Parksalot, 8, and Bodacious, 5. You can follow @MelNicholas13 and her amazing adventures fighting grime and insecurity on Facebook, Twitter and at TheBathwaterBlogs.com. Her column appears in the Midland Reporter-Telegram every other week.

Obituaries

Donovan Milton Olliff

Donovan Milton Olliff eased into sleep Monday night, September 5, 2016 in his home in Midland, Texas. He was surrounded by his wife, granddaughter and of course- his dog Persia, at the age of 88. Most everyone knew Donovan as Ben. Ben is survived by his wife Andree Morel Olliff, his granddaughter, Alexandra Derck Garcia and his brother John W. Olliff, all of Midland Texas. He is preceded in death by his daughter Michele Olliff Derck, and his siblings Paul Olliff and Marie Thomson.

He was born on August 23, 1928 at midnight in Santa Rita, Texas to William and Elzora Olliff. Ben graduated from Midland High in 1947 and went on to Compton College in California and then to Odessa college. He served as a loyal servant of Jehovah's Witnesses at the Watchtower Bible and Tract Society for five years in New York. Ben was in love at first sight when he met Andree. He married Andree Morel in May 21, 1955. After marriage, Ben and Andree shared their passion for Jehovah doing missionary work in Mexico.

After moving back to Texas, Ben owned Midland Plumbing and began his property management company- building, selling and renovating homes. He could fabricate anything. With his creative nature Ben built homes for his immediate family which we still live in today. In August 1960 the couple welcomed their only daughter Michele into this world. Ben was always on the move. He was an early riser with morning diary entries before taking his granddaughter, Alexandra to school. Ben had an enthusiastic work ethic and lived his whole life to provide for his family. His hobbies included writing poetry, obtaining his pilot's license, painting and metal casting. He even learned Spanish for missionary work and began teaching the language at Odessa College. Daddy Ben was a jack of all trades and a master of all of them. Not a soul on this earth ever said a negative word about him- he was perfect. There are no words that do justice in describing what a force Ben was. In the early 90's much of his time between work was caring for his daughter Michele after she had been stricken with Multiple Sclerosis. To clear his mind of life's stresses, Daddy Ben would trim mesquite bushes into trees at our property at home and teach his granddaughter Alexandra about chess and poetry. Around that same property he planted many peach trees. He was always amazed and in awe of what the creator provides.

He was a caring, genuine, loving person that always went out of his way for not only the ones he loved, but for every person he met along his path. There will not be another like him, Ben transcended the lives of many and will never be forgotten.

A funeral is scheduled for Monday September 12, 2016 at 11:00 am at Nalley Pickle & Welch Chapel, with burial to follow at Serenity Memorial Gardens. All are welcome to attend and celebrate Ben's life and legacy.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to The National MS Society in honor of his daughter Michele at http://www.nationalmssociety.org/Donate or by mail at National MS Society, P.O. Box 4527, New York, NY, 10163.

Condolences can be sent to alexandra@benolliff.com. The family would like to thank Hospice and Tiffany Fewell for her care, dedication and love for Ben.

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

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Gwendolyn Swanzy Jolly

Gwendolyn Swanzy Jolly passed away on September 9, 2016 at the age of 88.

The family will receive friends from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 11, 2016 at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Midland.

A celebration of Gwen's life will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, September 12, 2016 at First Baptist Church Chapel, officiated by Pastor David Johnson.

Gwen was born November 1, 1927 in Abilene, Texas to Douglas and Jewel (Tabor) Swanzy. Following the death of her father when she was three years old, Gwen and her mother moved to the Tabor farm in Clyde, Texas. While a student at Clyde High School, she was a drum majorette and was also Valedictorian of her graduating class. She attended the alma mater of her parents, Hardin Simmons University, until her marriage on September 1, 1946 to Marshall E. Jolly, whom she had known since childhood.

While Marshall pursued his degree from Southern College of Optometry in Memphis, Tennessee, Gwen worked at Radio Station WHHM. Upon his graduation, the couple moved to Ranger, Texas to establish his first optometric practice, and it was during this time that their three daughters, Jeri Jan, Lee Ann, and Marsha Kay were born.

In 1959, the family moved to Midland, Texas. As the mother of three girls, Gwen quickly became involved in a myriad of activities, and over the next few years would add to her resume such accomplishments as PTA Room Mother, Girl Scout Leader, and Sunday school teacher at First Baptist Church. In addition to being an avid bridge player, she was an active member of the Col. Theunis Dey Chapter of the DAR where she held the office of Regent and served on the board in several capacities.

For many years, Gwen worked alongside Dr. Jolly in his optometric practice, Midland Visual Clinic. In their leisure time, the couple enjoyed making countless trips to their beloved mountain home in Ruidoso, New Mexico. After the death of Marshall Jolly in 1987, she was married to the late Ernest W. Babb from 1999-2008.

Gwen was a sweet, gentle, soft-spoken woman, known for her beautiful smile, admired for her devotion to her family, envied for her youthful complexion, and revered for her crossword puzzle skills.

She is survived by her three daughters, Jeri (Mrs. Reggie) McCaslin of Midland, Lee Ann (Mrs. Marc) Lewis of Coral Gables, Florida, and Marsha (Mrs. Walter) Dueease of Ft. Worth; grandchildren, Jessica McCaslin, Meredith McCaslin, Lauren (Lewis) Steward, Jason Lewis, Jeffrey Pickering, Sara (Pickering) Carpenter, Tracey (Pickering) Taraba, and Cole Dueease. She also has seven great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Jason Lewis, Jeffrey Pickering, Cole Dueease, Daniel Steward, Adam Carpenter, and Jeffrey Taraba.

The family wishes to express their sincerest gratitude to the staff and nurses at Senior Care, and to Hospice, for all their loving kindness shown to Gwen over the past few months and years.

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Harwood Perry Hinton

Harwood Perry Hinton, 89, of Midland, Texas, passed away on September 6, 2016, in his home, surrounded by his loved ones.

Harwood was born in Irving, Texas, on March 26, 1927, to Harwood Perry Hinton, Sr. and Willie Mae Abbott Hinton. He graduated from Irving High School and continued on to receive a Bachelor of Arts degree in History from the University of Texas at Austin, a Master of Arts degree in History from Columbia University, and Ph.D. in History from the University of Wisconsin.

A United States Army veteran, Harwood was drafted by Uncle Sam in 1950 and served in Japan. When he returned to civilian life in Texas, he taught junior high history in Odessa. On June 16, 1955, he married Mary Ann Brookshire. They had three children and were married for 42 years. After Ann died in 1997, he later married Diana Davids Olien of Midland on May 14, 2005.

On receiving his Ph.D., Harwood accepted an assistant professorship at Texas A&M University, teaching there one year before accepting a position at the University of Arizona at Tucson in 1961. He would be a professor of history there for the next 30 years, but he also became editor of the scholarly journal "Arizona and the West," which under his editorial leadership, became a leading periodical in the history of the American West. While in that position, he was one of the founders of the Western History Association, in which he took an active part for many years.

Harwood's own scholarship focused on the lives of Civil War General John Ellis Wool and southwestern cattle dealer John Chisum. An expert on the history of the American Southwest, he was a consultant for Hollywood Western movie makers. But Harwood was most devoted to mentoring his many students. He was always ready to suggest how they might develop new historical topics and insights, and how they could find untapped historical resources. Because of his unlimited generosity with his time, many of his students became teachers and scholars, publishing a host of books and articles. Countless others came to share Harwood's love of the history of the American Southwest.

In 1991, Harwood retired from the University of Arizona and he and Ann relocated to Austin, Texas. Once settled in Austin, Harwood became one of the editors of "The New Handbook of Texas" compiled by the Texas State Historical Association. He was a life member of the Association, as well as of the American Historical Association and the Organization of American Historians. In both Tucson and Austin, he was an active participant in the Civil War Roundtable.

Harwood left Austin for Midland, Texas, when he married Diana Davids Olien on May 14, 2005. In Midland, he continued his research and writing, completing his biography of General John Wool. He continued to mentor younger scholars, helping them see their research into print, and going to meetings of the West Texas Historical Association, of which he was a past president and board member, and the Conference on Big Bend Studies. A confirmed "people person," he loved visiting with his many friends at historical conferences.

Harwood is preceded in death by his parents, Harwood and Willie Mae Hinton; his brothers, James Floyd Hinton and Thomas Ross Hinton; his wife, Ann; and his son, John Harwood Hinton.

Harwood is survived by his wife of 11 years, Diana Davids Hinton; his two children, Mary McAdow and James Hinton; his stepdaughter, Christina Olien Bosco; his grandchildren, Anthony Cox, Madeline Cox, Mary Ann Cox, Roxanne Hinton, and Charles Hinton; his step-grandchild, Sharon Victoria Bosco; and many other family members and friends.

The funeral service will be held at St. Nicholas' Episcopal Church, 4000 W. Loop 250 N., Midland, Texas on Tuesday, September 13, at 1:30 p.m., with Father David Huxley officiating. Burial will follow on Wednesday, September 14, 2016 at Laurel Land Cemetery in Dallas, Texas at 11:00 a.m..

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be given to the American Diabetes Association, the John H. Hinton Library Endowment at the Cushing Library of Texas A&M University, or the St. Nicholas Episcopal Church Memorial Fund.

The family wishes to express their deepest thanks and gratitude to the staff of Hospice of Midland and Visiting Angels, as well as to the many Midland friends who have offered their love and support.

Services are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home, 801 Andrews Hwy, Midland, Texas 79701 (432-683-5555.

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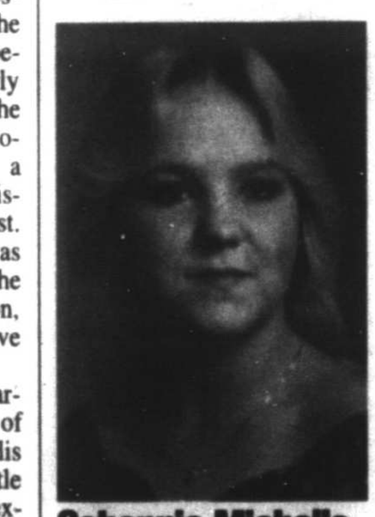

Scherrie Michelle McKaskle

Devoted Wife and Mother

Scherrie Michelle McKaskle, 49, died on Friday, September 9, 2016 at Midland Memorial Hospital with her family and loved ones by her side.

Scherrie was born February 12, 1967 in Odessa Texas to Paul Clifford Wilhite and Mildred Dean Wilhite. She graduated from Midland High School in 1985.

Scherrie loved to go camping, fishing, and traveling. She was a devoted wife and mother, spending many hours homeschooling her children. Scherrie was always putting others before herself and loved unconditionally, no matter what.

Scherrie was survived by her husband of 21 years, Richard McKaskle of Midland; her children, Christopher McKaskle, Autumn Bell, Ethan McKaskle, and Hannah McKaskle, all of Midland, and Brandon McKaskle of North Carolina; her grandmother, Imogene Vines; sisters, Dianna Wakefield, Vanessa Newman, Julie Anne Wilhite Kilgo, Catherine Wilhite Bedley, Linda Wilhite-GA; brother, Paul Wilhite; her mother-in-law, Sandra McKaskle; her brother-in-law, Jay McKaskle; and by many, many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her father, Paul Clifford Wilhite; her mother, Mildred Dean Wilhite; father-in-law, Pete McKaskle; and by her brothers, Johnny Leamon and Larry Leamon.

A visitation will be held at Ellis Funeral Home, Monday, September 12, 2016 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Funeral services will be held at Solid Rock Fellowship, 4601 W. I-20, Midland, TX on Tuesday, September 13, 2016 at 11:00 a.m.

Online condolences may be offered at *ww.ellisfunerals.com*.

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Death Notices

Carolyn Joy Claiborne Dickinson

Carolyn Joy Claiborne Dickinson of Midland passed away on September 9, 2016.

She is survived by her son, Mike Dickinsonn; and by one brother.

Visitation will be held at Ellis Funeral Home from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 14, 2016.

Burial will be at Resthaven Memorial Park at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, September 15, 2016, followed by a Memorial Service at the Chapel at First Baptist Church at 11:00 a.m.

Michael Dwight Sears

Michael Dwight Sears, 77, of Midland, Texas, passed away on Thursday, September 8, 2016, Texas. He is survived by his wife, Delores Sears; and daughter, Susan Drennan.

A viewing will be held on Tuesday, September 13, 2016 between 5:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. at American Heritage Cemetery/Funeral Home/Crematory.

A funeral service will be held on Wednesday, September 14, 2016 at 1:00 p.m. at American Heritage Cemetery/Funeral Home/Crematory, 4100 N. FM-1788, Midland, Texas, 79707, followed immediately by a burial.

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in 2015. She said competing against experienced women at Miss Texas USA will prepare her to participate again.

"I took it as a learning experience," Burns said. "I like to go in with a fresh set of eyes and learn from others. I learned what they were doing well to repeat (it) for future pageants."

Burns had about a month to prepare for Miss Texas USA. She participated in Miss Midland earlier this year but received the crown only a few weeks ago.

"Due to unexpected circumstances, the winner had to back out," said Kelli Burns, a recruiter for Miss Texas USA.

"Ba'Leigh was the first runner up, and she assumed the title and all the responsibilities."

For the past month, the recruiters helped Burns with hair, makeup, modeling and interviewing. Harral said she was excited to coach someone who won an award at Miss Texas USA.

"We're very proud of the job she did," Harral said. "She put her heart and soul in it. I think Midland can be proud of her."

Photos courtesy of Peyton Weigel

Former Midlander Sam Glinsmann, front, hikes in Mount Richmond Forest Park on the South Island in New Zealand. The hike was part of a 77-day wilderness course.

TREK

From 1B

Glinsmann said. "I dreaded going to the grocery store."

Another adjustment was using material goods after learning environmental ethics. Connie Glinsmann said her son abandoned his upscale clothes.

"He left as someone who liked fitted, tailored clothing to someone who shops at Goodwill," she said. "We did quite a few shopping sprees to second-hand stores in Midland."

During his time in Midland, Glinsmann slept in his parents' backyard when weather permitted. He also planted flowers there so other family members would want to spend more time outside.

"It really didn't surprise me," his mother said. "He's always told us he'd be comfortable living in a tent somewhere."

The New Zealand course was a part of National Outdoor Leadership School, which aims to teach participants leadership skills in the wilderness. NOLS offers courses around the world, in time frames ranging from 10 days to a full academic year.

Glinsmann's parents paid for his course as a college graduation gift.

"He discovered when he was young that he thrives on being outdoors — experiencing adventures and traveling," Connie Glinsmann said. "Because of that, he had been asking to go on a NOLS course after college."

Glinsmann graduated from Trinity School in 2011 and Washington University in St. Louis in 2015. When he lived in Midland, he participated in a 10-day hike in the Ozarks with First Presbyterian Church and went on a trip to the Israeli desert. As a high school student, he also played sports and participated in Midland Community Theatre.

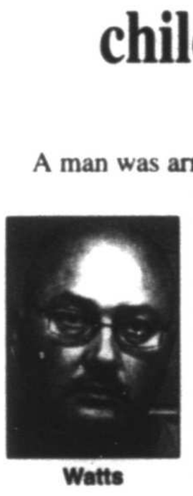
Glinsmann — who now works in Albuquerque, New Mexico — said the New Zealand program helped him to develop a stronger connection to nature.

"It showed me how important it was to be outdoors as often as possible," he said. "On the weekends, I have an opportunity to do backpacking, short camping trips and rock climbing."

Man arrested for alleged child pornography

From staff reports

A man was arrested Thursday after allegedly possessing child pornography, according to court documents.



Watts

John Earl Watts, 45, was being held Saturday on a $75,000 bond for a second-degree felony charge of promotion of child pornography.

The Department of Public Safety's Criminal Investigations Division executed a search warrant Thursday in reference to the distribution of child pornography from a Midland home. Special agents searched electronic devices and found 13 images and 25 videos of child pornography, according to the arrest affidavit.

Watts said he downloaded the child pornography, according to the affidavit. He had previously shared more than 30 child pornography files with an undercover DPS special agent, the document said.

If convicted of the second-degree felony charge, Watts could face up to 20 years imprisonment.

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Midland Crime Stoppers and the Midland Police Department need help locating two suspects involved in an auto theft.

Two suspects broke into a vehicle located in the 3500 block of West Louisiana Avenue at about 2:40 a.m. Aug. 4 and took it for a joy ride. The two suspects used the victim's lost keys to gain access to the vehicle. Both suspects appear to be white males in their early 20s, wearing white shirts, white shorts and white shoes. One of the men has a skull tattoo on his left arm.

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AP file photo

An ocelot kitten is shown in this undated photo. Stalking the thorn scrub in the night, searching for rats, rabbits and lizards, the ocelot — for all its surreptitious nocturnal ways — has nevertheless become an iconic animal in Texas and the world.

Federal recovery plan meant to help rare ocelots in Texas

By Rick Kelley
Valley Morning Star

LOS FRESNOS — Stalking the thorn scrub in the night, searching for rats, rabbits and lizards, the ocelot — for all its surreptitious nocturnal ways — has nevertheless become an iconic animal in Texas and the world.

And now, more than 25 years after it was initiated, ocelot subspecies in Texas and Arizona finally have their own official federal recovery plan.

The Valley Morning Star reported the Ocelot Recovery Plan may be the most in depth federal document ever compiled for an animal species, featuring the work of dozens of scientists and eventually spreading to 237 dense-packed pages on habitat, genetics, population numbers and more.

The fate of that wildcat hunting under the moon very well may depend on what is in those pages.

"It's incredibly exciting for us," said Hilary Swarts, a federal biologist at Laguna Atascosa National Wildlife Refuge who studies ocelots.

"Not only is it the termination of essentially a 25-year-long process, during which tons of information was learned about Texas ocelots, as well as Arizona ocelots, the synthesis is amazing," Swarts added. "This is the most comprehensive plan I've seen."

The plan's assessments of the risks ocelots face are no surprise to anyone who has followed developments surrounding the cats over the years.

Encroachment of human development, habitat loss, highway mortality and concerns about genetic viability are all there.

But maybe, for the first time, a recovery plan for an American subspecies has managed to cross a number of borders to document what is known about ocelots throughout each of the states of Mexico and country-by-country all the way to Argentina, where the ocelot's range in the Americas terminates.

Initially, when the plan was first being formed, it wasn't even exclusively about ocelots. Instead, it was to look at several wildcat species — ocelot, jaguar, jaguarundi — found in Mexico and the United States. By the time it morphed into something exclusively about the ocelot subspecies in Texas, around 2010, the study's authors then were tasked to include the Arizona ocelot subspecies, too. A map of the ocelot's range in Mexico and the United States shows two fingers spreading up the Gulf of Mexico into South Texas in the east, and the coast along the Gulf of California up into Arizona to the west.

Looking smack at the middle of the map, it becomes apparent ocelots have little taste for desert living. The Chihuahuan Desert, which dominates north-central Mexico and also spreads into West Texas and New Mexico, has no resident ocelot population.

Yet, it isn't just geographical space with which the recovery plan is concerned.

It is also about time.

The plan covers 100 years, which is a common frame of reference used by biologists, and it includes a mathematical model of risk analysis for different ocelot populations in the United States and Mexico.

"So if you see all of the population, the chance of extinction in 100 years is not so bad, right?" Swarts said. "Tamaulipas? Not so bad. Willacy? We're starting with a pretty low number, not very promising. Laguna? We're starting with a pretty low number, not very promising.

"You can see in the best-case scenario, we've got 70 years," Swarts said. "And in the worst-case scenario, we've got 15 years."

But "not promising" does not necessarily translate as inevitable.

The most immediate threat to ocelots in Cameron, Willacy and Kenedy counties is highway mortality.

Four ocelots are known to have died under the wheels of vehicles this year, all of them young males. Since June 2015, seven ocelots — six males and a female — have been killed by cars.

Three of the ocelot deaths during the past year occurred on FM 186 in Willacy County; one occurred on Highway 100 in Cameron County; one occurred on FM 2925 just west of Arroyo City; one on I-69 East just inside Kenedy County; and the other ocelot fatality occurred on Buena Vista Road in Cameron County.

To counter these types of ocelot deaths, the Texas Department of Transportation is building a series of eight wildlife underpasses for FM 106 and Buena Vista Road.

Swarts says highway mortality for ocelots essentially is caused by another threat to the cats, which is lack of suitable habitat. Ocelots, unlike their more numerous bobcat cousins, are much more selective when choosing a place to live.

"It would be a boon for creating a safe passageway so they're not getting creamed every time they cross 186" between ocelot populations in Willacy and Cameron counties, Swarts said.

There have been occasional individual ocelots that have moved back and forth between these two population pockets, but safe transits have been rare.

"For me, it's really hard to separate these things out, because ultimately the mortality from vehicles and the loss of genetic diversity are really corollaries of habitat loss," Swarts said. "If it weren't for habitat loss, you wouldn't encounter these problems."

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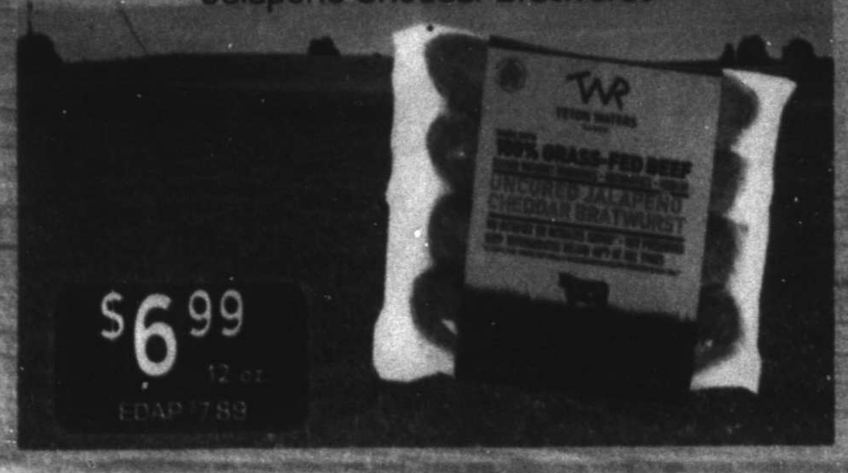

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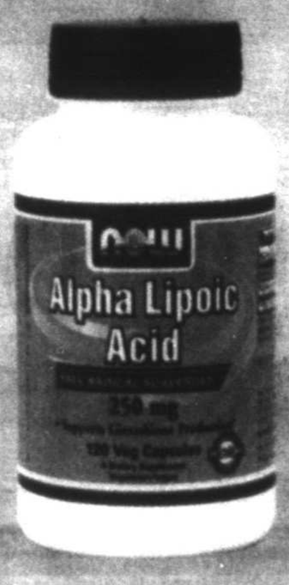

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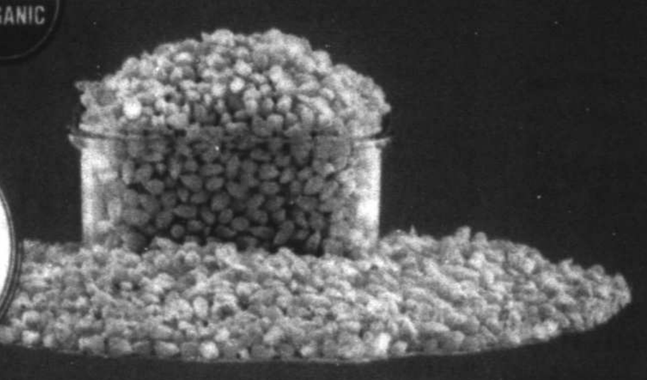

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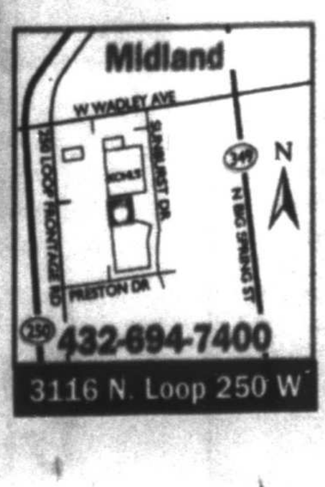

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Houston public housing practices face investigation

Associated Press

HOUSTON — Houston public housing practices have come under federal review amid a dispute involving Mayor Sylvester Turner over where to build a planned $53 million apartment complex.

The city was advised of the investigation in an Aug. 26 letter from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, the Houston Chronicle reported Saturday

Authorities will review whether the city's placement of affordable housing violates the Civil Rights Act, according to the letter to Turner.

Turner, who has opposed a mixed-income 233-unit complex near Houston's affluent Galleria area, last month declined to let the city council vote on whether the Fountain View project could receive tax credit financing, the newspaper reported. The mayor cited "costs and other concerns."

Turner has said he's committed to building affordable housing in neighborhoods with low poverty and access to highly rated schools, but he also wants to revitalize distressed communities.

"The investigation will include a review of the City's practices with respect to the siting of public and affordable housing, including but not necessarily limited to the circumstances under with the City reportedly withheld support for the '2640 Fountain View' housing development," Garry Sweeney, director of the HUD's Fort Worth office, wrote in the letter.

Houston receives federal financial assistance from the agency.

The Fair Housing Act bans discrimination by private and public entities based on race, color, religion, national origin, sex, familial status and disability. The broader Title VI of the Civil Rights Act prohibits recipients of federal funding from discriminating based on race, color or national origin.

Turner said he has not changed his position on the Fountain View since being advised of the investigation.

"Since receiving the letter, I have had a very positive conversation with HUD Secretary (Julian) Castro in which he made it very clear that this is standard procedure," Turner said in a statement. "He indicated to me that HUD would not have an issue with me not deciding to proceed on this particular project, as long as my commitment was to build affordable housing in the city of Houston," the mayor said.

Officers shoot, wound capital murder suspect

Associated Press

SAN ANTONIO — Law officers in San Antonio have critically wounded a capital murder suspect in an exchange of gunfire in a motel parking lot.

Police Chief William McManus said no officers were hurt Saturday morning while trying to arrest a man also wanted on aggravated assault, weapon and drug-related counts.

McManus said the suspect, whose name wasn't immediately released, was spotted packing a vehicle when officers from a fugitive task force approached him.

The police chief said the suspect appeared to be giving up but then he opened fire. Three officers returned fire — a San Antonio police officer, a Bexar (bayr) County sheriff's deputy and an officer with the U.S. Marshals Service.

McManus didn't immediately provide additional information on the suspect, who was hospitalized in critical condition.

Driver safely exits SUV hanging from parking garage

Associated Press

AUSTIN — Bystanders helped rescue an SUV driver after the vehicle plunged off the ninth floor of a Texas parking garage and dangled from the side.

Austin Fire Department Battalion Chief Palmer Buck said the driver later said he was slowly pulling into a parking spot Friday when the SUV would not stop. The vehicle went through some garage safely wire and flipped, but got caught and was left hanging.

Authorities said the safety wire became tangled in a wheel, preventing the SUV from falling several stories to the ground.

Bystanders helped the man unbuckle his seat belt and slipped him out the SUV window — into the garage.

3rd man arrested in gun store owner slaying

Assicuated Press

CORPUS CHRISTI — Corpus Christi police have arrested a third suspect in the fatal shooting of a gun store owner during a holdup.

Nueces County jail records show 28-year-old Jeremiah Jenkins was being held Saturday on a capital murder charge in the slaying of Shooters Depot owner George Koumbis. The business was robbed Sept. 1.

Top Texas court is unlikely source of execution reprieves

By Michael Graczyk
Associated Press

HUNTSVILLE — Texas' highest criminal court has become an unlikely source for a lull in executions this year in the nation's most active death penalty state.

The Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, which historically has been seen as little more than a speed-bump on a condemned inmate's road to the death chamber, in recent weeks has postponed the lethal injections of four inmates whose execution dates were pending. Combined with two similar actions by the court earlier this summer, the six reprieves have led to a more than five-month hiatus in carrying out the death penalty in Texas.

It's the longest pause in lethal injections in Texas in almost nine years and is contributing to a broader slowdown in U.S. executions, which appear set to reach a 25-year low this year.

Although the Texas court's most recent postponements have come in quick succession, there doesn't appear to be a common thread that would suggest an ideological shift on the bench.

"I think the only thing you can attribute to is that there were five judges to stop it," said Judge Elsa Alcala, one of the court's nine members, referring to the majority vote needed in the court rulings. "If you look at the cases, it's not always the same five people. ... If it was the same five people all the time, then you might be able to read something more global into it."

Since Texas carried out its sixth execution of the year in April, the court has stopped two punishments set for June, three in August and one early this month. A federal appeals court halted one execution and lower state courts moved or postponed others. Four inmates are still scheduled to die by the end of the year.

"There's so much more out there to be appealed now than there used to be," said Judge Lawrence Meyers, who has served on the Court of Criminal Appeals for 24 years. "Lawyers are being very innovative. They're just bringing things we didn't see 20 years ago. And we want to be certain about this stuff."

AP file photo

A corrections officer keeps watch outside the Texas Department of Criminal Justice Huntsville Unit on Sept. 21, 2011, in Huntsville, Texas' highest criminal court has become an unlikely source for a lull in executions this year in the nation's most active death penalty state.

In the reprieves granted, one case challenged the use of hypnosis for a witness, another questioned the validity of forensic testimony given in that case and DNA questions surfaced in one appeal. A false testimony claim was raised in one case, allegations of false scientific evidence surfaced in another. The court gave no reason for a halt in the sixth case, an execution that was scheduled for this coming week, although the prisoner's appeal alleged faulty jury instructions.

Many of the cases could be returned to the trial courts for review.

"All I'm saying is let him have his evidentiary hearing," Alcala told The Associated Press. "And I guess that has been a shift in what the court's thought process has been."

A declining number of new death sentences and a plunge in executions nationwide has forced the court to address questions "about the ways Texas has traditionally carried out the death penalty," according to Kathryn Kase, executive director of the Texas Defender Service, a legal organization that represents condemned inmates.

"The chickens have come home to roost about Texas' continued errors with regard to the death penalty — whether it's putting wrong people on death row, innocent people, whether it's prosecutorial misconduct, bad lawyers, overuse of the death penalty against African-Americans," Kase said. "This continued drumbeat has registered with the public, and I think it's registering with the Court of Criminal Appeals."

As the last judicial stop for condemned prisoners in Texas, the appeals court, where judges serve six-year staggered terms, historically has shown little sympathy for condemned inmates. Texas has carried out 537 executions since 1982, which is far more than any other state.

Earlier this year, Alcala took issue with her colleagues for rejecting arguments in an appeal that "evolving standards of decency" show the death penalty should be deemed unconstitutional.

"You can't put me in the category of voting one way or the other," she insisted. "It's horribly difficult. But I am going to make sure the Constitution has been complied with. I don't think the answer is to ignore the law."

She also said she understands why relatives of murder victims would be upset with reprieves, additional hearings or even new trials that further delay or even reverse punishment.

"The answer is not to deprive the defendants of their due process," Alcala said. "I get why they'd be furious. I'd be furious too, I think."

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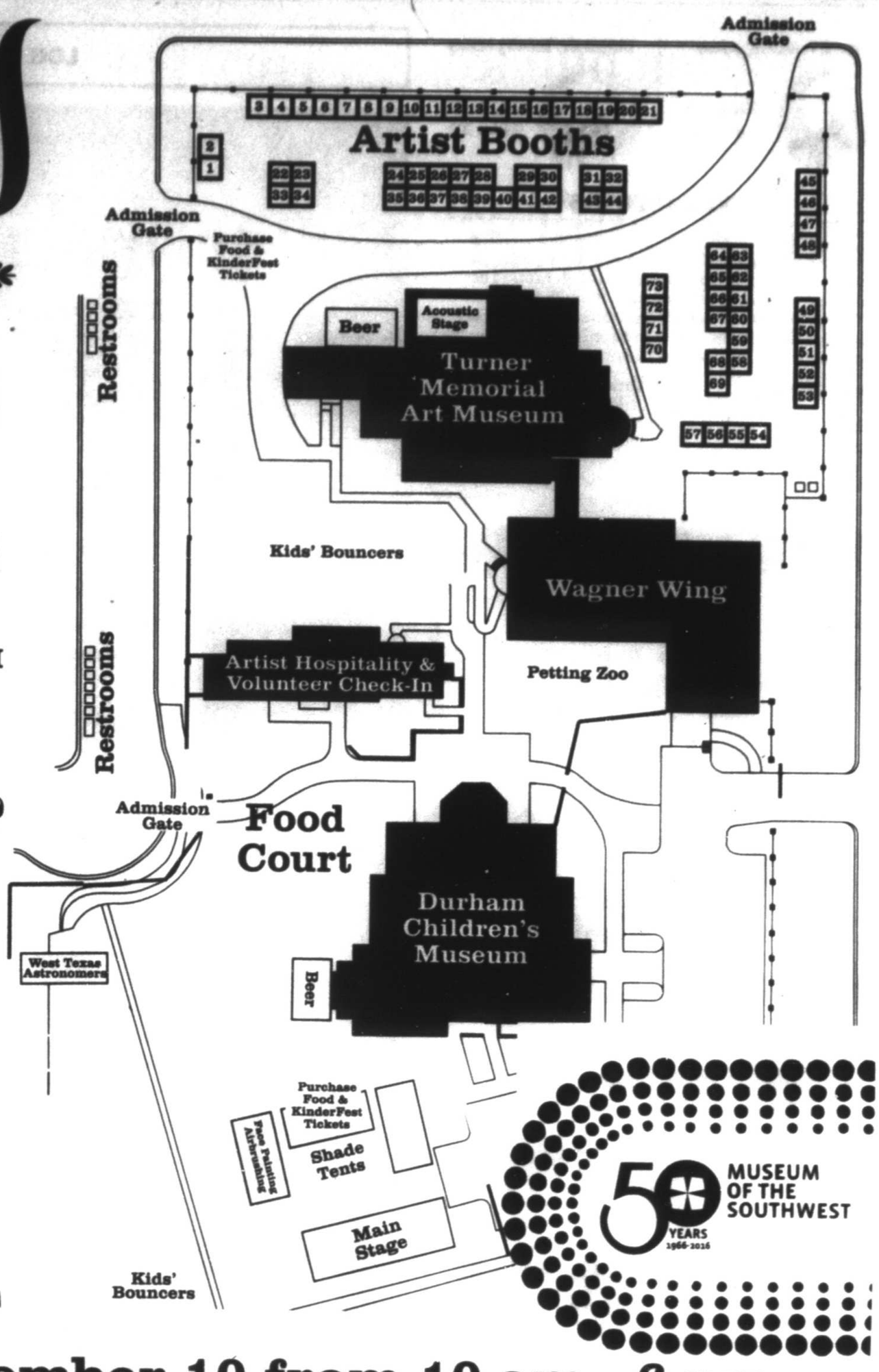

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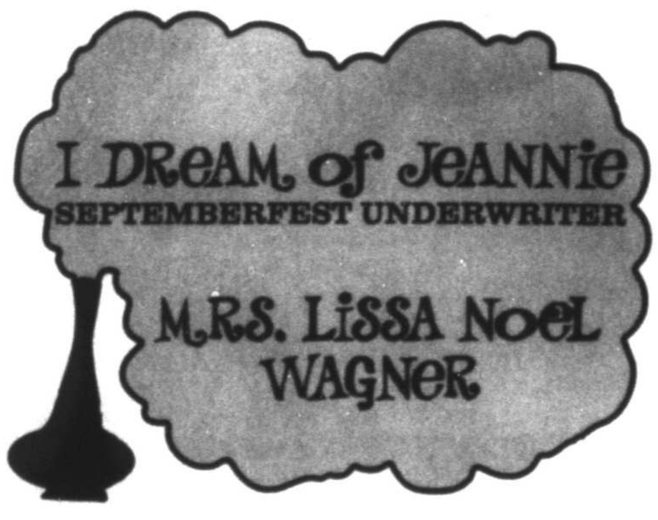

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The record high for Sept. 10 is 101 set in 2000. The record low is 51 set in 1935. On Sept. 10 of last year, the high was 95 and the low was 67.

Precipitation		Saturday's temperatures	
Friday	0.00 in.	High	80
Saturday	0.53 in.	Low	64
Month total	0.85 in.	Normal high	89
Year total	11.19 in.	Normal low	64
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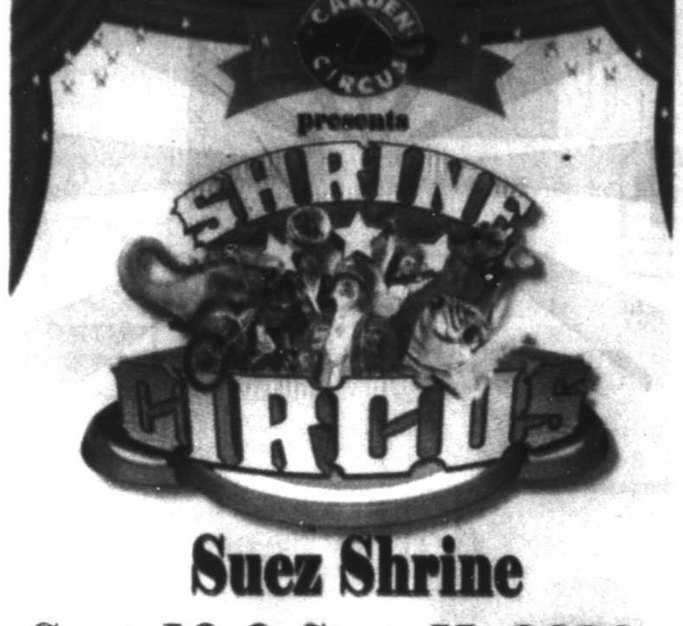

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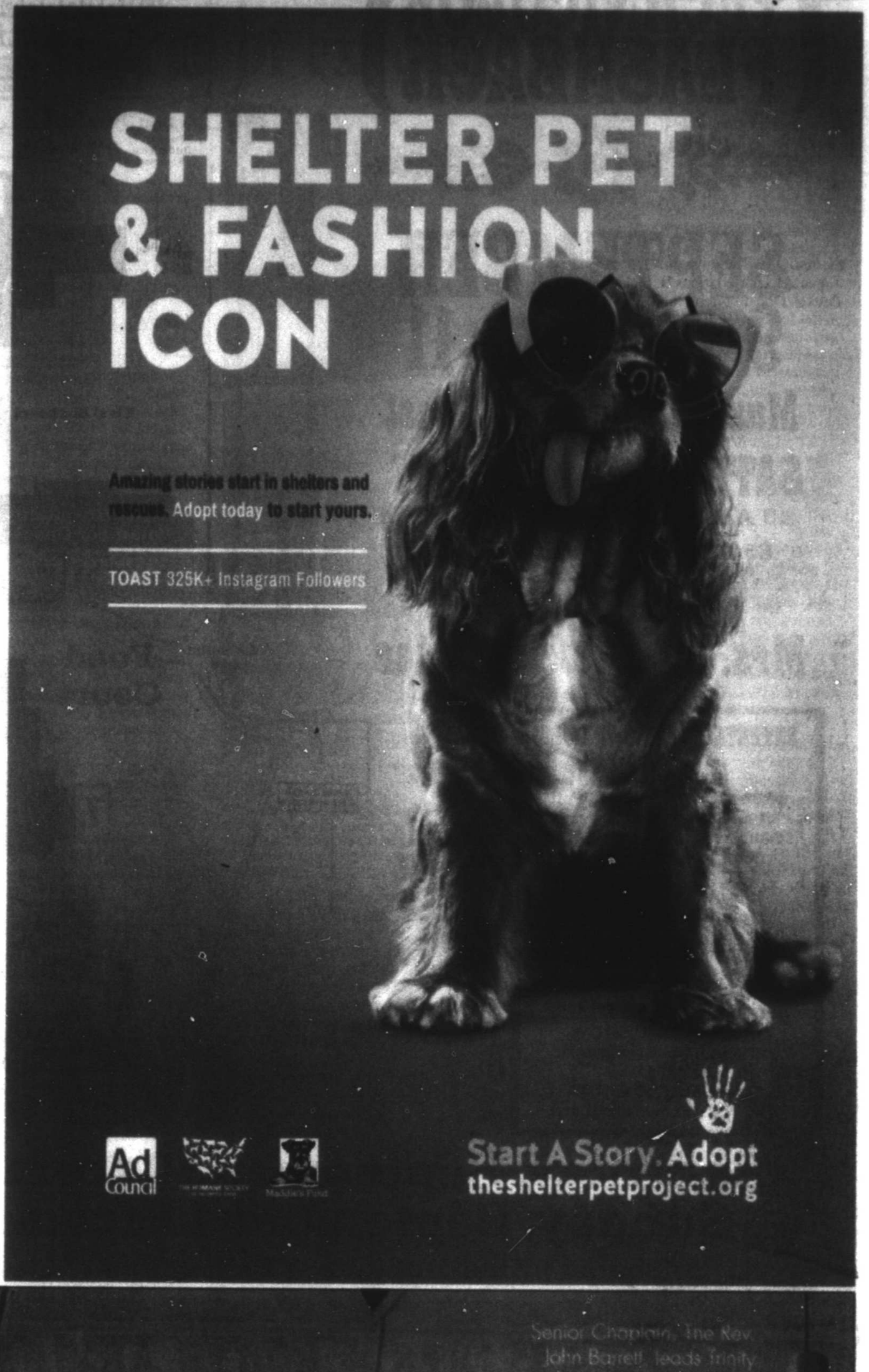

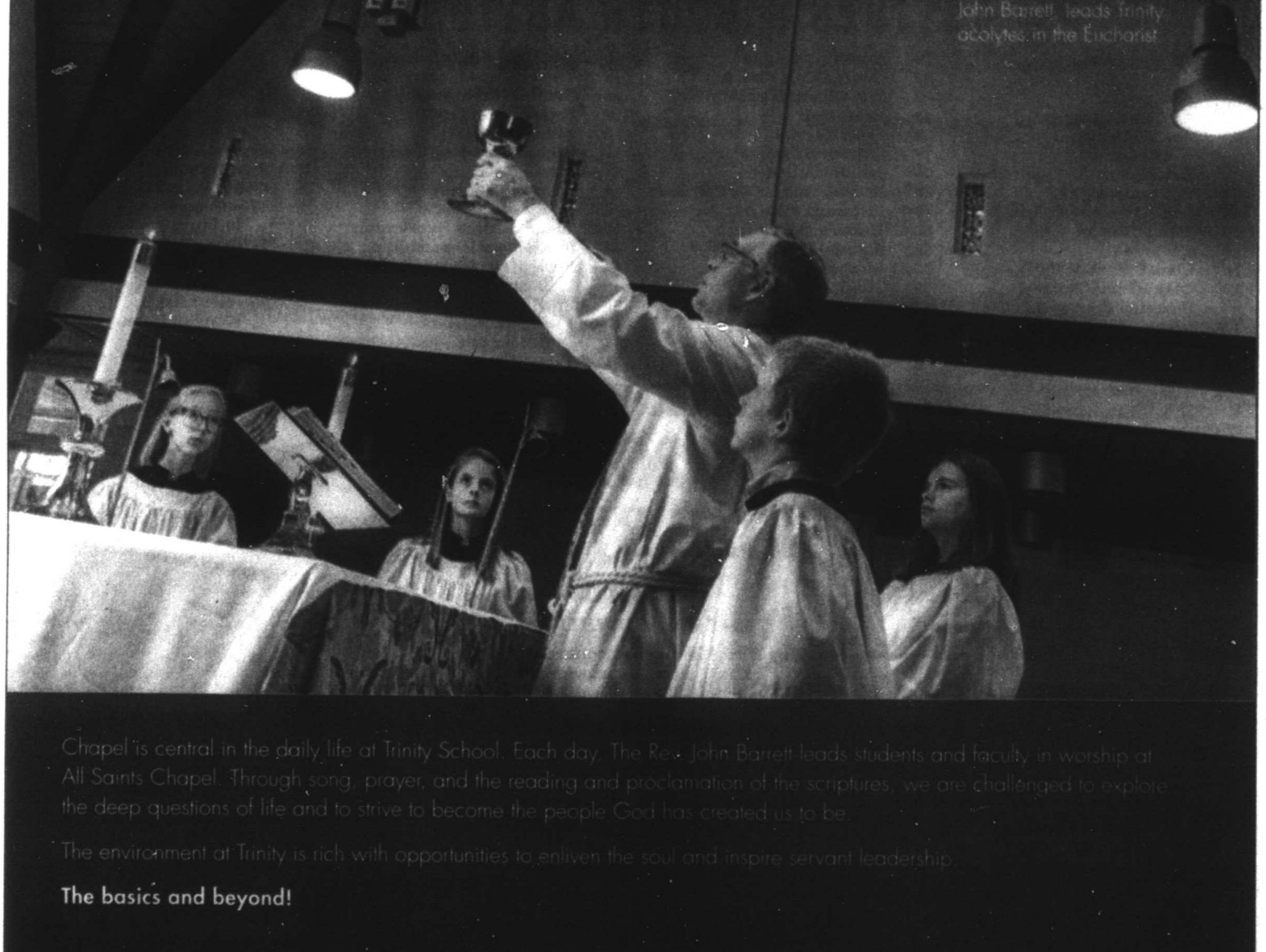

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Barfield, Aztecs too much for Rebels in blowout loss

By Will Korn
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EL PASO — There was no stopping junior quarterback Cedarious Barfield and the El Paso El Dorado offense on Friday night. There was also no end in sight to the Lee defense's gruesome nightmare that began in last Friday's blowout loss at Abilene High.

The Aztecs amassed a whopping 720 yards off offense - 486 in the first half alone - as El Dorado streamrolled the visiting Rebels in a 62-35 rout at Socorro ISD Activities Complex.

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For the second straight week, the explosive play terrorized the Rebels' defense. Of the Aztecs' nine touchdowns on Friday, six came on plays of 30 yards or more, with two of them 75 or more.

Barfield had a hand in eight of the nine scores, as he finished the night completing 20 of his 28 passes for 463 yards, seven touchdown passes, as well as 83 yards and a score on seven carries. Against the Rebels (1-2), Barfield more than doubled his season passing yardage total.

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He said everything fell into place perfectly for he and his teammates right from the opening kickoff.

"From the beginning, our (offensive) line, our skill (players) came together," said Barfield, who also caught a 76-yard touchdown pass from receiver Jorge Hernandez on a Trojan Horse play in the first quarter. "From the beginning I knew we were going to be very good.

"Midland Lee, they're a very good program. But we worked hard in practice and we were going to come out."

The Rebels were held to just seven points in the first half, but managed a much more encouraging 28 points in the final 24 minutes. Still, Lee head coach Clint Hartman said his defense is just giving up too many big plays of late.

"You're not going to win many games giving us as many big plays as we are," said Hartman of his defense, which has now allowed 110 points and 10 scoring plays of 30

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Going for a three-peat

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

RockHounds manager Ryan Christenson is doused with champagvne after clinching the Texas League Division playoff series in four games against Corpus Christi on Saturday at Security Bank Ballpark.

RockHounds punch ticket to TLCS, beat Hooks

By Christopher Hadorn
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The Midland RockHounds will have a chance to accomplish a feat that hasn't happened in 89 years.

On Saturday at Security Bank Ballpark, the RockHounds upended the Corpus Christi Hooks, 5-2, in Game 4 of the Texas League South Division Championship Series to take the best-of-five series, 3-1.

With the bases loaded and two out, Midland reliever Jake Sanchez struck out Corpus Christi's Garrett Stubbs to send the RockHounds to the Texas League Championship Series for the third straight year.

In a rematch of last year's title series, Midland will visit Northwest Arkansas in Game 1 of the best-of-five Texas League Championship Series, 7 p.m. Tuesday at Arvest Ballpark in Springdale.

The RockHounds will try to become the first team to win three straight Texas League titles since Fort Worth accomplished the feat by winning six consecutive championships between 1920-25. Additionally, Midland is the first team to play in three consecutive Texas League Championship Series since Wichita went from 1998-2000.

In Saturday's clinching game, RockHounds starting pitcher Brandon Mann did most of the heavy lifting by tossing 6 1/3 shutout innings of four-hit ball.

Mann, a 32-year-old journeyman who has played in Independent baseball and in Japan, tossed 63 of 99 pitches for strikes, while striking out six and walking two.

In the third inning, the Hooks threatened Mann with a bases loaded situation with two out, but the left-hander was able to escape trouble by getting Nick Tanielu to ground out into a force out.

Prior to the ground out, Mann said that Midland pitching coach John Wasdin came out to the mound and told him to throw his best pitch, which is a hybrid between a slider and a cutter. After that point, Mann retired nine of his next 10 batters he faced before being pulled in the seventh.

"I just went to bed so excited to come out today," Mann said. "I knew the momentum was in our favor. I knew it was on me to make a statement. I was very happy to have the opportunity to pitch tonight.

"I haven't been in the playoffs with a team or an organization since 2006 so to be back here and get the chance to pitch in this game, meant a lot."

The RockHounds jumped out to a 3-0 lead by scoring three runs in the second, highlighted by Yairo Munoz's RBI double that plated Tyler Marincov. Midland added two more runs in the fifth, as Tyler Marincov clubbed a run-scoring double and Viosergy Rosa brought home another run with a RBI ground out.

Trailing 5-1, the Hooks made things interesting in the ninth as Tanielu led off the frame with a double and pinch-hitter Conrad Gregor followed with a single.

Following a two-out walk by Bobby Boyd, Drew Ferguson hit an infield RBI single, closing Midland's lead to 5-2 before Sanchez ended the series with whiff.

"That team over there, they never go away, even in the ninth inning, going in with a four-run lead," RockHounds manager Ryan Christenson said. "I knew they were going to be coming

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Debut day: Dallas' Prescott, Elliott, Giants' McAdoo

By Schuyler Dixon
Associated Press

ARLINGTON — Dak Prescott and Ezekiel Elliott are set to be the first rookie quarterback-running back combo to start an opener for the Dallas Cowboys since Roger Staubach and Calvin Hill nearly 50 years ago.

There will be a sense of anticipation on the New York sideline as well Sunday when the Giants visit the Cowboys. It's the debut of coach Ben McAdoo following a 12-year run under Tom Coughlin that included two Super Bowl titles.

"If you don't get a little anxious to go play and go coach, you probably have to find something else to do," said McAdoo , the team's offensive coordinator the past two seasons. "I think that's normal, that's healthy."

Prescott, the fourth-round pick suddenly starting because of injuries to Tony Romo (broken back) and Kellen Moore (broken ankle), and Elliott aren't the type to admit to nerves.

But they also understand the significance of something that hasn't happened since 1969 with one the NFL's storied

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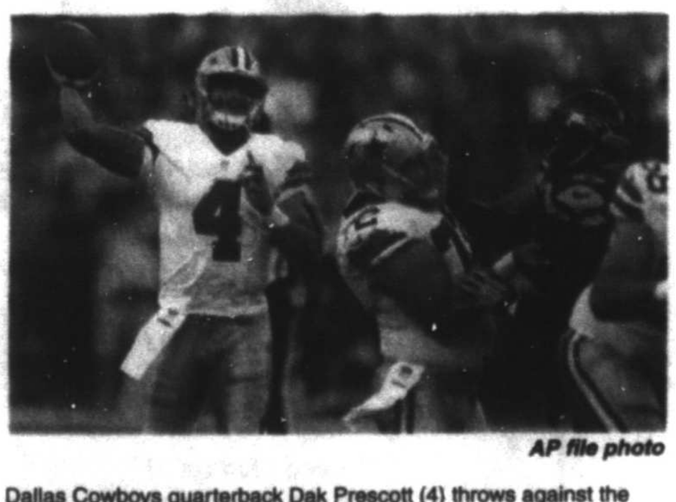
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Dallas Cowboys quarterback Dak Prescott (4) throws against the Seattle Seahawks in the first half of a preseason NFL game Aug. 25 in Seattle. Prescott and Ezekiel Elliott are set to be the first quarterback-running back rookie combo to start for the Dallas Cowboys since Roger Staubach and Calvin Hill nearly 50 years ago, when the Cowboys host the New York Giants on Sunday.

UTPB improves to 2-0 after comeback win vs. Arizona Christian

Joshua Perry
Odessa American

ODESSA — For the first time in its short history, the UTPB football trailed in a game

But the Falcons used a few key plays on defense and special teams to turn the momentum in their favor and eventually knock off Arizona Christian 49-34 on Saturday at Ratliff Stadium.

Trailing 6-0, linebacker Chris Hoad stripped the Firestorm runner and returned the fumble 30 yards for a touchdown with 3:23 left in the half.

"Coach made a great adjustment on the sideline and put me in the right position," Hoad said. "The running back had been carrying the ball pretty loose, so I went for it and luckily enough, I came up with it and took it all the way."

Arizona Christian marched down the field to answer the Falcons' score, but UTPB struck right back with an 18-yard pass from Kameron Mathis to Jake Anglin to put the Falcons back in front.

UTPB (2-0) took all the momentum into the locker room after Cameron Hurd blocked a field goal try by the Firestorm. The ball bounced around before Erin Mack secured it and returned it for a 40-yard score to give the Falcons a 21-12 lead as time expired in the second quarter.

The defense put the Falcons in good position to start the second half as well. Midland High grad Emilio Solis recovered a fumble on the Firestorm's first possession, giving the Falcons the ball on the Arizona Christian 20-yard line. Brandon Infiesto punched in a 2-yard run to stretch the Falcons' lead to 16 a few plays later.

From there, the offense took over

Mathis threw two more touchdown passes to go with 368 yards through the air.

"It was lot more comfortable coming out and knowing what to expect," Mathis said. "You're not playing in your first college game. All across the board, 99 percent of our guys hadn't played. I think we were a lot more focused. Last week, we might have got caught up in the first game ever stuff. This week, we just came out and played."

The Firestorm (0-1) kept within striking distance after trailing in the third quarter by 17 points.

Arizona Christian hit a few long touchdowns, including a 67-yard run by Justin Carroll with 5:49 left in the contest to cut UTPB's lead to 42-34. The Firestorm, however, never closed the gap further.

Wink High School graduate Jordan Williams capped the scoring for the Falcons with a 1-yard touchdown plunge in the final minute.

UTPB will now turn its sights to Lone Star Conference action where West Texas A&M await in a game that will be shown live on ESPN3.

"Right now, we need to regroup and try to improve on what we do," UTPB head coach Justin Carrigan said. "We've got to get better just with our own schemes, and make sure we're improving every day."

Ross D. Franklin/Associated Press

After making a catch, Texas Tech's Derrick Willies, left, cuts past Arizona State's Tyler Whiteyon his way to a touchdown during the first half of an NCAA game Saturday in Tempe, Ariz. The game was in progress at press time

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Major League Baseball
Baltimore at Detroit, Noon, TBS
Texas at LA Angels, 2:30 p.m., FSSW
Chicago Cubs at Houston, 7 p.m., ESPN, ESPNDEP

Men's Soccer
Premier League: Swansea City vs. Chelsea, 10 a.m., NBCSN, TELE
MLS: New York Red Bulls vs. DC United, Noon, ESPN, ESPNDEP
MLS: LA Galaxy vs. Orlando City SC, 6 p.m., FS1, FXDEP

Motorsports
MotoAmerica: Yamaha Superbike Challenge of New Jersey, 11 a.m., beIN

National Football League
Cincinnati at NY Jets, Noon, CBS
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Swimming, Track & Field, Wheelchair Basketball, 6 p.m., NBCSN

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Premiership: Exeter vs. Saracens, 1 p.m., NBCSN

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US Open, Men's Final, 3 p.m., ESPN, ESPNDEP

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NWSL: Houston Dash vs. Boston Breakers, 6 p.m., ROOT
NCAA: LSU vs. Texas A&M, 6 p.m., SEC
NWSL: Portland Thorns FC vs. Western New York Flash, 8:30 p.m., FS1

RADIO

Major League Baseball
Texas at LA Angels, 2:30 p.m., KPET 105.1 FM/690 AM (Lamesa), KBST 1490 AM (Big Spring)
Chicago Cubs at Houston, 7 p.m., KBYG 106.1 FM/1400 AM (Big Spring)

National Football League
Chicago at Houston, Noon, KCRS 97.5 FM/550 AM, KBYG 106.1 FM/1400 AM (Big Spring)
NY Giants at Dallas, 3:25 p.m., KQRX 95.1 FM, KBEST 95.7 FM (Big Spring), KTXC 104.7 FM (Esp)

Texas League Baseball
Corpus Christi at Midland, 7 p.m., KCRS 97.5 FM/550 AM

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
American League
CLEVELAND INDIANS — Recalled RHP Austin Adams from Columbus (IL).
SEATTLE MARINERS — Activated RHP Tom Wilhelmsen from the 15-day DL.
National League
LOS ANGELES DODGERS — Reinstated OF Andre Ethier from the 60-day DL.
Atlantic League
LONG ISLAND DUCKS — Activated RHP Nick Struck and LHP Daniel Herrera. Placed RHPs John Brownell and Bobby Blevins on the inactive list.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
DETROIT LIONS — Released LB Josh Bynes from injured reserve.
KANSAS CITY CHIEFS — Released LB Dezman Moses.

BMW CHAMPIONSHIP SCORES

Saturday
At Crooked Stick CC
Carmel, Ind.
Purse: $8.5 million
Yardage: 7,316; Par: 72
Third Round

Dustin Johnson	67-63-68—198
Paul Casey	67-66-68—201
J.B. Holmes	69-65-68—202
Roberto Castro	65-65-74—204
Adam Scott	69-69-67—205
Matt Kuchar	68-69-68—205
Ryan Palmer	73-64-69—206
Chris Kirk	68-66-73—207
Billy Horschel	73-68-67—208
Jordan Spieth	68-72-68—208
Hideki Matsuyama	68-71-69—208
Russell Knox	71-69-69—209
William McGirt	67-73-69—209
Brian Harman	66-72-71—209
Daniel Berger	70-68-71—209
Kevin Na	69-68-72—209
Jamie Lovemark	72-69-69—210
James Hahn	69-71-70—210
Si Woo Kim	71-68-71—210
Bubba Watson	71-67-72—210
Jon Curran	69-71-71—211
Jhonattan Vegas	69-72-70—211
Patrick Reed	70-70-71—211
Jason Day	73-67-71—211
Jason Kokrak	69-70-72—211
Smylie Kaufman	70-71-71—212
Phil Mickelson	68-73-71—212
David Hearn	67-73-72—212
Vaughn Taylor	71-70-71—212
Luke Donald	69-73-70—212
Jim Herman	69-71-72—212
Charl Schwartzel	70-70-72—212
Brandt Snedeker	72-71-69—212
Bill Haas	73-72-67—212
Emiliano Grillo	73-68-72—213
Rory McIlroy	68-72-73—213
Graeme McDowell	73-67-73—213
Branden Grace	73-70-70—213
Jimmy Walker	74-69-70—213
Sergio Garcia	69-68-76—213
Zach Johnson	73-69-72—214
Billy Hurley III	70-7[illegible]—214
Louis Oosthuizen	71-69-74—214
Scott Piercy	73-70-71—214
Jason Dufner	67-72-75—214
Justin Rose	74-70-70—214
Hudson Swafford	73-72-69—214
Sean O'Hair	75-66-74—215
Charley Hoffman	69-71-75—215
Justin Thomas	71-71-73—215
Harris English	71-69-75—215
Kyle Reifers	73-72-70—215
Fabian Gomez	68-71-76—215
Gary Woodland	71-74-70—215
Brooks Koepka	68-72-76—216
Kevin Streelman	72-70-74—216
Aaron Baddeley	71-71-74—216
Kevin Chappell	75-71-70—216
Kevin Kisner	70-73-74—217
Rickie Fowler	75-71-71—217
Tony Finau	75-72-70—217
Brian Stuard	75-70-73—218
Ryan Moore	73-74-71—218
Charles Howell III	69-72-78—219
David Lingmerth	75-70-74—219
Marc Leishman	74-75-71—220
Brendan Steele	72-70-79—221
Daniel Summerhays	77-69-76—222
Ben Martin	75-73-74—222

XFINITY-VIRGINIA 529 COLLEGE SAVINGS 250 RESULTS

Friday
At Richmond International Raceway
Richmond, Va.
Lap length: .75 miles
(Starting position in parentheses)

1 (7) Kyle Busch, Toyota, 250.
2 (4) Erik Jones, Toyota, 250.
3 (6) Brad Keselowski, Ford, 250.
4 (8) Elliott Sadler, Chevrolet, 250.
5 (3) Justin Allgaier, Chevrolet, 250.
6 (18) Ty Dillon, Chevrolet, 250.
7 (1) Austin Dillon, Chevrolet, 250.
8 (10) Daniel Suarez, Toyota, 250.
9 (2) Alex Bowman, Chevrolet, 250.
10 (31) Brennan Poole, Chevrolet, 250.
11 (17) Ryan Reed, Ford, 250.
12 (14) Darrell Wallace, Jr., Ford, 249
13 (11) Gray Gaulding, Ford, 248
14 (19) Ryan Sieg, Chevrolet, 248
15 (5) Blake Koch, Chevrolet, 248
16 (9) Dakoda Armstrong, Toyota, 247
17 (12) Jeremy Clements, Chevrolet, 247
18 (20) Brendan Gaughan, Chevrolet, 247
19 (13) Jeb Burton, Ford, 247
20 (23) JJ Yeley, Toyota, 246
21 (27) David Starr, Chevrolet, 246
22 (25) Justin Marks, Chevrolet, 246
23 (33) Brandon Jones, Chevrolet, 245
24 (15) Ross Chastain, Chevrolet, 245
25 (29) Ray Black, Jr., Chevrolet, 245
26 (16) Ryan Preece, Chevrolet, 244
27 (22) Joey Gase, Chevrolet, 244
28 (21) Hermie Sadler III, Toyota, 244
29 (26) Brandon Brown, Chevrolet, 243
30 (28) Clint King, Ford, 243
31 (32) Garrett Smithley, Chevrolet, 243
32 (39) BJ McLeod, Ford, 239
33 (34) Mario Gosselin, Chevrolet, 238
34 (35) Derrike Cope, Chevrolet, 236.
35 (36) Brandon Hightower, Dodge, 235.
36 (38) Alli Owens, Chevrolet, Clutch, 156.
37 (40) Austin Theriault, Chevrolet, Overheating, 64.
38 (37) Mike Harmon, Dodge, Oil Leak, 51.
39 (30) Timmy Hill, Dodge, Electrical, 21
40. (24) Matt DiBenedetto, Toyota, Vibration, 4.

Average Speed of Race Winner: 103.687 mph.
Time of Race: 1 Hrs, 48 Mins, 30 Secs.
Margin of Victory: 6.453 Seconds.
Caution Flags: 2 for 14 laps.
Lead Changes: 3 among 3 drivers.
Lap Leaders: A. Dillon 1-61; K. Busch 52-157; E. Jones 158-159; K. Busch 160-250.
Leaders Summary (Driver,Times Lead, Laps Led): K. Busch 2 times for 197 laps; A. Dillon 1 time for 51 laps; E. Jones 1 time for 2 laps.
Top 10 in Points: E. Sadler - 852; D. Suarez - 794; J. Allgaier - 786; T. Dillon - 777; B. Gaughan - 755; E. Jones - 753; B. Poole - 736; B. Jones - 702; D. Wallace, Jr. - 659; R. Reed - 626.

Sept. 13
At Robinson Rancheria Resort & Casino, Nice, Calif. (FS1), Eddie Ramirez vs. Kevin Watts, 10, junior welterweights.

Sept. 15
At 2300 Arena, Philadelphia (CBSSN), Dusty Hernandez-Harrison vs. Thomas LaManna, 10, welterweights.

Sept. 16
At Osaka, Japan, Shinsuke Yamanaka vs. Anselmo Moreno, 12, for Yamanaka's WBC World bantamweight title; Hugo Ruiz vs. Hozumi Hasegawa, 12, for Ruiz's WBC World super bantamweight title.

Sept. 17
At AT&T Stadium, Arlington, Texas (PPV), Liam Smith vs. Canelo Alvarez, 12, for Smith's WBO junior middleweight title; Willie Monroe, Jr. vs. Gabriel Rosado, 12, middleweights; Joseph Diaz vs. Andrew Cancio, 10, for Diaz's NABF featherweight title; Diego De La Hoya vs. Luis Orlando Del Valle, 10, super bantamweights.

Sept. 23
At Buffalo Run Casino, Miami, Okla. (SHO), Radivoje Kalajdzic vs. Travis Peterkin, 10, light heavyweights; Ivan Baranchyk vs. Wang Zhimin, 10, for the vacant USBA super lightweight title.

Action-packed high school football has been exhausting

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We've only gone through three weeks of the high school football season, and I'm already exhausted.

Just watching some of the video game-like scores in recent weeks might explain why.

And we've had plenty of heart-stoppers along the way.

What a great showing by Midland High on Friday night. The Bulldogs went toe-to-toe with No. 2-ranked DeSoto and almost pulled out one of the biggest wins in the program's history. Eventually, like all good teams do, DeSoto found a way to win and escape Midland with a 49-43 victory.

First of all, give credit to DeSoto for making the trip out here. There are plenty of highly-regarded teams that won't and would shy away from making the long trip out to West Texas. Most of the time when Metroplex teams have to travel out here, all you hear is whining and moaning and stuff like, "It's too far!" DeSoto embraced that challenged and the long trip.

Give credit to the Bulldogs, not only because they gave it everything they had, but also had the backbone to schedule a state powerhouse.

Like sports writer Christopher Hadorn wrote in his game story in Saturday's edition, MHS showed that West Texas is still capable of playing with the very best the state has to offer.

Now, the next step is for one of our programs to get that defining win against the state's best.

■ Today's high-flying, fast-paced offenses tend to give statisticians nightmares.

Just imagine what it was like to keep track of Andrews' 77-76 overtime victory over Levelland.

There was more than 1,300 yards of offense combined and Levelland quarterback Nick Gerber threw for 571 yards and nine touchdowns in a losing effort.

What a win for the Mustangs, who were uncharacteristically held to 28 points the week before in a win over Lubbock High, as the Westerners tried to hold on to the ball as much as possible.

Levelland wasn't about to hold on to anything and neither was Andrews, thus you had the wild shootout.

■ It's safe to say that this is the leading candidate for game of the year.

Andrews is not the only MRT area team that is looking good early in the year. Keep an eye out for Greenwood, Forsan and Garden City as well, as all three teams remain undefeated.

■ It's the opening weekend of the NFL, which I know makes a lot of folks happy.

Personally, I'm already uncomfortable with the NFL season as the Cowboys are forced to start a rookie at quarterback after yet another injury to Tony Romo.

Considering I don't play fantasy anything or get glued to the TV every time an NFL game is on, the Cowboys are really the only thing I worry about during the NFL season. That should alleviate my stress but it doesn't and hasn't for the last 20 years.

With Romo out until who knows when and a defense, which may lack a pass rush for a few weeks because of suspensions, there are a lot of questions surrounding the 'Boys.

Oh well, it could be worse. I could a Jacksonville Jaguars fans.

■ And finally, today marks the 15th anniversary of the September 11 attacks, which none of us will ever forget.

It was a scary time in our country, but probably sports, more than anything else, helped the nation heal and get back to normality.

Enjoy the first full weekend of the NFL, and I, along with many of you, will try not to stress out or scream at the TV screen and hope we all keep things in perspective.

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Lady Chaps go 3-1 at OC Invitational

From staff reports

ODESSA — The Midland College volleyball team went 3-1 over the weekend at the Odessa College Invitational.

The Lady Chaparrals defeated Vernon College (3-2), Cedar Valley Community College (3-1) on Friday, then on Saturday lost to Seward County Community College (3-1) and defeated Garden City Community College (3-0).

No other information was available from Saturday's matches.

MC (5-8) returns to Western Junior College Athletic Conference play at 7 p.m. Wednesday when it plays Clarendon College in its first home match of the season.

Saturday's results
SEWARD COUNTY CC DEF. MIDLAND COLLEGE 25-16, 19-25, 25-15, 25-19
Kills — Breann Schreiber 10, Luisa Nieto 6, Dana Lohrke 6, Ashley Van Fleet 4, Cali Barger 3, Kristen Johnson 3, Bailey Wright 2, Malu Dib 1
Digs — Lauren Hermes 9, Schreiber 7, Neida Grau 6, Dib 6, Wright 4, Van Fleet 3, Barger 2
Assists — Grau 16, Wright 14, Hermes 2
Blocks — Nieto 2.5
Aces — Nieto 4, Lohrke 2, Grau 1, Schreiber 1

MIDLAND COLLEGE DEF. GARDEN CITY CC 25-11, 25-18, 25-19
Kills — Shreiber 8, Van Fleet 7, Lohrke 5, Nieto 4, Johnson 4, Grau 1, Dib 2, Ashley VanGlesson 1, Wright 1
Digs — Dib 5, Schreiber 5, Grau 4, Hermes 3, Nieto 1, Wright 1
Assists — Grau 18, Wright 13
Blocks — Schreiber 1, Lohrke 1, Nieto 0.5, Johnson 0.5
Aces — Nieto 4, Grau 2, Wright 2, Dib 1

Friday's Late Results
MIDLAND COLLEGE DEF. VERNON COLLEGE 21-25, 25-22, 22-25, 25-21, 15-13
Kills — Breann Schreiber 14, Dana Lohrke 14, Malu Dib 12, Luisa Nieto 9, Kristen Johnson 4, Ashley VanGlesson 4, Lauren Hermes 3, Bailey Wright 1
Digs — Hermes 10, Dib 6, VanGlesson 6, Schreiber 5, Neida Grau 4, Wright 3, Lohrke 2, Nieto 1
Assists — Grau 25, Wright 16, Gina Salgado 5, Lohrke 2, Dib 1, Hermes 1
Blocks — Johnson 2.5, Lohrke 2, Nieto 1, Dib 0.5
Aces — Dib 5, Grau 3, Wright 2, Lohrke 1, Nieto 1

MIDLAND COLLEGE DEF. CEDAR VALLEY CC 25-18, 22-25, 25-6, 25-19
Kills — Dib 13, Nieto 8, Schreiber 6, Lohrke 6, Cali Barger 4, Ashley Van Fleet 2, Johnson 1, Grau 1
Digs — Grau 5, Schreiber 5, Hermes 5, Dib 3, Johnson 2, Wright 2, Lohrke 1, Van Fleet 1
Assists — Grau 14, Wright 9, Salgado 9, Hermes 2
Blocks — Nieto 3.5, Schreiber 2.5, Lohrke 2, Dib 1.5
Aces — Dib 4, Schreiber 3, Grau 2, Wright 2, Nieto 1
Record: Midland College 5-8

HS VOLLEYBALL ROUNDUP

MCA BEATS LUBBOCK TITANS

The Midland Classical Academy volleyball team defeated the Lubbock Titans 25-21, 23-25, 25-20, 25-21 in a non-district match at MCA on Saturday.

Jenny Coco had 13 kills and 20 digs; Lizabelle Russell had 13 kills; Allison Shelby had 31 digs and Micaela McDougal had 22 assists.

MCA DEF. LUBBOCK TITANS 25-21, 23-25, 25-20, 25-21
MCA statistics
Kills: Jenny Coco 13, Lizabelle Russell 13, Andie Sheppard 12, Elleri Haest 2, Hallie Stokes 2, Allison Shelby 1, Camie Stokes 1
Assists: Micaela McDougal 22, Coco 17, Russell 1, C. Stokes 1
Digs: Shelby 31, Coco 20, Sheppard 6, Delanie Griffin 5, McDougal 5, Ally Scott 4, Russell 3, Haest 2, Bekah Jones 2
Blocks: Russell 14, Haest 5, H. Stokes 5, C. Stokes 4, Sheppard 2
Aces: Russell 2, Coco 1
Next: Water Valley at MCA, 6 p.m. Sept. 20

MCS OPENS DISTRICT WITH 5-SET VICTORY

FORT WORTH — The No. 5-ranked Midland Christian volleyball team opened TAPPS 1-5A play Friday night with a 25-19, 25-27, 18-25, 25-9, 20-18 victory over Fort Worth Southwest Christian.

Megan Ashton had 16 kills, 26 digs and three aces; Kenzie Pullen had 16 kills and 30 digs; Shayla Ellison had 14 kills and 5.5 blocks; Savana Walker had 43 assists; and Sydney Wilson had 28 digs for the Lady Mustangs (18-5, 1-0).

MCS DEF. FW SOUTHWEST CHRISTIAN 25-19, 25-27, 18-25, 25-9, 20-18
Midland Christian statistics
Kills — Megan Ashton 16, Kenzie Pullen 16, Shayla Ellison 14, Megan Thomason 7, Savana Walker 3, Lauren Danley 3
Assists — Walker 43, Ashton 3, Pullen 1, Whitney Newman 1
Digs — Pullen 30, Sydney Wilson 28, Ashton 2e, Newman 12, Thomason 3, Ellison 2
Blocks — Ellison 5.5, Ashton 4.5, Danley 3.0, Walker 1.5, Pullen 1.0
Aces — Ashton 3, Ellison 2, Newman 1, Walker 1, Wilson 1
Record: Midland Christian 18-5, 1-0
Next: Kermit at Midland Christian, 7 p.m.

HIGH SCHOOL TENNIS AND CROSS COUNTRY ROUNDUP

Tennis

MHS FALLS TO TASCOSA

The Midland High tennis team fell 10-9 to No. 3-ranked Amarillo Tascosa in a the District 2-6A opener at MHS on Saturday.

Tascosa took six of nine boys matches and mixed doubles, while MHS took six of the nine girls matches.

AMARILLO TASCOSA 10, MIDLAND HIGH 9
Tascosa winners listed first unless otherwise noted
Boys singles
1. Avery Zavala def. Nick Martinez, 6-1, 6-1. 2. Diego Martinez, MHS, def. Ty Smith, 6-3, 6-4. 3. Cole Carriger, MHS, def. Aaron Mendoza, 7-6 (7), 6-2. 4. Jay Jaber def. Jad Rogers, 7-5, 6-1; 5. Chase Teeple def. Travis Andrews, 6-2, 6-1; 6. Cole Friemel def. Hunt Ford, 6-2, 3-6, (10-7)
Boys doubles
1. Zavala-Smith def. Martinez-Rogers, 6-2, 6-4; 2. Teeple-Jaber def. Carriger-Hord, 6-3, 7-6 (5); 3. Ware-Andrews, MHS, def. Friemel-Izzard, 6-2, 3-6, (10-1)
Girls singles
1. Kate Daugherty, MHS def. Rebecca Ritchie, 6-0, 6-2; 2. Allsion Stewart, MHS, def. Evelyn Bruton, 6-0, 6-1; 3. Sabrina Ritchie def. Sofia Salcedo, 6-4, 6-4; 4. Anna Parkinson, MHS, def. Addie Irwin, 1-6, 7-5, (10-7); 5. Jaid Webb def. Ellie Hord, 7-5, 6-2; 6. Shaquita, Sarapao, MHS, def. Caroline Bush, 6-7, 6-3, (7)
Girls doubles
1. Daugherty-Stewart, MHS, def. Ritchie-Bruton, 6-1, 6-4; 2. Irwin-Webb def. Parkison-Hord, 4-6, 6-3, (10-8); 3. Courtney-Sarapao, MHS, def. Aragon-Gilbreth, 7-6, 7-5
Mixed doubles
Mendoza-Ritchie def. Martinez-Salcedo, 5-7, 6-2, (10-3)

Cross Country
ABILENE INVITATIONAL RESULTS
Friday

Boys 5A/6A 5K run
Team standings — 1. Abilene High 42; 2. Big Spring 50; 3. Odessa High 78; 4. Lee 83; 5. Jim Ned 144; 6. Abilene Cooper 155; 7. Cool Runnings Homeschool 169; 8. Abilene Christian 197.
Top local finishers
Lee — 3. Chance Ziemann, 17:22.90; 11. Adrian Ramon, 18:18.36; 24. Tanner Bushman, 18:53.31; 30. Jeremias Carrasco, 19:11.81; 31. Angel Mendoza, 19:12; 33. Jose Carrasco, 19:17.29
Big Spring — 2. Ian Gonzales, 17:22.67; 10. Juan Lugo, 18:12.00; 22. Manuel Marquez, 18:42.25
Girls 5A/6A 5K Run
Team standings — 1. Abilene High 23; 2. Odessa High 39; 4. Lee 88; 4. Abilene Cooper 89
Lee — 15. Nayeli Galindo, 22:15.21; 16. Ligaya Barnes, 22:24.26; 20. Bianca, 22:51.39; 23. Niamaye Cisneros, 23:02.01; 30. Amber Ramon, 23:40.26
Girls 1A-4A 3200 Run
Team standings — 1. Jim Ned 36; 2. Spur 89; 3. Hamlin 99; 4. Big Spring, 133; 5. Abilene Wylie, 153; 6. Forsan 161; 7. Hawley 195; 8. Sweetwater 200; 9. Anson 212; 10. Lee 281; 11. Snyder
Big Spring — 9. Austyn Montgomery, 14:17.44; 23. Chloe Bustamante, 15:11.75; 30 Aliana Beserra, 15:39.39; 46. Hope Arguello, 16:07.50
Forsan — 8. Rhian Cunningham 14:16.98; 29. Madison Smith 15:35.40; 48. Haley Patterson, 16:10

MCA'S ECHOLS FINISHES 1ST

WINK — Midland Classical's Conrey Echols finished first in the boys race during the Wink Cross Country Meet on Saturday.

On the girls side MCA's Lily Marshall finished fourth followed by Kaleigh Boyt in seventh and Hallee Hightower in eighth.

Official times were not reported.

Arkansas gets wild double-OT win over No. 15 TCU, 41-38

By Schuyler Dixon
Associated Press

FORT WORTH — Austin Allen ran 5 yards for the winning score in the second overtime, and Arkansas pulled out a wild 41-38 victory over No. 15 TCU on Saturday night.

Allen led the Razorbacks (2-0) to the tying score in the final 2 minutes of regulation, throwing a touchdown pass to Keon Hatcher and then catching the tying 2-point conversion from the receiver with 1:03 remaining.

The Horned Frogs (1-1) rallied from 13 down in the fourth quarter to take a 28-20 lead, but couldn't hang on as their 14-game home winning streak ended in the first meeting of these former Southwest Conference rivals since 1991. That was the year before Arkansas started play in the SEC.

Allen threw three touchdowns passes, including a 19-yarder to Jeremy Sprinkle to start overtime.

TCU's Kenny Hill threw for 377 yards and an overtime TD to Taj Williams and also had 93 yards rushing and two scores. But he couldn't get the Horned Frogs in the end zone in the second OT, and they settled for Ryan Graf's 37-yard field goal.

Allen's winning score came on a second effort as he fell across the goal line.

KaVontae Turpin set up both of TCU's fourth-quarter touchdowns with long catches, including on the go-ahead drive from midfield after he added nearly 25 yards on a dazzling punt return when he spun out of several tackles while somehow keeping both knees off the ground.

After the Razorbacks got even, Turpin returned the kickoff 64 yards, but Arkansas' Dan Skipper blocked Graf's 28-yard field goal try with 10 seconds remaining.

The 5-foot-9, 153-pound speedster had 295 all-purpose yards, including 126 receiving.

Turpin had a 57-yard catch to set up Hill's 1-yard run to get TCU within 20-14 in the fourth quarter. Turpin added a 43-yarder from Hill before Kyle Hicks' second rushing TD, a 7-yarder for the TCU's first lead at 21-20 with 7:15 remaining.

Rawleigh Williams III had a career-high 137 yards rushing for the Razorbacks.

The takeaway

Arkansas: The Razorbacks went from feeling like they let one get away to getting their fifth win since 2014 over a ranked team while they were unranked.

TCU: Hill looked shaky early again, throwing an interception that Brooks Ellis returned 47 yards for the only touchdown of the first half. But just like a week ago in a 59-41 win over South Dakota State of the FCS, he was great in the second half.

Up next

Arkansas: The Razorbacks will be heavily favored at home against Texas State on Saturday before coming back to the Dallas area Sept. 24 for their SEC opener against Texas A&M.

TCU: The Frogs finish a season-starting stretch of three home games with the Big 12 opener against Iowa State on Saturday. TCU has won three straight in the series since losing to the Cyclones in their first Big 12 home game in 2012.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL SCORES

SOUTHWEST

Arkansas 41, TCU 38, 2OT
Austin 19, Howard Payne 17
Baylor 40, SMU 13
Cent. Michigan 30, Oklahoma St. 27
Hendrix 49, Lyon 14
Houston 42, Lamar 0
Houston Baptist 24, Texas Southern 20
N. Colorado 55, Abilene Christian 52
North Texas 41, Bethune-Cookman 20
Oklahoma 59, Louisiana-Monroe 17
Panhandle St. 20, Ark.-Pine Bluff 16
Samford 35, Cent. Arkansas 29
Texas 41, UTEP 7
Texas A&M 67, Prairie View 0
Texas A&M-Kingsville 68, Simon Fraser 7

SOUTH

Alabama 38, W. Kentucky 10
Alabama A&M 35, MVSU 16
Alcorn St. 21, Alabama St. 18
Appalachian St. 31, Old Dominion 7
Auburn 51, Arkansas St. 14
Campbell 47, Chowan 14
Carson-Newman 48, St. Augustine's 14
Charlotte 47, Elon 14
Chattanooga 34, Presbyterian 0
Christopher Newport 45, Hampden-Sydney 27
Clemson 30, Troy 24
Coastal Carolina 49, Florida A&M 10
Davidson 35, Kentucky Wesleyan 21
East Carolina 33, NC State 30
Emory & Henry 28, Brevard 14
Faulkner 28, Bluefield South 13
Florida 45, Kentucky 7
Florida St. 52, Charleston Southern 8
Georgia 26, Nicholls 24
Georgia Southern 24, South Alabama 9
Georgia Tech 35, Mercer 10
James Madison 56, CCSU 21
Kennesaw St. 49, Point (Ga.) 3
LSU 34, Jacksonville St. 13
Liberty 55, Jacksonville 7
Louisiana-Lafayette 30, McNeese St. 22
Marshall 62, Morgan St. 0
Miami 38, FAU 10
Mississippi 38, Wofford 13
Mississippi St. 27, South Carolina 14
Monmouth (NJ) 31, Delaware St. 23
Richmond 34, Norfolk St. 0
South Florida 48, N. Illinois 17
Southern Miss. 56, Savannah St. 0
St. Xavier 46, Ave Maria 3
Stetson 30, Warner 15
Tennessee St. 40, Jackson St. 26
Tennessee Tech 41, Austin Peay 7
The Citadel 19, Furman 14
Tulane 66, Southern U 21
VMI 17, Morehead St. 13
Vanderbilt 47, Middle Tennessee 24
W. Carolina 44, Gardner-Webb 14
Wake Forest 24, Duke 14
Washington & Jefferson 63, Grove City 13
Washington & Lee 21, Sewanee 17
William & Mary 24, Hampton 14
Wingate 56, Shaw 7

FAR WEST

Air Force 48, Georgia St. 14
Cal Poly 38, San Diego 16
Colorado 56, Idaho St. 7
Colorado St. 23, UTSA 14
Montana St. 27, Bryant 24
New Mexico St. 32, New Mexico 31
Rocky Mountain 21, Carroll (Mont.) 20
S. Utah 28, SE Louisiana 23
San Jose St. 66, Portland St. 35
Southern Cal 45, Utah St. 7
UCLA 42, UNLV 21
Utah 20, BYU 19
Washington 59, Idaho 14

MIDWEST

Baker 41, William Penn 7
Beloit 42, Knox 32
Bowling Green 27, North Dakota 26
Butler 59, Franklin 14
Central 45, Augustana (Ill.) 17
Cincinnati 38, Purdue 20
Dakota St. 62, St. Ambrose 48
Dakota Wesleyan 55, Jamestown 17
Dayton 13, Robert Morris 0
Defiance 18, Hope 6
Dickinson St. 42, Northwestern (Iowa) 13
Doane 23, William Jewell 12
Dordt 27, McPherson 13
E. Illinois 21, Miami (Ohio) 17
Grand View 35, Evangel 17
Hastings 35, Valley City St. 32
Illinois St. 9, Northwestern 7
Indiana 30, Ball St. 20
Iowa 42, Iowa St. 3
Lindsey Wilson 49, Georgetown (Ky.) 28
Michigan 51, UCF 14
Mid-Am Nazarene 37, Graceland (Iowa) 18
Minnesota 58, Indiana St. 28
Missouri 51, E. Michigan 21
Montana 20, N. Iowa 14
N. Dakota St. 50, E. Washington 44, OT
Nebraska 52, Wyoming 17
North Carolina 48, Illinois 23
Notre Dame 39, Nevada 10
Ohio 37, Kansas 21
Ohio St. 48, Tulsa 3
Peru St. 30, Avila 28
Presentation 29, Briar Cliff 0
Robert Morris-Chicago 48, Bacone 6
S. Dakota St. 56, Drake 28
S. Illinois 30, SE Missouri 22
Siena Heights 38, Missouri Baptist 10
South Dakota 52, Weber St. 49
St. Francis (Ind.) 37, Taylor 6
St. Joseph's (Ind.) 13, Alderson-Broaddus 6
Tiffin 20, Davenport 17

TOP25ROUNDUP

FROM STAFF REPORTS

CENTRAL MICHIGAN 30, NO. 22 OKLAHOMA STATE 27

STILLWATER, Okla. — Corey Willis grabbed a lateral from Jesse Kroll at the Oklahoma State 12, raced for the end zone and reached across the goal line for a last-play touchdown that gave Central Michigan a stunning 30-27 victory over the 22nd-ranked Cowboys on Saturday.

After an intentional grounding penalty on Oklahoma State gave the Chippewas one last untimed play from midfield, Cooper Rush lofted a pass that hit Kroll just inside the 10. As Kroll was being taken down, he pitched it back to Willis, who cut across the field and barely managed to score while being dragged down.

Central Michigan fans might have been having flashbacks to the Bahamas Bowl from two seasons ago, when the Chips covered almost the length of the field on a long pass and lateral play to make it a one-point game with no time left against Western Kentucky. That time, Central Michigan went for 2 and the win and did not convert. This time, the Chippewas (2-0) were able run off with one of their biggest victories.

Oklahoma State (1-1) thought it had won when Mason Rudolph threw the ball away on fourth down as the clock expired, but after the officials conferred, they assessed an intentional grounding penalty and gave Central Michigan another play.

NO. 9 GEORGIA 26, NICHOLLS 24

ATHENS, Ga. — Georgia scored two quick-strike touchdowns — one on offense, one on defense — in a span of about two minutes after Nicholls took a third-quarter lead.

Georgia (2-0) opened the game with a fast touchdown drive capped by Nick Chubb's 6-yard run and appeared headed for the easy win over the FCS Colonels in Kirby Smart's home debut as coach.

Smart called the sloppy win disappointing.

Nicholls (0-1) led 14-13 midway through the third after freshman quarterback Chase Fourcade, a surprise starter, threw a 20-yard touchdown pass to Jarrell Rogers.

Georgia freshman quarterback Jacob Eason, also making his first start, threw a 66-yard scoring pass to Isaiah McKenzie less than a minute later. The Bulldogs' rally continued on Lorenzo Carter's 24-yard fumble return for a score. A fumbled punt return by McKenzie inside the Georgia 10 set up a late Nicholls touchdown on Fourcade's 6-yard pass to C.J. Bates, cutting the Bulldogs' lead to two points.

Eason completed 11 of 20 passes for 204 yards with one touchdown and one interception. Greyson Lambert took over late in the game.

NO. 2 CLEMSON 30, TROY 24

CLEMSON, S.C. — Deshaun Watson threw three touchdown passes and Clemson avoided a host of mistakes — including an embarrassing early celebration punt-return gaffe by Ray-Ray McCloud that cost the Tigers a touchdown — to hold off pesky Troy.

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Troy rallied with two touchdowns in the last five minutes, the second one with 44 seconds to go. But Cain grabbed the on-side kick attempt and Clemson ran out the clock.

The Tigers couldn't get out of their own way much against Troy — most notably on McCloud's 75-yard punt return right before halftime where he apparently was so excited, he flipped the ball away before crossing into the end zone to start the celebration. Troy recovered in the end zone for a touchback.

NO. 3 FLORIDA STATE 52, CHARLESTON SOUTHERN 8

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. — Deondre Francois threw three touchdown passes and Dalvin Cook ran for two more score in Florida State's victory over depleted Charleston Southern.

Florida State (2-0) led 28-0 at the end of the first quarter. It scored on the first three drives and Bobo Wilson had an 89-yard punt return for a touchdown.

Francois completed 10 of his first 12 passes, including two for touchdowns to Travis Rudolph.

Francois, a redshirt freshman, was 25 of 32 for 262 yards and an interception. Rudolph had seven receptions for 105 yards. Cook had 83 yards on 11 carries, including a 37-yard TD run in the third.

FCS Charleston Southern (1-2) was without 14 players — 10 starters — serving one-game suspensions for violating NCAA rules by using financial aid meant for books to purchase other items.

NO. 5 MICHIGAN 51, UCF 14

ANN ARBOR, Mich. — Wilton Speight threw two of his four touchdown passes to Jake Butt, and Khalid Hill ran for two scores in Michigan's victory over Central Florida.

The Wolverines (2-0) have won their first two games by a combined total of 97 points.

The Knights (1-1) got off to a relatively good start before getting blown out. They ran for a first down on the first snap and forced Michigan to punt after its first three plays.

Butt's second TD reception early in the second quarter gave Michigan a 31-0 lead.

Hill, a 6-foot, 2, 263-pound fullback, plunged into the end zone for his second score early in the third to pad the Wolverines' lead to 41-7.

NO. 16 IOWA 42, IOWA STATE 3

IOWA CITY, Iowa — C.J. Beathard threw for 235 yards and three touchdowns and Iowa throttled Iowa State for its biggest win over the rival Cyclones in 18 seasons under coach Kirk Ferentz.

LeShun Daniels rushed for 112 yards and a TD to help the Hawkeyes (2-0) beat Iowa State in consecutive seasons for the first time in six years.

Beathard put the game out of reach with the three TD passes in the first half — including a brilliant 12-yard toss to a heavily defended Matt VandeBerg. VandeBerg finished with 129 yards receiving, and Allen Lazard caught seven passes for 111 yards.

Joel Lanning was 8 of 20 for 86 yards and an interception for Iowa State (0-2).

No. 11 Texas 41, UTEP 7

AUSTIN— Freshman quarterback Shane Buechele passed for 244 yards and four touchdowns and No. 11 Texas backed up its first national ranking since 2013 with a 41-7 victory over UTEP on Saturday night.

Buechele also showed some skills running the zone read option, giving the Longhorns (2-0) another wrinkle in their new offense.

Buechele threw touchdown passes of 29 and 7 yards to Jerrod Heard, who started at quarterback most of 2015 but moved to wide receiver this season. He also connected with Dorian Leonard for a 46-yard score in the third quarter that made it 34-7.

Aaron Jones ran for 123 yards and a 51-yard touchdown for UTEP (1-1).

The Longhorns avoided a big letdown after their 50-47 overtime victory over Notre Dame that eased some of the pressure off coach Charlie Strong after two losing seasons.

NO. 20 TEXAS A&M 67, PRAIRIE VIEW A&M 0

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. (AP) — Trevor Knight threw for 344 yards and three touchdowns and ran for another score in Texas A&M's romp over Prairie View.

Knight was 21 of 37 and threw touchdowns of 8 yards to Speedy Noil and 34 and 64 yards to Christian Kirk in the second quarter to help the Aggies (2-0) build a 38-0 halftime lead. Knight also rushed for a game-high 78 yards on seven carries in just over a half of play.

The Aggies extended their home nonconference winning streak to 23 games. Texas A&M outgained the Panthers 672-205 in its largest shutout since beaying Missouri 73-0 in 1993. Prairie View is 1-1.

NO. 8 WASHINGTON 59, IDAHO 14

SEATTLE — Jake Browning matched Washington's school record with five touchdown passes — two each to Dante Pettis and John Ross — and finished with 294 yards in the Huskies' victory over Idaho.

Browning has helped Washington (2-0) to its highest ranking since 2001. After throwing for 287 yards and three touchdowns last week against Rutgers, Browning was nearly flawless against Idaho.

Following a fumble on the opening kickoff by Lloyd Hightower that was recovered by Washington, Browning threw a 21-yard touchdown pass to Pettis on his first attempt of the game. He completed 13 consecutive passes at one point as the Huskies marched through the Vandals en route to a 35-0 halftime advantage. Browning joined Keith Price (2012), Jake Locker (2010) and Chris Rowland (1973) as the only Huskies to throw five touchdown passes in a game.

NO. 25 MIAMI 38, FLORIDA ATLANTIC 10

MIAMI GARDENS, Fla. (AP) — Mark Walton ran for 155 yards and four touchdowns, and Miami shook off a slow start to beat Florida Atlantic.

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Walton scored on runs of 7, 3, 16 and 30 yards. He became the sixth Miami runner to run for at least four TDs in a game, and has seven in two games against FAU (1-1).

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No. 14 Oklahoma 59, Louisiana-Monroe 17

NORMAN, Okla. — Baker Mayfield passed for 244 yards and three touchdowns in a half of work and No. 14 Oklahoma beat Louisiana-Monroe 59-17 on Saturday night in a warmup for its showdown with Ohio State.

Joe Mixon rushed for 117 yards, and Samaje Perine ran for two touchdowns. The Sooners (1-1) outgained the Warhawks (1-1) 640 yards to 350.

Oklahoma lost its opener to Houston and fell from No. 3 to No. 14 in the AP poll , but its home matchup with fourth-ranked Ohio State next week offers Oklahoma a chance to return to its place among the nation's top teams.

Garrett Smith passed for 251 yards and two touchdowns and R.J. Turner caught seven passes for 135 yards for ULM.

Mayfield completed 10 of 11 passes for 120 yards and two touchdowns in the first quarter to help the Sooners take a 21-0 lead. Mark Andrews opened the scoring with a 39-yard touchdown grab, Dimitri Flowers added an 8-yard touchdown catch, then Perine's 1-yard blast up the middle made it 21-0.

NO. 4 OHIO STATE 48, TULSA 3

COLUMBUS, Ohio — Ohio State overcame a sluggish offensive start, a lightning delay and a driving rainstorm in the second half to beat Tulsa.

After piling up a school-record 776 yards of offense last week against Bowling Green, Ohio State (2-0) didn't score an offensive touchdown against Tulsa (1-1) until quarterback J.T. Barrett ran in from 16 yards with 9:42 left in the third quarter. Tailback Mike Weber, Barrett and back Curtis Samuel added scoring runs later in the second half to put the game out of reach.

Ohio State's defense stepped in the first half as its offense floundered. The Buckeyes intercepted four of quarterback Dane Evans' passes, including pick-sixes by safety Malik Hooker and cornerback Marshon Lattimore late in the first half.

Barrett was 14 for 22 for 149 yards and no touchdowns.

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ARMY 31, RICE 14

WEST POINT, N.Y. — Andy Davidson rushed for 107 yards and three touchdowns, the Army defense created two more turnovers, and the Black Knights beat Rice 31-14 on Saturday for its second straight win to open the season.

It had been 70 games since Army (2-0) won two in a row and it's the first time the Black Knights have started a season with two straight wins since 1996. Ronnie McAda led that team to nine straight wins and a national ranking to start the season.

Army finished with 348 yards rushing as its triple option continued to perform at a high level. The Black Knights had 329 rushing yards in last week's season-opening 28-13 win over Temple at Lincoln Financial Field.

NO. 23 BAYLOR 40, SMU 13

WACO — Seth Russell threw for 261 yards and two touchdowns and ran for another score, and Baylor recovered from a slow start to rout SMU.

Russell and the Bears (2-0) struggled offensively in the first half and had to settle for a 6-6 tie at intermission, but broke through with a 20-point third quarter on their way to a 13th straight victory over their former Southwest Conference rival.

Baylor missed on several deep shots in the first half, but Blake Lynch capped its opening march after halftime by breaking free in the right seam for a 31-yard touchdown reception from Russell, who added a 19-yard scoring burst on a scramble on the Bears' next possession. Russell was 26 of 47 with two interceptions. Orion Stewart intercepted two passes for Baylor. The first was in the end zone to stop a promising SMU (1-1) threat, and he returned the second 33 yards for a TD to make it 26-6.

NO. 19 MISSISSIPPI 38, WOFFORD 13

OXFORD, Miss. — Chad Kelly threw for 219 yards and three touchdowns to lead Mississippi.

Ole Miss (1-1) played just five days after losing to Florida State 45-34 on Monday night. The Rebels didn't appear tired, though, scoring on all four of their first-half drives to take a 24-3 halftime lead.

Kelly completed short touchdown throws in the first half to Markell Pack, D.K. Metcalf and Quincy Adeboyejo, and Gary Wunderlich made a 40-yard field goal as the Rebels methodically moved the ball against overmatched Wofford of the Football Championship Subdivision level.

It was an efficient, mistake-free performance from Kelly, who threw three interceptions and lost a fumble in the Florida State loss. He completed 20 of 27 passes against Wofford.

NO. 18 NOTRE DAME 39, NEVADA 10

SOUTH BEND, Ind. — DeShone Kizer threw two touchdown passes and ran for another score, Josh Adams rushed for 106 yards and Notre Dame's defense rebounded from a disappointing performance a week ago.

After being held scoreless in the first quarter by Nevada (1-1), the Irish (1-1) took control with a 25-point second quarter — the most points in the quarter for Notre Dame since scoring 28 points against Pittsburgh in Charlie Weis' debut as coach in 2005. Kizer was 15 of 18 for 156 yards with one interception and Equanimeous St. Brown led Irish receivers with six catches for 85 yards with Torii Hunter Jr. out with a concussion sustained against Texas.

Malik Zaire, who lost the quarterback competition with Kizer, entered late in the third quarter and completed 4 of 9 passes for 49 yards.

NO. 1 ALABAMA 38, WESTERN KENTUCKY 10

TUSCALOOSA, Ala. — Freshman Jalen Hurts passed for 287 yards and two touchdowns in his first career start to lead Alabama past Western Kentucky.

Hurts likely nailed down the quarterback job with a 23-of-36 passing performance. The Crimson Tide (2-0) piled it on with big plays from the defense and receivers Calvin Ridley and ArDarius Stewart.

Hurts is the first true freshman quarterback to start at Alabama since Vince Sutton started four games in 1984. He also had two likely touchdowns dropped. Blake Barnett got the nod in the opener against Southern California and completed 2 of 6 passes for 64 yards in this one.

Western Kentucky (1-1) was outgained 475-239 in total yards against a defense that has allowed 16 points in the first two games. Ridley had nine catches for 129 yards, Stewart five for 90.

NO. 6 HOUSTON 42, LAMAR 0

HOUSTON — The sixth-ranked Houston Cougars easily overcame the absence of injured quarterback Greg Ward Jr. as well as a 3 ½-hour lightning delay for a 42-0 victory over Lamar on Saturday.

With Ward on the sidelines nursing an injured right shoulder , backup Kyle Postma ran 39 yards for a score in the first quarter in a game that lasted six hours, 18 minutes.

The Cougars had three players top 100 yards rushing for the first time since 1971, and piled up 381 yards on the ground. Kevrin Justice had 111 yards and two touchdowns, freshman Mulbah Car added 109 yards and a score in his debut and Postma scrambled for a career-high 106 yards with two TDs.

Dark clouds descended on the stadium soon after Postma's score, and a lightning strike forced the game to be suspended at 11:36 a.m. with 3:13 left in the first quarter.

It didn't take Houston (2-0) long to get going after the marathon delay, and a touchdown dive by Justice made it 14-0 with less than a minute left in the first quarter.

That score was the first of three straight touchdowns, which included a second score from Justice, which pushed the lead to 28-0 at halftime.

Some wondered if the Cougars would suffer a letdown after their huge win over then-No. 3 Oklahoma last week, or be looking past the FCS Cardinals (0-2) toward Thursday's American Athletic Conference opener at Cincinnati.

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NO. 10 WISCONSIN 54, AKRON 10

MADISON, Wis. — Corey Clement ran for two scores before leaving with an injury, Jazz Peavy had two touchdown catches and No. 10 Wisconsin stuffed Akron's spread offense in a 54-10 win on Saturday.

The Badgers (2-0) didn't slack off in their 2016 debut at Camp Randall Stadium, a week after outmuscling SEC power LSU 16-14 in the season opener.

Bart Houston threw for 231 yards, showing chemistry with Peavy against the porous Zips (1-1). Peavy finished with seven catches for 100 yards.

Wisconsin's defense had a safety, and the secondary accounted for two second-quarter turnovers. The Badgers led 30-10 at halftime.

Clement's injury was one of the only blemishes for Wisconsin. The senior rushed for 111 yards before departing with a left leg injury suffered on the last of his 21 carries, late in the second.

Akron's only touchdown came on JoJo Natson's 55-yard punt return in the second.

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Friday's Late Boxes

REAGAN COUNTY 47, COAHOMA 14

Coahoma	0	7	0	7	—14
Reagan County	7	20	0	20	—47

First Quarter

RC — Nathan DeLeon (Servando Carrasco kick), 4:38

Second Quarter

RC — Carlos Del Rio 27 run (Carrasco kick), 5:15

RC — Jony Reyes pass from Justin Chavez (kick failed), 4:04

COA — Fletcher Mashburn 50 pass from Mason Moore (Tyler Martin kick), 3:20

RC — Turner Stark 6 pass from Chavez (Carrasco kick), 1:13

Fourth Quarter

RC — Del Rio 4 run (Carrasco kick), 11:54

COA— Adam Clark 20 pass from Moore (Martin kick), 10:59

RC — Samuel Goodloe 66 kickoff return (kick failed), 10:46

RC — DeLeon 16 run (Carrasco kick), 6:41

	COA	RC
First Downs	14	26
Rushes-yards	26-124	55-392
Passing yards	209	91
Comp.-Att.-Int.	15-33-1	4-7-0
Punts-Avg.	1-49.0	2-15.0
Fumbles-lost	2-1	3-1
Penalties-yds	2-20	12-85

COAHOMA STATISTICS

RUSHING — Braden pearson 12-54, Joe Escobedo 8-46, Mason Moore 3-13, Justin Cuellar 3-11, Zach Holmes 2-0

PASSING — Moore 15-33-1—209

RECEIVING — Adam Clark 2-24, Fletcher Mashburn 2-62, Pearson 5-29, Holmes 3-74, Cuellar 1-12, Gage Clark 1-7, Caimon Billingsley 1-1

WATER VALLEY 94, GRADY 49

Grady	24	6	13	6	—49
Water Valley	22	14	28	30	—94

GRADY INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Passing - Taylor Boydston 9-15-0—144, 2 TDs

Rushing - Boydston 31-304, 5 TDs; Devynn Smith 1-20, TD; Edrei Trejo 3-21, Cristian Jimenez 1-2

Receiving - Smith 2-45; TJ Shands 2-37, TD; Marshall Cox 1-22, TD; Trejo 1-10, Jimenez 1-5, Charles Cassell 1-25

AMARILLO TASCOSA 23, AMARILLO HIGH 21

Amarillo	14	0	0	7	—21
Tascosa	3	0	14	6	—23

First Quarter

AHS—Rhett Maynard 15 pass from Reagan Hill (Sam Burks kick), 7:50

T—Carlos Lopez 26 FG, 3:48

AHS—Renick Hill 26 pass from Reagan Hill (Burks kick), 1:33

Third Quarter

T—Zac Zimmer 15 run (Lopez kick), 6:57

T—Brock Mooneyham 1 run (Lopez kick), 3:45

Fourth Quarter

AHS—David Vasquez 9 run (Burks kick), 4:28

T—Deveion Gray 6 run (kick failed), 0:36

	Amarillo	Tascosa
First Downs	15	14
Rushes-yards	68-196	37-72
Passing Yards	71	231
Comp.-Att.-Int.	3-9-0	3-8-0
Punts-Avg.	3-40.5	5-44.8
Fumbles-lost	1-1	1-0
Penalties-yds.	3-30	9-80

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING - Amarillo, David Vasquez 19-81, Rhett Maynard 17-115, Anteon Tinner 1-2, Reagan Hill 1-3, Slater Wolfcale 1-7.;Tascosa, Rambo Luhizo 8-9, King Doerue 8-41, Deveion Gray 4-23, Brock Mooneyham 13-36, Talari Gomillion 4-62, Zac Zimmer 6-17, Lamaron Smith 4-12, Nashon Ray 2-11, Brandon White 1-21

PASSING - Amarillo, Reagan Hill 4-9-0—71;Tascosa, Brock Mooneyham 2-7-0—33 Zac Zimmer 1-1-0—39

RECEIVING - Amarillo, Renick Hill 1-26,Rhett Maynard 2-31, Avery Beller 1-17;Tascosa, Brandon White 2-52,Bert Morris 1-20.

LUBBOCK CORONADO 63, ODESSA HIGH 14

Odessa High	0	7	7	0	—14
Coronado	28	28	7	0	—63

First quarter

Coronado: Noah Sifrit 74 pass from Qua Gray (Chance Fair kick), 7:18.

Coronado: Chance Fair 10 pass from Qua Gray (Chance Fair kick), 6:52.

Coronado: Devin Morrison 6 pass from Qua Gray (Chance Fair kick), 3:18.

Coronado: Bair Conwright 24 pass from Qua Gray (Chance Fair kick), 0:21.

Second quarter

Coronado: Devin Morrison 29 pass from Qua Gray (Chance Fair kick), 11:00.

Coronado: Mason Montoya 42 interception return (Chance Fair kick), 10:00.

Odessa High: Keive Robinson 65 run (Ulysses Gutierrez kick), 9:05.

Coronado: Noah Sifrit 78 pass from Qua Gray (Chance Fair kick), 6:13.

Coronado: Chance Fair 10 pass from Qua Gray (Chance Fair kick), 1:35.

Third quarter

Coronado: Cameron Stevenson 33 pass from Qua Gray (Chance Fair kick), 8:35.

Odessa High: Tyrone Caufield 63 pass from Trey Smith (Ulysses Gutierrez kick), 1:25

	OHS	Coronado
First Downs	9	21
Rushes-Yards	32-166	23-60
Passing Yards	78.	446
Comp.-Att.-Int.	6-22-2	24-35-0
Punts-Avg.	7-124	6-31.7
Fumbles-Lost	3-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	3-25	4-40

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING - Odessa High: Keive Robinson 21-144, Trey Smith 8-36, Chase Webster 3-(-14). Lubbock Coronado: Jarrod Compton 7-45, Christian Hayes 4-12, Luis Nieves 6-5, Elijah Smiley 5-3, Qua Gray 1-(-5).

PASSING - Odessa High: Odessa High: Trey Smith 5-16-1—69, Chase Webster 1-6-1—9 Lubbock Coronado: Qua Gray 18-29-0—375, Noah Sifrit 2-2-0—41, Christian Hayes 3-3-0—24, Jason Ramos 1-2-0—6.

RECEIVING - Odessa High: Tyrone Caufield 1-63, Jacob Munoz 1-9, Jacob Rios 1-7, Keive Robinson 2-1, John Franco 1-(-2). Lubbock Coronado: Noah Sifrit 5-172, Devin Morrison 6-90, Jarrod Compton 3-54, Blair Conwright 3-46, Chance Fair 4-43, Cameron Stevenson 1-35, Caden Hensley 1-6, Ahmari Williams 1-2.

INTERCEPTIONS - Lubbock Coronado: Mason Montoya 1-42, Christian Hayes 1-0.

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Buffalo	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Miami	0	0	0	.000	0	0
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New England	0	0	0	.000	0	0
South	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Houston	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Indianapolis	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Jacksonville	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Tennessee	0	0	0	.000	0	0
North	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Baltimore	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Cincinnati	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Cleveland	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Pittsburgh	0	0	0	.000	0	0
West	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Denver	1	0	0	1.000	21	20
Kansas City	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Oakland	0	0	0	.000	0	0
San Diego	0	0	0	.000	0	0

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East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Dallas	0	0	0	.000	0	0
N.Y. Giants	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Philadelphia	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Washington	0	0	0	.000	0	0
South	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Carolina	0	1	0	.000	20	21
Atlanta	0	0	0	.000	0	0
New Orleans	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Tampa Bay	0	0	0	.000	0	0
North	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Chicago	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Detroit	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Green Bay	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Minnesota	0	0	0	.000	0	0
West	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Arizona	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Los Angeles	0	0	0	.000	0	0
San Francisco	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Seattle	0	0	0	.000	0	0

Thursday's Score

Denver 21, Carolina 20

Sunday's Games

Minnesota at Tennessee, 12 p.m.
Cleveland at Philadelphia, 12 p.m.
Green Bay at Jacksonville, 12 p.m.
San Diego at Kansas City, 12 p.m.
Chicago at Houston, 12 p.m.
Oakland at New Orleans, 12 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Atlanta, 12 p.m.
Buffalo at Baltimore, 12 p.m.
Cincinnati at N.Y. Jets, 12 p.m.
Miami at Seattle, 3:05 p.m.
N.Y. Giants at Dallas, 3:25 p.m.
Detroit at Indianapolis, 3:25 p.m.
New England at Arizona, 7:30 p.m.

Monday's Games

Pittsburgh at Washington, 6:10 p.m.
Los Angeles at San Francisco, 9:20 p.m.

Osweiler ready for Texans debut, but Watt could be limited

By Kristie Rieken
Associated Press

HOUSTON — New quarterback Brock Osweiler has undoubtedly upgraded the Houston Texans' offense as they prepare for Sunday's season opener against the Chicago Bears.

The question for the Texans is whether star defensive end J.J. Watt will be slowed by back surgery that kept him out all of training camp and from each of Houston's preseason games. Watt returned to practice this week after recovering from the procedure to repair a herniated disk, and insists he's feeling great and is ready to go . He expects the coaching staff to try to limit his snaps on Sunday, but vowed to fight against such a plan.

"I am going to try and play every single play," he said. "I am going to play as hard as I possibly can ... obviously I have fresh legs right now. I'm going to carry this through the season."

Watt was voted the NFL's Defensive Player of the Year for the second straight season after leading the league with 17 1/2 sacks in 2015. His performance helped Houston reach the playoffs for the first time since 2012, but a 30-0 loss to Kansas City in the wild-card round made it clear that the Texans needed an upgrade at quarterback.

They believe they found that in Osweiler, who started seven games for Denver last season before being benched for the playoffs in favor of Peyton Manning. Osweiler is comfortable in Houston and believes his preparation will keep any jitters at bay in his debut for the Texans.

"There's no nerves," he said. "I believe if you prepare the correct way, what do you have to be nervous about? You've already played the game all week long. Now you just need to go connect the dots on Sunday."

Chicago coach John Fox is very familiar with Osweiler after coaching him in Denver in the quarterback's first three pro seasons. He knows Osweiler benefited from his time learning from Manning.

"He understands at a high level how to prepare ... Brock's a very good athlete and has a good head on his shoulders," Fox said. "It doesn't surprise me that Houston invested in him and that he's done a very, very fine job from what I've seen on tape."

Some things to know about the first game between Chicago and Houston since 2012.

White's debut: Finally, the Bears get to see how dynamic a receiver Kevin White will be.

The No. 7 overall pick in the 2015 draft, he missed his rookie season because of a stress fracture in his left shin. Chicago is counting on big things from White, with his size and physical skills.

If he delivers, the Bears could have a dynamic tandem with Alshon Jeffery. That's also assuming Jeffery stays healthy after calf, hamstring, groin and shoulder problems limited the former Pro Bowl receiver to nine games last season.

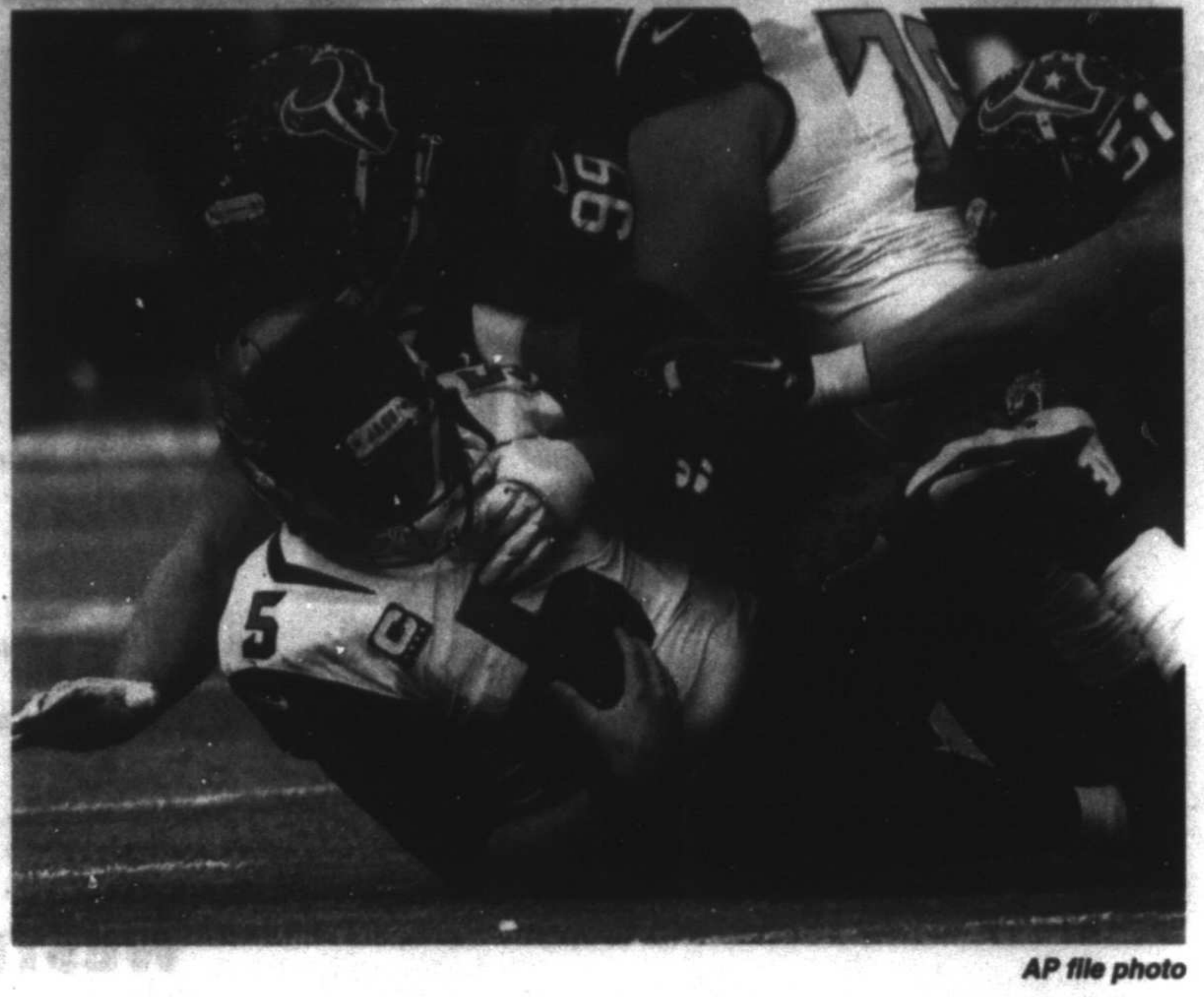
Helping Hopkins: Rookie receivers Will Fuller and Braxton Miller will make their debuts. The Texans drafted both players this year to take some pressure off DeAndre Hopkins, who was third in the NFL with a career-high 1,521 yards receiving last year despite dealing with near-constant double teams. Coach Bill O'Brien has been impressed with their progress and believes they're ready to contribute.

Lining up: The Bears will have some extra ammunition to combat Watt. They signed three-time Pro Bowl left guard Josh Sitton on Sunday after he was a surprise cut by Green Bay, giving their offensive line a big boost.

With three-time Pro Bowl lineman Kyle Long on the right side, Chicago now has two elite guards protecting quarterback Jay Cutler and opening holes for the running backs. One thing the Bears will need to find is chemistry. They go into their second straight opener shuffling their line; r Long was a late switch to right tackle a year ago after Jordan Mills got cut.

Long returned to practice Monday after being sidelined since the second preseason game by a shoulder injury. He also signed a four-year contract extension through the 2021 season on Wednesday.

Brown remains out: Houston veteran left tackle Duane Brown returned to practice this week but won't play Sunday as he continues to recover from quadriceps surgery in January. He'll be replaced by Chris Clark, in his second year with the Texans and who started 14 games for the Broncos in 2013. While Brown remains out, the Texans will get a boost with the return of right tackle Derek Newton, who had been out since injuring his hamstring on the first day of training camp.



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Jacksonville Jaguars quarterback Blake Borties (5) is sacked by Houston Texans defensive end J.J. Watt (99) during the second half of an NFL game Jan. 3 in Houston. The question for the Texans is whether superstar Watt will be slowed by back surgery that kept him out all of training camp and each of Houston's preseason games

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franchises.

"I think we're prepared," said Elliott, the fourth overall pick who was limited to one preseason game by a hamstring injury.

"I think that we're both very poised, we're both excited to compete. We don't want any drop-offs just because we're rookies."

The Cowboys didn't survive without Romo last year, going 4-12 while losing 11 of the 12 games he missed with a twice-broken left collarbone.

Plus, 2014 All-Pro receiver Dez Bryant was limited all season after breaking his foot in the opener against the Giants. He missed seven games.

A pair of veterans in Brandon Weeden and Matt Cassel couldn't keep the Cowboys in contention last year, and now they'll try with a rookie.

Prescott earned the job with a strong showing in three preseason games.

"I think we both have confidence in ourselves and each other," said Prescott, the career passing leader at Mississippi State. "I think we need to stay even-keel with our emotions throughout the game, and I think we'll have some fun out there."

Things to consider as the Cowboys take an 8-0 record in openers against the Giants into the fourth opener in the past five seasons between the NFC East rivals:

Giants O-Line: This is the biggest question mark for McAdoo and the Giants, who were 6-10 last season.

The line (LT Ereck Flowers, LG Justin Pugh, C Weston Richburg, RG John Jerry and RT Marshall Newhouse) is the same as last year but wasn't good in the preseason.

Tackle Will Beatty, who was released in a salary cap move earlier in the year, re-signed late in training camp.

Pugh insists the line will improve once the team starts game planning. That remains to be seen.

On the other hand: The Cowboys believe they have one of the best lines in football, anchored by three first-round picks from the past six drafts, all of them Pro Bowlers the past two seasons (LT Tyron Smith, C Travis Frederick and RG Zack Martin). Elliott has some star potential running behind them.

Cruz returns: WR Victor Cruz will be playing in his first game since the middle of the 2014 season, when he injured a knee. He missed last season with a calf injury.

If Cruz can show some of his old form, rookie Sterling Shepard of Oklahoma lives up to the hype, and Odell Beckham Jr. does his thing, Eli Manning is going to have a big year.

Where's the rush: The Cowboys hope they have some household names on their defensive line by this time next year.

Right now they don't, and there's no telling who will take the heat off a secondary with plenty to prove by getting to the quarterback.

Dallas knows this much: last year's sack leader, DeMarcus Lawrence, will miss the first four games on a substance-abuse suspension.

Watch the defense: After having the NFL's worst defense last season, the Giants have the potential to make big strides.

New York signed DE Olivier Vernon, DT Damon Harrison and CB Janoris Jenkins in free agency, and drafted CB Eli Apple, Elliott's teammate at Ohio State, 10th overall. S Darian Thompson, the third-round pick, was a contender to start had he not injured a shoulder in the preseason.

He is practicing but his status for the opener is iffy.

REBELS

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yards or more in the Rebels' last two games. "We've got to go to work and we're not going to divide. We're going to figure out how to get this thing fixed and we will."

The Aztecs (2-1) set an imposing, aggressive tone on their very first play from scrimmage. After Lee drove the ball downfield and coughed up a fumble on the El Dorado 2-yard line to open the game, Barfield connected with Hernandez for a booming 96-yard scoring strike that electrified the stadium and gave El Dorado an 8-0 lead after a two-point conversion.

Hernandez would finish the game with 272 yards receiving and a pair of touchdowns on seven catches. He also ran twice for 18 yards and had the 76-yard TD pass to Barfield.

Lee got on the board late in the first quarter thanks to a 1-yard run by Connor Friel. But the Aztecs proceeded to reel off 27 unanswered points en route to a daunting 41-7 halftime lead.

Hartman said he and the Lee coaching staff remained positive in the locker room.

"We just told them that in the darkest times of your life, you've got to be at your very best," Hartman said. "They've got to find a way to battle back in those dark times."

The Rebels did just that and scored 21 points in the third quarter thanks to a increased focus on a steady running game. Taye Britt's 70-yard kickoff return midway through the third quarter also provided the Rebels with a spark, but it was just too little too late for a struggling Lee defense.

Lee sophomore running back Josh Traylor produced another fine game, picking up 131 yards and two scores on a season-high 20 carries. Quarterback Sema'J Davis finished 12-of-21 for 194 yards, a touchdown and an interception, while Britt led Rebel receivers with 138 yards on five catches.

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EL PASO EL DORADO 62, LEE 35

Lee	7	0	21	7	—35
EP El Dorado	24	20	14	7	—62

First Quarter

EPED - Jorge Hernandez 96 pass from Cedarious Barfield (run good)

EPED - Barfield 76 pass from Hernandez (pass failed)

Lee - Connor Friel 1 run (Christian Alvidrez kick), 1:23

EPED - Hernandez 33 pass from Barfield (Mario Balderas kick), 0:17

Second Quarter

EPED - Tyquez Hampton 23 pass from Barfield (pass failed), 10:56

EPED - Barfield 35 run (Balderas kick), 9:22

EPED - Damek Montes 14 pass from Barfield (Balderas kick), 3:52

Third Quarter

Lee - Josh Traylor 2 run (Alvidrez kick), 8:10

EPED - Cameron Hill 42 pass from Barfield (Balderas kick), 7:15

Lee - Taye Britt 70 kickoff return (Alvidrez kick), 6:59

EPED - Hampton 5 pass from Barfield (Balderas kick), 3:35

Lee - Traylor 6 run (Alvidrez kick), 1:44

Fourth Quarter

EPED - Nick Leyva 30 pass from Barfield (Balderas kick), 11:01

Lee - Grant Brown 10 pass from Sema'J Davis (Alvidrez kick), 3:46

	Lee	EP El Dorado
First Downs	19	25
Rushes-yards	44-230	27-197
Passing yards	194	539
Comp.-Att.-Int.	12-21-1	21-29-0
Punts-avg.	4-33.3	2-21.0
Fumbles-lost	1-1	2-1
Penalties-yards	6-50	15-120

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING - Lee, Josh Traylor 20-131, Sema'J Davis 11-48, Connor Friel 9-37, David Jones 3-9, Payton Tranum 1-5; EP El Dorado, Cedarious Barfield 7-83, Nick Leyva 12-64, Jorge Hernandez 2-18, Tyquez Hampton 2-13, Jeremiah Moreno 2-11, Seth Davis 2-8

PASSING - Lee, Davis 12-21-1-194; EP El Dorado, Barfield 20-28-0-463; Hernandez 1-1-0—76

RECEIVING - Lee, Taye Britt 5-138, Tranum 3-19, Julian Stricklin 2-19, Grant Brown 2-12, Sheldon Bass 1-3; EP El Dorado, Hernandez 7-272, Hampton 5-56, Cameron Hill 2-50, Leyva 3-47, Kavsean Watson 2-18, Damek Montes 1-14, Andres Rios 1-9

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Yesterday's Answer: OFTEN, FLUKE, FIGHT, FORTY

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Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	79	62	.560	—
Toronto	78	63	.553	1
Baltimore	77	64	.546	2
New York	76	65	.539	3
Tampa Bay	59	82	.418	20

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Cleveland	82	59	.582	—
Detroit	76	65	.539	6
Kansas City	73	68	.518	9
Chicago	68	73	.482	14
Minnesota	53	89	.373	29½

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Texas	84	58	.592	—
Houston	75	67	.528	9
Seattle	74	68	.521	10
Los Angeles	62	78	.443	21
Oakland	60	81	.426	23½

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Washington	84	58	.592	—
New York	75	67	.528	9
Miami	70	72	.493	14
Philadelphia	63	79	.444	21
Atlanta	55	87	.387	29

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Chicago	90	51	.638	—
St. Louis	75	66	.532	15
Pittsburgh	69	71	.493	20½
Milwaukee	63	79	.444	27½
Cincinnati	59	82	.418	31

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Los Angeles	80	61	.567	—
San Francisco	76	65	.539	4
Colorado	68	74	.479	12½
San Diego	59	83	.415	21½
Arizona	58	83	.411	22

Scores & schedules

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Saturday's Scores

Houston 2, Chicago Cubs 1
Toronto 3, Boston 2
N.Y. Yankees 5, Tampa Bay 1
Seattle 14, Oakland 3
Baltimore 11, Detroit 3
Kansas City 6, Chicago White Sox 5
Minnesota 2, Cleveland 1, 12 innings
Texas at L.A. Angels, late

Today's Games

Tampa Bay (Andriese 6-7) at N.Y. Yankees (Cessa 4-0), 12:05 p.m.
Boston (Buchholz 6-10) at Toronto (Sanchez 13-2), 12:07 p.m.
Baltimore (Tillman 15-5) at Detroit (Verlander 14-7), 12:10 p.m.
Cleveland (Kluber 15-9) at Minnesota (Berrios 2-5), 1:10 p.m.
Kansas City (Kennedy 10-9) at Chicago White Sox (Sale 15-7), 1:10 p.m.
Texas (Lewis 6-1) at L.A. Angels (Weaver 10-11), 2:35 p.m.
Seattle (Paxton 4-6) at Oakland (Alcantara 0-1), 3:05 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (Arrieta 16-6) at Houston (Fiers 10-6), 7:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Saturday's Scores

Houston 2, Chicago Cubs 1
Cincinnati 8, Pittsburgh 7
Washington 3, Philadelphia 0
Atlanta 4, N.Y. Mets 3, 10 innings
L.A. Dodgers 5, Miami 0
St. Louis 5, Milwaukee 1
San Francisco 11, Arizona 3
San Diego 6, Colorado 3

Today's Games

L.A. Dodgers (Maeda 14-8) at Miami (Urena 3-6), 12:10 p.m.
Cincinnati (Finnegan 8-10) at Pittsburgh (Vogelsong 3-4), 12:35 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Lugo 3-2) at Atlanta (Perez 2-2), 12:35 p.m.
Philadelphia (Morgan 2-9) at Washington (Gonzalez 10-9), 12:35 p.m.
Milwaukee (Davies 10-7) at St. Louis (Weaver 1-2), 1:15 p.m.
San Francisco (Moore 9-11) at Arizona (Greinke 12-5), 3:10 p.m.
Colorado (Bettis 12-7) at San Diego (Jackson 4-5), 3:40 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (Arrieta 16-6) at Houston (Fiers 10-6), 7:05 p.m.

Texas Boxes

ASTROS 2, CUBS 1

Chicago	ab	r	h	bi	Houston	ab	r	h	bi
Fowler cf	3	0	1	0	Sprnger rf	3	0	0	0
Bryant 3b	4	0	0	0	Bregman ss	4	1	2	1
Rizzo 1b	3	0	0	0	Altuve dh	3	1	1	0
Szczur pr	0	0	0	0	T.Kemp ph-dh	1	0	0	0
Soler lf	3	1	0	0	Gurriel 3b	4	0	1	0
M.Mntro dh	4	0	1	0	Ma.Gnzl 2b	3	0	1	1
Cntrras c	1	0	0	1	Rasmus lf	1	0	0	0
Heyward rf	3	0	0	0	A.Reed 1b	2	0	0	0
J.Baez ss	3	0	0	0	J.Cstro c	3	0	0	0
L.Stlla 2b	2	0	0	0	Mrsnick cf	3	0	0	0
Kwasaki pr-2b	0	0	0	0					
Totals	26	1	2	1	Totals	27	2	5	2

Chicago .... 000 100 000 —1
Houston .... 002 000 00x —2

E—Ma.Gonzalez (6), Bryant (13). DP—Houston 1. LOB—Chicago 5, Houston 6. 2B—M. Montero (8). HR—Bregman (8). SB—Kawasaki (2). CS—Contreras (2), Marisnick (5). SF—Contreras (1). S—Ma.Gonzalez (6).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Chicago						
Lackey L,9-8	6	4	2	2	3	5
Grimm	1	1	0	0	1	1
Edwards	1	0	0	0	0	2
Houston						
McHugh W,10-10	5	2	1	1	3	6
Devenski	1	0	0	0	0	2
Harris	1	0	0	0	1	0
Gregerson	1	0	0	0	1	2
Giles S,10-13	1	0	0	0	1	2

WP—McHugh, Giles.
T—2:54. A—41,854 (42,060).

FRIDAY'S LATE BOX

RANGERS 2, ANGELS 1

Texas	ab	r	h	bi	L.A.	ab	r	h	bi
DShelds lf	3	0	0	0	Y.Escbr 3b	3	0	0	0
Mazara ph-rf	1	0	1	0	Calhoun rf	4	0	1	0
Hoying rf	1	0	0	0	Trout cf	4	0	1	0
Desmond cf	4	0	0	0	Pujols dh	4	0	0	0
Beltran dh	4	0	0	0	Ortega pr-dh	0	0	0	0
Beltre 3b	4	1	2	1	Cron 1b	3	0	0	0
Odor 2b	3	0	0	0	J.Marte lf	3	1	1	0
Alberto 2b	0	0	0	0	S.Rbnsn lf	0	0	0	0
Lucroy c	4	0	1	0	Choi ph	0	0	0	0
Mreland 1b	3	1	3	0	Buss pr	0	0	0	0
C.Gomez rf-lf	4	0	0	0	A.Smmns ss	4	0	1	1
Andrus ss	3	0	1	1	Bandy c	3	0	0	0
Pnnngtn 2b	3	0	0	0					
Totals	34	2	8	2	Totals	31	1	4	1

Texas .... 000 000 110—2
Los Angeles .... 000 000 100—1

DP—Los Angeles 1. LOB—Texas 9, Los Angeles 6. 2B—Moreland 2 (21). 3B—A.Simmons (2). HR—Beltre (27). SB—DeShields (7), Ortega (5), J.Marte (2).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Texas						
Darvish	6 2-3	3	1	1	1	9
Bush W,7-2	1 1-3	0	0	0	0	2
Dyson S,33-37	1	1	0	0	1	1
Los Angeles						
Skaggs	6	2	0	0	4	8
Morin	1-3	2	1	1	0	0
Ege	0	1	0	0	0	0
Valdez	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
Ramirez L,2-4	1	3	1	1	0	0
Guerra	1	0	0	0	0	1

Ege pitched to 1 batter in the 7th
HBP—by Darvish (Cron). WP—Darvish.
T—3:22. A—42,137 (43,250).

Linescores

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BLUE JAYS 3, RED SOX 2

Boston .... 000 001 100 —2 4 1
Toronto .... 021 000 00x —3 6 1

Rodriguez, Barnes (7), Kelly (8) and Hanigan, Holaday; Happ, Benoit (7), Grilli (8), Osuna (9) and Martin. W—Happ 18-4. L—Rodriguez 2-7. Sv—Osuna (31). HRs—Boston, Pedroia (13). Toronto, Upton (4).

TWINS 2, INDIANS 1 (12 INNINGS)

Cleveland .... 100 000 000 000 —1 7 0
Minnesota .... 010 000 000 001 —2 7 0

Clevinger, Garner (5), Manship (6), Armstrong (7), Crockett (7), McAllister (7), B.Shaw (9), A.Miller (10), Otero (11), J.Colon (12) and R.Perez, Gimenez; Santiago, Pressly (8), Kintzler (9), Boshers (10), Wimmers (10), O'Rourke (11), Chargois (12) and Suzuki, J.Murphy. W—Chargois 1-1. L—J.Colon 1-2. HRs—Minnesota, Sano (23).

YANKEES 5, RAYS 1

Tampa Bay .... 000 000 010 —1 6 1
New York .... 000 003 02x —5 6 0

Archer, Romero (8) and Wilson; Tanaka, Warren (8), Bleier (9), Clippard (9) and Sanchez. W—Tanaka 13-4. L—Archer 8-18. HRs—Tampa Bay, Wilson (3). New York, Ellsbury (8), Sanchez (13).

MARINERS 14, ATHLETICS 3

Seattle .... 204 002 600—14 17 1
Oakland .... 000 000 120 —3 9 0

Hernandez, Storen (7), Wilhelmsen (8), Nuno (9) and Sucre; Graveman, Wendelken (6), C.Smith (7) and Vogt, McBride. W—Hernandez 11-5. L—Graveman 10-10. HRs—Seattle, Seager (28). Oakland, Healy (8).

ROYALS 6, WHITE SOX 5

Kansas City .... 200 100 300 —6 7 0
Chicago .... 001 120 001 —5 13 1

Volquez, Strahm (6), McCarthy (6), K.Herrera (7), Soria (8), W.Davis (9) and S.Perez; Shields, Beck (7), Jennings (7), Minaya (8), B.Smith (9) and Narvaez. W—McCarthy 1-0. L—Beck 2-2. Sv—W.Davis (23). HRs—Kansas City, Gordon (15), Hosmer (22).

ORIOLES 11, TIGERS 3

Baltimore .... 331 103 000—11 12 0
Detroit .... 100 100 010 —3 8 0

Jimenez, T.Wilson (8), Britton (9) and Wieters; Zimmermann, B.Hardy (2), Farmer (4), Ryan (7), Lowe (8), Mantiply (9) and Saltalamacchia. W—Jimenez 7-11. L—Zimmermann 9-6. HRs—Baltimore, Wieters 2 (14), Jones (27), Davis (36).

NATIONAL LEAGUE

CARDINALS 5, BREWERS 1

Milwaukee .... 000 010 000 —1 6 1
St. Louis .... 000 000 05x —5 8 0

Anderson, Torres (6), Knebel (8), Marinez (8) and Susac, Maldonado; Wainwright, Bowman (9) and Molina. W—Wainwright 11-8. L—Knebel 1-3. HRs—Milwaukee, Broxton (7).

REDS 8, PIRATES 7

Cincinnati .... 000 430 001 —8 15 1
Pittsburgh .... 202 002 001 —7 10 0

Stephenson, J.Smith (4), Wood (6), Lorenzen (8), Cingrani (9) and Barnhart; Hutchison, Williams (5), Locke (6), Nicasio (8) and Cervelli. W—J. Smith 3-1. L—Williams 1-1. Sv—Cingrani (17). HRs—Cincinnati, Votto (23). Pittsburgh, Kang (18).

BRAVES 4, METS 3 (10 INNINGS)

New York .... 200 010 0000—3 7 0
Atlanta .... 100 101 0001—4 8 2

Colon, Salas (7), Ad.Reed (8), Robles (9), Blevins (9), Goeddel (10), Smoker (10) and d'Arnaud, R.Rivera; Gant, Cunniff (5), Simmons (6), J.Ramirez (7), Krol (8), J.Johnson (9), Withrow (10) and Pierzynski. W—Withrow 3-0. L—Goeddel 1-1. HRs—New York, Cespedes (29). Atlanta, Markakis (10), Kemp (7).

NATIONALS 3, PHILLIES 0

Philadelphia .... 000 000 000 —0 5 0
Washington .... 000 000 03x —3 7 0

Eickhoff, L.Garcia (7), Schuster (8), Mariot (8) and Rupp; Scherzer, Rzepczynski (7), Kelley (8), Melancon (9) and Lobaton. W—Kelley 2-2. L—L. Garcia 1-1. Sv—Melancon (40). HRs—Washington, Harper (24).

DODGERS 5, MARLINS 0

Los Angeles .... 000 013 100 —5 8 1
Miami .... 000 000 000 —0 2 0

R.Hill, Blanton (8), Dayton (9), Jansen (9) and Grandal; Koehler, Dunn (6), Ellington (7), Cervenka (8), McGowan (9) and Mathis, Telis. W—R. Hill 12-3. L—Koehler 9-11. HRs—Los Angeles, Pederson 2 (22), Turner (26), Seager (25).

INTERLEAGUE

ASTROS 2, CUBS 1

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Lackey, Grimm (7), Edwards (8) and Contreras; McHugh, Devenski (6), Harris (7), Gregerson (8), Giles (9) and J.Castro. W—McHugh 10-10. L—Lackey 9-8. Sv—Giles (10). HRs—Houston, Bregman (8).

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Angelique Kerber, of Germany, celebrates after beating Karolina Pliskova, of the Czech Republic,during the women's singles final of the U.S. Open tennis tournament Saturday in New York.

Kerber wins 1st US Open title by beating Pliskova in final

By Howard Fendrich
Associated Press

NEW YORK — Angelique Kerber won her first U.S. Open title and the second Grand Slam trophy of her breakthrough season, beating Karolina Pliskova 6-3, 4-6, 6-4 on Saturday.

The No. 2-seeded Kerber trailed by a break at 3-1 in the third set before taking five of the last six games against a fading Pliskova, who was seeded 10th and hadn't been past the third round at a major until this tournament.

The left-handed Kerber already was assured of making her debut at No. 1 in the WTA rankings on Monday, ending Serena Williams' record-tying 186-week stay at the top.

Never a Grand Slam finalist before 2016, the German beat Williams for the Australian Open title in January, then lost to her in the Wimbledon final in July.

They seemed to be on course for a third meeting in the final at Flushing Meadows, but Pliskova eliminated Williams in the semifinals, after beating her sister, Venus, in the fourth round.

Kerber lost to Pliskova the last time they met, just three weeks ago in the final of a hard-court tournament in Cincinnati. But at the outset of this final, it was Kerber who was in charge. Her defense is exemplary, scrambling along the baseline to put her racket on seemingly every ball, crouching so low that her knees would come close to scraping the ground.

As she does against most opponents, Kerber would make Pliskova swing two, three, four extra times to try to end a point. And Pliskova was troubled by that in the early going, making 17 unforced errors in the first set alone, 14 more than Kerber.

Kerber won the toss and elected to receive, perhaps for two reasons: Her serve is the biggest question mark in her otherwise solid game, and it made sense to force Pliskova to deal with an early test of nerves. Either way, the decision worked: Pliskova double-faulted on the match's first point and got broken right from the get-go.

There were plenty of lengthy exchanges in that first set, and Kerber tended to get the better of them, winning 9 of 14 points that lasted at least 10 strokes. On one that went 15 shots, Pliskova tried a drop shot that Kerber sprinted to reach before scooping a down-the-line forehand winner to a corner.

The Arthur Ashe Stadium crowd roared, and Kerber celebrated by raising her right hand and wagging her index finger in the air, as if to remind Pliskova — and the world — "I'm No. 1!"

But Pliskova hung in there. And after frittering away her first four break points of the match, she converted her fifth with a lob-volley winner that curled over Kerber and alit right by the baseline. Suddenly up 4-3 in the set, Pliskova turned to her coach up in the stands and yelled, pumping her fists.

Now it was a match, and as they went to the third set, both women began showing more and more emotion. Pliskova served out the second set and spiked a ball. Kerber got broken early in the third and bounced her racket off the court. Moments later, the German trailed 3-1.

But this was Kerber's turn to show some mettle, breaking back to 3-all and again to end it.

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Stubbs dh	5	0	1	0	Schrock 2b	4	0	0	0
Laureano cf	4	0	3	1	Taylor dh	4	1	1	0
Davis 3b	3	0	0	0	Marincov rf	3	2	1	1
Tanielu 2b	4	1	1	0	Munoz 3b	4	1	3	1
Gregor ph	1	0	1	0	Rosa 1b	3	1	1	1
McDonald 1b	2	0	0	0	Paz c	4	0	1	0
Hyde ss	3	0	0	0	Sportman lf	4	0	3	1
Ramsay ph	1	0	0	0	Martin ss	2	0	0	1
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Midland						
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Cochran-Gill	1.2	2	1	1	0	1
Sanchez	1.0	3	1	1	1	1

WP - Cochran-Gill. HBP - by Sneed (Martin).
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Texas League Playoff Glance
(x-if necessary)
Semifinal
(Best-of-5)

NW Arkansas 3, Springfield 0

Wednesday, Sep. 7: NW Arkansas 9, Springfield 6
Friday, Sep. 9: NW Arkansas 12, Springfield 11
Friday, Sep. 9: NW Arkansas 8, Springfield 3

Midland 2, Corpus Christi 1

Wednesday, Sep. 7: Midland 6, Corpus Christi 2
Thursday, Sep. 8: Corpus Christi 5, Midland 4
Thursday, Sep. 9: Midland 7 Corpus Christi 5
x-Saturday: Midland 5, Corpus Christi 2

Championship
(Best-of-5)

Tuesday, Sep. 13: TBD
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Friday, Sep. 16: TBD
x-Saturday, Sep. 17: TBD
x-Sunday, Sep. 18: TBD

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American League

BLUE JAYS 3
RED SOX 2

TORONTO — J.A. Happ got his 18th win, Melvin Upton Jr. hit a two-run homer and the Toronto Blue Jays beat Boston 3-2 on Saturday, closing within one game of the AL East-leading Red Sox.

Toronto stopped a four-game losing streak and avoided matching its longest skid this season. Devon Travis had three hits for the Blue Jays and is 6 for 9 in the first two games of the series.

Happ (18-4) allowed two runs and four hits in six-plus innings to win for the first time since Aug. 17 at the New York Yankees, ending a three-start winless streak. He didn't allow a hit until Chris Young's one-out single to center in the fifth.

MARINERS 14
ATHLETICS 3

OAKLAND, Calif. — Felix Hernandez pitched six scoreless innings to continue his dominance at the Oakland Coliseum and the Seattle Mariners beat the Athletics 14-3 on Saturday.

Nelson Cruz had three hits and three RBIs, Nori Aoki also had three hits and drove in two runs, and Kyle Seager hit his 28th home run to help the Mariners to their seventh win in eight games against the A's this season.

Seattle batted around twice and had seven players with two hits or more.

Hernandez (11-5) gave up four hits and a walk in the first two innings then settled in for his second consecutive win. Seattle's six-time All-Star walked one and struck out two for his seventh win since coming off the disabled list.

Kendall Graveman (10-10) took the loss.

ROYALS 6
WHITE SOX 5

CHICAGO — Whit Merrifield hit a go-ahead two-run double in a three-run seventh inning and the Kansas City Royals held on for a 6-5 victory over the Chicago White Sox on Saturday night.

Royals closer Wade Davis gave up a single to Tyler Saladino and a double to Adam Eaton to lead off the ninth before Melky Cabrera's infield single cut the deficit to one.

With the tying run on third and one out, Davis struck out Jose Abreu and Justin Morneau for his 23rd save as the Royals remained four games behind Baltimore for the second AL wild card.

Eric Hosmer hit a two-run homer in the first and Alex Gordon a solo shot in the fourth off White Sox starter James Shields. The struggling righty exited after six innings leading 4-3 before the Chicago's bullpen faltered.

Chris Beck (2-2) was charged with three runs while giving up two hits and a walk and getting one out.

Kevin McCarthy (1-0) got the last out of the sixth for the win.

TWINS 2
INDIANS 1

MINNEAPOLIS — Joe Mauer's single off Joe Colon scored Brian Dozier from second in the 12th inning to lift the Minnesota Twins over the Cleveland Indians 2-1 on Saturday night.

Dozier hit a two-out single and advanced to second when Colon (1-1) was called for a balk by homeplate umpire Vic Carapazza. That set up Mauer for his first hit of the long night, a sharp liner into right-center that allowed Dozier to score easily.

J.T. Chargois (1-1) pitched a perfect 12th for his first major-league victory, and the Indians failed to add to their six-game lead over Detroit in the AL Central.

Miguel Sano's second-inning homer — his 23rd of the year — made it 1-1. Neither team managed much offense after that.

Twins starter Hector Santiago worked seven strong innings after walking four batters and allowing seven baserunners his first two innings. He allowed only two baserunners in his final five.

ORIOLES 11
TIGERS 3

DETROIT — Matt Wieters hit two of Baltimore's four home runs, and Orioles chased Jordan Zimmermann in the second inning and moved back ahead of the Detroit Tigers in the AL wild-card race with an 11-3 rout Saturday night.

Adam Jones and Chris Davis homered in the first inning off Zimmermann (9-6), and Wieters connected in the second and sixth innings.

Baltimore is two games behind first-place Boston in the tightly bunched AL East and one game back of wild-card leader Toronto. The Orioles are one game ahead of the Tigers and New York Yankees for the second wild card.

Ubaldo Jimenez (7-11) allowed two runs, four hits and three walks in seven innings.

YANKEES 5
RAYS 1

NEW YORK — Gary Sanchez homered and almost hit another while Tampa Bay was trying to intentionally walk him, leading Masahiro Tanaka and the hard-charging New York Yankees to their season-best seventh straight win, 5-1 over the Rays on Saturday.

The Yankees closed within three games of AL East-leading Boston, their closest to the lead since mid-April. They began the day one game behind Baltimore and Detroit for the second wild-card spot, with the Orioles playing the Tigers later at night.

Tanaka (13-4) struck out 10 and took a shutout into the eighth inning. Chris Archer (8-18) tied the Tampa Bay record for losses in a season, set by Tanyon Sturtze in 2002.

National League

CARDINALS 5
BREWERS 1

ST. LOUIS — Randal Grichuk made two key plays and Adam Wainwright pitched eight strong innings to help the St. Louis Cardinals beat the Milwaukee Brewers 5-1 on Saturday night.

Grichuk made a perfect throw to the plate to cut down Jake Elmore trying to score from second in the eighth. Then he doubled in the bottom half, helping clear the way for a five-run rally. Matt Adam drove in the tying run with a grounder to second and Grichuk scored on Kolten Wong's single, giving St. Louis a 2-1 lead.

Wainwright (11-8) struck out seven and allowed six hits in his most impressive outing since a shutout against San Diego on July 21. He was helped by double plays in the second and seventh and Grichuk's throw in the eighth.

NATIONALS 3
PHILLIES 0

WASHINGTON — Bryce Harper hit a three-run home run in the bottom of the eighth inning to lift the Washington Nationals to a 3-0 victory over the Philadelphia Phillies on Saturday night.

Harper struck out in each of his first three plate appearances, all against Philadelphia starter Jerad Eickhoff. He then provided the game's only scoring against Patrick Schuster, who threw a wild pitch, issued a walk and gave up the homer without recording an out after replacing fellow reliever Luis Garcia (1-1).

Nationals ace Max Scherzer gave up four hits in 6 2/3 scoreless innings, and struck out eight to increase his NL lead to 251.

Shawn Kelley (2-2) recorded the final out of the eighth and Mark Melancon pitched ninth for his 40th save as Washington wonf or the fifth time in six games.

DODGERS 5
MARLINS 0

MIAMI — Los Angeles Dodgers pitcher Rich Hill was removed after throwing seven perfect innings against the Miami Marlins in a 5-0 victory on Saturday night.

Hill (3-0) had thrown 89 pitches and struck out nine when first-year manager Dave Roberts replaced the 35-year-old left-hander with Joe Blanton at the start of the eighth inning.

Blanton stuck out Christian Yelich and retired Marcell Ozuna on a groundout before Jeff Francoeur singled to left. Grant Dayton gave up Dee Gordon's two-out infield hit in the ninth that put two on, and Kenley Jansen retired Martin Prado on a groundout to complete the two-hitter.

REDS 8
PIRATES 7

PITTSBURGH — Joey Votto celebrated his 33rd birthday with four hits, including a home run, and the Cincinnati Reds beat the collapsing Pittsburgh Pirates 8-7 on Saturday night.

Votto led off the ninth inning with his 23rd homer, a drive to right off Juan Nicasio that gave the Reds a two-run cushion. The 2010 NL MVP is hitting .427 in 51 games since the All-Star break and could become the first major leaguer to hit .400 in the second half since Ichiro Suzuki had a .429 average in 2004 with the Seattle Mariners.

Interleague

ASTROS 2
CUBS 1

HOUSTON — Rookie Alex Bregman homered, Collin McHugh combined with his bullpen on a two-hitter and the Houston Astros beat the Chicago Cubs 2-1 Saturday as they tried to gain ground in the AL wild card race.

Marwin Gonzalez drove in a run with a third inning squeeze bunt for the Astros, who began the day 2 1/2 games back for the AL's second wild card.

Bregman put the Astros ahead with an opposite-field home run to right-center against John Lackey (9-8) in a two-run third. After starting 1 for 34 following hus July 25 callup, Bregman has eight home runs — all since Aug. 16. He went 2 for 4 and raised his average to .274 with 31 RBIs.

McHugh (10-10) won his third straight decision, allowing one run and two hits in five innings. Chris Devenski, Will Harris, Luke Gregerson and Ken Giles combined for hitless relief.

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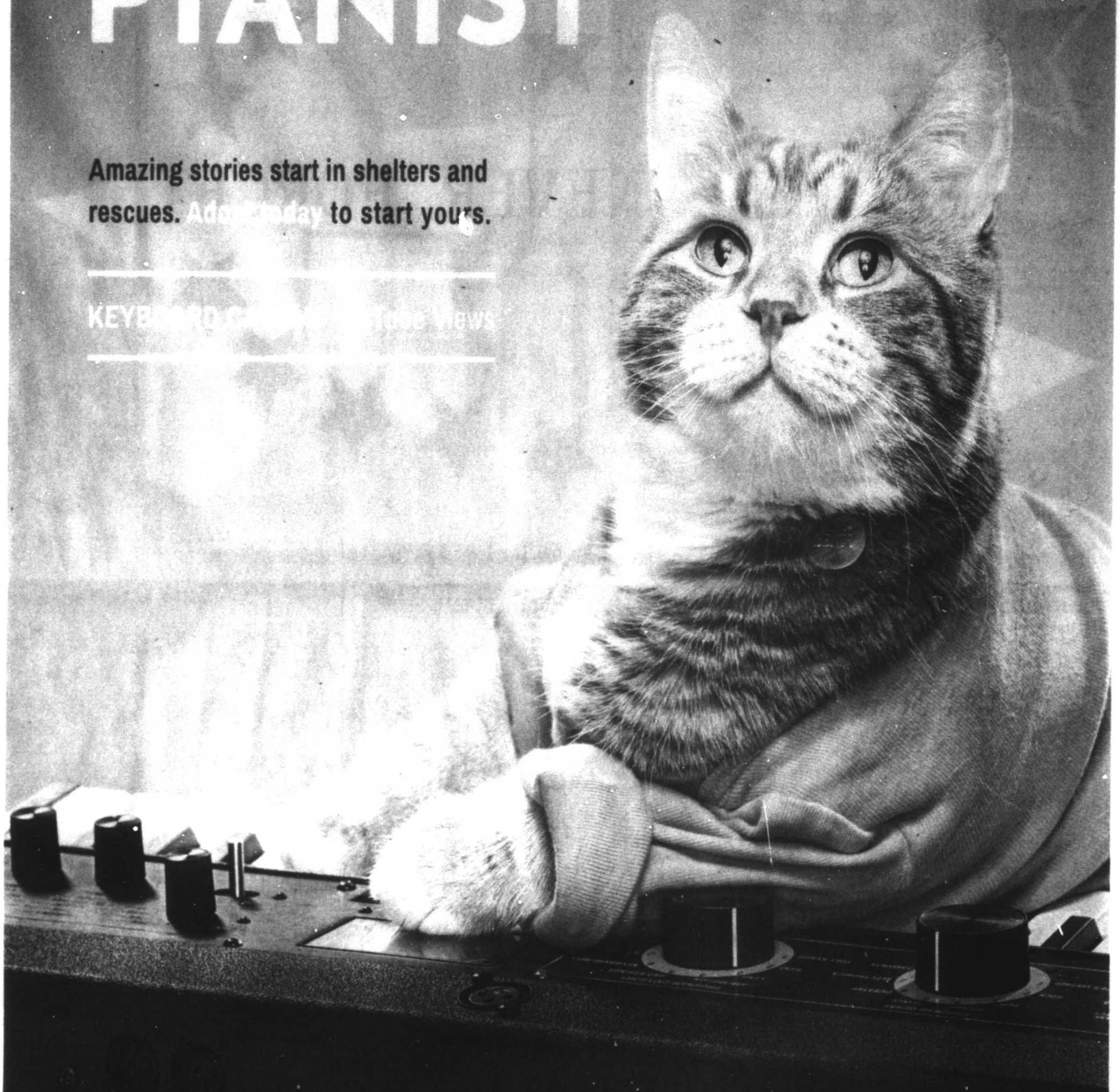

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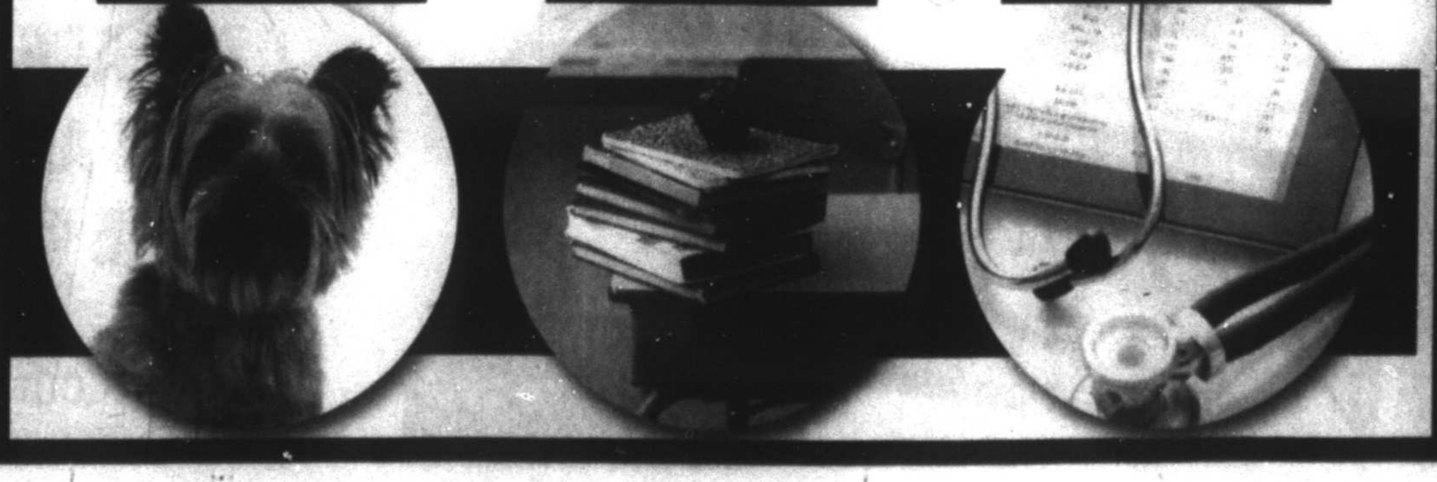

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OTHER JOBS

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This position is responsible for managing the packaging, mailing and processing of the many publications that we print while managing a staff of approximately 16-associates. Knowledge of 848 inserting machine, Quipp stackers and Dynaric strappers is a plus!

Duties are as follows although not limited to:

- Maintain a teamwork environment for a fast and accurate product packaged each shift with quality control.
- Oversee the duties performed by the mailroom personnel and ensure the task and duties are completed.
- Provide leadership of frontline employees along with the necessary training to develop a quality control standard within the mailroom.
- Must be able to perform under pressure and meet deadlines.
- Perform equipment maintenance.

Requirements:

- Previous supervisory experience preferred.
- Ability to understand and comply with all Company policies.
- Basic literacy, including basic math skills and legible writing.
- Ability to withstand noise, vibration, standing, bending and lifting.
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- Excellent communication skills.
- Ability to learn working knowledge of all job descriptions within the mailroom.
- Willing to be forklift certified.
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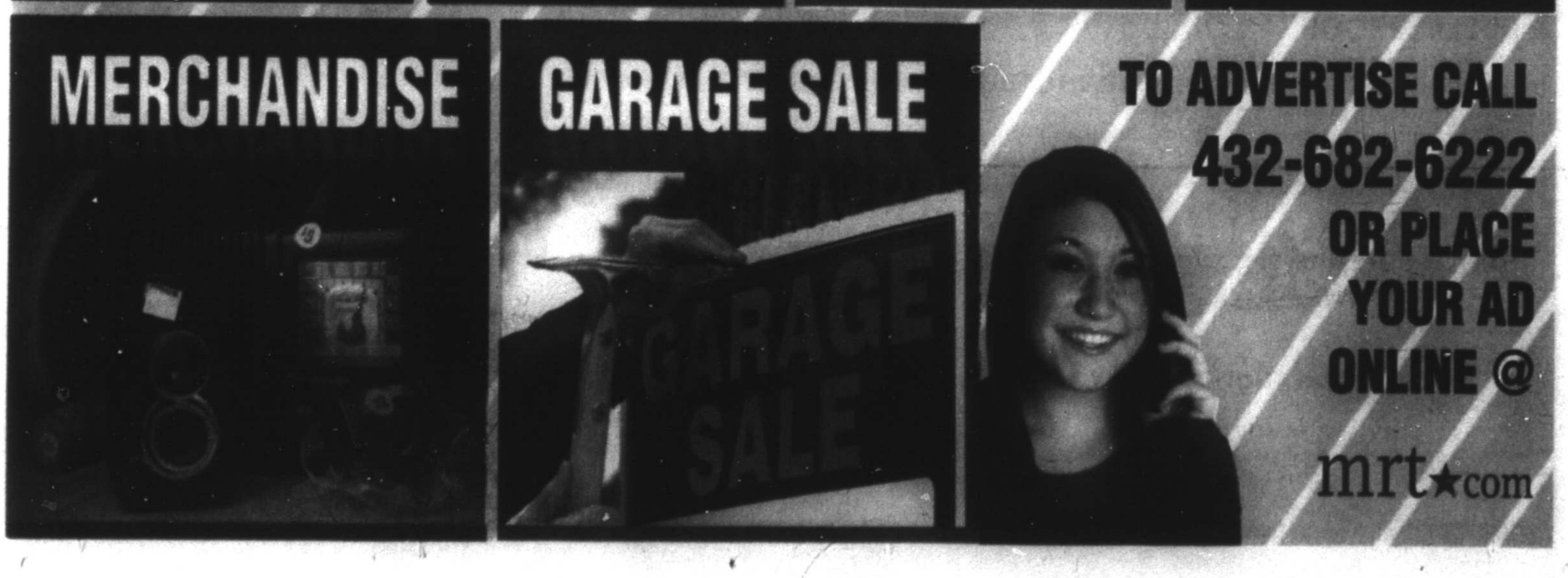

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Medical Sales

Talk to any sales professional and their goal is to make it into the field of medical device or pharmaceutical sales. The industry is booming and salaries are higher than they have ever been before.

Not to mention the incentive-heavy performance bonuses that many medical device companies dole out to their top sellers.

How do you transition from a career selling consumer goods, technology or services into one selling medical devices or pharmaceuticals? It takes some strategy in positioning yourself as a sales expert capable of taking on any type of product, but it can be done.

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UPDATE YOUR RESUME

Employers use applicant tracking systems to screen incoming applications for relevance. If your resume doesn't mention keywords such as "medical device sales," "pharmaceutical sales" or "health care industry," it's not likely to pass through these types of filtering systems.

Mention in your resume's summary that you're looking to transition, and highlight your key transferable skills throughout your document. These skills include relationship building, lead development, new business development, pipeline management, contract negotiation, major account management, consultative selling, revenue acceleration and executive relationships.

HIGHLIGHT RESULTS

Results are everything in the field of sales. If you have an accomplished record of multimillion-dollar sales in consumer goods, recruiters and hiring managers in medical sales will be impressed. Make sure these results shine on your resume and LinkedIn profile. Make it easy for hiring managers to find your results by creating a "Signature Achievements" section near the top of your resume. Choose three to four strong, numbers-based accomplishments and put them in bullet form.

NETWORKING

Look back at your list of past jobs. How many of those jobs came through a connection with a friend, colleague or family member? This is how a large percentage of jobs are awarded across every industry. This underscores the importance of making strong connections.

Start reaching out to your network of family and friends to see who they know in the medical sales industry. Set up lunch appointments with new contacts to discuss their knowledge of any openings or companies looking for proven sales professionals.

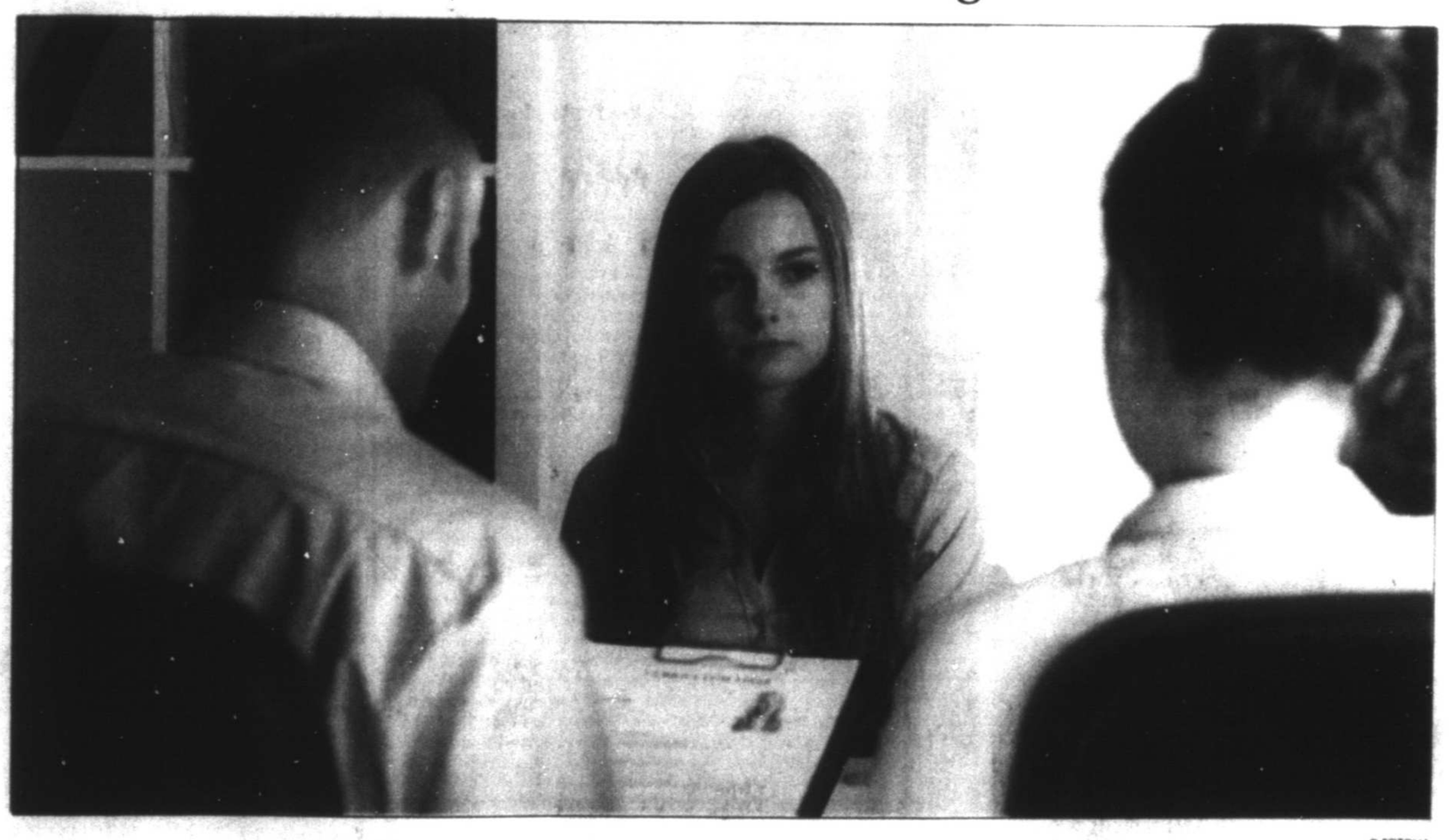
You never know what kinds of doors you could open just by being proactive in your search.

Breaking In

Finding your first job after college can seem more difficult than actually earning your degree. In fact, it can be even more of a challenge.

A 2013 Wall Street Journal report found that 284,000 Americans with a bachelor's degree or higher were working in jobs that paid minimum wage or less.

The job market is as competitive as ever, with numerous candidates hunting for the same positions. So how can you, the new college grad, differentiate yourself from the competition?



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BE PROACTIVE

Human resources directors will tell you that one of the most impressive traits of an entry-level hire is a proactive nature. Thinking creatively and knocking on doors is a great way of making connections.

Knowing the balance between being proactive and being a nuisance is critical, however.

There's nothing wrong with sending in a follow-up email after you have submitted your resume. Two or more starts getting into the zone of not being able to take a hint that you may not be the right fit for the position.

BULLETPROOF RESUME

Typos, misstatements and outright lies are easy to spot by trained professionals. And they can add up to your resume being thrown in the trash.

To avoid these mistakes, first of all be honest. There is no excuse for fabricating portions of your resume. Hiring managers are trained to follow up with your references and will work hard to fact-check information you claim to be true. Just remember, once you put it on paper and give it to someone, it's out there forever.

As far as typos are concerned, consider having someone else read through your resume. Their eyes are fresh and may be able to spot mistakes you are glossing over.

GET CREATIVE

Sending resumes via the mobile application Snapchat. Emailing storyboarded, choreographed resumes in video form. The list goes on. These are the signs of our digital times, and everyone is trying to take it to the next level when it comes to being noticed.

These ideas can be effective if your industry is a creative one, such as graphic design, videography or web development.

If you're a banker, attorney or sales manager, however, these methods can be a bit over the top. The key is in knowing your audience and tailoring your resume to what they are expecting.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR EXCEPTION TO SWR 26/27 SURFACE COMMINGLING PERMIT Notice is hereby given that SM Energy Company (RRC P-5 # 788997) has filed with the Texas Railroad Commission the following P-17 Application for an exception to SWR 26 and/or 27 to surface commingle production from the following oil and gas leases: Dorcus Janey (SA) G 1961WA (RRC Lease No. 816199), Dorcus Janey (SA) N 1971WB (RRC 816201), Dorcus Janey (SA) O 1972WB (RRC Lease No. 816202), Dorcus Janey (SA) F 1960WA (RRC Lease No. 817536) and Dorcus Janey (SA) M 1970WB (RRC Lease No. 817542), all in the Spraberry (Trend Area) in Midland and Upton Counties, Texas. The wells and leases are located in Section. 19, Block 41, T-4-S, T&P Ry Co. Survey, Midland and Upton Counties, Texas and Section 18, Block 41, T-4-S, T&P Ry Co. Survey, Midland County, Texas. This application is for off lease storage, common separation, common storage and casinghead gas metering by allocation by well test. Production will be allocated by W-10 Tests. Any royalty interest owners who have not received written notification, please consider this your Notice of Application. If you have objections to the issuance of this permit, you may submit a letter to P-17 Department, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711. Unless the Railroad Commission receives a protest to this application, the Commission may issue a permit within 21 days following the date of last publication.

Legal & Public Notices

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cv-50,437

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO THE FOLLOWING:

Josie C. Mota aka Josie C. Chapa, an individual
By Publication in the local newspaper in general circulation, to Wit: The Midland Reporter Telegram, 201 E Illinois Ave, Midland, TX 79701

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO APPEAR AND ANSWER HEREIN at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation. Your answer is due no later than 10 o'clock a.m. on Monday, September 17, 2016. You may employ an attorney. Your answer must be filed at the office of the Clerk at 500 N. Loraine, 3rd Floor, Midland, Texas 79701.

The suit is numbered CV-50,437 and is styled "Jesus Estrada v. Josie C. Mota aka Josie C. Chapa." The petition in this cause was filed on July 3, 2014 in the 441ST Judicial District Court of MIDLAND County, Texas. This lawsuit is Suit to Partition Real Property.

Plaintiff's Attorney Name and Address

Alvaro Martinez
1607 N. Big Spring
MIDLAND, TX 79701

NOTICE TO THE DEFENDANT: You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation a default judgment may be taken against you. Your answer is due no later than 10 o'clock a.m. on Monday, September 18, 2016.

ISSUED AND GIVEN under my hand and seal of office on September 2, 2016, at 500 N. Loraine, 3rd Floor, Midland, Texas 79701, MIDLAND County, Texas.

Ross Bush
Midland District Clerk
500 N. Loraine, 3rd Floor
Midland
MIDLAND County, Texas

By: Virginia Pillado, Deputy

Legal & Public Notices

PUBLIC NOTICE FOR BID

Midland County Hospital District is accepting bids for the project entitled: **Furnishings for AWI-DIA Legends Park Medical Office Building** at 5615 Deauville Blvd., Midland, Texas 79706.

Bidders may contact Joy Bartolotta at Ascension Group Environments For Health for bid documents and questions after Monday, September 5, 2016.

Ascension Group Environments For Health
1250 E. Copeland Road, Suite 500
Arlington, Texas 76011
Telephone: 817-226-1917
jbartolotta@e4harchitecture.com

A Bid Bond in an amount not less than five percent (5%) will be required with bid submission. The successful bidder will be required to enter into a general contract with the Midland County Hospital District. A Performance Bond and Payment Bond in an amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price will be required by Owner upon contract execution.

Two (2) hard copies and one (1) Electronic copy of all bids must be received in the Department of Materials Management of Midland Memorial Hospital - Main Campus, 400 Rosalind Redfern Grover Parkway, Midland, Texas, 79701, by **12:00 PM, Tuesday, September 20, 2016. Under no circumstances will bids received beyond Tuesday, September 20, 2016, 12:00 PM be accepted.**
One (1) additional hard copy and one electronic version must be submitted to Ascension Group Environments For Health.

All bids must be sealed and labeled **"RFP # 1197-090516 Enclosed"**.

Faxed bids from bidders will not be accepted.

All bids must be price protected until December 31, 2016.

All bids will remain confidential until after an award has been made. Vendors will then be allowed to review the bids in the purchasing office according to the policy/procedure of Midland Memorial Hospital. Midland County Hospital District reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive formalities.

Bids shall be addressed to: Rachel Hanna Jones
Director of Materials Management
Midland County Hospital District
Midland Memorial Hospital
400 Rosalind Redfern Grover Parkway
Midland, Texas 79701

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION

City of Midland will hold a Public Vehicle Auction at Action Wrecker Service, Inc., 1109 S. Midland Dr. on Saturday, Sept 17, 2016. Gates open at 8:00 AM. Auction begins at 10:00 AM. All vehicles will be sold to the highest bidder. Full payment is due at the time of purchase. Buyer has five days to remove vehicles from impound lot. For more information visit www.actionwrecker.com or contact Action Wrecker Service Inc., 1109 S Midland Drive, Midland, TX. (432) 697-8697.

General Announcements

WANTED- I'M studying salt water in the Ogallala Formation. If you have a shallow salty well I'd like to obtain a sample. Please call Frank at 307-231-1404

Lost & Found

FOUND: WHITE, male schnauzer on Midkiff and Neely on 9/3. 432-770-1963.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR EXCEPTION TO
SWR 26/27 SURFACE COMMINGLING PERMIT

Notice is hereby given that XTO Energy Inc., Operator 945936, has filed to amend existing P-17 permit 7330 with the Texas Railroad Commission. The following amended P-17 application for the exception to SWR 26 and/or 27 to surface commingle production from oil and gas leases in (47548 Lease ID) Midkiff 42-43 Allocation 4301 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field; (47418) Midkiff 42-43 Allocation 4302. lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field: (47420) Midkiff 42-43 Allocation 4303 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field: (47430) Midkiff 42-43 Allocation 4304 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field: (47419) Midkiff 42-43 Allocation 4311 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field: (47417) Midkiff 42-43 Allocation 4313 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field: (47490) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3201 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field: (47489) Maralo 42-32 Allocation 3202 lease, Spraberyy (Trend Area) field: (47685) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3203 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field: (47685) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3204 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field: (New Lease ID) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3205 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field: (New Lease ID) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3206 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field: (New Lease ID) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3207 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field: (New Lease ID) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3208 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field: (47448) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3211 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field: (47451) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3213 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field: (New Lease ID) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3215 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field: (New Lease ID) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3217 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field: (47166) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3221 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field: in Midland County. This application is for common separation and common storage. Production will be measured by W-10. Any royalty interest owners who have not received written notification please consider this your Notice of Application. If you have objections to the issuance of this permit, you may submit a letter to Kierra Pimpton, P-17 Department, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711. Unless the Commission receives a protest to this application, the Commission may issue a permit within 21 days after the date the application is filed.

Legal & Public Notices

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR EXCEPTION TO
SWR 26/27 SURFACE COMMINGLING PERMIT

Notice is hereby given that XTO Energy Inc., Operator 945936, has filed to amend existing P-17 permit #7030 with the Texas Railroad Commission. The following amended P-17 application is for the exception to SWR 26 and/or 27 to surface commingle production from oil and gas leases in (Lease ID18819) LHS Ranch lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) R 40 EXC field; (Lease ID 45329) Lillie Midkiff 5 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) R 40 EXC field; (Lease ID 47490) . Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3201 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field; (Lease ID47448) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3211. lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field; (Lease ID 47489) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3202 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field; (Lease ID 47451) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3213 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field; (Lease ID 47685) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3203 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field; (Lease ID 47685) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3204 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field; (New Lease ID) Maralo 41-32 Allocatiun 3205 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field; (New Lease ID) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3215 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field; (New Lease ID) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3206 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field; (New Lease ID) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3207 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field;(New Lease ID) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3217 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field; (New Lease ID) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3208 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field; (Lease ID 47166) Maralo 41-32 Allocation 3221 lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) field; (New Lease ID) Lillie Midkiff 44-41 Allocation 4101 Spraberry (Trend Area) R40 EXC field; (Lease ID 47597) Lillie Midkiff 44-41 Allocation 4107 lease Spraberry (Trend Area) R40 EXC field; (New Lease ID) Lillie Midkiff 44-41 Allocation 4111 lease Spraberry (Trend Area) R40 EXC field in Upton/Midland County. This application is for common separation and common storage. Production will be measured by W-10. Any royalty interest owners who have not received written notification please consider this your Notice of Application. If you have objections to the issuance of this permit, you may submit a letter to Kierra Pimpton, P-17 Department, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711. Unless the Commission receives a protest to this application, the Commission may issue a permit within 21 days after the date the application is filed.

Legal & Public Notices

LEGAL NOTICE

The Klondike Independent School District, in Dawson County, Texas is accepting bids for individual trades for the following:

**Year 2016 Improvements -
Water Treatment Facility for Klondike ISD**

Bids will be received through **3:00 pm Thursday, September 29th** 2016 and should be addressed or faxed to:

Steve McLaren, Superintendent
Klondike ISD
2911 CR H
Lamesa, TX 79331
(806) 462-7332 (office)
(806) 462-7333 (fax)

All bids received prior to the bid closing are to be opened and read aloud in the Superintendents Office at the above address on Thursday, September 29th 2016 at 3:00 pm.

Plans, Bid Packages and Specifications are available and may be acquired from the Construction Manager:

WR Construction
5912 CR 6300
Lubbock, TX 79416
(806) 687-1915 (office)
(806) 687-1925 (fax)
(806) 577-6856 (cell)
www.wrclubbock.com
wayne@wrgencon-inc.com

An **Optional** Pre-Bid Conference will be held at **3:00 pm Tuesday, September 20th 2016**. All interested parties should meet at the Superintendent's Office, at the above address.

The Klondike Independent School District Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and waive all formalities.

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**Notice Of Application
For Fluid Injection Well Permit**

XTO Energy, Inc., Opr. No. 945936, 500 W. Illinois , Suite 100, Midland, Texas 79701 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas to amend an existing injection permit to inject fluid, and gas into a formation which is productive of oil and gas. XTO Energy Inc. will modify the injection interval.

The applicant proposes to dispose of these fluids into the Grayburg, San Andres Formations in the Means/ San Andres/ Unit Lease, well number: 1372. It is located in Blk A35, Section 1, which is approximately 9 miles northeast from the city of Andrews and is in the Means Field in Andrews, TX. Fluid will be injected into the strata in the subsurface depth interval from 4100 to 5000 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)

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original *Letters of Independent Administration* for the Estate of Lura W. Smith, Deceased, were issued on July 28, 2016 pending in the County Court of Midland County, Texas, to Mary Seay Brockett.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

c/o: Ashley Iovine
Brockett & McNeel LLP
24 Smith Road, Suite 400
Midland, Texas 79705

DATED the 8th day of September, 2016.

Respectfully submitted,

Brockett & McNeel LLP
TGAAR Tower
24 Smith Road, Suite 400
Midland, Texas 79705
Telephone: 432.686.7743
Telecopier: 432.683.6229

By: **Ashley Iovine**
State Bar No. 24097870
aiovine@brockettmcneel.net

Attorney for Applicant

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**RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
OIL AND GAS DIVISION**

DISTRICT 7C
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Sep 2, 2016
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, Oct 7, 2016
Address: Railroad Commission of Texas
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit
P. O. Box 12967
Austin, Texas 78711-2967
Fax: (512) 463-6780
Email: SWR37@RRC.TEXAS.GOV

Rule 37 Case No. 0301557
Status/Permit No. 817712

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the COG OPERATING LLC, [RRC Operator No. 166150] has made application for a spacing exception permit under the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 (16 Tex. Admin. Code section 3.37). Applicant seeks exception to the lease line distance requirement because the Applicant is less than the required Rule 37 lease line distance to an unleased or non-pooled interest within the subject unit for the NEW DRILL permit in Sec. 83, Bk. D, CCSD&RGNG RR CO Survey, A-52, SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) Field, UPTON County, being 16.8 miles NW direction from RANKIN, Texas.

PURSUANT TO THE TERMS of Railroad Commission rules and regulations, this application may be granted **WITHOUT A HEARING** if no protest to the application is received within the deadline. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A Protestant should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the hearing. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission's Docket Services Department at (512)463-6848. If you have questions which are specific to the Application or the information set forth in this Notice, please contact the Commission's Drilling Permit Unit at rule 37 (512)463-6751.

IF YOU WISH TO REQUEST A HEARING ON THIS APPLICATION, AN INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE RAILROAD COMMISSION'S AUSTIN OFFICE AT THE ADDRESS, FAX NUMBER, OR E-MAIL ADDRESS SET OUT ABOVE BY Oct 7, 2016 at 5:00 p.m. IF NO PROTEST IS RECEIVED WITHIN SUCH TIME, YOU WILL LOSE YOUR RIGHT TO PROTEST AND THE REQUESTED PERMIT MAY BE GRANTED ADMINISTRATIVELY.

THIS NOTICE OF APPLICATION REQUIRES PUBLICATION

The location and identity of the well is as shown below:

FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA)

Lease/Unit Name	:	JOYCE P2 UNIT
Lease/Unit Well No.	:	8230BH
Lease/Unit Acres	:	190.0
Nearest Lease Line (ft)	:	1.0
Nearest Well on Lease (ft)	:	330.0

Lease Lines : 328.0 F N L, 450.0 F E L
Survey Lines : 328.0 F N L, 450.0 F E L

Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal

Lateral: TH1
Penetration Point Location
Lease Lines: 328.0 F N (OFFLEASE) L
450.0 F E (OFFLEASE) L
Terminus Location
BH County: UPTON
Section: 81 Block: D Abstract: 51
Survey: CCSD&RGNG RR CO
Lease Lines: 10.0 F NORTH L
61.0 F WEST L
Survey Lines: 10.0 F NORTH L
330.0 F EAST L

Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows:

SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) : Special Rules 330/0, 80.0 acres.

This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 10000 feet.

If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Tammy Aylesworth, at (432) 683-7443.

Legal & Public Notices

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed Bid(s) will be received until 2:00 P.M., September 21, 2016 to be opened at 2:00 P.M., in the Office of the City Secretary City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas for the following Bid(s):

Bid No. 16004005

For: Police Uniforms

If the Contract is awarded, it will be awarded to either the lowest responsible bidder, or to the bidder who provides goods or services at the best value for the City of Midland. In determining the best value for the City of Midland, the City of Midland may consider the criteria enumerated in Section 252.043 of the Texas Local Government Code. Information for Bidders, Proposal Forms, Specifications and General conditions for bidding may be obtained from the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas.

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TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

AMENDED NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF APPLICATION AND INTENT TO OBTAIN WATER QUALITY PERMIT

PROPOSED PERMIT NO. WQ0015496001

APPLICATION. Pioneer Natural Resources USA, Inc., 3617 North Big Spring Street, Midland, Texas 79705, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for proposed Texas Land Application Permit (TLAP) No. WQ0015496001 to authorize disposal of treated wastewater at a volume not to exceed a daily average flow of 11,250 gallons per day via evaporation. The domestic wastewater treatment facility and disposal area are located at 7612 East County Road 79, Midland in Midland County, Texas 79706. TCEQ received this application on July 1, 2016. The permit application is available for viewing and copying at Midland County Courthouse, 500 North Loraine Street, Midland, Texas. This link to an electronic map of the site or facility's general location is provided as a public courtesy and not part of the application or notice. For exact location, refer to application.
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ADDITIONAL NOTICE. TCEQ's Executive Director has determined the application is administratively complete and will conduct a technical review of the application. After technical review of the application is complete, the Executive Director may prepare a draft permit and will issue a preliminary decision on the application. **Notice of the Application and Preliminary Decision will be published and mailed to those who are on the county-wide mailing list and to those who are on the mailing list for this application. That notice will contain the deadline for submitting public comments.**

PUBLIC COMMENT / PUBLIC MEETING. You may submit public comments or request a public meeting on this application. The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit comments or to ask questions about the application. TCEQ will hold a public meeting if the Executive Director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application or if requested by a local legislator. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing.

OPPORTUNITY FOR A CONTESTED CASE HEARING. After the deadline for submitting public comments, the Executive Director will consider all timely comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material, or significant public comments. **Unless the application is directly referred for a contested case hearing, the response to comments, and the Executive Director's decision on the application, will be mailed to everyone who submitted public comments and to those persons who are on the mailing list for this application. If comments are received, the mailing will also provide instructions for requesting reconsideration of the Executive Director's decision and for requesting a contested case hearing.** A contested case hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in state district court.

TO REQUEST A CONTESTED CASE HEARING, YOU MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS IN YOUR REQUEST: your name, address, phone number; applicant's name and proposed permit number; the location and distance of your property/activities relative to the proposed facility; a specific description of how you would be adversely affected by the facility in a way not common to the general public; a list of all disputed issues of fact that you submit during the comment period and, the statement "[I/we] request a contested case hearing." If the request for contested case hearing is filed on behalf of a group or association, the request must designate the group's representative for receiving future correspondence; identify by name and physical address an individual member of the group who would be adversely affected by the proposed facility or activity; provide the information discussed above regarding the affected member's location and distance from the facility or activity; explain how and why the member would be affected; and explain how the interests the group seeks to protect are relevant to the group's purpose.

Following the close of all applicable comment and request periods, the Executive Director will forward the application and any requests for reconsideration or for a contested case hearing to the TCEQ Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting.

The Commission may only grant a request for a contested case hearing on issues the requestor submitted in their timely comments that were not subsequently withdrawn.

MAILING LIST. If you submit public comments, a request for a contested case hearing or a reconsideration of the Executive Director's decision, you will be added to the mailing list for this specific application to receive future public notices mailed by the Office of the Chief Clerk. In addition, you may request to be placed on: (1) the permanent mailing list for a specific applicant name and permit number; and/or (2) the mailing list for a specific county. If you wish to be placed on the permanent and/or the county mailing list, clearly specify which list(s) and send your request to TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below.

AGENCY CONTACTS AND INFORMATION. All written public comments and requests must be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, TX 78711-3087 or electronically at www.tceq.texas.gov/about/comments.html. If you need more information about this permit application or the permitting process, please call TCEQ Public Education Program, Toll Free, at 1-800-687-4040. **Si desea información en Español, puede llamar al 1-800-687-4040. General information about TCEQ can be found at our web site at www.tceq.texas.gov.**

Further information may also be obtained from the Pioneer Natural Resources USA, Inc. at the address stated above or by calling Mr. Danny Barker at 432-571-1718.

Issuance Date: September 1, 2016

Legal & Public Notices

Comisión de Calidad Ambiental del Estado de Texas

AVISO DE RECIBO DE LA SOLICITUD E INTENCION DE OBTENER PERMISO PARA LA CALIDAD DEL AGUA

PERMISO PROPUESTO NO. WQ0015496001

SOLICITUD. Pioneer Natural Resources USA, Inc., 3617 North Big Spring Street, Midland, Texas 79705, ha solicitado a la Comisión de Calidad Ambiental de Texas (TCEQ) para el propuesto Permiso No.WQ0015496001 de disposición de aguas residuales para autorizar la disposición de aguas residuales tratadas en un volumen que no sobrepasa un flujo promedio diario de 11,250 galones por día por medio de evaporación. La planta de tratamiento de aguas domésticos residuales y el área de disposición están ubicados en 7612 East County Road 79, Midland en el Condado de Midland, Texas. La TCEQ recibió esta solicitud el día primero de Julio, 2016. La solicitud para el permiso está disponible para leer y copiar en la corte del condado de Midland, 500 N Loraine Street. Este enlace a un mapa electrónico de la ubicación general del sitio o de la instalación es proporcionado como una cortesía y no es parte de la solicitud o del aviso. Para la ubicación exacta, consulte la solicitud.
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AVISO ADICIONAL. El Director Ejecutivo de la TCEQ ha determinado que la solicitud es administrativamente completa y conducirá una revisión técnica de la solicitud. Después de completar la revisión técnica, el Director Ejecutivo puede preparar un borrador del permiso y emitirá una Decisión Preliminar sobre la solicitud. **El aviso de la solicitud y la decisión preliminar serán publicados y enviado a los que están en la lista de correo de las personas a lo largo del condado que desean recibir los avisos y los que están en la lista de correo que desean recibir avisos de esta solicitud. El aviso dará la fecha límite para someter comentarios públicos.**

COMENTARIO PUBLICO / REUNION PUBLICA. Usted puede presentar comentarios públicos o pedir una reunión pública sobre esta solicitud. El propósito de una reunión pública es dar la oportunidad de presentar comentarios o hacer preguntas acerca de la solicitud. La TCEQ realiza una reunión pública si el Director Ejecutivo determina que hay un grado de interés público suficiente en la solicitud o si un legislador local lo pide. Una reunión pública no es una audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso.

OPORTUNIDAD DE UNA AUDIENCIA ADMINISTRATIVA DE LO CONTENCIOSO. Después del plazo para presentar comentarios públicos, el Director Ejecutivo considerará todos los comentarios apropiados y preparará una respuesta a todo los comentarios públicos esenciales, pertinentes, o significativos. **A menos que la solicitud haya sido referida directamente a una audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso, la respuesta a los comentarios y la decisión del Director Ejecutivo sobre la solicitud serán enviados por correo a todos los que presentaron un comentario público y a las personas que están en la lista para recibir avisos sobre esta solicitud. Si se reciben comentarios, el aviso también proveerá instrucciones para pedir una reconsideración de la decisión del Director Ejecutivo y para pedir una audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso.** Una audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso es un procedimiento legal similar a un procedimiento legal civil en un tribunal de distrito del estado.

PARA PEDIR UNA AUDIENCIA ADMINISTRATIVA DE LO CONTENCIOSO, USTED DEBE INCLUIR EN SU PEDIDO LOS SIGUIENTES DATOS: su nombre; dirección; teléfono; nombre del solicitante y número del permiso; la ubicación y la distancia de su propiedad/actividad con respecto a la instalación; una descripción específica de la forma cómo usted sería afectado adversamente por el sitio de una manera no común al público en general; y la declaración "[Yo/nosotros] solicito/solicitamos un/a audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso". Si presenta por parte de un grupo o asociación el pedido para una audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso, debe identificar el nombre y la dirección de una persona que representa al grupo para recibir correspondencia en el futuro; debe identificar un miembro del grupo que sería afectado adversamente por la planta o la actividad propuesta; debe proveer la información ya indicada anteriormente con respecto a la ubicación del miembro afectado y la distancia de la planta o actividad propuesta; debe explicar como y porqué el miembro sería afectado y como los intereses que el grupo desea proteger son pertinentes al propósito del grupo.

Después del cierre de los períodos para los pedidos y comentarios, el Director Ejecutivo enviará la solicitud y los pedidos para reconsideración o por una audiencia administrativa de lo contenciosos a los Comisionados de la TCEQ para su consideración en una reunión programada de la Comisión.

La Comisión otorgará solamente un audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso sobre los hechos reales disputados del caso que son pertinentes y esenciales para la decisión de la Comisión sobre la solicitud. Además, la Comisión sólo otorgará una audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso sobre los asuntos que fueron presentados antes del plazo de vencimiento y que no fueron retirados posteriormente.

LISTA DE CORREO. Si somete comentarios públicos, un pedido para una audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso o una reconsideración de la decisión del Director Ejecutivo, la Oficina del Secretario Principal enviará por correo los avisos públicos en relación con la solicitud. Ademas, puede pedir que la TCEQ ponga su nombre en una or mas de las listas correos siguientes (1) la lista de correo permanente para recibir los avisos de el solicitante indicado por nombre y número del permiso específico y/o (2) la lista de correo de todas las solicitudes en un condado específico. Si desea que se agrega su nombre en una de las listas designe cual lista(s) y envia por correo su pedido a la Oficina del Secretario Principal de la TCEQ.

CONTACTOS E INFORMACIÓN DE LA TCEQ. Todos los comentarios escritos del público y los pedidos para una reunión deben ser presentados a la Oficina del Secretario Principal, MC 105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, TX 78711-3087 o por el internet at www.tceq.state.tx.us/about/comments.html. Si necesita más información en Español sobre esta solicitud para un permiso o el proceso del permiso, por favor llame a El Programa de Educación Pública de la TCEQ, sin cobro, al 1-800-687-4040. La información general sobre la TCEQ puede ser encontrada en nuestro sitio de la red: www.tceq.state.tx.us.

También se puede obtener información adicional del Pioneer Natural Resources USA, Inc. a la dirección indicada arriba o llamando a Danny Barker al 432-571-1718.

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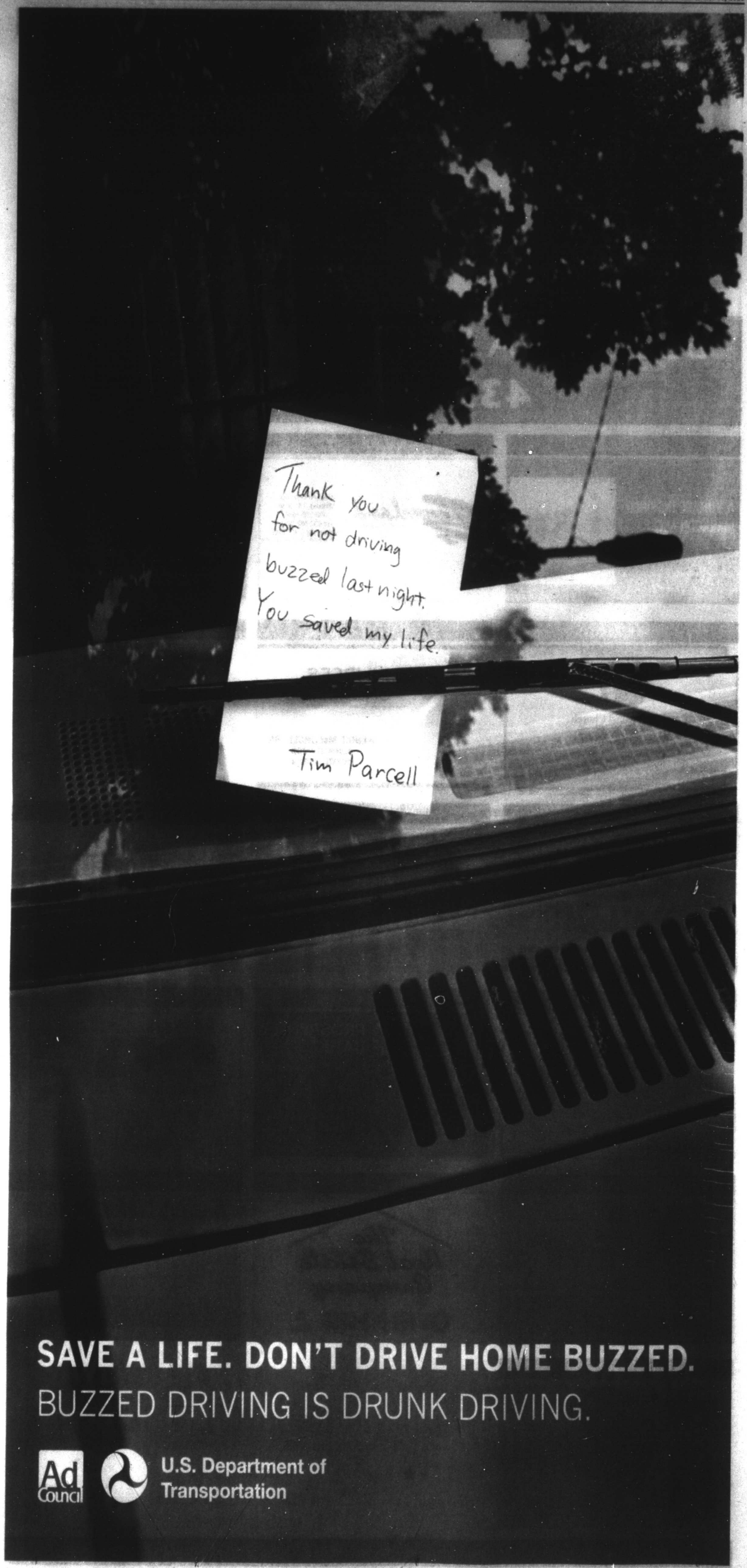
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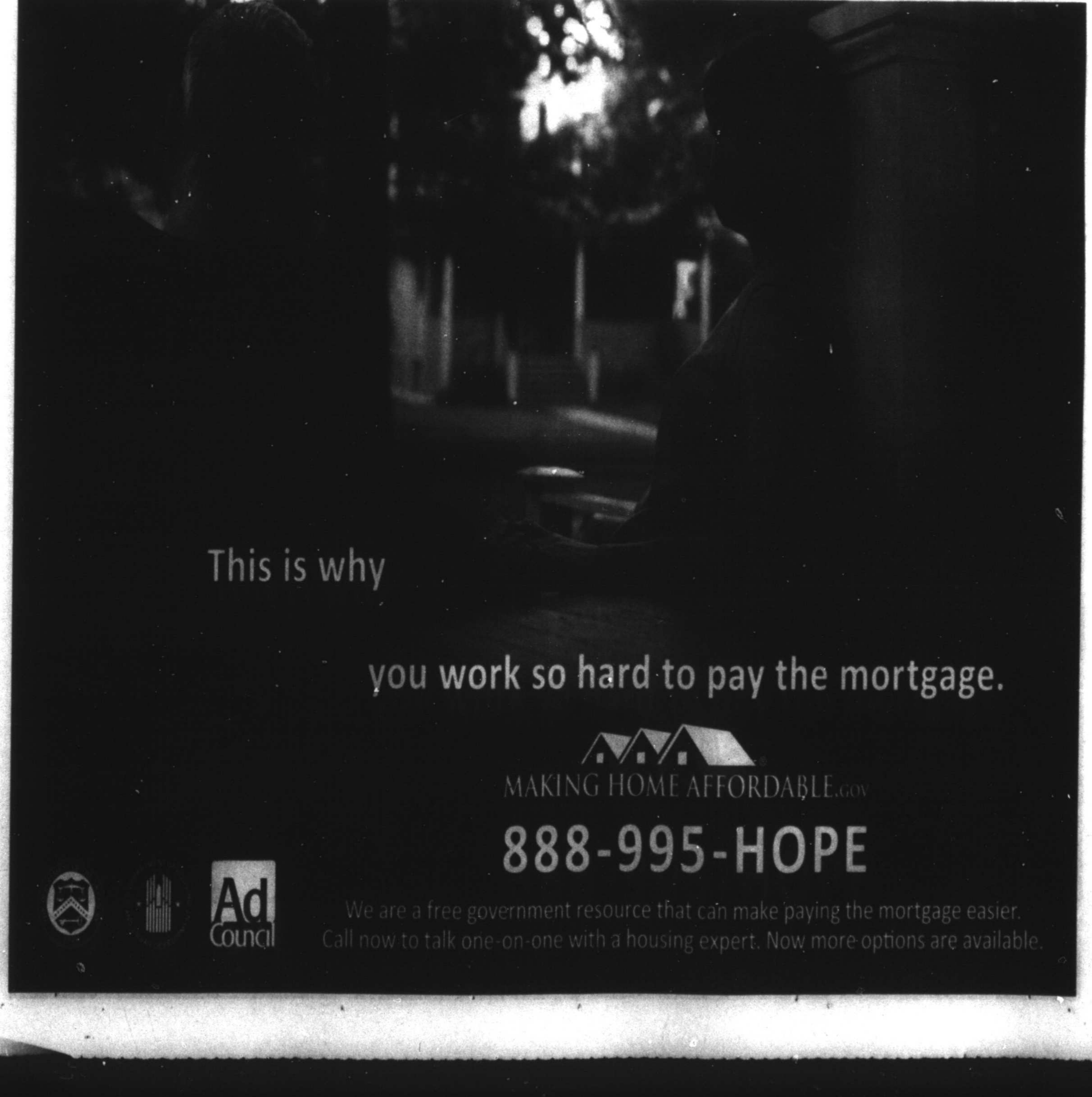

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11 Hialeah Drive

If you are looking for an exquisite home in the exclusive gated Saddle Club Estates look no further! 11 Hialeah in Saddle Club Estates is a 4,944 square foot home with four bedrooms, four and a half baths, two living areas, two dining areas and a four car garage. Great planning went in to the design of this two story home. It was built with indoor and outdoor entertaining in mind. Wonderful details include various tall ceiling styles, open floor plan, wide walkways, new brush nickel hardware and multiple fireplaces throughout.

Passing through the elegant front iron doors, you will be welcomed into a large living area with a wonderful fireplace and a great spance of windows bringing amazing light to this open floor plan. You will then notice the beautiful view of the sparkling pool through the two sets of double doors inviting you to the gorgeous back patio. Flowing throughout the home is saltillo tile giving the home that authentic Mediterranean feel.

A hallway to the right from the entrance leads to the sequestered master suite with an additional study across from the master for either reading or relaxing. Walking though the master you will have a spacious bedroom with two sets of doors to the exquisite back patio which allows you to easily enjoy the back yard features. The bath features are dual sinks, a ladies vanity, an oversized tub, walk in shower and two walk in his and her closets with built in shelving and dressers.

Off to the left from the entrance is the formal dining room, featuring a spectacular chandelier, with a gorgeous view of the front yard. Nearby is the large kitchen which features granite countertops, stainless appliances, gorgeous white wooden cabinetry with easy close drawers, leaded glass transom throughout and a granite topped island with bonus storage. An over the sink window for that great kitchen lighting featuring a large pantry, that creates the perfect work space! There is plenty of space in this kitchen for either additional dining or a small gathering area, located near by is a fireplace for kitchen entertaining. The possibilities are endless!

A hall from the kitchen leads to the laundry room with cabinets that match those in the kitchen, a drip dry closet, and a gray granite counter top with sink. Access to the four car garage is here as well. To the right of the laundry room is a hallway with a half bath that leads to the second downstairs bedroom and bath as well as a stairway up to the second floor. All bedrooms in this lovely home have full bathrooms and large closets. The upstairs area has two bedrooms and one office. The room next to the office can either be an optional master suite or a game/ lounge room which features a lovely large entertainment center, a cozy fireplace, and a spacious walk-in closet and bathroom.

This home has an inviting large back patio, a generous sparkling pool, a cabana/outdoor cooking area with fireplace! Great for lounging and relaxing in the summer or cuf by the fireplace on a cool breezy night! This house is definitely a must see!! Schools for this area include Santa Rita Elementary, Goddard Jr. High and Midland High.

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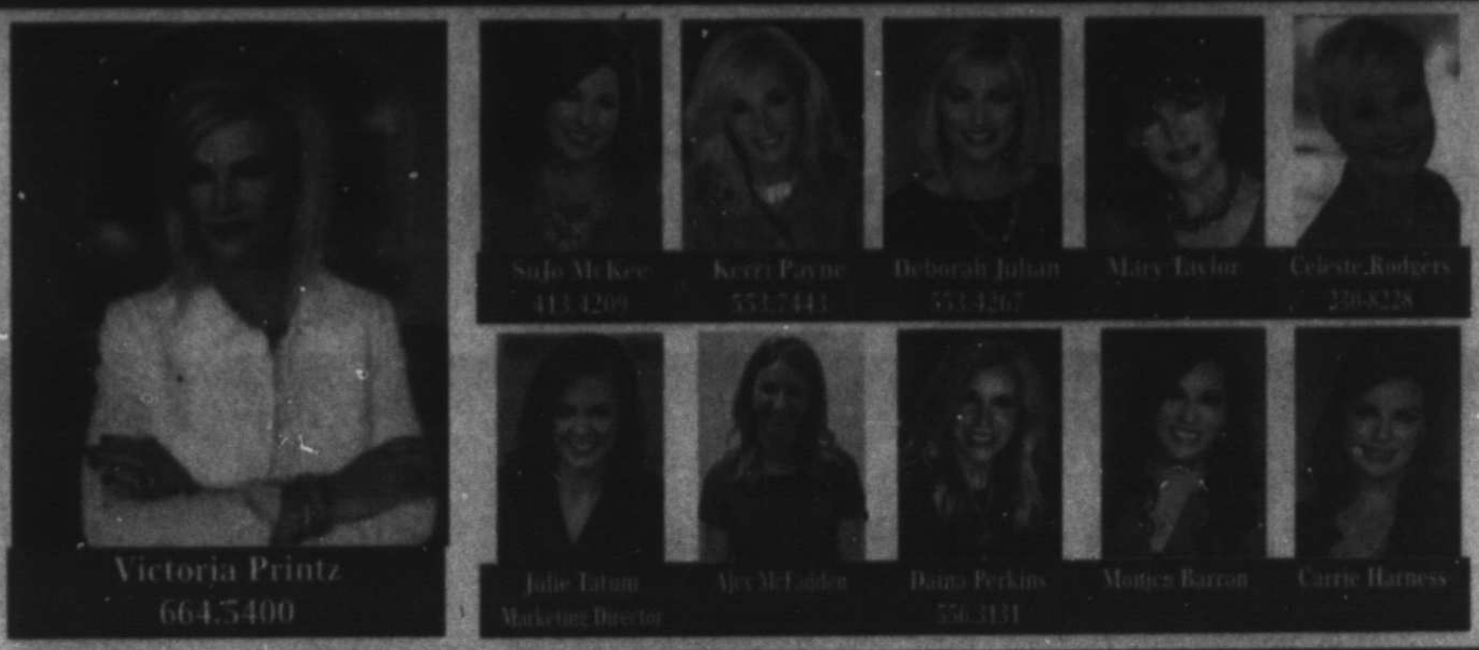

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116 Soloman-Austin stone extérior, extensively landscaped 2 acres of gorgeous grounds, dazzling pool, outdoor kitchen & 3780 sw ft party barn! Is delightfully finished w/huge living areas, kitchen, bath, media+enormous workshop! $1,300,000
85 Muirfield, 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! Soaring ceilings & walls of windows! Gourmet kitchen! $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! Amazing sequestered master suite w/dual vanities, jetted tub & exercise area! $999,900
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! Covered patio & custom guitar-shaped pool! $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! $999,000
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! $750,000
6800 W County Rd 41-Beyond stunning custom home on 3.53 Acres in fabulous & peaceful neighborhood! 4 Bed/3 bath/3 living/3 car gar & circle drive! Spectacular floorplan w/3 separate "wings"! Beautiful gourmet kitchen w/granite, dble ovens & 6 burners! Seq mstr ste w/dual vanities, sep tub/shower, walk-thru closet & office! $599,900
4507 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 w/jetted tub, walk-in shower, dual vanities & closets galore! $590,000
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 w/granite, dble ovens, stainless appliances! $489,900
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4605 Cherrywood-Absolutely fabulous & updated to the minute! Soaring ceilings, crown molding, recent windows, plantation shutters, hardwood/tile flooring thru-out! Gourmet kitchen w/granite & stainless appliances! Sec master ste w/jetted tub! Lush landscaping! $349,900
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! Gourmet kitchen w/granite & island! Staircase to floored attic! Covered patio! $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! Buyer can pick granite & carpet! 2072 Sq ft per plan! Covered back patio! $244,900
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4707 W Cuthbert-Just darling 4 bed/2 bath/3 car garage home w/tons of spectacular updates! Fabulous kitchen w/ gorgeous granite & back-splash, beautiful cabinetry, tile flooring & recent gas stove! Great living area! Insulated 20 x 20 workshop (room for 3 cars) w/40 foot awning – access to alley! Laundry room! $139,900

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4549 Shady Oak Court-Absolutely spectacular & completely remodeled 2-story home w/sweeping views on gorgeous golf course lot in cul-de-sac! 3 Bed/3.5 Bath/2 living/2 dining/3 car gar & circle drive! Gleaming hardwood floors, soaring ceilings, plantation shutters & crown molding thru-out! Updated w/recent designer paint & fixtures! $450,000
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! Laundry room w/sink! $445,000
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Open Houses

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SUNDAY FEATURED HOMES

New Price & Seller offering up to $3500 for closing costs! 3603 Cunningham Completely Remodeled - $129,900

A beautiful home that was completely gutted to the 2x4's! This home offers wonderful flexibility for a growing family. There are two bedrooms and one bath PLUS a bonus room that can serve as an additional family room, third bedroom or home office. There are gorgeous refinished hardwood floors through the living room, hallway and bedrooms. The bathroom, kitchen, indoor laundry room and bonus room have new designer 12" x 24" porcelain tile. The kitchen offers stainless appliances - including a gas range - new cabinets with chef's pantry and breakfast bar. Other improvements include: electrical upgrade, new sewer & gas lines, all new interior plumbing and fixtures, new HVAC system, new windows, exterior siding and doors! New wood fence being installed across the back of the property before closing. What a wonderful opportunity to own a "like new" home! For your private showing call Cindy Kellough, Broker @ (432)556-4044 or Christina McMillan, Realtor @ (432)556-4155.

New Price & Seller offering up to $3000 for closing costs! 3615 Amelia Nicely Updated @ $144,5000

Lovingly maintained 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with so many updates! A charming retreat with 1196 sqft. that offers spacious rooms throughout. At the front door, you are greeted by a large living area with beautiful laminate floors that flow throughout most of the home. The spacious dining room is open to the kitchen and has an updated sliding glass door that overlooks the covered patio. The kitchen has a nice bar, plenty of cabinets, updated appliances and two pantries! The large backyard provides a wonderful covered patio for entertaining and two Morgan storage buildings perfect for workshop and storage. Also, there is a rear gate that opens for RV storage in the back. Updates in the last 3-4 years include fresh paint inside and out, new roof in 2010, windows throughout the home, doors, countertops, kitchen sink, laminate flooring, and HVAC. So much new for the money!! For your private showing call Cindy Kellough, Broker @ (432)556-4044 or Christina McMillan, Realtor @ (432)556-4155.

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SUNDAY OPEN HOUSES

Possible Owner Financing 4305 Llano Ct. - $349,900 - 4 Car Garage!!

Best priced "like new" home in Los Patios 3 addition! This beautiful custom home boasts an abundance of storage inside the home as well as in the 4 CAR GARAGE! There are 4 bedrooms and two baths spaciously laid out in 2601 sqft. The 4th bedroom has double doors, tray ceiling, wood floors and a closet with built-in shelves so it can serve as a wonderful flex room – whether you need an office, playroom, or a second living. The large kitchen offers an island with drawers on each end, pull-outs under your cook top, walk-in pantry, double ovens plus a long bar for serving or visiting with guests while you cook! SO many dining options in this home – long breakfast bar, large open dining space that opens via an atrium door to a covered south-facing patio where you can dine and enjoy a West Texas sunset! Also, the dining area and living room have an abundance of windows that provides great natural light and overlooks your covered patio & side yard - great for entertaining or watching the kiddos. The huge master is sequestered with a large walk-in closet, dual sinks, separate soaking tub and walk-in shower. For your private showing call Cindy Kellough, Broker @ (432)556-4044 or Christina McMillan, Realtor @ (432)556-4155.

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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.

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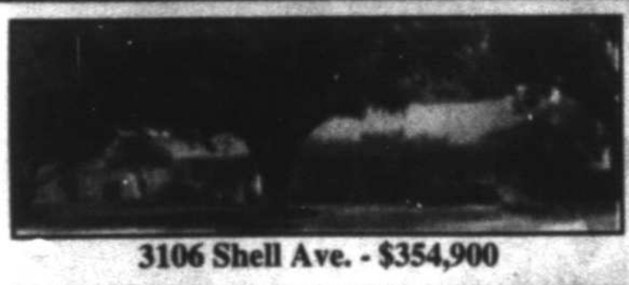

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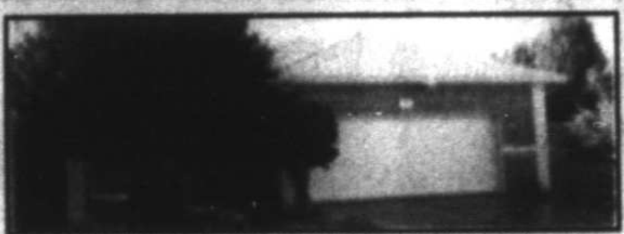

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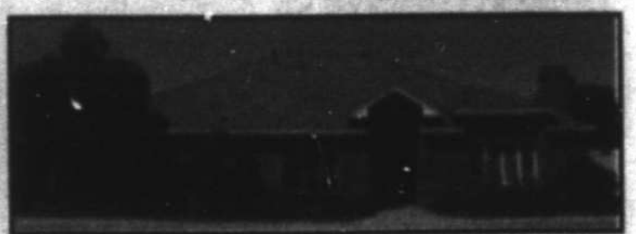

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- **5700 Dunbarton Oaks Blvd.** -Mockingbird Oaks beauty! 3/2.5 spacious home w/high ceilings ... $382,500
- **3106 Shell**-Wonderful MaMar 3/3 home with so much updating. Mature landscaping and traditional styling! A must see! ... $354,900
- **4905 Hillsboro Ct.** -Gorgeous 4 bdrm/3bth, 2LA, formal dining, 3 ovens, in immaculate move-in condition ... $315,000
- **1400 College Ave.** -Cottage 4/2 cutie that was remodeled 4 years ago with refinished hardwood flooring, updated kitchen and baths. Soo darling! ... $169,500
- **1001 N. Weatherford St.** -Open dining/living concept. 3/2 w/Texas sized master, walk-in closet & more ... $157,500
- **3603 Cunningham**-Want a like new home @ a ridiculously low price? This is your baby! A true top to bottom renovation! ... $129,500

TWO BEDROOMS

- **2807 Douglas Ave.** -Located on a huge corner lot in a great neighborhood! Needs a little love. Great floor plan ... $225,000
- **1114 Humble Ave** -Beautiful two-story townhome with 2 BR, 2.5 Baths ... $189,000
- **713 Melton Alley**-Stunning updated contemporary style 2BR/2BA w/open living/dining area ... U/C $154,900
- **723 Melton Alley**-Lovely low maint. 2/2 townhome in this beautifully maintained area! ... $154,900
- **1700 Harvard Ave** -Great central location with great possibilities! Plus detached guest quarters ... U/C $152,000
- **3603 Cunningham**-Want a like new home @ a ridiculously low price? This is your baby! A true top to bottom renovation! ... $129,500
- **4700 Boulder Dr.** -Move in ready! New paint throughout/new fence in private back yard w/shade tree ... U/C $72,000

THREE BEDROOMS

- **2211 N. County Rd. 1120**-Greenwood property! 3 bdrm/2.5 bth home on 30 acres ... $795,000
- **11 Saddle Club Dr.** -Spacious 3 bedroom/2.5 bath in Saddle Club Estates ... $695,000
- **1920 Crescent Pl.** -Well maintained 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath home in great location ... U/C $575,000
- **116 Windridge Circle**-Practically prefect in every way! Beautiful facade, lovely interior, wonderful floors, gorgeous patio! ... $509,000
- **10005 S. Co. Rd. 1213**-Great country property! New appliances, granite, wood shutters and more! ... $490,000
- **5308 Quicksand Cove**-Beautiful custom 3/3 home w/unique architecture & elevations design ... $484,900
- **906 W. Cuthbert Ave** -Wonderful 3/2.5 Patio Home in great location ... $414,900
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- **4602 Meadowwood Ct.** -One of the nicest patio homes we've seen! 3/2 in great condition. Good plan, neutral colors ... $325,000
- **4910 Kingsboro Ct.** -Meadow Park jewel! Lots of new in this spacious 3 bedroom, 3.5 bath home! Walk to Pool and Clubhouse! ... $313,000
- **1602 Cimmaron**-Totally updated 3/2 in Fannin district w/first class amenities! ... $315,000
- **3100 Baybridge Ct.** -Check out this low-maintenance garden home w/3BR, 2.5BA, 3 car extended garage ... $310,300
- **4912 Quartz Ln.** -Open, spacious plan w/charming drive up appeal, low maintenance in central location ... $299,000
- **902 W. Pine Ct.** -Lovely townhome in Highland Park ... U/C $297,000
- **808 W. Golf Course Rd.** -Beautifully remodeled 3/2 home in Old Midland on a HUGE lot! So much new! ... $269,900
- **3210 Boyd Ave.** -Updated 3BR/2.5BA in MaMar Terrace! ... $269,500
- **14 Vista Crest Ct.** -Immaculate beautiful well maintained 3/2 home in Odessa, boast an open floor plan plus 14'x18' workshop ... $239,000
- **1502 Castleford Rd.** -Beautiful 3 bedroom/2 bath home in Polo Park Estates ... $237,500
- **2603 Ward St**-Darling 3/2 w/hardwood floors, lg master suite, lovely yard w/mature trees and pond ... U/C $219,000
- **2515 Goddard Dr.** -Immaculate & pristine & well kep 3/2 home in desirable neighborhood! Move-in-ready! ... U/C $185,000
- **3500 W Ohio Ave** - Many updates in this immaculate lovingly maintained 3 Bdrm/2 bth home! ... U/C $169,000
- **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
- **1001 N. Weatherford St.** -Open dining/living concept. 3/2 w/Texas sized master, walk-in closet & more ... $157,500
- **13615 Amelia**-Cute, clean & cozy 3 bedroom/2 bath home with so many updates! ... $147,500
- **501 W. Kentucky Ave.** -Great 3 bdrm/2 bth home on corner lot w/large backyard ... $135,000
- **4406 B Thomason Dr.** -Updated w/recent flooring, paint and light fixtures. Versatile floorplan! ... U/C $117,000

FOUR BEDROOMS

- **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 ... $1,374,995
- **11 Hialeah Dr.** -Exquisite 4/4.5 home w/much updating in exclusive gated Saddle Club Estates ... $924,000
- **1701 W. Illinois Ave.** -Old Midland charm! Beautifully updated 4 bdrm/3.5 bath home w/POOL! ... $585,000
- **4979 Rustic Trail**-Fabulous on the golf course! 4BR/2.5BA, nice high ceilings! Beautifully updated kitchen! ... $540,000
- **4212 Fairwood Pl.** -Fantastic plan in Mockingbird! Open kitchen, living, dining! Outdoor cooking area and fireplace! ... U/C $469,000
- **5312 Scottsboro Ln.** -Spectacular remodel! 4bdrm/3bth/2LA/3CG. Granite, hardwood, shutters, well for yard ... $415,000
- **2801 S. County Rd. 1066**-Beautiful & immaculate custom Michael Davis spacious home on 1 acre in Greenwood w/workshop! ... $399,000
- **5203 Castle Pine Rd.** -Exquisite 4BR/3BA, gourmet kitchen, formal dining, gorgeous sunroom, fantastic pergola and landscaping ... U/C $389,000
- **10506 E. Co. Rd. 104** - Fabulous 4 BR near Greenwood schools, gorgeous outdoor area with covered patio ... $389,000
- **4305 Llano Ct.** -Beautiful custom 4BR/2BA w/large covered patio and perfect sized backyard! ... $349,900
- **4910 Crista Ln.** -Well maintained and ready to sell 4bdrm/2bth beauty in Crestgate ... $344,000
- **1500 S. County Rd. 1085**-Beautiful new construction on quiet street (dead ends) Large open floorplan ... $335,000
- **2302 Stutz Pl.** -Four spacious bedrooms and three and half baths plus an enormous living/dining area, great price! ... $324,900
- **4905 Hillsboro Ct.** -Gorgeous 4 bdrm/3bth, 2LA, formal dining, 3 ovens, in immaculate move-in condition ... $315,000
- **2824 Cimmaron Ave.** -Beautiful in the Fannin area! 4bdrm/3bth with open floor plan ... U/C $289,000
- **5304 Green Tree Blvd.** - This Tuscany inspired 4/2.5 garden home boasts light open spaces and grand backyard arbor plus relaxing hot tub ... $285,000
- **2904 Purple Sage Trl.** -Lovely 4BR/3BA on cul-de-sac w/walls of windows and beautiful yard ... $279,500
- **1400 College Ave.** -Cottage 4/2 cutie that was remodeled 4 years ago with refinished hardwood flooring, updated kitchen and baths. Soo darling! ... $169,500
- **3300 S. County Rd. 1060**-Great opportunity to have an acre of land in Greenwood. 4br/3 bath w/lots of space ... $169,000

FIVE OR MORE BEDROOMS

- **2503 Texland Circle**-Perfect in every way! Gorgeous 5/4.5 jewel in Texland w/Top of the line amenities! ... $1,340,000
- **5100 Alysheba**-Gorgeous in Solomon! Beautiful backyard, pool, and outdoor kitchen ... U/C $1,350,000
- **3101 Palo Verde Glen**- Wonderful family home on 1.9 acres. Pristine condition, great floorplan ... $1,295,000
- **10310 S. County Rd. 1210**-SkyWest airport home w/massive heated & cooled workshop. Plus so much more...WOW! ... $599,000
- **3101 S. Co. Rd. 1218** - 4,739 total sf w/3788 to include central heat & air. Lots of space here. Would be perfect for company employees etc. Plus doublewide mobile home included ... $260,000

FOR LEASE

- **1513 Club Dr.** -Lovely 2 bedroom/2 bath townhome on the corner of Club & Douglas. For Lease ... monthly $2,100
- **2100 Wadley #26**-Spacious condo w/3 bedrooms, master is downstairs ... monthly $1,800
- **2415 Storey**-3BR/2BA/2CG, hardwood floors, nicely updated! ... monthly $1,650
- **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 ... $2,880,000
- **I-20, West Murphy & Loop 338 in West Odessa**-1116.26 acres, terrific frontage. Call Bill Scott or Brandee Noll 682-1111 ... $2,000,000
- **S. Co. Rd. 1040**-Perfect area for subdivision development - 325.8 acres in Greenwood ... $1,303,200
- **4110 E. Co. Rd. 130**-Land 32.3 acres. No Restrictions ... $742,900
- **1106 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 ... $451,120

LOTS, LAND AND ACREAGE

- **5703 E. Co. Rd. 60**-2784 sq. ft. w/in-law plan ... $399,900
- **4110 E. County Rd. 130**-Land 15.70 Acres. No Restrictions ... $381,100
- **6701 Desert Wind**-10 acres - Perfect for one home w/lots of land or nice location to develop a small community ... $250,000
- **2300 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
- **E. Co. Rd. 120**-Four 1 acre lots in new subdivision in Greenwood - The Meadows ... U/C $85,000

COMMERCIAL INVESTMENT PROPERTY

- **2150 Oregon St., Odessa, Tx. 79764**-Approx. 64,005 sq. ft. on 9.5377 acres, combination of warehouse/shop/office prooperty ... Call Bill Scott or Brandee Noll 682-1111
- **12210 W. Hwy. 191, Odessa, Tx.** -Approx 10,000 sq. ft. industrial/whse building on 5 acres. 1,500 sq. ft. office space with 8,500 sq. ft. of shop/warehouse space with 8 ft. security fence ... Call Bill Scott or Brandee Noll 682-1111
- **3909 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
- **500 W. Texas, Midland, Tx.** -Total available space of 10,903 sq. ft. Full service sublease with onsite management, maintenance, deli and security system ... Call Bill Scott or Brandee Noll 682-1111
- **301 S. Lark Hwy., Odessa, Tx.** -Includes 3 tracts with 3 buildings. Total square footage of 74,562 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 Call Bill Scott or Brandee Noll 682-1111
- **501 Andrews Hwy.** -Approx. 9,301 sq. ft. office building, great location - near hospital 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
- **501 Andrews Hwy.** -For lease, approx. 9,301 sq. ft. of very attractive site, convenient location w/parking ... Call Bill Scott or Brandee Noll 682-1111
- **Craddick 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 ... $2,884,7000
- **3930 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 ... $1,150,000
- **2211 N. County Rd. 1120**-Greenwood property! 3 bdrm/2.5 bth home on 30 acres ... $795,000
- **2900 N. County Rd. 1150**-Approx. 11,800 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
- **901 S. Garfield St.** -Wonderful money making commercial building! ... $650,000
- **5000 Block of N. Midkiff**-2.0+/- acres for development, great for office complex. Call Bill Scott ... $575,000
- **Faudree Rd.** -4.02 acres with city utilities in the Leeco Industrial Addition. Call Bill or Brandee ... $290,475
- **0 Cotton Flat Rd.** -Zoned Industrial Park ... $100,000

OUT OF TOWN PROPERTIES

- **51 Ward Rd.** -Fabulous Lake Henry get-away. 3 bdrm/2bth home located within HOA gated community in Oak Canyon Estates ... $240,000
- **1717 Crescent Dr.** -Wonderful 3 bdrm/2bth home w/pool in Odessa ... $199,900
- **7254 Manford Ln.** -Wonderful, like new 3/2 townhouse in a fantastic central location in Odessa ... $169,500

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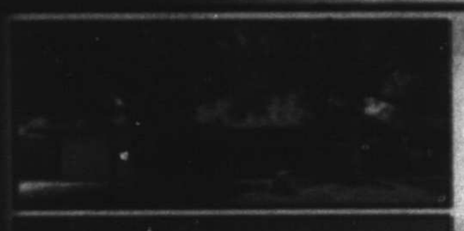
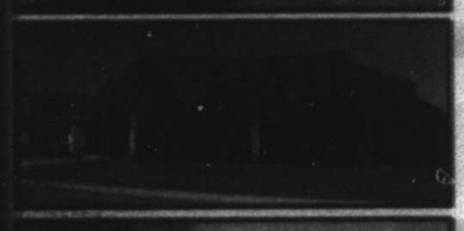


OPEN 1:00-2:00

4713 Cindy Place

4 bedrooms, 2 baths,
2 car garage, priced @ $224,000



OPEN 2:00-4:00

18 La Campana

4 bedroom, 4.5 baths,
3 car garage, priced @ $765,000

OPEN 2:00-3:30

4714 S. Co. Rd. 1200

4 bedroom, 2 baths,
2 car carport, priced @ $249,000

NEW CONSTRUCTION

Carrasco Homes

904 Whitaker Street
3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 car garage, priced @ $196,500

Ashington Homes

4404 Casa Verde Court
3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, 3 car garage, priced @ $412,500

CRYSTAL HOMES

Custom Homes & Fine Cabinetry

5300 Brown Heart Lane
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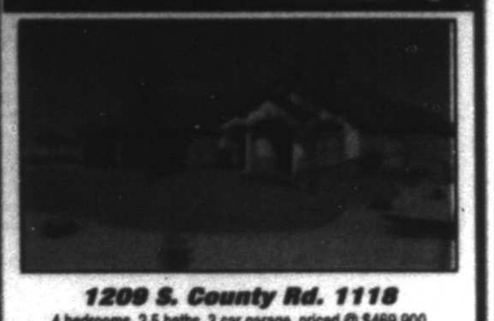


1209 S. County Rd. 1118
4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, 3 car garage, priced @ $469,900

"Remember that not getting what you want is sometimes a wonderful stroke of luck."

~Tenzin Gyatso

RESIDENTIAL LISTINGS/HOME SITES/ACREAGE

RESIDENTIAL

3502 "F" N. Pecos St.	2 Bdrm/2 Ba/1 Living Areas	SOLD
3405 Thomas Ave.	3 Bdrm/2 Ba/Detached 2 Car Garage	B/C
1710 Rosewood Dr.	Odessa/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/1 Car Garage	$189,900
2604 Willingham Dr.	3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	$214,500
4713 Cindy Place	4 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	$224,000
1525 College Ave.	3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 carport	B/C
5100 Ashdown Place	3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	$259,900
3420 E. 17th Street	4 Bdrm/3 Ba/2 Car Garage	$274,500
6300 Whisner Strip	4 Bdrm/3 Ba/2 Car Garage	$285,000
1705 Hard Street	5 Bdrm/4 Ba/2 Car Garage	$399,000
1413 Tyler	4 Bdrm/2.5 Ba/2 Car Garage	B/C
3709 Candy Court	4 Bdrm/2.5 Ba/3 Car Garage	SOLD
6100 Dunbarton Oaks Blvd	4 Bdrm/4.5 Ba/3 Car Garage	$605,000

NEW CONSTRUCTION

904 Whitaker St.	Carrasco Homes/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	$196,500
303 S. Mineola St.	Carrasco Homes/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	$198,500
1505 S. Mineola St.	Carrasco Homes/ 4 Bdrm/2 Ba/ 2 Car Garage	$244,500
3317 S. Co. Rd. 1060	Kitchen/ Davis Homes/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	B/C
4405 San Carlos	Carrasco Homes/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2.5 Car Garage	$314,900
3809 Cowden Beale	Carrasco Homes/4 Bdrm/2 Ba/3 Car Garage	$302,900
7119 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	$464,900
5313 Brown Heart Ln.	ASE Homes/4 Bdrm/3 Ba/3 Car Garage	$468,900
1209 S. Co. Rd. 1118	Elgin Homes/4 Bdrm/2.5 Ba/3 Car Garage	$469,900
1213 S. Co. Rd. 1118	Elgin Homes/4 Bdrm/2.5 Ba/3 Car Garage	$470,900
18 La Campana	Roma Homes/4 Bdrm/4.5 Ba/3 Car Garage	$765,000

SUBURBAN/ACREAGE

4301 E. Co. Rd. 70	3 Shop buildings/2 RV Hook-ups/Approx. 1.005 acres	$99,500
15300 N. Hollyhock Ave.	Gardendale/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2,305 Acres	$99,000
14041 Sundancer Ave.	Gardendale/4 Bdrm/2.5 Ba/2.2 Acres	$169,900
9307 S. Co. Rd. 1120	Greenwood, Stable home/4 Bdrm/2 Ba	B/C
Luna Rose Estates	Northdale/New Homes	Call Gary
4714 S. Co. Rd. 1200	4 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Carport	$249,000
6910 S. Co. Rd. 1110	4 Bdrm/2 Ba/4 Car Garage/2.5 Acres	$280,000
4201 S. Co. Rd. 1109	3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	$295,000
10402 N. Western Ave.	Gardendale/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Carport	B/C
205 E. Co. Rd. 127	1 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	$337,777
310 Co. Rd. 221	4 Bdrm/3 Ba/232 Approx. Acres	$575,000

SUBURBAN HOME SITES

Luna Rose Estates	W. Co. Rd. 30/1.5-2 Acre Lots	Call Gary

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

1400 Wabh Lane	Big Spring/4 Acres	$550,000
302 S. Marienfeld	11,840 Sq. Ft./0.492 Acres	$750,000
Real Parkway	5.98 Acres	$1,475,000
3006 Elkins Rd.	3.25 Acres/Office/Warehouse	$1,099,900

OUT OF TOWN PROPERTIES

121 Tomahawk Trail	Ruidoso/3 Bdrm/2 Ba	B/C
302 Las Tranas Ct.	Alto, NM/1.5 Acre Lot	$160,000
1401 HWY 179	Big Spring/20 Acres	$299,900
1901 Co. Rd. C 3200	Tarzan/4 Bdrm/3 Ba/Approx 4 Acres	$309,900
123 Lincoln Hills	Alto, NM/3 Bdrm/3.5 Ba/3 Car Garage	$950,000
126 Topside	Ruidoso, NM/4 Bdrm/4.5 Ba/ 3 Car Garage	$1,325,000

RENTAL PROPERTIES

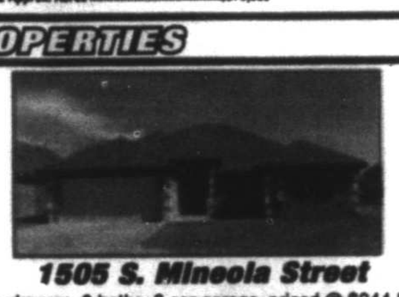
18 La Campana Dr.	Odessa/5 Bdrm/4.5 Ba/3 Car Garage	$4,900
1214 Wolfcastle St.	2 Bdrm/1 Ba/2 Carport	$950
3330 Caldera Blvd. #216	1 Bdrm/1 Ba	$850
3330 Caldera Blvd. #234	1 Bdrm/1 Ba	$750

Contact Lillian Reynolds @ 432-210-9682

FEATURED PROPERTIES

3904 Willingham Drive
3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 car garage, priced @ $214,500

303 S. Mineola Street
3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 car garage, priced @ $198,500



1505 S. Mineola Street
4 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 car garage, priced @ $244,500

1710 Rosewood Drive
Odessa, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 1 car garage, priced @ $189,900

4400 N. Big Spring Street, Ste. C-30

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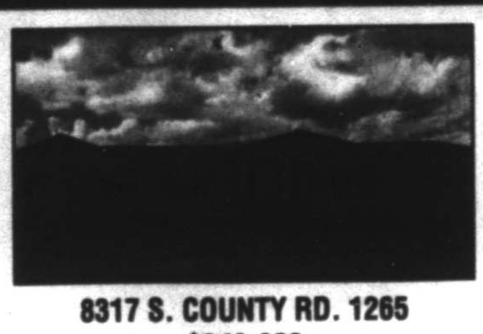
SUNDAY FEATURED HOMES

4113 LEHIGH DR.
$369,900

Fabulous 4BR/3.5BA, plus bonus room. Four car garage! 2 living areas, dining room, huge kitchen w/granite! Double convection 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!

Call Ruth Young, 432-352-0996



8317 S. COUNTY RD. 1265
$249,900

Awesome country living!! Enjoy this fantastic 5 bedroom & 2 bath home!! Comes with spacious living area. Open kitchen & large dining area! Sequestered master bedroom and huge master bath! Nice office area too! Plus water softener! Above ground pool! New storage shed. Water well w/pump & nearly 2 acres of land!

Call Estella Aleman, 432-352-2586

1422 LANHAM ST.
$315,000

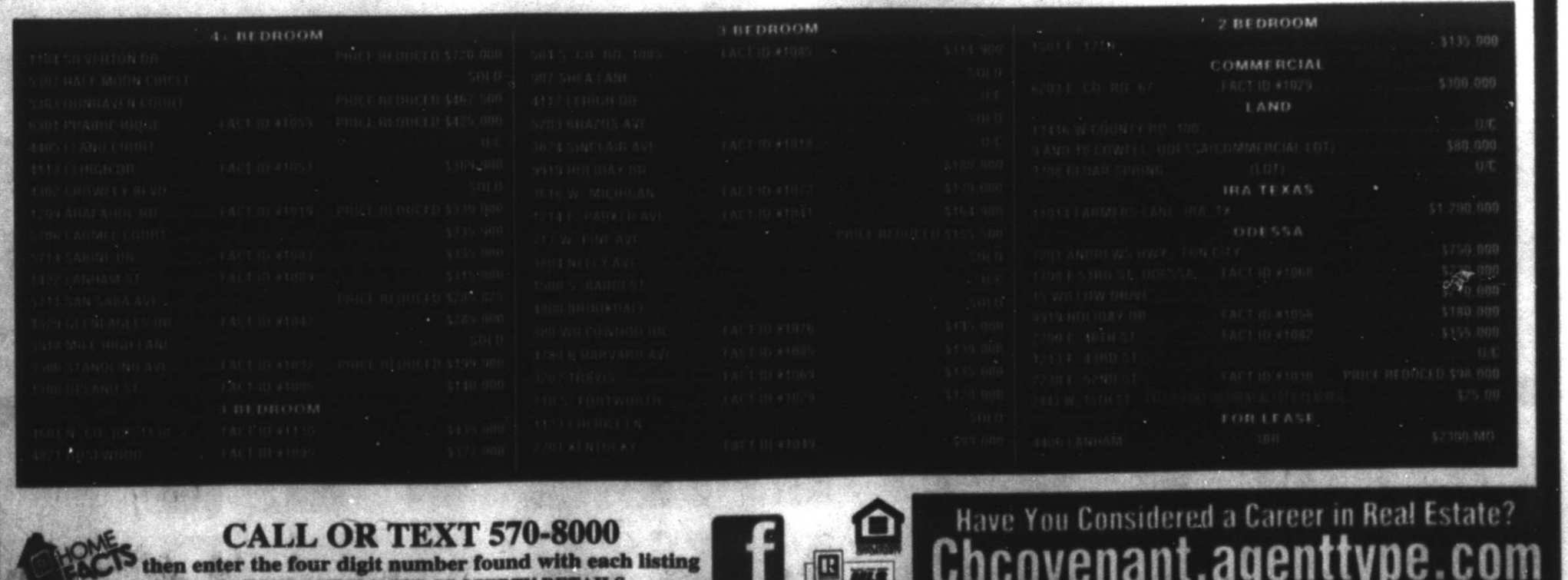
Wonderful, unique home in desired area. Tri level 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath home loaded with charm. Huge living area with high ceilings, beautiful fireplace and a lot of natural lighting. Sequestered master suite with dual sinks & closets and it's own fireplace & balcony. Inviting kitchen with breakfast nook, large pantry and formal dining area. TONS of outdoor living on a low maintenance lot. Come see!

Call Sharon Horton, 432-853-7875

1104 SILVERTON DR.
$720,000

Fabulous new construction...just completed 7/20/16 in the exclusive Aspens of Woodland Park - Edgy, Gorgeous, Filled w/amazing amenities. Beautiful finish work throughout, Gourmet Kitchen with all the Bells and Whistles.....and more. Multiple flex rooms. Ample parking. Al Fresco entertaining area with Fireplace and Kitchen .....and sooooo much more - Call listing agent for additional details.

Call Suzi Knight, 432-559-5036



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SUNDAY FEATURED HOMES

3604 Fairview Lane, Midland, TX
Well maintained home with 3 bedroom, 2.5 Bathrooms & 2 car garage enough for a home office or hobby room. Spacious living area with high ceilings & fireplace. Peaceful, secluded master bathroom & open flooring in living, eng., entry & hallway. Dining area with a built-in hutch. Nice sized bedrooms, guest bathroom & a large utility room with storage. Spacious backyard with a wood fence & an open patio.
Call Bobby McCourt 432-967-0652

1606 S. Weatherford Dr., Midland, TX
This CLASSY Three Bedroom, Two Bathroom Home IS WAITING JUST FOR YOU! Open Floor Plan, Gorgeous Tile Work in Kitchen and Bathrooms, Living Area with brick fireplace & open to the dining area and kitchen. Kitchen has beautiful cabinets, counter tops, tile backsplash, tile burner gas range. Master bathroom has sit in tub/shower, dual shower, vitrified tile. Large fenced back yard.
Call Warren Ivey 432-238-7832

2219 S County Rd. 1120, Midland, TX
ABSOLUTELY AMAZING!! This home has EVERYTHING YOU'VE ALWAYS wanted in a home! Gorgeous throughout this 3 bedroom 2 1/2 bathroom home. Vaulted ceilings make the living room AMAZING! Home pwns, workshop, and DRIVABLE POOL! Check out the BONUS room off the living area, would make a WONDERFUL office. Call TODAY to view PRIVATE showing of this AMAZING!!! home in GREENWOOD!
Call Genie McMahan 432-664-0813

5712 San Saba Ave., Midland, TX
Beautiful Well Maintained Mark Payne Resale 4 Bedroom 2 Bath home. Stained Concrete floors, Open Concept kitchen. Nice sized backyard. Seller is leaving: front load washer and dryer.
Call Melonna Campbell 432-634-0722

204 N. Dewberry Dr., Midland, TX
THREE BEDROOM TWO BATHROOM HOME. Two living areas with lots of natural light. Formal Living area has triple windows. Den has a Bar Window. Kitchen has lots of cabinets, island and opens into the dining area which has a large window that looks out on the backyard. Master Bathroom opens off of the Master Bedroom. Workshop with attached two car carport. Covered Patio and fenced backyard.
Call Warren Ivey 432-238-7832

400 Player Court, Midland, TX
Well cared, for three bedroom two bath family home located at a quiet neighborhood. Sequestered master bedroom. Brand new gas range. Fresh exterior paint. Sunroom could be used as an office, playroom or second dining area if desired.
Call Tina Powell 432-599-1459

3509 F Co. Rd. 1087, Midland, TX
40 ACRE MELAROSE!!! Is this 3 bedroom/ 2 1/2 bathroom home!!! This home has a lot to offer!!! Spacious living room, kitchen with breakfast bar, and formal dining room!!! Master bedroom with private bathroom!!! Two more bedrooms and a full bathroom!!! Large utility room with storage!!! Covered patio!!! Detached garage!!! Call Genie McMahan 432-664-0813

1003 E. Fairgrounds Rd., Midland, TX
CHARITY DRIVE IN TEXT!!! Sale of this home benefits the Midland Humane Society!!! Cute home with a lot to offer!!! Spacious living room, kitchen with breakfast bar, and formal dining room!!! Master bedroom with private bathroom!!! Two more bedrooms and a full bathroom!!! Large utility room with storage!!! Covered patio!!! Detached garage!!!
Call Rosalee Burrola 432-208-9040

4401 Pasadena Dr., Midland, TX
Nice Big Older Home in Need of Some Maintenance. Three Bedrooms, Two Full Bathrooms, Formal Living Area, Den with Fireplace, Big Open Kitchen, Covered Patio, Large Corner Lot, Two Car Attached Garage, Fantastic 24'x24' Workshop or Two Car Garage with Alley Access. Fenced Yard.
Call Warren Ivey 432-238-7832

4212 Pleasant Dr., Midland, TX
Older Home with Great Bones! Two Living Areas, Three Bedrooms and One Bathroom. Storage! Storage! Storage! Lots of Cabinets in the Kitchen and Utility Area and Bathroom. Linen Closet in the Hall. DON'T MISS OUT ON THIS ONE!
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SUNDAY OPEN HOUSE & FEATURED HOMES

FEATURED HOME
3602 BAUMANN AVE. - $179,900
Lovely 4 bedroom/2bath/2 garage home located in a quiet street, close to schools and shopping. Newly updated w/ recent flooring & paint. Open floor plan, sequestered master w/remodeled master bath! Tile & gorgeous updated tile/ rock sized backyard. Call Jeaneen Pruitt 432-967-9212 for your private showing!

FEATURED HOME
6317 PRAIRIE RIDGE - $479,900
Fantastic 5 bedroom/4 bathroom! Fresh paint throughout the entire property & custom landscaping! Massive living w/gas fireplace, soaring ceiling & open to gourmet kitchen w/ gas cooking, island, stainless appl. Beautiful granite w/stone edges. Premium upgrades throughout! Luxurious Master w/ sitting area, spa shower & big closet. Private & oversized and could be made more!

FEATURED HOME
1505 N. GARFIELD ST. - $159,900
Darling cottage in old midland! 2 Bedroom/1bath nicely updated! Large kitchen w/ lots of cabinets, island & recent industrial style shelving & fixtures. Open living area, pretty hardwood floors thru-out! Windows replaced, large open patio overlooks oversized backyard.

OPEN 2:30-3:30
5721 E COUNTY RD. 96 - $535,000
Gorgeous custom estate on 2.47 acres minutes from downtown! 4 bed/3 bath/2 car garage plus 2 Original Cabins. Great variety of home setting & pathways. Home shop/living. Custom metallic paint, designer finishes everywhere! Gourmet kitchen w/stainless steel appl. stainless counters, gas! 4 acres! Open to all three! 5. Two master suite/ w/cross ventilation, luxury shower, jetted tub & huge closet.

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5 Home Updates to Make Before Fall

While August is still underway, September's cool winds are just around the corner. Below are a few home maintenance tips to smooth your transition from Summer to Fall.

Service your systems. Checking your furnace and changing your furnace filter before the cold creeps in will put you ahead of the game. Make an appointment with a professional to have your heating system tune up.

Freeze-proof your faucets. The mere mention of a busted water pipe is enough to make any homeowner cringe. The pipe that is most likely to freeze is your outdoor faucets for hoses and sprinklers. To avoid cold-weather damage, install a freeze-proof faucet and sleep soundly.

Weather-proof those windows. Solidly sealed windows will help control your home's temperature. When is the last time you checked your window's weathering? Before fall, weatherstrip and caulk your windows to keep the cold air out and the warm air in. As soon as the temperatures begin to drop, replace those breezy summer drapes with heavier versions to keep your living space cozy until spring.

Clear gutters. It's best to clear out your gutters at the change of every season. Before fall begins dropping its leaves, give your gutters a purge.

Sweep that chimney. Do you have a working fireplace? If so, it's best to have a professional chimney sweep come take a look to make sure you don't have any dangerous build up that could cause damage when you strike that first match come fall.

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4401 Coyote Trail
Updated 5 bedroom/2 bath/2-car garage home on 3.23 acres! Gameroom, workshop, horse pen/stalls/2 water wells! Recent wood floors, fireplace, high ceilings! Granite kitchen, super-sized media room!
$514,900

OPEN TODAY 2:00-4:00
5910 Pedernales Dr.
Beautiful 4 bedroom/2 bath Mark Payne home! Family-friendly open floor plan. Kitchen has stainless appliances, breakfast bar & granite counter tops. Sequestered master, jetted tub!
$284,900

OPEN TODAY 1:30-2:30
2820 Northtown Pl.
Updated 4 bedroom/2.5 bath/3 living area home featuring high ceilings, gorgeous wood floors, a completely remodeled kitchen, large bedrooms & plenty of storage! Low maintenance yard!
$257,900

OPEN TODAY 2:30-3:30
5301 Canadian Ave.
Must see this 3 bed/2 bath/2-car brick home w/towering fireplace in large living area! High ceilings in living, kitchen and master! Recent tile and gorgeous kitchen! Nice sized yard!
$239,900

OPEN TODAY 1:00-2:00
1109 S. Pratt
This is the perfect 3 bedroom/2 bath starter home at a great price! Cute & cozy, plenty of natural light, high ceilings, crown molding! Huge fenced backyard, great for gardening!
$130,000

OPEN TODAY 1:00-2:00
6101 Homestead Blvd.
Robert Graham 6 bedroom/5 bath/2 half baths/gameroom/4-car garage/ water well! Dream gourmet granite kitchen! High ceilings! Corner lot, outdoor kitchen, covered patio!
$890,000

OPEN TODAY 2:30-3:30
60 Via Playa, Odessa
Fabulous 2 bedroom/2 bath townhome in Lakeside Estates! Separate patios, view of lake, storage, vaulted ceilings, skylights, gas fireplace, finished out attic for storage, and bar.
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HOMEWISE

Real Estate Tips and Advice

Using Real Estate Info Wisely

By ANNA CHANG-YEN | Green Shoot Media

Reading or watching news about the real estate market can make a homeowner's head spin. You might hear that mortgage rates are up, sales are down and prices are stagnant — all in one day. How can you know when the news of the day should influence the decisions you make about hour home and finances?

In the early 2000s, Fed Chairman Alan Greenspan's briefcase had its 15 minutes of fame when cable news networks watched it with a hawk's eye, noting a correlation between the thickness of his briefcase and a change in interest rates. Today's homeowners have access to a much more nuanced — and seemingly never-ending — flow of information about every facet of real estate.

Quarterly local, state and regional reports outline sales trends in painstaking detail. National headlines and newsmagazine promos pique our curiosity about how the recession-recovery cycle is currently affecting our bottom line. Real estate websites such as Zillow and Redfin aim to clue in consumers about home values based on wide-ranging data; and though Greenspan's briefcase has been retired, even the suggestion of a change in interest rates can still wreak havoc on markets.

According to a May 2016 research paper by the National Bureau of Economic Research, even our social media networks can get inside our heads when it comes to our home buying and selling decisions.

Clearly big bucks are at stake in the battle for real estate information. So how can a homeowner know who to trust before making a bold move?

1. Take your time. David Moon, a columnist for the Knoxville News-Sentinel, calls the early 2016 market crash related to China's economic downturn "a great lesson in the importance of not making investment decisions based solely on headline news." China's economy had shown signs of trouble since 2010, he said. The Chinese government's manipulation of the GDP through massive government capital spending masked the problem, he wrote, leaving many investors in a lurch when China's financial problems became more clear. The moral of the story is to stay up to date on real estate trends while avoiding knee-jerk reactions. Follow a few reputable sources of information to stay abreast of the market.

2. Think local. While local issues certainly can affect local markets, some regions of the U.S. survived the national housing meltdown of the mid-2000s. Local and regional issues, such as the arrival or departure of a major employer or a booming or busting industry, can have far greater impact on home values.

3. Trust your agent. Personal finance guru Dave Ramsey advises consumers to hire financial advisers with "the heart of a teacher, not the heart of a salesman." Use the same standard when hiring a real estate agent. While your agent shouldn't be your sole source of information about values and trends, real estate transactions involve a lot of your hard-earned money, and when your financial health is at stake, you should only work with an agent whose advice you value.

REAL ESTATE 101

Buying Social

In a paper published in May 2016, researchers with the National Bureau of Economic Research found that consumers whose online friends said their home values had risen more than 5 percent over the previous two years were 3.1 percent more likely to make a home purchase over the next two years. "What's more, they are 1.7 percent more likely to purchase a bigger home, 3.1 percent more likely to pay a higher price for it, and 7 percent more likely to make a larger down payment," writes the National Association of Realtors.

HOMEWISE GLOSSARY

Public housing agency: an agency of local (or sometimes state) government, authorized to own and operate affordable housing. Typical PHAs operate a "conventional public housing" program (owning and operating public housing under Section 9 of the U.S. Housing Act) and a housing choice voucher program, although some operate only one of these programs.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

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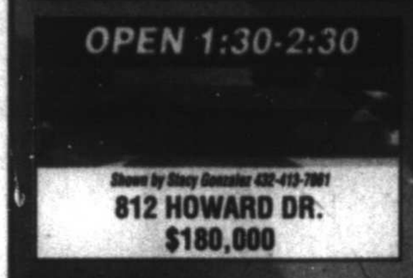
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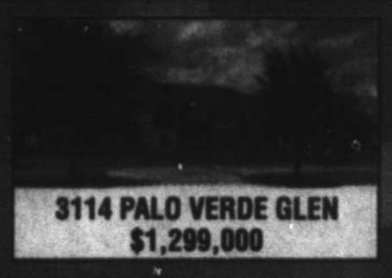
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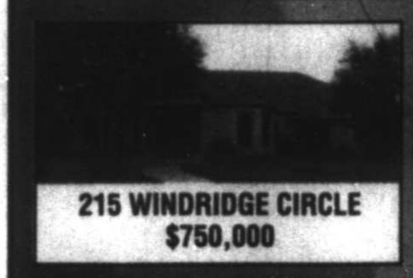
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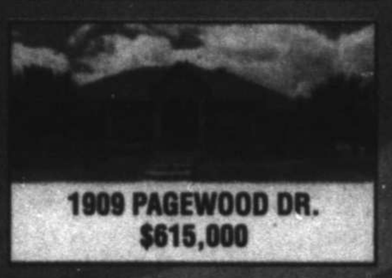
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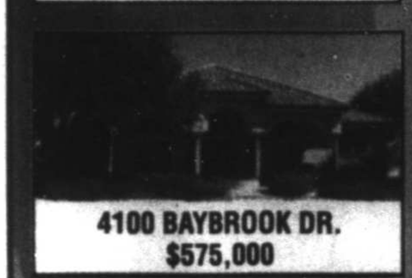
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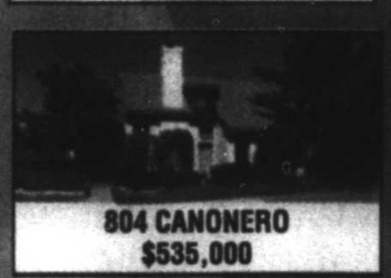
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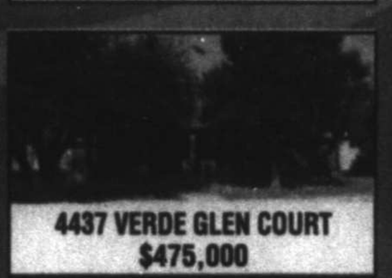
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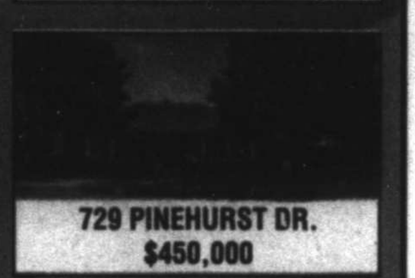
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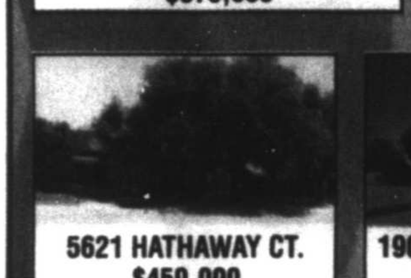
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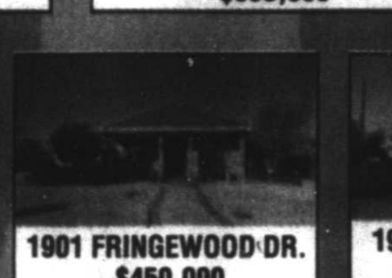
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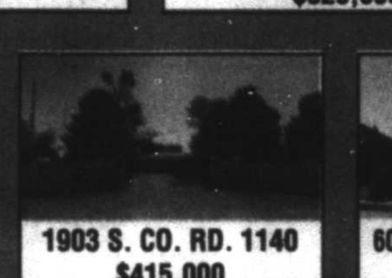
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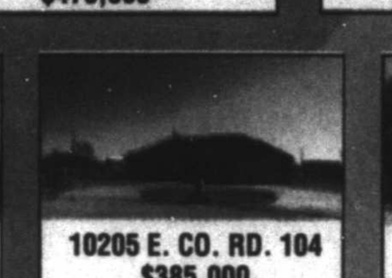
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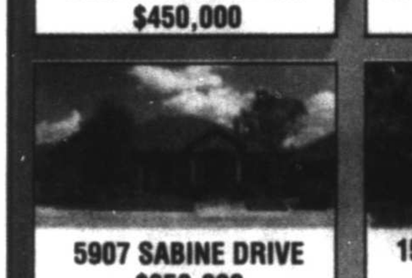
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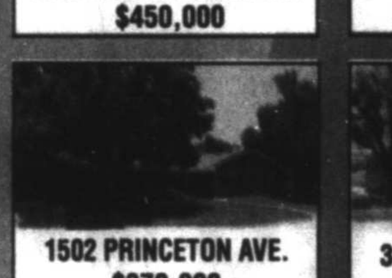
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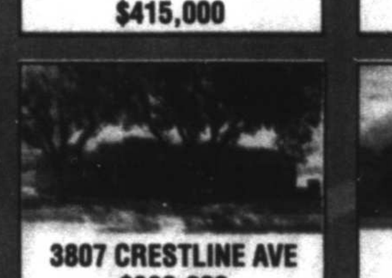
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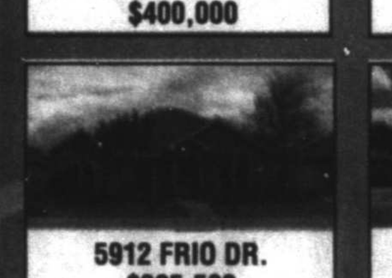
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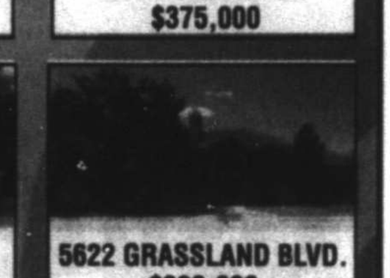
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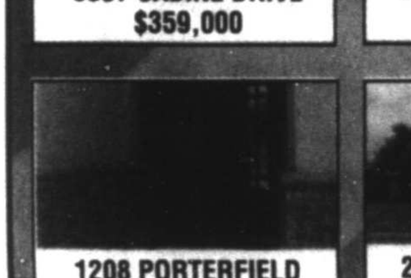
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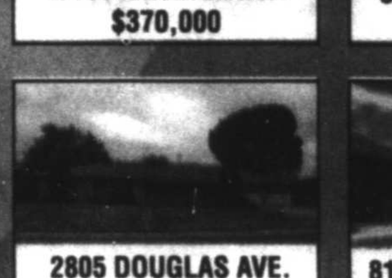
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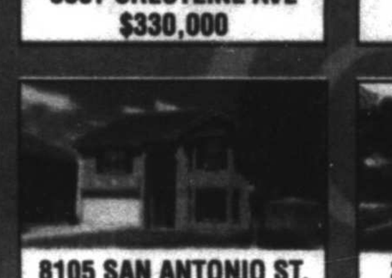
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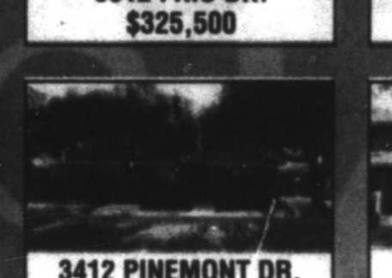
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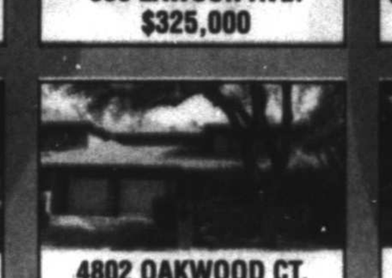
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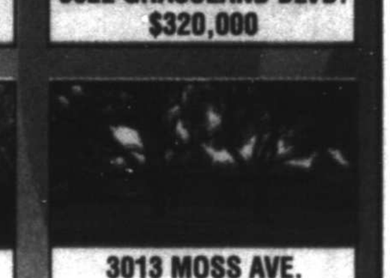
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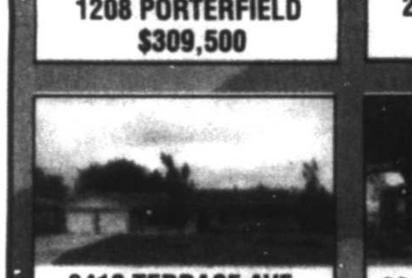
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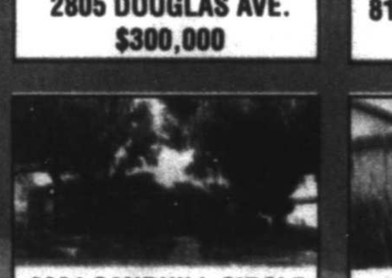
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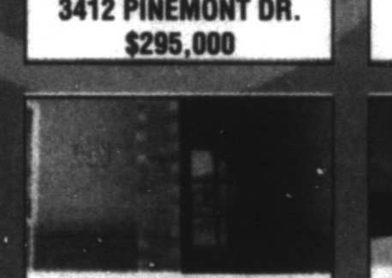
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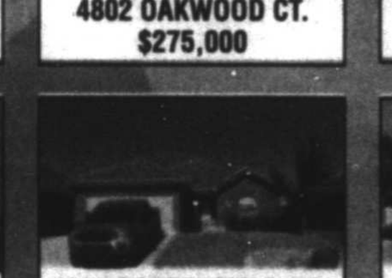
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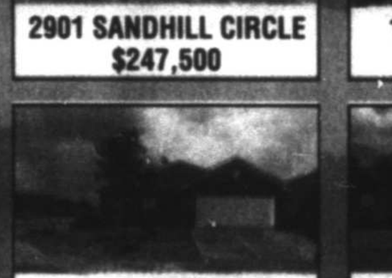
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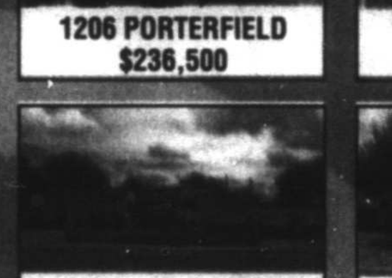
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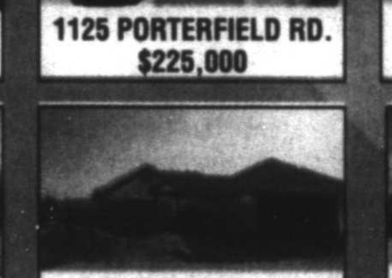
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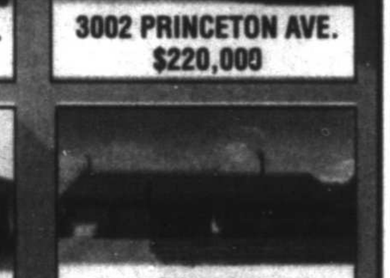
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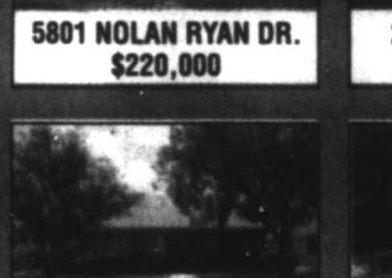
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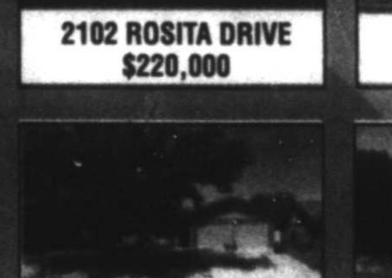
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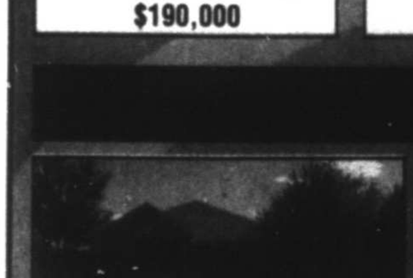
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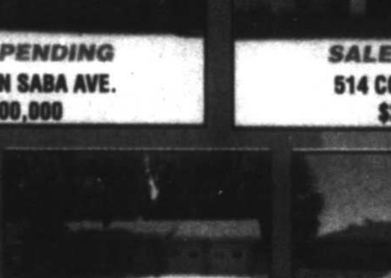
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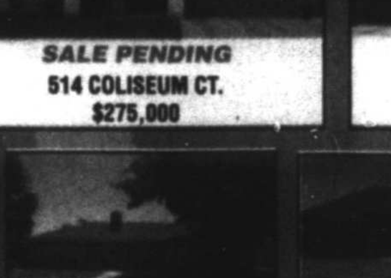
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2403 EMERSON CT.
$215,000

SALE PENDING
809 CALUMET ST.
$199,900

SALE PENDING
9400 LAMAR AVE., ODESSA
$199,900

SALE PENDING
3820 SINCLAIR AVE.
- $159,999

SOLD LISTINGS

SOLD
6012 DUNBARTON OAKS BLVD.
$1,700,000

SOLD
531 SIR BARTON
$1,600,000

SOLD
5291 ALYSHEBA LANE
$1,300,000

SOLD
5004 DREXEL COURT
$700,000

SOLD
1920 PAGEWOOD
$700,000

SOLD
5003 STERLING PLACE
$525,000

SOLD
5006 WIDENER STRIP
$500,000

SOLD
4001 EDGEBROOK DR.
$500,000

SOLD
5009 OAK CREEK DRIVE
$385,000

SOLD
5004 SABINE DR.
$375,000

SOLD
74 EMERALD FOREST DR. $345,000

SOLD
6109 WICHITA
$372,500

SOLD
700 CANTERBURY ST. ODESSA
- $310,000

SOLD
106 CLUB DRIVE
$260,000

SOLD
102 CLUB DR.
$260,000

SOLD
2826 FANNIN AVE.
$260,000

SOLD
2604 ADONIA ST.
$250,000

SOLD
6108 SPAHN STREET
$200,000

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6106 SPAHN STREET
$200,000

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Sunday Featured Homes!

4303 E. Co. Rd. 60 - $625,000

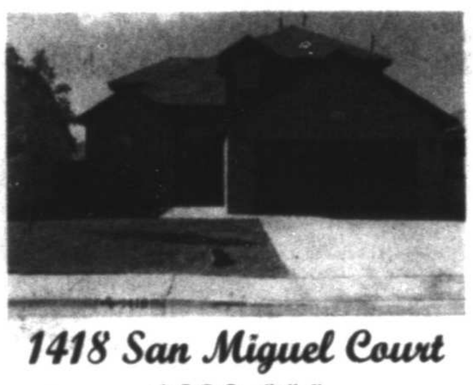
Open House 2-3...Shown By Darlene Morales

Stunning custom built home on 2.24 acres! Beautiful Driveway! 5 Bedroom, 4.5 bath home with two master suites and a 3 Car Garage.Beautiful front entry door. So many custom details: Beautiful ceilings, crown molding,plantation shutters throughout, cabinetry, great office.Great detail in the lighting throughout the home. Open floor plan, great for entertaining .Huge closets. Great Landscaped yard to include covered patio, Garden area, storage area. Private back yard with plenty of room beyond the fence! Cinder block fence and beautiful trees!

Call Virginia Elizondo to see any of these listings...
349-7782

5709 Camino Reale
$367,000

3903 Guadalupe
$305,000



1418 San Miguel Court
$299,000

2205 Princeton
$292,000

2818 Purple Sage Trail
$239,000

6213 Mile High Lane
$235,000

3309 Stewart Avenue
$208,000

3303 W. Michigan
$153,000

302 S. Lincoln
$145,000

4610 Mercedes
$134,000

1000 Delmar
$128,000

SUNDAY OPEN HOUSES

OPEN 12:00-1:15
3601 Stanolind - $225,000
Listed by Danny Norwood

OPEN 1:00-2:00
404 Mile High Lane - $289,500
4BD/3BA
Listed by Pam Messer
Shown by Angie McKay

OPEN 1:00-2:00
1304 Ventnor - $192,500
3BD/2BA
Shown by Reece Bivens

OPEN 1:00-2:00
406 Spraberry - $109,500
2BD/1BA
Shown by Susan Palmer

OPEN 1:00-2:00
3204 Shell - $375,000
4BD/4BA
Shown by Brittany Boyd

OPEN 1:00-2:00
4700 Elma - $214,500
3BD/2BA
Shown by Amanda Gunter

OPEN 1:00-2:00
908 Shea Lane
Listed by Jerrilyn Garrison

OPEN 1:00-2:00
3705 Fairhaven Ct. - $250,000
Listed & Shown by Ashley St. John

OPEN 1:00-2:00
4002 Lehigh Dr. - $276,900
4BD/2.5BA/1LA/2CG
Listed & Shown by Sandy J. Hanson

OPEN 1:30-2:30
910 Douglas Ave. - $600,000
Listed by Ashley St. John
Shown by Mark Phillibar

OPEN 1:30-2:30
812 Howard Dr. - $180,000
3BD/2BA
Listed by DeLaura Gammage
Shown by Stacy Gonzalez

OPEN 1:30-2:30
5204 Teakwood Trace
Listed by Reannah Glover

OPEN 1:30-2:30
2309 Country Club - $195,000
Listed & Shown by Lauren Therrell

OPEN 1:30-2:30
6007 Oak Creek - $414,900
4BD/3BA
Listed by Tracy Farrow

OPEN 1:30-3:00
1917 Huntington - $229,900
Listed by Danny Norwood

OPEN 2:00-3:00
3341 Providence - $199,900
Listed by Josie Alvarez
Shown by Andrea Snell

OPEN 2:00-3:00
4303 E. Co. Rd. 60 - $625,000
Listed by Virginia Elizondo
Shown by Darlene Morales

OPEN 2:00-3:00
3000 Northtown Pl. - $250,000
4BD/2BA
Listed by Samantha Smith

OPEN 2:30-3:30
5507 Sundance Ct. - $339,500
4BD/3BA/1LA/3CG
Listed & Shown by Sandy J. Hanson

OPEN 2:30-3:30
5013 Pimlico - $354,500
3BD/3BA
Shown by Reece Bivens

OPEN 2:30-3:30
4101 Crestgate Ave. - $389,900
4BD/3BA
Listed & Shown by Angie McKay

OPEN 2:00-4:00
4902 FM 307, Greenwood - $190,000
Listed & Shown by Kate Christian

OPEN 2:00-4:00
7206 E. Co. Rd. 113 - $699,000
Chaney Ranch, Greenwood
Shown by Leah Watkins

OPEN 2:30-4:00
5803 SCR 1200 - $326,000
4BD/3.5BA
Shown by Susan Palmer

OPEN 3:00-4:00
5619 Llano Court - $269,999
Listed & Shown by Lauren Therrell

OPEN 3:30-4:30
2011 Coleman Ct. - $389,000
Listed by DeLaura Gammage
Shown by Stacy Gonzalez

OPEN 3:30-4:30
6213 Mile High - $235,000
Listed by Virginia Elizondo
Shown by Darlene Morales

OPEN 4:00-5:00
3404 Sinclair Ave. - $195,500
3BD/2BA
Listed by Denise Brasher
Shown by Reece Bivens

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SUNDAY OPEN HOUSES

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4002 LEHIGH DRIVE

Beautiful home with tons of updates since sellers purchase. " Updates are as follows: wonderfully upscaled including completely redone master bath, 2nd bath w/ new counter tops, sink, faucet, paint and toilet, kitchen w/ new counter tops, back splash and paint, half bath completely remodeled, hardwood floors(4 yrs. ago), all new fans & light fixtures, outside painted, fireplace painted. You will just love this floor plan. 4 bedrooms, 2 full baths, 1 half bath, Sequestered Master, Open living area with fireplace, Oversized breakfast room/Dining Room, Entry area has a sitting area, Covered Patio, Automatic Sprinkler System, 2-car garage, Storage building, Square Footage: 2,327 per Appr. Year Built: 1982 Lot size: 0.222
MLS# 506653579 $270,000

5507 SUNDANCE CT.

Located in Grassland Estates

Welcome to 5507 Sundance Ct.! Beautiful 4 bedroom, 3 bath home with incredibly open floor plan. Fabulous wood inspired ceramic tile floors will meet you when you enter. Large living room, spacious kitchen w/tremendous counter space and wonderful cabinetry, breakfast bar and large breakfast area! The sequestered master bedroom is spacious and master bath enjoys his/her vanities plus separate tub and shower. Backyard features covered patio and deck!
MLS # 506658669 $330,000

FEATURED LISTINGS

7000 Abney Ct.	5 bed, 3.5 baths, 2 LA, 2DA, outdoor kitchen, pool	MLS #50002653	NEW PRICE	$651,000
1306 WCR 130	2 Homes, Barn, Shop & Wood Shop on 12.40 Acres	MLS #50001502	OFFER WELCOME	$449,900
5507 Sundance Ct.	4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, cul-de-sac	MLS #50003680		$330,500
901 ECR 130	4 bedrooms, 2 bath, 4.44 acres, pool	MLS #50003646		$369,900
5602 SCR 1214	New Construction 4 bed/2 bath on 1.052 Acre	MLS #50002202	COMPLETED	$369,800
6117 Prairie Ridge	4 bed, 2.5 bath, 1 living, 3 garage	MLS #50003493	UNDER CONTRACT	$355,000
5601 SCR 1214	New Construction 4 bed/2.5 baths on 1.046 Acre	MLS #50002203		$328,600
7411 ECR 80	4 bedrooms, Greenwood	MLS #50003884	NEW LISTING	$325,000
5605 SCR 1214	New Construction 4 bed/2 bath on 1.045 Acre	MLS #50002196		$303,750
4002 Lehigh Dr.	4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, 1 LA, 1 DA	MLS #50002579		$276,900
19007 ECR 105	3 bed, 2 bath, insulated shop, pool	MLS #50002535	NEW PRICE	$259,900
3200 W. Wadley	3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, 2 living, 2 car garage, RV space	MLS #50004231	NEW LISTING	$242,900
3902 Placid Ct.	3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 car garage & 2 car carport	MLS #50003103		$239,500
3207 Wildlife Way	3 bedrooms, 2 bath, 2 garage	MLS #50003991	UNDER CONTRACT	$224,500
3317 Providence Dr.	3 bedrooms, 2 bath, 2 living, 2 garage	MLS #50004264	NEW LISTING	$157,500
5202 Lake Co. Rd. 256	3 Bed, 2 Bath, On Lake Colorado City	MLS #106036	OWNER CARRY	$99,400
5213 Dunbarton Oaks Blvd.	.97 acres RESIDENTIAL LOT	MLS #102676		$140,000
6714 FM 715	-22 Acres	MLS #108863		$365,000
0000 E. FM 1212, Stanton, Tx.	3.888 acres with Caliche put on property, non-restricted	MLS #106092		$32,000
SUNRIDGE RANCH ESTATES SECTION III				
6400 WCR 41	Lot 1, Block 6, 3.950 Acres	MLS #50003663		$119,000
6401 WCR 41	Lot 1, Block 8, 3.658 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, 3.855 Acres	MLS #50003659		$119,000
RENTAL: 4719 Kiowa Dr.	3 bedroom 1 full bath, 1 half bath, 1-car garage			$1,450 deposit/$1,450/mth

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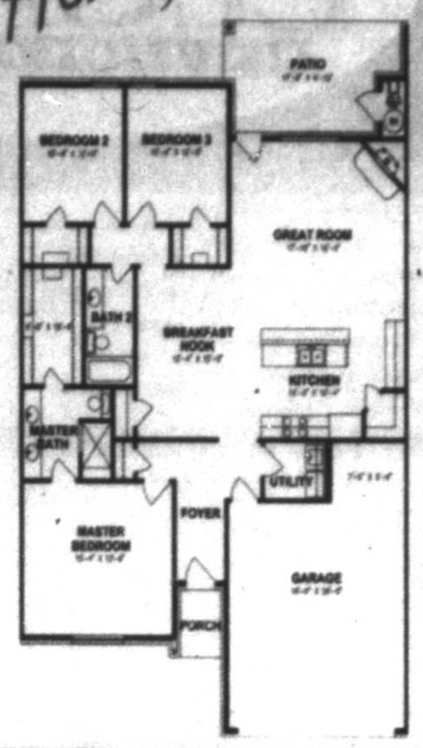
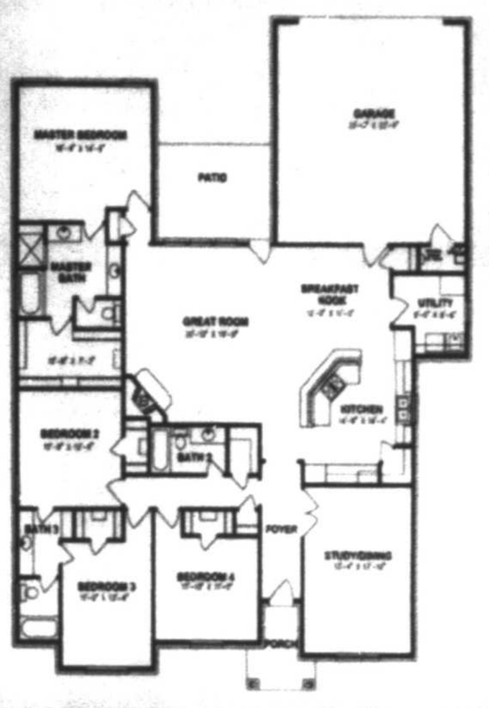


1206 Porterfield
$236,500

OPEN HOUSE!
Sunday 2-4 PM



6113 Wichita
$389,500

Stunning 4 bedroom, 3 bath located on a quiet cul-de-sac in Heritage Oaks. Open kitchen features double ovens, a roomy breakfast bar with granite countertops and an abundance of natural light. Spacious utility room, oversized 2 car garage & plenty of closets for storage!

Mark Payne Homes Available Homes

1208 Porterfield- 3 Bed, 2.5 Bath, Study, 2 Car Garage	$309,500
1210 Porterfield- 2 Bed, 2.5 Bath, 2 Car Garage	$225,500
5914 Frio- 4 Bed, 2 Bath, Formal Dining, 2 Car Garage	$337,500
6008 Sabine- 3 Bed, 3 Bath, Flex Room, Formal Dining, 3 Car Garage	$427,500
6109 Wichita- 4 Bed, 3 Bath, Study, 2 Car Garage	UC
6117 Wichita- 4 Bed, 3 Bath, Formal Dining, Game Room, 3 Car Garage	UC
6014 Rio Grande- 4 Bed, 2 Bath, 2 Car Garage	UC
6016 Rio Grande- 3 Bed, 2 Bath, Study, 2 Car Garage	$306,500

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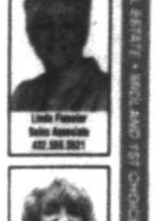

SUNDAY OPEN HOUSES & FEATURED HOMES

FEATURED HOME

4621 Hilltop
4BR 3BA 2 LA 3 Car Garage
For more info.
Call Denise Underwood
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FEATURED HOME

3715 Humble
3 Br, 2 BA, 2 LA, 2 Car Garage, 2 Car detached.
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OPEN 1:00-2:30

2808 Stutz
4 BR, 3 BA, 3 LA, 2 DA, 2 Car Garage.
Shown by Craig Hanson
(432) 425-0038

OPEN 1:30-2:30

3213 Patrick
3 BR, 2.5 BA, stunning like new home, open floorplan.
Shown by Skeet Doss
(432) 352-4826

OPEN 3:00-4:00

1812 Dukes
5BR, 4.5BA, 3LA, 2 Dining, 3 Car Garage.
Shown by Skeet Doss
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FEATURED HOME

2212 Western
3BR, 2.5BA, 2 LA, 2 Dining Areas, Townhouse for Lease
$2300 Monthly/$2300 Deposit
For more info. Call
Brooke Underwood (432) 978-5300

FEATURED LISTINGS

7 Weeping Willow-5 Bedrooms, 4.5 baths amazing estate with guest quarters huge shop	REDUCED $1,295,000
4301 ECR 62-4 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, indoor pool	$950,000
2400 Briar Oaks Ct.-New Construction Robert Graham Home 4 BR 4.5 BA 3 LA 2 Dining Areas 4 Car Garage	$685,330
17 Oak Lawn Park-Absolutely wonderful condo newly remodeled with detached guest suite	$649,000
4200 ECR 63-New Quiroz on 2 acres 4 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, 3 living, 2 dining	REDUCED $634,000
FM 1213-115 AC residential or commercial, 2 Bldgs, Multiple wells	$499,900
1012 Dukes-5BR, 4.5BA, 3LA, 2 Dining, 3 Car Garage	REDUCED $468,000
5010 ECR 60-4 bedrooms, 4 baths, Pool with hot tub, 2.56 acres	$465,900
905 Chiffon-3 bedrooms, 4.5 baths, Saddle club town homes Gameroom, workroom	REDUCED $459,000
4013 Spring Meadow-3BR 2 BA 2 Car Garage Gourmet Kitchen, updates galore, double lot	REDUCED $355,000
4621 Hilltop Dr.-4BR 3BA 2 LA 3 Car Garage	$395,000
3213 Patrick-3BR 2.5BA 2 Dining Areas 3 Car Garage	$349,900
1636 N Flamingo-Odessa Commercial property, No restrictions, Zoned Commercial or Residential	$345,000
1200 Stokes-2BR, 2 BA, Medal Barn, 2 Ponds, lots of Potential, 10.5Acres	$299,900
14 Metz Ct.- 4BR 3.5 Baths 3 LA 2 Dining Areas	$299,900
1905 N. D St.-3BR, 2BA, 2 Dining Areas, 2 Car Garage	REDUCED $279,900
4300 Valley-4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, 2 living, 2 dining, Huge corner lot, new carpet and paint	REDUCED $274,900
2212 Stutz-3 BR, 2 BA, 2 Car Garage on pretty street	REDUCED $262,500
3211 I Street-3 BR + Office, 2 BA, 2 LA, 2 Dining Areas	$230,000
2501 Camarlo Ave-4BR, 2 BA, 2 LA, 2 Dining Areas, 2 Car Garage	REDUCED $235,000
2 Linda Ct-3 bedroom, 2 bath home conveniently located, great for entertaining	$230,000
3012 Hyde Park-3 BR 2 BA High Ceilings Great Pool	REDUCED $212,500
3719 Humble-3 Br, 2 BA, 2 LA, 2 Car Garage, 2 Car detached, Garage/workshop	$210,000

12700 ECR 81-2013 Mobile Home, 8.5 AC, 2 Water Wells, Convex Storages, Barn, Wood decking	REDUCED $198,000
3233 Whittle Way-3 BR, 2.5 BA, 2 Car Garage, Town House	$189,750
10916 E. Brown St. (Gardendale)- 3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, 4.48 Acres, 6 Horse Stalls	REDUCED $179,000
3306 S County Road 1298-4BR 2BA 2 LA 4 Car Carport 1.05 AC	REDUCED $173,000
4507 Watson Dr.-3BR 2 BA 2 Car Garage	REDUCED $169,900
803 N 19th Street-Lamesa 3BR, 2 BA, 2 LA, 2 Dining Areas, 1 Carport	$154,000
4709 W Bowie Drive-3 Bedrooms, 1 Bath, 1 Living Area, 1 Dining Area. 1 Car Garage. Move in Ready	$148,000
4417 Loddy Dr-3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, 720 sq ft workshop in back	$129,000
4401 Erie Dr.-3 bedrooms, 2 baths	$129,000
706 Calhoun-3 Bedrooms, 1 Bath	$115,000
609 W Kansas Ave -3 bedrooms, 1.5 bath, bonus room, storage building in back	$109,000
5607 ECR 60-Single-wide mobile home, 3 bedrooms, 2 bath on almost 5 acres	$89,900
HWY 190-Deer Canyon Ranch Crockett County 101 Acres	$75,000
3805 ECR 157-2 Acres to build your house or bring in a mobile home!	$71,500
4700 Boulder Ave #1006-Condo, 2 BR, 1 Bath, Granite Counter tops, Crown Molding	REDUCED $70,500
2601 WCR 114-2 BR, 1 BA, APX 2 Acres	$70,000
FOR LEASE: 505 S. K Street #1-1 BR, 1 BA	$750 monthly/$750 Deposit
FOR LEASE: 5117 Ric Dr.-3 BR 2 Ba 1 Car Garage sprinkler system	$1500 monthly/$1500 Deposit
FOR LEASE: 106 S Bentwood-3BR 1.5 BA	$1400 Monthly/$1400 Deposit
FOR LEASE: 2212 Western Drive-3BR 2.5 Baths	$2500monthly/$2500Deposit
FOR LEASE: 3800 Haynes Ave.-3BR 2.5 Baths, 4086 sq ft	REDUCED $2500monthly
FOR LEASE: 2900 Kenwich-3 BR, 2BA, 2LA, 2 Dining Areas, 2 Car Garage	$2400monthly/$2400Deposit

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NEW CONSTRUCTION IN MIDLAND

1200 PORTERFIELD...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001975	$236,500
JC CHAVEZ CONSTRUCTION		
501 S. TERRELL...Josie Rendon 889-8394		$169,900
MASTER BUILT HOMES		
608 CALUMET ST...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003463	$204,900
DOZIER CUSTOM HOMES		
5301 HALF MOON...Cheryl Parrish	MLS #50001193	$498,900
FORMOSA HOMES, LLC		
300 S. DALLAS ST...Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #106637	SOLD
TROY HUNT		
605 CALUMET ST...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #108155	SALE PENDING
GOMEZ CONSTRUCTION		
1203 E.NOBLES...Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #105412	SALE PENDING
MARK PAYNE		
3109 WICHITA....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003444	SOLD
5912 FRIO DR....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004100	$325,500
1206 PORTERFIELD....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001681	$309,500
1210 PORTERFIELD....DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001683	$325,500
MIDLAND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORP.		
1200 ELM AVE...Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #109125	$177,500
WBC CUSTOM HOMES		
13100 E. CO. RD. 110, GREENWOOD...Michelle Lesikar 230-3633	MLS #107905	SALE PENDING
DE HOMES, INC.		
7314 E. CO. RD. 91...Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #107924	SALE PENDING
1202 A NOBLES...Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #50001369	$163,000
1202 B NOBLES...Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #50001370	$163,000
WESCON SERVICES LLC		
1203 HICKORY...Karen Foster 559-4086	MLS #108305	SALE PENDING
MADDEN HOMES, LLC		
5601 S. CO. RD. 1214...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50002203	$329,000
KBA BUILDERS, LLC		
5602 S. CO. RD. 1214...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50002202	$369,000
5605 S. CO. RD. 1214...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50002196	$363,700
RUEDAS HOMES, INC		
811 N. Main St...Josie Rendon 889-8394		$165,000

FOUR OR MORE BEDROOMS IN MIDLAND

3114 PALO VERDE GLEN... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003404	$1,299,000
913 KEYSTONE CT...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #1000031268	$1,150,000
531 SIR BARTON...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #107327	SOLD
5701 DEVLIN PL...Peggy Sponce 664-3011	MLS #50001410	SALE PENDING
6400 E. CO. RD. 109...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50001470	$830,000
2700 CALLAWAY...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001239	$800,000
4703 GREENTREE BLVD... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003039	$690,000
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	$615,000
910 DOUGLAS AVE...Ashley St. John 352-6254	MLS #50003105	$600,000
3102 SEABOARD AVE... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001400	$600,000
4100 BAYBROOK DRIVE... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001799	$575,000
2113 CO. RD. 1129...Larry Hatfield, 349-4788	MLS#100030577	$569,900
624 OAK POINT...Kim Merrill 664-4702	MLS #50001949	$569,000
4001 FAIRWOOD...Danny Norwood 413-2764	MLS #107438	$549,000
2102 DEEANNA LANE...Martha Manulik 557-8744	MLS #50001168	$509,500
4001 EDGEBROOK DR...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001288	SOLD
4437 VERDE GLEN COURT...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002142	$475,000
729 PINEHURST DR...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003095	$450,000
5621 HATHAWAY CT...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002952	$450,000
5800 SUNDANCE...Pam Messer	MLS #50003309	$450,000
5204 TEAKWOOD TRACE...Reannah Glover	MLS #50003407	$439,000
3407 TRINITY MEADOWS DR...Denise Brasher, 889-5022	MLS #50003284	$429,900
8007 OAK CREEK DRIVE... Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50003872	$414,900
6005 BARTON SPRINGS CT... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003647	$400,000
5909 OAK CREEK DRIVE... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002646	SOLD
5307 WIMBERLEY SPRING CT...Jo Keller 269-8319	MLS #50003316	$395,000
5911 OAK CREEK DRIVE...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50003471	$389,900
2116 EVANS...Samantha Smith 978-3588	MLS #50001980	$389,750
2011 COLEMAN CT...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001401	$380,000
4604 TEAKWOOD TR...Cheryl Parrish 352-3053	MLS #108254	$380,000
1603 W. MICHIGAN...Reannah Glover	MLS #50003450	SALE PENDING
3124 PATRICK...Wendy Waddell 638-9955	MLS #50002486	$375,000
3204 SHELL...Susan Palmer 978-7816	MLS #50002491	$375,000
1502 PRINCETON AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002360	$370,000
2501 STANOLIND AVE...Danny Gilles 697-8904	MLS #50001994	SALE PENDING
4101 CRESTGATE...Angie McKay 599-0272	MLS #50002492	$360,000
5907 SABINE DRIVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003507	$359,000
6117 PRAIRIE RIDGE...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS#50003480	SALE PENDING
11402 W. CO. RD. 40...Ashley St. John	MLS #50002804	$350,000
4208 EDGEBROOK...Skye Farris 294-3336	MLS #108002	SALE PENDING
2903 PRINCETON...Amanda Gunter 413-7330	MLS #50002294	SALE PENDING
2405 TERRACE...Danny Norwood 413-2764		$349,900
2001 COLEMAN CT... Martha Manulik, 557-8744	MLS #107897	$349,500
1901 ALMONT PL...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003244	SALE PENDING
5507 SUNDANCE CT...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50003680	$339,500
3807 CRESTLINE AVE... DeLaura Gammage, 288-3880	MLS #50003198	$330,000
806 LAWSON AVE... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003381	$325,000
1204 CERRILLOS...Chery Parrish	MLS #50002778	$324,900
6001 NOTTINGHAM LANE...Mark Philliber	MLS #50002494	$324,000
10904 E. CO. RD. 109...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50002619	$321,000
5622 GRASSLAND BLVD...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003305	$320,000
3511 STANOLIND...Larry Hatifield	MLS #50003112	$315,000
3903 GUADALUPE...Virginia Elizondo, 349-7782	MLS#50003215	$309,000
2105 WHITNEY...Andrea Snell 559-4417	MLS #50002183	SALE PENDING
1719 NORMANDY...Leah Watkins 599-2187	MLS #50002167	SALE PENDING
3111 STANOLIND CT...Martha Manulik 557-8744	MLS #50001703	SALE PENDING
2207 STRATFORD...Larry Hatfield 349-4788	MLS #50003534	$299,900
1418 SAN MIGUEL CT...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS #50002053	$299,000
512 WAGNER...Lisa Russell 741-5964	MLS #50001562	$297,500
3412 PINEMONT DR... DeLaura Gammage, 288-3880	MLS #50003821	$295,000
2205 PRINCETON...Virginia Elizondo	MLS #50004137	SALE PENDING
5801 PEDERNALES...Martha Manulik	MLS #50003539	SALE PENDING
404 MILE HIGH LANE...Pam Messer 349-3075	MLS #50004246	$289,900
5010 SHERWOOD...Larry Hatfield 349-4788	MLS #108970	SOLD
6923 RANCH HAND DR...Reannah Glover	MLS #50002835	SALE PENDING
1601 CLEMENTE CT... Lana Flores 385-5843		$279,000
4002 LEHIGH DR...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50002579	$276,000
5000 CHAPEL HILL... Lana Flores 385-5843	MLS #50002087	$275,000
1601 N. B ST...Pam Messer 349-3075	MLS #50001614	$275,000
1210 W. GOLF COURSE...Amanda Gunter 413-7330	MLS #50002353	$275,000
6901 RANCH HAND DR...Lana Flores		$275,000
4811 TIMBER LN...Denise Brasher 889-5022	MLS #50003232	$274,000
2513 MAXWELL...Madison Shaw 528-4640	MLS #50001322	$266,000
2410 TERRACE AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001417	$264,000
6903 RANCHLAND DR...Lisa Russell		$263,000
1502 NEELY...Josie Alvarez 618-5013	MLS #50001779	SALE PENDING
3000 NORTHTOWN...Samantha Smith 978-3588	MLS #50004280	$250,000
2901 SANDHILL CIRCLE...DeLaura Gammage, 288-3880	MLS #50003223	$247,500
3216 STUTZ... Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50003868	$235,000
1917 HUNTINGTON...Danny Norwood 413-2764	MLS #50003883	$229,900
3805 CRESTGATE AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #108432	SALE PENDING
3225 DENGAR AVE...Mark Philliber 222-5071	MLS #108321	$215,000
3011 BALTIC AVE...Stacy Gonzalez 413-7061	MLS #108913	$210,000
3210 CARVER...Reannah Glover	MLS #50002694	$199,000
2309 COUNTRY CLUB DR...Lauren Therrell 557-4114	MLS #50004098	$195,000
604 W. KANSAS AVE...Lisa Russell 741-5964	MLS #108203	$189,000
2602 ANDOVER...Susan Palmer 978-7816	MLS #50003605	$185,000
2402 CAMARIE...Pam Dodd 413-0780	MLS #107069	SALE PENDING
601 BECKLEY...Josie Alvarez 618-5013		$157,900
3303 MICHIGAN...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS #50001886	$153,000
915 HOLLY DR...Tina Atkins 661-0062	MLS #50002940	SALE PENDING
3806 AVONDALE...Gina Reyes 553-6381	MLS #50001402	SALE PENDING

THREE BEDROOMS IN MIDLAND

215 WINDRIDGE CIRCLE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004214	$750,000
1803 MABERRY...Danny Norwood 413-2764		$649,900
727 SOLOMON LN...Angie McKay 599-0272	MLS #50002838	$599,000
804 CAMONERO ST...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002868	$535,000
4408 COYOTE TRAIL...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004030	$525,000
1901 FRINGEWOOD DR... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #108804	$450,000
3007 LOCKHEED DR...Denise Brasher 889-5022	MLS #50004245	$419,900
5611 LOS PATIOS... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003554	$375,000
5700 CAMINO REALE...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS #50003084	$367,000
5013 PIMLICO...Susan Palmer 978-7816	MLS #108856	$354,500
5502 LOS PATIOS...Pam Dodd 413-0780	MLS #109152	$335,000
2610 COUNTRY CLUB DR...Denise Brasher 889-5022	MLS #50003851	$330,000
5406 CROWLEY BLVD...Pam Messer 349-3075	MLS #50002891	$319,999
2815 CIMMARON AVE...Samantha Smith 978-3588	MLS #50001130	SALE PENDING
5909 LLANO COURT...Danny Norwood 413-2764	MLS #108526	SALE PENDING
3706 CASADY COURT...Wendy Waddell 638-9955	MLS #50001122	$309,900
2805 DOUGLAS AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004042	$300,000
5400 RIO GRANDE AVE...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50003653	$299,000
5709 SAN SABA AVE... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002557	SALE PENDING
6203 CROSLEY DR...Mark Philliber	MLS #50003212	SOLD
514 COLISEUM CT... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003751	SALE PENDING
3322 HAYNES AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002248	SALE PENDING
3013 MOSS AVE... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #108982	$274,900
4707 TEAKWOOD TRACE...Susan Palmer 978-7816	MLS #50003611	SALE PENDING
5619 LLANO CT...Lauren Therrell 557-4114		$269,999
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
6304 DRIFTWOOD...Leah Watkins	MLS #108780	SALE PENDING
2506 W. DENGAR...Kim Merrill 664-4702	MLS #50001619	SALE PENDING
3705 FAIRHAVEN CT...Ashley Brasher-St. John 352-6254	MLS #50004043	$250,000
4008 BISHOPS CASTLE DR...Cheryl Parrish 352-3053	MLS #50003188	$249,900
3906 S. CO. RD. 1185...Susan Palmer 978-7816	MLS #50004234	$249,000
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
3200 W. WADLEY...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50004231	SALE PENDING
2902 DORA PLACE... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003127	SALE PENDING
2515 HUMBLE...Danny Norwood 413-2764		$239,900
3902 PLACID CT...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50003103	$239,500
2818 PURPLE SAGE TRAIL...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS# 50003186	$239,000
3304 CLAREMONT...Donna Omar 349-1458	MLS #108683	$235,000
1006 STANOLIND AVE...Kate Christian 853-0315	MLS #50001497	$235,000
6213 MILE HIGH...Virginia Elizondo	MLS #50004013	$235,000
1603 NEELY AVE...Martha Manulik 557-8744	MLS #50004091	$232,500
908 SHEA LN...Jerrilyn Garrison 202-0276	MLS #50003252	$229,000
3203 W. DENGAR AVE... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002894	SALE PENDING
3601 STANOLIND...Danny Norwood 413-2764		$225,000
1125 PORTERFIELD RD...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004215	$225,000
5003 BRAZOS...Susan Palmer 978-7816	MLS #50003959	SALE PENDING
3207 WHITTLE WAY...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50003991	$224,500
4303 DOWNING...Karen Foster 559-4086	MLS #50002999	SALE PENDING
3002 PRINCETON AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003430	$220,000
2102 ROSITA DRIVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003503	$220,000
5601 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
406 ILDEWILDE DR...Josie Rendon 889-8394		$220,000
2802 HAYNES DR...Cheryl Parrish	MLS #50002985	$219,900
6106 SPAHN ST... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002566	SOLD
6108 SPAHN ST... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880		SOLD
3216 FRONTIER DR...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50003614	$219,000
4611 LAURA...Ashley St. John 352-6254	MLS #1000030196	SOLD
2403 EMERSON CT... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003838	SALE PENDING
3203 W. SHANDON...Martha Manulik 557-8744	MLS #50001315	$215,000
4700 ELMA...Susan Palmer 978-7816	MLS #50001332	$214,500
813 SHELL AVE... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003941	$210,000
3309 STEWART AVE...Virginia Elizondo	MLS #50004262	$208,000
10709 E. CO. RD. 104...Josie Rendon 889-8394		SALE PENDING
4302 FERNCLIFF...Karen Foster 559-4086	MLS #50001466	SALE PENDING
321 THORNRIDGE...Larry Hatfield	MLS #50004041	$202,000
119 E. COWDEN...Stacy Gonzalez 413-7061	MLS #50003161	$200,000
3341 PROVIDENCE DR...Josie Alvarez 618-5013		$199,900
2506 HOYA DR...Leah Watkins 599-2187	MLS #50002192	$199,000
5808 E. CO. RD. 57...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50003506	$194,900
4510 FANNIN...Ashley St. John 352-6254	MLS #50001815	SOLD
119 E COWDEN...Stacy Gonzalez 413-7061	MLS #50003161	$196,000
3404 SINCLAIR AVE...Denise Brasher 889-5022	MLS #50002569	$196,500
5103 BLUE HAVEN...Reannah Glover 553-5352	MLS #50002134	$196,000
4705 PASADENA...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50002139	SALE PENDING
3318 CAMARIE AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001767	$195,000
1304 VENTNOR...Susan Palmer 978-7816	MLS #50003606	$192,500
4002 FM 307...Kate Christian 853-0315	MLS #50004082	$190,000
3507 CRESTMONT DR...Angie McKay 599-0272	MLS #50003166	$189,995
1409 SPARKS ST...Stephanie Rogers 978-9757	MLS #50003235	$189,900
3306 DENGAR...Josie Alvarez 618-5013	MLS #50004072	$185,000
5018 MOUNT VERNON...Pam Dodd 413-0780		SALE PENDING
5005 RAINBOW RD...Amanda Gunter 413-7330	MLS #50001365	SALE PENDING
3518 CAMARIE AVE...Stacy Gonzalez 413-7061	MLS #108161	SALE PENDING
2401 WHITTLE WAY...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002072	$180,000
812 HOWARD DR...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004053	$180,000
2500 PRINCETON...Martha Manulik 557-8744	MLS #50001320	SALE PENDING
4222 GREENBRIAR...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50001997	SALE PENDING
113 SOUTH TYLER...Pam Messer 432-349-3075	MLS #106445	$179,500
3700 W. LOUISIANA AVE...Paul Culver 934-1021		SALE PENDING
403 NICKLAUS ST...Kim Merrill		SALE PENDING
3211 FRONTIER DR...Lisa Russell 741-5964	MLS #500019770	SALE PENDING
3230 WHITTLE WAY...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50002629	$170,000
3318 STOREY AVE...Jerrilyn Garrison 202-0276	MLS #50001776	SALE PENDING
1013 TARLETON...Reannah Glover	MLS #50002581	SALE PENDING
707 OSAGE...Samantha Smith 978-3588	MLS #50002545	$169,000
5114 SUNNYSIDE DR...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004276	$169,000
5206 SUNNYSIDE DR...Martha Manulik	MLS #50004108	$165,000
3400 W. GOLF COURSE RD...Amanda Gunter	MLS #50002095	SALE PENDING
3317 PROVIDENCE DR...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50004264	$157,500
3820 SINCLAIR...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50001680	SALE PENDING
4607 MERCEDES DR...Brittany Boyd 978-7202	MLS #50003247	$149,500
4725 PRINCETON AVE...Pam Messer 349-3075	MLS #50004156	$149,500
3006 W. OHIO...Lavonne Johnson 770-3883	MLS #50001730	$149,000
302 S. LINCOLN...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS #50001233	$145,000
414 E. DENGAR AVE...Tina Atkins 661-0062	MLS #50003983	$135,000
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	$129,000
1000 DELMAR...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS #50003818	$129,000
703 RUBY...Donna Omar	MLS #50002293	SALE PENDING
1219 MARLIN AVE...Martha Manulik 557-8744	MLS #50003187	$125,000
1004 MAGNOLIA...Josie Rendon 889-8394		$120,000
309 E. PINE...Karen Foster 559-4086	MLS # 50003468	$119,000
3309 W. OHIO...Ashley St. John	MLS #50003817	$119,900
308 CEDAR STREET...Karen Foster 559-4086		SALE PENDING
3404 PARK LANE...Donna Omar	MLS #50003470	$99,000
2100 W. WADLEY #29...Lavonne Johnson 770-3883	MLS #50001233	SALE PENDING

ONE/TWO BEDROOMS IN MIDLAND

3706 CASADY CT...Wendy Waddell 638-9955	MLS #50001122	$299,000
2402 CASTLEFORD...Larry Hatfield 349-4788	MLS #50003521	SALE PENDING
601 NORTH D. ST...Samantha Smith 978 3588	MLS #50002689	$169,900
2408 ARBOR CIRCLE...Angie McKay 599-0272	MLS #50002399	$169,900
211 E. CIRCLE DRIVE...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50003464	$149,900
4211 HARLOWE DR...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003197	$130,000
1403 W. TENNESSEE...Martha Manulik	MLS #50003894	SALE PENDING
408 SPRABERRY...Susan Palmer 978-7816	MLS #50002729	$100,500
2105 W. WASHINGTON...Sue Lytle	MLS #50002944	$97,000
4700 BOULDER #104...Stacy Gonzalez 413-7061	MLS #109043	$82,000

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11500 W. CO. RD. 39...Pam Messer 349-3075	MLS #50002990	$2,000,000
4409 E. CO. RD. 63...Danny Norwood 413-2764	MLS #108422	$999,000
6400 E. CO. RD. 109...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50001470	$830,900
6806 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
2113 CO. RD. 1129...Larry Hatfield, 349-4788	MLS#100030577	$569,900
2101 S. CO. RD. 1087...Mark Philliber 222-5071	MLS #50001959	$564,900
12107 W. CO. RD. 52...Lisa Russell 741-5964	MLS #108236	$484,900
1300 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	SALE PENDING
1903 S. CO. RD. 1140...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50002151	$415,000
3902 N. CO. RD. 1247...Stephanie Rogers	MLS #50003555	$410,000
2202 S. CO. RD. 1085, GREENWOOD...Michelle Lesikar 230-3633	MLS #50003930	$399,000
10205 E. CO. RD. 104...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50003378	$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. 102...Lana Flores 385-5843	MLS #50001291	$365,000
1407 E. CO. RD. 130...Larry Hatfield		SOLD
12900 FM 307, GREENWOOD...Michelle Lesikar 230-3633	MLS #50001345	SALE PENDING
5703 W. CO. RD. 60...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50002866	SALE PENDING
5403 S. CO. RD. 1200...Susan Palmer	MLS #50002447	$326,000
7411 E. CO. RD. 93, GREENWOOD...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50003884	$325,000
3700 W. CO. RD. 145...Danny Norwood 413-2764		$300,900
8105 SAN ANTONIO ST... DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #50004090	$299,000
10909 E. CO. RD. 108...Lisa Russell 741-5964	MLS #108961	0.51 Acres/$295,000
4607 S. CO. RD. 1177...Darla Davis 260-8077	MLS #50002162	$279,000
9103 W. CO. RD. 160...Lisa Russell 741-5964	MLS #50001570	$265,000
10607 E. CO. RD. 105...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #50002926	$250,000
12901 W. CO. RD. 54...Mark Philliber 222-5071	MLS #50001389	$235,000
1300 E. CO. RD. 120...Michelle Lesikar 230-3633	MLS #108197	$235,000
4207 S. CO. RD. 1135...Josie Rendon		$200,000
5808 E. CO. RD. 57...Tracy Farrow 413-4412	MLS #50003506	$200,000
4600 S. HWY. 349...Susan Palmer	MLS #50004032	$175,000
5000 S. CO. RD. 1136...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

624 OAK POINT DR., MAY, TX...Kim Merrill 664-4702	MLS #50001949	$579,000
3351 FM 3113, STANTON, TX...Denise Brasher 889-5022	MLS #50002286	1.0 Acre/$349,900
2434 HWY. 137, STANTON...Michelle Kidd	MLS #50002599	$345,000
1201 W. CARPENTER, STANTON...Michelle Kidd	MLS #107219	$345,000
16100 N. DOGWOOD AVE., GARDENDALE...Janice Murrell 349-7242	MLS #100605	SALE PENDING
600 5TH ST., STANTON...Michelle Kidd	MLS #107811	$239,000
109 N. GRAY ST., STANTON...Michelle Kidd	MLS #50001785	SALE PENDING
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	$189,000
502 BROADWAY, STANTON...Michelle Kidd	MLS #50001120	$189,000
200 N. GOLD, GARDEN CITY, TX...Pam Messer 349-3075	MLS #50001229	$179,000
812 CORONADO...Jerrilyn Garrisom 202-0276	MLS #100010	$190,000
1103 CARPENTER, STANTON...Michelle Lesikar 230-3633	MLS #105750	SALE PENDING
408 W. 5TH, STANTON...Michelle Kidd	MLS #5000116	SALE PENDING
404 S. ODESSA ST...Leah Watkins 599-2187	MLS #107041	$105,000
5252 LAKE CO. RD. 256...Sandy J. Hanson	MLS #106038	$89,400

COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRIAL

807 E. 2ND ST., ODESSA...Sue Lytle	MLS #107382	
10204 FM 307...Michelle Lesikar 230-3633	MLS #106620	$1,529,000
3400 W. 7TH ST., BIG SPRING...Mark Philliber 222-5071	MLS #106813	$1,195,000
807 E. 2ND ST., ODESSA...Sue Lytle		$870,000
PANDALE RESORT w/PECOS RIVER FRONTAGE...Mark Philliber 222-5071	MLS #109135	18+ Acres/$549,000
CO. RD. 130...Larry Hatfield	MLS #50003250	$320,000
313 E. SUMMITT...Josie Rendon		$190,000
13409 W. CO. RD. 132, ODESSA...Angie McKay 599-0272	MLS#50001862	$159,000
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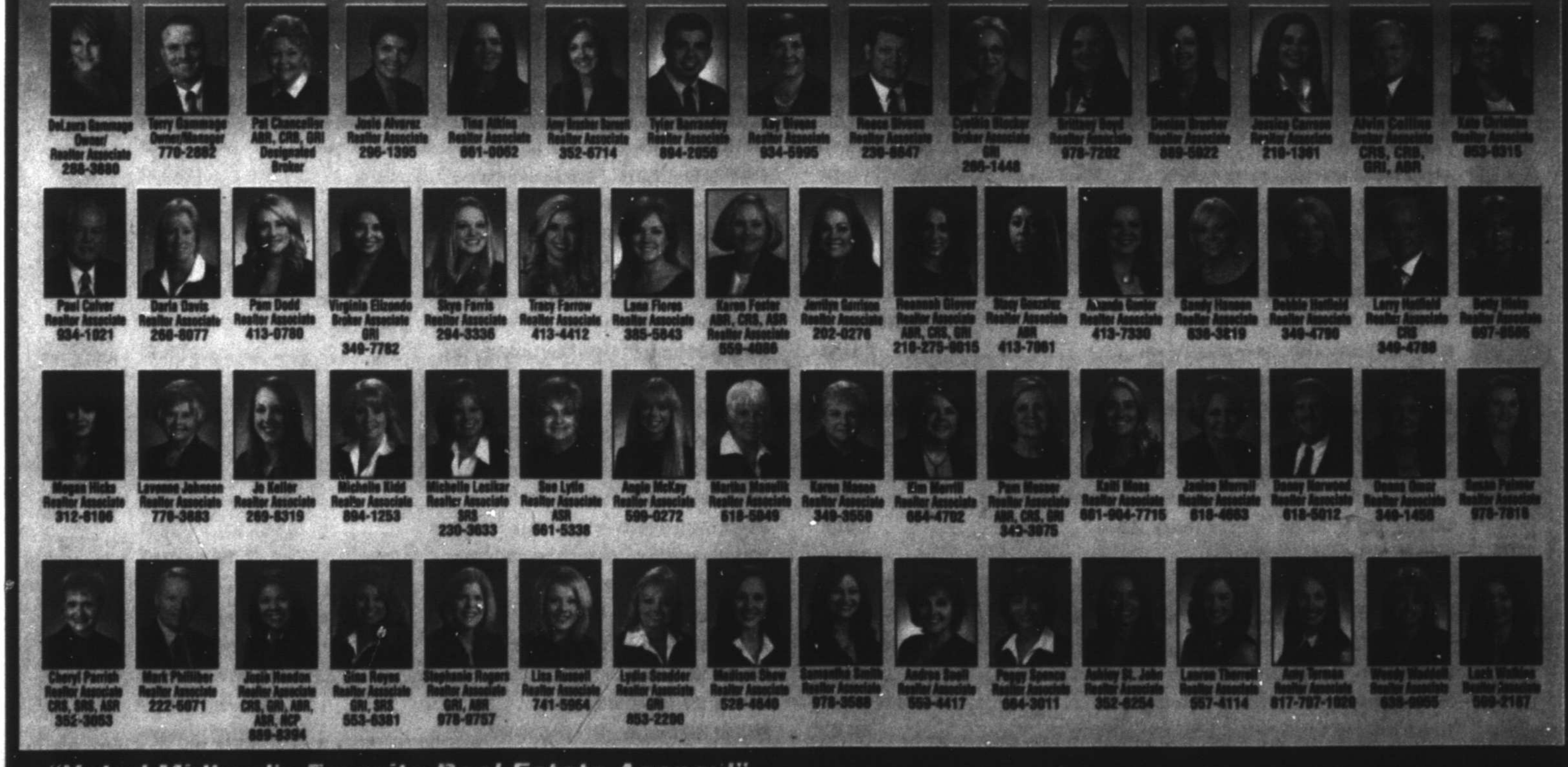

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MARC's new Spectrum of Solutions facility is shown near the intersection of W. Illinois and Plaza on Wednesday. **BELOW FROM CLOCKWISE:** Dina Clark works with Eben in the new facility. From left, Kayla Minchew, executive director Charlotte Bosecker and Melanie Saiz, pose for a photo. Caden plays on the playground.

MARC keeps its vision forward with new resource center

By Rich Lopez
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Cayden swings high, runs to the slide and then plays with the music wall — all in the new playground. He's there with neurotherapist Lusi Aleman, who is watching him. Cayden is enjoying a reprieve from a therapy session. As a child on the autism spectrum, he's been benefiting from services by MARC's Spectrum of Solutions. Only now, he and his counselor are doing so in a new and larger space.

Check it out

A grand opening celebration for MARC's Spectrum of Solutions, 2409 W. Illinois Ave., Suite D, is planned for 4-7 p.m. Monday.

The event will offer a closer look at the center with tours and talks as well as food trucks, live music by Waco and Julie and a ribbon cutting by the Midland Chamber of Commerce.

For more information, visit marctexas.org.

On Monday, MARC will celebrate the grand opening of its new Spectrum of Solutions resource center. As the agency has embarked on serving the population — particularly children — it quickly outgrew the original space of two rooms in its home building on A Street.

"We were just in two rooms over there so this is a great improvement," executive director Charlotte Bosecker said with a laugh. "We quickly realized there was a need far beyond what we thought."

Through MARC's capital campaign, $2.5 million was raised to purchase and remodel the building. Seed money was left over to help with building maintenance.

"The committee raised the money in a short time and we purchased the building at the end of 2015," Bosecker said.

With already more than 5,000 hours of service provided for this year, the organization was ready for the space to expand its reach.

Located in the former Midland Pediatricians space on West Illinois Avenue, Spectrum of Solutions is now a hub of services for families and children living with the disability. The facility offers counseling, support groups, music therapy, speech therapy and neurotherapy by Archway Support through a grant by the Henry Foundation.

"We work with the brain and body to balance energy to help people's functioning to be higher," counselor Allison Hartzoge said.

With such a catalog of services, the center has already seen families from surrounding cities such as Fort Stockton and Iraan. Hartzoge explains that this is much better option than having to travel to major cities for treatment.

"They will go to a pediatrician, then have to go to a music therapist and then another therapist, and it's exhausting. Here, they can get everything they need and be done," she said.

Bosecker sees it as a collected effort.

"We want to treat the whole child and do it as a team," she said.

Inside, the building is calm and comforting but with a colorful decor designed for children on the autism spectrum. Counselors work with children in individual rooms and log in data on iPads while parents can wait in three different areas.

The center also offers a resource library and computers for families researching their needs.

"If we don't have what they are looking for, we can help them find it," Bosecker said.

Language can also be a barrier in therapy, but Spectrum also has Spanish-speaking counselors on board.

The center isn't just for clients, either. Parents who may not have children in the center can participate in the support groups. The center even offers classes on a variety of topics for parents.

"We'll invite people to come in and speak on topics like nutrition or financial planning," center director and music therapist Kayla Minchew said.

Because parents may be busy tending to their children's issues, these classes can help them with daily issues. In some ways, it's also "me" time for the parents.

"Parents seek each other out," marketing and development director Melanie Saiz said. "To have someone who can empathize with you is a huge thing."

Like any organization, Spectrum always looks for more volunteers. After a vetting process, volunteers can read to children or help with the social skills classes. And they're always open to scholarship donations.

"We provide scholarships for those who may not have the means or the insurance to cover their needs," Bosecker said. "It can be pretty scary when parents hear their diagnosis. To be a guidepost or a light at the end of the tunnel for them — or anyone in the community — can be huge."

With its larger space, MARC's Spectrum for Solutions will surely shine bright for those families.

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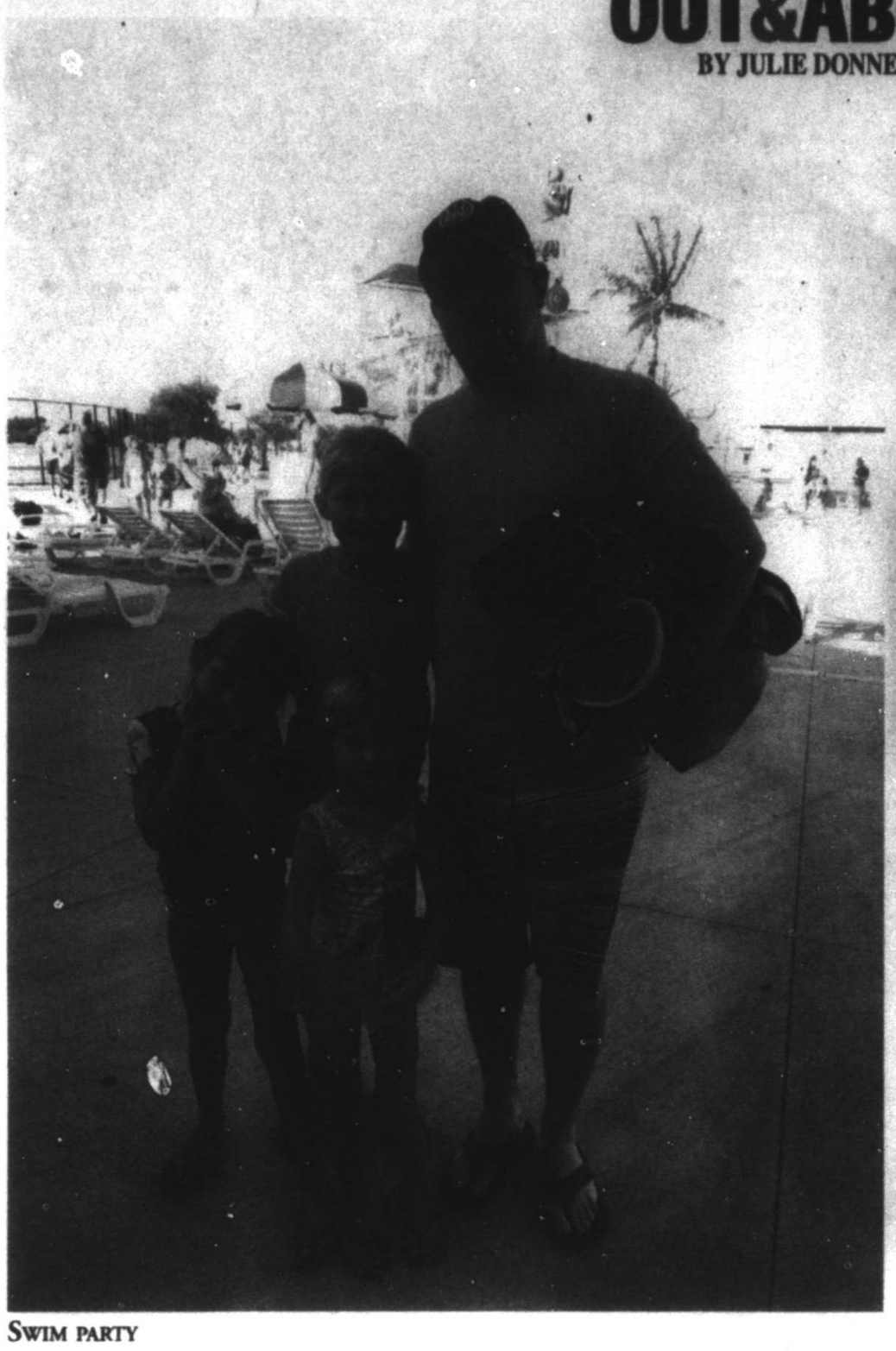

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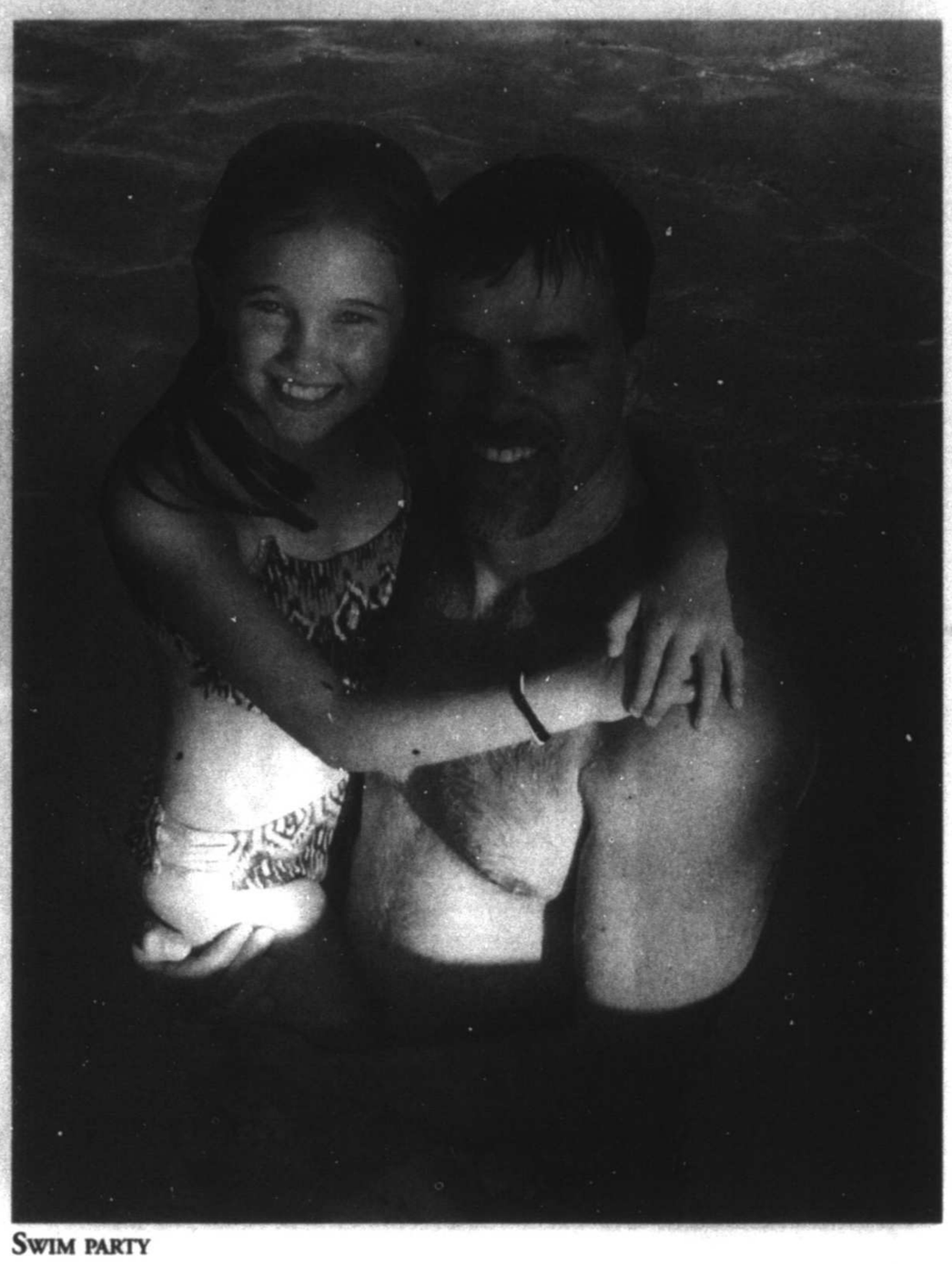
Shelby Dewitt, Taylor Dewitt, Jeremy Dewitt and Emily Dewitt, front



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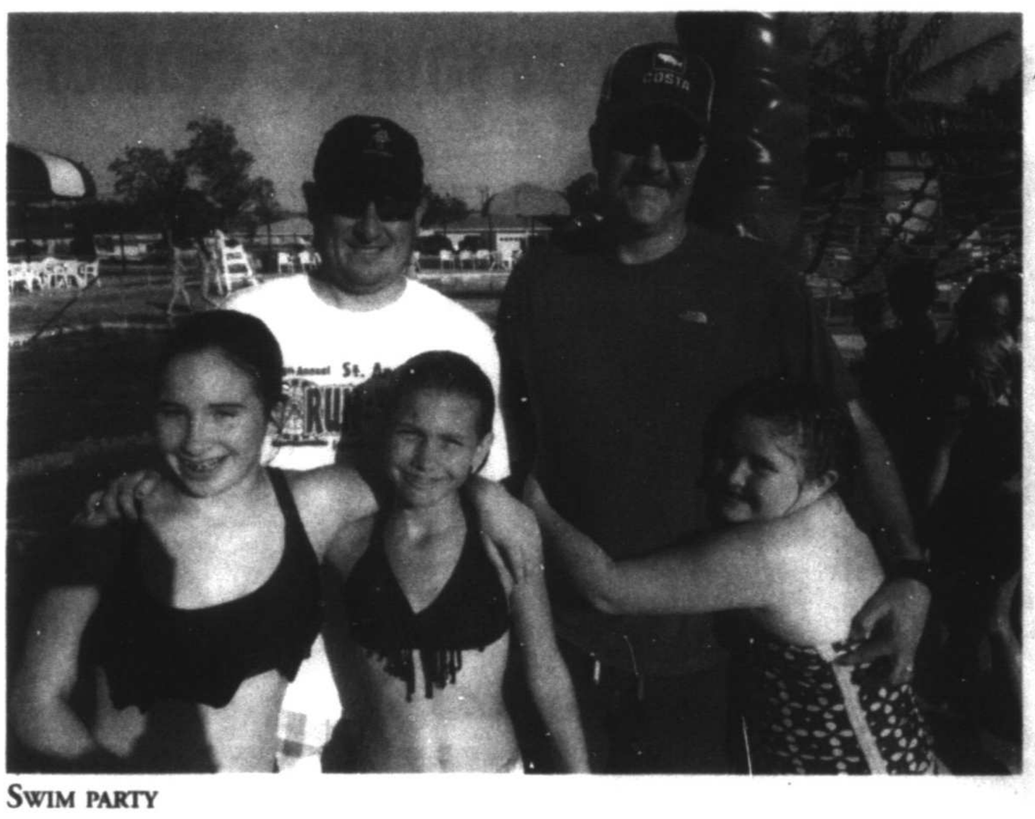

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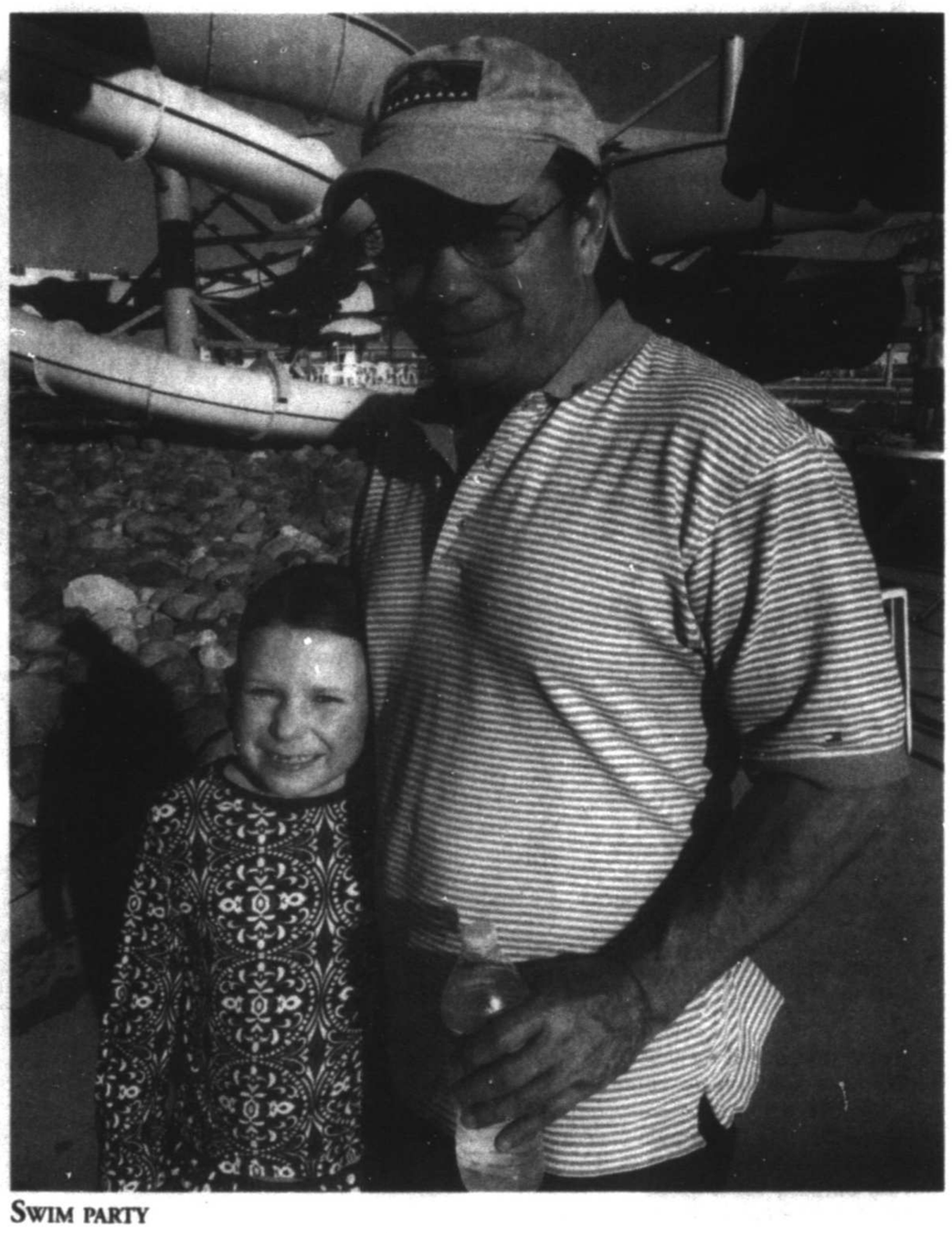
Averi McQuitty, front from left, Sydney Russell and Tatum Bales; and Gene McQuitty, back left, and Marshall Bales



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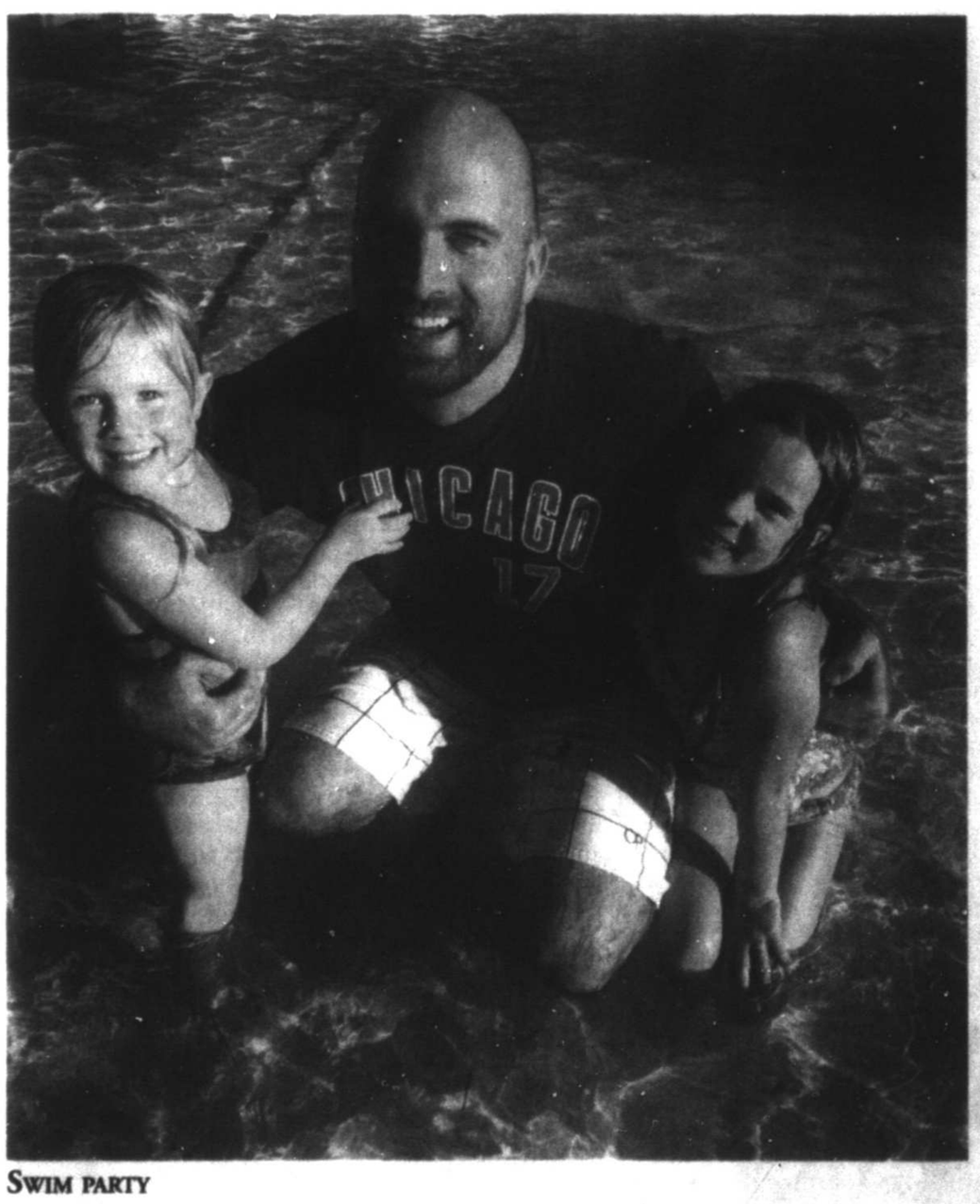
Maria Herrera and Phillip Herrera



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Etney Hahn, from left, Dustin Hahn and Adeline Hah

SWIM PARTY

Jenna Jordon, back row from left, Marybeth Jordon and Kyle Jordon; and Lane Jordan, front row ledt, and Luke Jordon.

HAIRCUTS FOR 'LITTLES'

Several "littles" with Big Brothers Big Sisters of Midland had their hair cut and styled last month in preparation for going back to school. Stylists at Michelle's Salon donated their time: Danette Beals, Chris Hughes, Heather Neagle, Paula Graves, Ashley Adamez and owner Michelle Adamez.

INDIAN GUIDES AND PRINCESSES

The Indian Guides and Indian Princess Nations of Midland gathered at Doug Russell Aquatic Center for an end-of-the summer family pool party. The tribes are gearing up for their camping expeditions that take them to places such as the Guadalupe River, Davis Mountains and Abilene and Brownwood state parks.

For more information, visit www.midlandymca.org.

To have an event included in "Out and About," contact Julie Donnelly at mrtjulie@gatlook.com.

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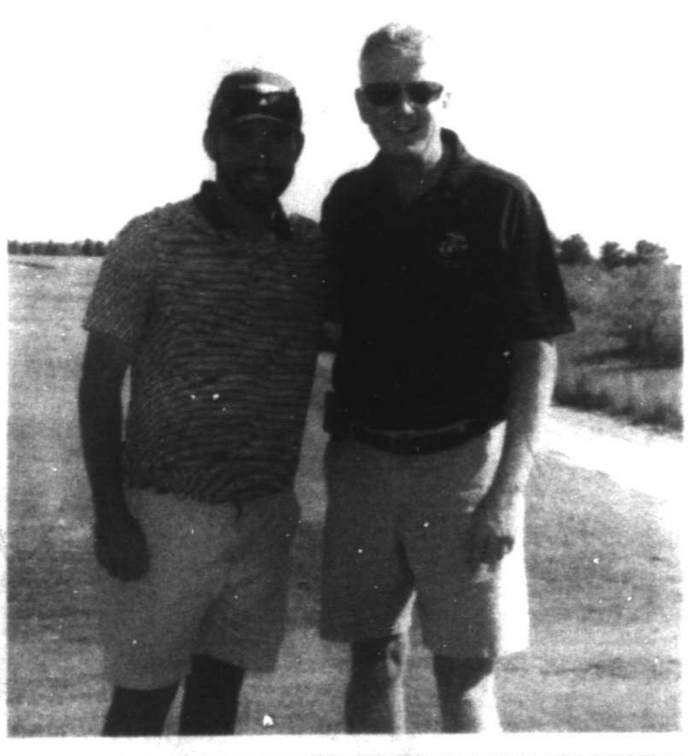
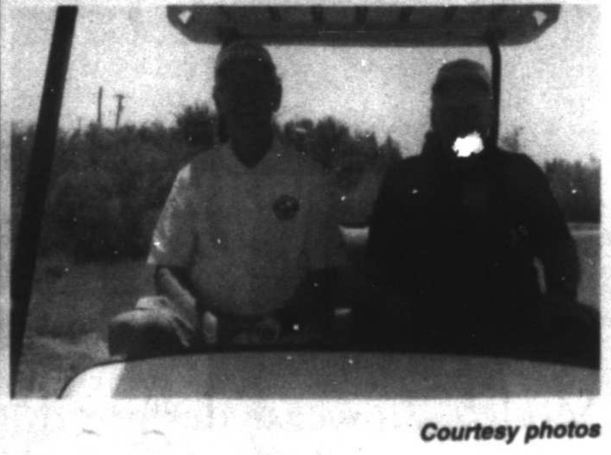
Golf to Honor





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The fifth annual Golf to Honor tournament was Aug. 27 at Hogan Golf Course. The event was hosted by the Permian Basin Area Foundation in memory of Marine Corps 2nd Lt. Patrick Wayland, who died in a training accident in Pensacola, Fla., in 2011. Wayland, the son of Midlanders David and Carol Wayland, graduated from Midland High School in 2005 and the U.S. Naval Academy in 2010. More than $60,000 was raised for the scholarships that are presented to MHS students, said Guy McCrary, foundation executive director.

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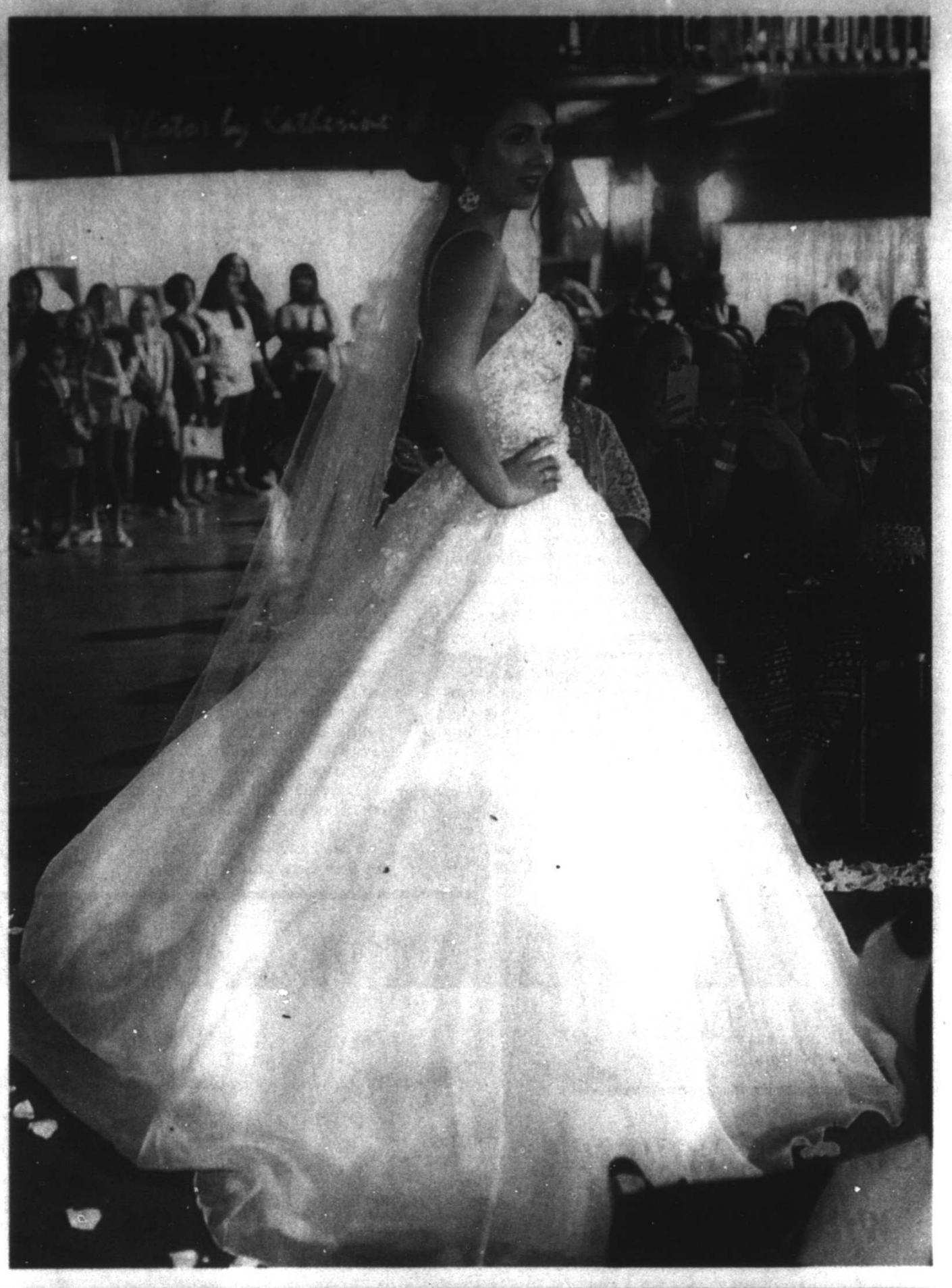
Hoffman - Wood

Russell and Susan Hoffman are happy to announce the engagement of their son, Lucas Keith Hoffman, to Shannon Leigh Wood, daughter of Ken Wood of Midland, Texas, and Helen Wood of Austin, Texas.

Luke is a 2005 graduate of Trinity School. Shannon is a 2003 graduate of William J. Palmer High School, Colorado Springs, Colorado.

The couple will be married in October of 2016 in Lubbock, Texas. After the wedding, they will reside in Midland, Texas.



BRIDAL SHOW

Models showcase designs during a bridal show that benefited Centers for Children and Families on Aug. 21 at Hacienda Event Center.

Photos by James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

You don't have to believe in magic to have fairy gardens

CAROL SIDDALL
Permian Basin Master Gardener

Courtesy photo

Fairy gardens have become increasingly popular in the home garden, and it can be a new project with your young child or grandchildren.

I never thought much about fairy gardens until we saw bunches of them at our Texas Master Gardener Conference this past May in McKinney. They were all over the place with vendors selling them along with items to make your own fairy garden.

Fairy gardens are miniature gardens with small plants, houses, outdoor structures and furnishings that give the appearance of something tiny residing in them. People sometimes plan their garden in a small, secluded area in their regular garden, but many miniature fairy gardens are planted in containers. These gardens are filled with whimsical items that add the feeling of magic.

The best part is you don't have to believe in fairies to have a fairy garden in your yard or on your deck or patio. Children will love to help plan, plant and care for their own garden.

Before you begin, you need to decide on what type of fairy garden you would like. One idea is a woodland fairy garden. This type is normally installed at the foot of a tree in a shaded part of the garden where you can use forest-themed items like ceramic leaves, a foot bridge, moss and place a door on the trunk of the tree.

Other ideas might include a flower fairy garden where you could place a small "cottage" surrounded by flowers and grass with other decor added. Also you could add a garden at the edge of your water feature, placing a "wee" boat or dock.

The ideas are endless and only limited by your own imagination. Just have fun with it. I wish we could print all the pictures we took at our conference to show you many "homes" for your fairy gardens.

I do feel they are best planned and planted in large or small containers. This allows you to move your garden out of inclement weather, and it can also be enjoyed from wherever you choose.

If you choose a container to plant your fairy garden in, make sure it has sufficient drainage from the bottom to allow water to escape and not keep your plant's roots constantly wet. If you plan to move your garden around the yard or inside when cold weather comes, you might want to choose a lightweight pot. Terra cotta pots are good as they drain well, but large ones can be heavy. I have seen fairy gardens built in the large terra cotta saucers which were really cute, but make sure they have a drain hole for the water. I like old terra cotta pots or old metal containers that had a previous use.

When choosing the best plants for your fairy garden, it is very important to buy plants that fit the scale. Herbs like small-leaved basil, sage, thyme, and marjoram have been suggested. If your garden is in the shade, Baby Tears, Elfin series of impatiens, small begonias, and Miniature Hostas work well. The Miniature Hostas may be hard to find in our area. For a sunny garden, pinks, miniature roses, and succulents would work well.

Craft stores and many nurseries carry the "items" to help you build one. Get your imagination rolling and have fun with your fairy garden.

As always, feel free to call the AgriLife office at 432-686-4700 with your gardening questions. Come see The Permian Basin Master Gardeners at the Permian Basin Fair in Building G. We will be there today, Thursday and Saturday. We would love to talk gardening with you.

JEFF FLOYD
Texas A&M AgriLife Extension

Contain yourself when it comes to container gardening stress

There's hope for folks living in apartments, school dormitories or homes that have limited space for gardening. In addition to being downright fun, container gardening isn't as complicated as you may have heard and offers some serious advantages over traditional gardening methods. Although it spans a long and storied history, many people remain cautious or perhaps even intimidated when it comes to container gardening. In fact, if the fantastic descriptions of the hanging gardens in ancient Babylonian are remotely true, one could easily conclude that container gardening was old hat by 600 BC.

The first rule of container gardening is that bigger is better. The first and most important part of container gardening is to get the growing medium right. The more soilless medium a container can hold, the more capacity it has to support healthy plants. Big containers mean more room for roots. Large volumes of growing medium also take longer to dry out than small containers, which translates into less time watering and more time enjoying plants.

The second rule of container gardening is to only water when the growing medium tells you to. One big mistake many folks make is to add water when they don't know what else to do. Roots need both air and water and they need roughly equal amounts of both. Whenever water saturates the medium, oxygen is forced out. It only takes a moment to push your finger down into the medium a couple inches. In most cases, if you can detect even a little moisture then you may want to wait at least another 24 hours and check again. Once it feels pretty dry to the touch, flood the medium with high quality water. Do not use distilled water or water from your reverse osmosis dispenser.

When you do irrigate, it's always best to flood the medium until water flows steadily out of the container's drain holes. This helps wash any built up salts away from the roots. Of course, for indoor containers that are too heavy or bulky to move easily, you'll want to be sure a dish is under the pot. If like me, your need to do something for your plants threatens to overcome your good sense, then try thinking about it another way; when you're not adding water, you're adding oxygen.

The third rule of container gardening is never use "dirt" from the yard. Soilless medium is engineered to be airy, making it lightweight and able to hold both moisture and oxygen like a sponge. These engineered mixes are sterilized to avoid introducing any pathogens to the plants they support. When you collect dirt, garden soil, or garbage that resembles soil from your lawn, it will contain bacteria, fungi and viruses that may eventually lead to plant diseases. Also, lawn soil is heavy, especially when wetted. Soil from the lawn will become densely packed easily and restrict root development while also suffocating them. This is true without exception.

Stay tuned because next week we'll explore the top five fool-proof indoor container plants. Anyone can grow these. They'll look so good that visitors to your home will literally be forced to touch them just to see if they're real.

To learn more about the fascinating world of plants 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 orientation from 1-5 p.m. Jan 12 at the Midland County Extension office at 2445 E. Highway 80. Sixteen sessions will then be held each Thursday from 1-5 p.m. at various AgriLife locations in Midland and Odessa except during the weeks of spring break, Easter and the Master Gardener plant sale and state conference. Training topics include native and adapted plants, vegetables, lawn care, trees, landscape design, composting, botany, weed control, water conservation and much more. The registration fee of $250 covers all instruction, a comprehensive training manual, speaker expenses, volunteer background screening, a Texas Master Gardener name badge and membership in the Permian Basin Master Gardener Association upon completion of certification requirements.

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DEAR ABBY

Universal Press Syndicate

Man's nonstop work schedule leaves little time for wife

DEAR ABBY: I am a stay-at-home mom who doesn't work. My husband wants me at home, and I'm OK with that, but the problem is, he is now working two jobs and I never see him.

When he gets home, he's so exhausted he can't keep his eyes open. He sleeps only four hours a night. I'm afraid he will crash and burn from overwork and lack of sleep. I also miss him and want to be with him. With no time together, I feel like I'm losing him.

How can I make this work? I don't want to put pressure on him or make him feel bad, but I need him. I told him I'd get a part-time job, but he said he works for the both of us and that was the end of that conversation. I don't want to lose my marriage over this! Do you have any advice that might help? — LOSING HIM IN TENNESSEE

DEAR LOSING HIM: I don't blame you for being concerned. What your husband is doing isn't healthy for him, for you or for your marriage. It's time to discuss this with him more fully than it appears you have been able to so far.

He seems to be old-fashioned in his views about marriage. Generations ago, husbands were expected to be the sole provider, but economic reality has put an end to that. Today, both spouses work, primarily because they need to.

It may take mediation along with some input from his doctor to make your husband face reality, but he needs to understand that you are worried sick about him, that you're not happy with things as they are and that you are starting your job search.

DEAR ABBY: I have been a widow for almost a year. I have met someone I really like and we have started to date. My roommate, "Eva," encouraged me to meet this man (I'll call him Warren) and get to know him if it would make me happy, so I did. Warren and I have a lot in common. We can talk to each other for hours.

Eva now tells me she doesn't like having Warren at the house because it "reminds her of how alone and single" she is. She says she doesn't want him here even if she isn't home. This is causing problems because my work schedule makes it easier to have him over for coffee so we can talk before I leave for work, or on days off when she's at work and I'm at home.

When I offer to set Eva up on dates, she refuses. She told me she "hates" men and all of them are nothing but liars and cheaters. Please help. I want to help my friend and also to have a good relationship with Warren. I feel happiest when we're together, but I don't want to lose my friend over this. — TORN IN TWO OUT WEST

DEAR TORN: Because of Eva's aversion to men, continuing to try fixing her up isn't going to work. You didn't mention whose name is on the lease, but if it's Eva's — and she's not comfortable with Warren coming to visit — consider moving to a place of your own or in with a roommate who's not jealous.

Lady balloonist's feats not just hot air

TUMBLEWEED SMITH

Storyteller

I did radio and television news for nine years when I was just out of the Army and getting ready to start a life. One Friday morning in November of 1961, Bruce Frazier, the farm broadcaster at the station where I worked, told me he heard that a woman was coming to Big Spring the next day to launch a hot air balloon. Like any novice reporter, I put it on the air, not really knowing if it was a joke or a real story.

Saturday morning the San Angelo newspaper carried a story that "there is a report that a balloon is going to be launched from Big Spring, but we have contacted the FAA and it has no knowledge of any balloon flight."

Well, now I had to prove that I was right.

I called Cecil Hamilton at his flying field where the launch was to take place. He told me the lady with the balloon had arrived at 3 a.m. and was in a local motel. I called the motel and did a phone interview with Constance Wolf, the lady balloonist. She asked me if I could take her out to Hamilton field. I, of course, said "Yes."

She is the most fascinating woman I have ever known.

Mrs. Wolf was a technical adviser for the movie "Around the World in 80 Days" and her balloon was the vehicle that took Cantinflas and David Niven on their journey.

She was the first woman to balloon over the Alps. She and her husband, Abby Wolf, started the Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association. They lived on an estate called Wingover at Blue Bell, Pennsylvania, which is near Philadelphia. They were known in social circles as an exciting and romantic couple famous for their parties. Attendees had to arrive by plane and sometimes there would be 150 private planes parked on their runway.

When I met Mrs. Wolf, she was dressed in a flight suit and wore a thin mesh veil. She said the veil was to hold her head on. The 56-year-old was launching her balloon to take away some of the attention the Soviets were getting after Yuri Gargarin became the first man in space. Besides that, a Russian woman had set an endurance record for staying up in a balloon 34 hours. Mrs. Wolf wanted to set her own record.

When her balloon took off just after midnight Nov. 19, a huge crowd had gathered at Hamilton field. People cheered and horns honked. I traveled with the ground crew and sent reports back. The whole nation followed the flight. When she landed at 4 p.m. in Boley, Oklahoma, she set 15 records for women's balloon flight. She covered 1,500 miles and had been aloft for 40 hours and 8 minutes, soaring up to 13,597 feet. We were sitting in a truck stop at Boley after her flight, and she had calls from major news organizations all over the country.

I was a young reporter at the time Mrs. Wolf and I became friends. When Susan and I got married, she was among the very first to send us a gift and good wishes. We kept in contact and I treasure her letters written on a circular piece of stationery. She passed away in 1994 at the age of 89.

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Put your chocolate on ice

HINTS FROM HELOISE

King Features Syndicate

Dear Heloise: I love dark chocolate and like to buy it when it's on sale. Can it be frozen? — Elizabeth in Kingsport, Tenn.

You absolutely can freeze chocolate. Wrap it tightly in plastic wrap and then seal it in an airtight container. Place it in the refrigerator for 24 hours, then move it to the freezer. You can store the chocolate for up to six months.

Once you are ready to eat or use the chocolate, do the exact opposite. Move the chocolate to the refrigerator for 24 hours, pull it out and then let it come to room temperature. Once at room temperature, remove the wrapping and enjoy. — Heloise

No splatter

Dear Heloise: Instead of expensive splatter covers for your microwave, try using one of those really cheap paper plates. Just invert it over the food, and cooking splatter doesn't get on the microwave's interior. Cheap, no-cleanup, and, many times, reusable! — Mike M. in Kansas

Actually, Mike, there are inexpensive plate covers you can purchase that are washable, reusable and more environmentally friendly. Though, in a pinch, a paper plate works, too! — Heloise

Different temperatures

Dear Heloise: My husband and I like our steaks at different temperatures. It has taken me 54 years to come up with a solution to have two steaks ready at the same time. About an hour before cooking, I put his steak in the freezer. I am then able to cook both at the same time, and they sear so nicely on my grill pan. Mine cooks well-done, and his is medium. — Judy M., via email

No mess

Dear Heloise: I faithfully read your column and enjoy the many hints. I don't remember ever reading this hint: When I am going to cut up any melon (regardless of the cutting method), I wash the melon and do my cutting on an old cookie sheet (the kind with the sides). You also can put a cutting board on the sheet. This prevents juice from going all over the place, and it is easy to clean up. — Maureen F., Billings, Mont.

Blueberry bath

Dear Heloise: I was rinsing blueberries from the refrigerator the other morning and turned on the hot-water faucet by mistake. The blueberries have never tasted so good! It was as if they had just been picked from being out in a sunny garden or lightly cooked. This hint probably would work with any berry. — J.P.I., Washington, D.C.

Pickle juice

Dear Heloise: We love "sweet heat" and "bold and spicy" stacker pickles, but the delicious juice outlasts the pickles, so I reserve the jar of brine for slaw recipes. But now I've discovered that fresh sliced cucumbers and onions pickle perfectly in that same jar of juice. Savings! — A Reader, via email

Crumb topping

Dear Heloise: I save my cereal crumbs and mix them into yogurt or salad. Waste not, want not. — G.G. in Maryland

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"RISK FACTOR"
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ACROSS

1 No-trade policy
8 1954 Ford debut
13 Vacillate
19 Brit's beauty shop
20 Geographical symbol of Middle America
21 Beat the wheat
22 Battle of vampire slayers?
24 Bandleader Tito
25 Eponymous virologist
26 Eric Cartwright's nickname
27 Like some seals
29 Poor mark
30 Indefinite period
32 Japanese chip maker
33 Once around
34 Hair ringlet
35 "Dash away yourself, Santa! We're tired!"?
39 Hickok's last hand, so it's said
41 Yves' yes
42 Hefty Cinch__ bags
43 River to the Ohio
45 Marathoner's concern
48 Language spoken by Jesus
51 Enter again
52 Science major's cost
53 Band of vipers' rhythm section?
55 Mom, dad, sibs, etc.
56 Cholesterol letters
57 Jason's ship
59 Quebec's __ Peninsula
60 Pound foot
61 Order from a stool
62 With 65-Across, malt shop accountant's calculation?
65 See 62-Across
68 Ararat lander
69 Youngster
70 Boat, or the tool that moves it
73 Tony winner Judith
74 Dessert option
75 Starchy tuber
76 Time when all farms used plow-pulling oxen?
79 Thrusting blade
81 Used as security, in a way
82 Words behind Lincoln?
86 Bias
87 Temple with an upcurved roof
88 Calendar col.
89 Golf course meas.
90 Promise qualifier
92 Angler's slang?
96 "Yikes!"
98 HDTV part, for short
100 Texter's "Yikes"
101 Barely eats
102 Billboard __ 100
103 Pastel shade
104 Celebrate an anniversary with "out"
106 Host before and after O'Brien
107 "Nightfall" story writer
109 Soda jerk's course of study?
114 Decide not to
115 Square quartet
116 North African capital
117 Boston College athletes
118 Exxon__
119 Gets incensed

DOWN

1 Mini-albums, for short
2 Shoe-wiping spot
3 Portuguese-speaking capital
4 Its pH is more than 7
5 Muddied
6 Goop
7 Cousin of corn
8 A thousand's hundred
9 High-tech workers
10 Steam
11 It helps some singers see the choir leader
12 Sortable information source
13 Fla. coastal city
14 Barak who succeeded Netanyahu
15 Before, in verse
16 Satirize the screwball?
17 Autumn bloom
18 Stagecoach roller
20 Hound
23 After-dinner request
28 Loaded
30 "How just a dam minute!"
31 Labor bill unit
32 City near the Tappan Zee Bridge
33 "No prob"
34 Control
36 Group with the albums "Aqua" and "Aria"
37 Still-life subjects
38 Devour
40 Shell game, say
44 H.S. VIPs
46 Sampling of songs
47 Soccer superstar
49 Cath. church VIP
50 Presently
51 Dietary stds.
52 Newton trio
54 Like a soufflé
55 Much
57 Passé reception aid
58 Portrait of a libertine?
60 Ill-gotten gains
63 Building beam
64 __ de plume
65 Proceed tediously
66 Travel with a pack
67 "__ plaisir!"
68 Financing nos.
70 Prune
71 Singer Lauper
72 "__ directed"
75 Mountain myth
76 Former U.N. leader Hammarskjöld
77 Inexperienced
78 Versatile type in medicine, briefly
80 Dope
81 Zoo observation gadget
83 Brown, often
84 Site of the U.S. continent's geographical midpoint
85 Disapproving sounds
87 Beach building aid
88 Cellphone feature
91 Baked potato topping
93 Baseball Hall of Famer Wagner
94 Coinage
95 Man Cave art
96 Popular connection point
97 Biblical prophet
99 __ Lodge
103 Theater section
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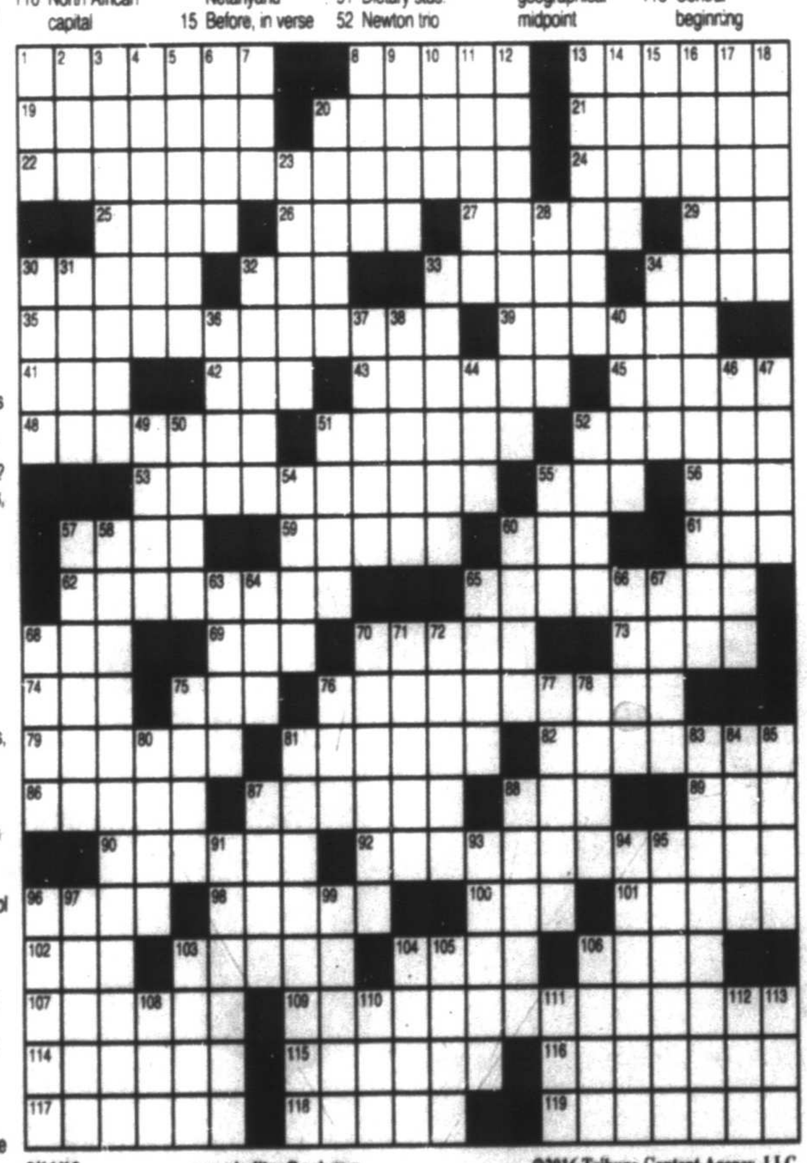

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GOREN BRIDGE

With Bob Jones

Adequate compensation

Neither vulnerable, East deals.

NORTH
♠ K 7 5
♡ 5 2
◇ 9 7 5
♣ K Q 10 5 3

WEST
♠ A 9 6 4
♡ J 7
◇ Q J
♣ J 8 7 4 2

EAST
♠ J
♡ A Q 10 9 6
◇ 10 8 6 4
♣ A 9 6

SOUTH
♠ Q 10 8 3 2
♡ K 8 4 3
◇ A K 3 2
♣ Void

The bidding:

EAST	SOUTH	WEST	NORTH
1♡	1♠	1NT	2♣
Pass	Pass	2NT	Pass
Pass	3♠	All pass	

Opening lead: Jack of ♡

East won the opening heart lead and shifted to the jack of spades in an effort to prevent ruffs in the dummy. This ran around to dummy's king and South took a moment to plan his play. West was marked with the ace of spades, so East needed the ace of clubs. Declarer led dummy's king of clubs and discarded a diamond when East played low. East came to regret his choice.

South led a heart to his king and another heart, hoping for a ruff. West stepped in with the nine of spades, cashed the ace of spades, and exited with his last spade. South won in his hand and cashed another spade, leaving this remarkable end position:

NORTH
♠ Void
♡ Void
◇ 9 7
♣ Q 10 5

WEST
♠ Void
♡ Void
◇ Q J
♣ J 8 7

EAST
♠ Void
♡ 10
◇ 10 8 6
♣ A

SOUTH
♠ 10
♡ 8
◇ A K 3
♣ Void

Declarer led his last spade. West and dummy both shed low clubs. East couldn't afford a discard in either red suit, so he let go of his ace of clubs. South cashed the ace of diamonds and then led his low diamond. West won and had to lead a club to dummy's queen-10. South lost his king of diamonds, but gained two club tricks.

JACQUELINE BIGAR'S STARS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Sunday, Sept. 11, 2016:
This year you find that your emotions and intellect are more in sync. What you believed to be impossible could become a reality if you would just relax.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★ You can meet a demanding request with ease, especially if you know the game plan. A change in mood and how you project yourself become evident by midday.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★★ Look beyond the obvious when dealing with a friend who sometimes adds confusion and flakiness to the mix. If this person's behavior really bothers you, consider distancing yourself.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★★ You can't seem to adequately emphasize the importance of a close friend to you and the feelings you have for him or her.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★★ Others want to make the plans and have you go along with them. You can do that and not feel stressed.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★ Take care of yourself, even if you need to work today. You have a lot to get done, but you also need to set aside a few hours just for you.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★★ Your creative energy emerges and adds to the unusual dynamic between you and someone else. Others run with the ball, which allows you to take a step back.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★ Stay close to home, and honor a fast change of pace involving plans and a loved one. Your imagination seems to flow.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★★ You have the ability to come to terms with a difficult person and/or situation. You understand what you can and cannot change. Transform a difficult conversation into a meaningful exchange.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★★ Be in touch with your financial needs, and not what you think you need, but what you actually need. You are witnessing a change for the better.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★★ Tap into your imagination for solutions and ideas. You are transforming, and as a result so are various areas of your life.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★★ Honor a fast pace, as you might not have a choice anyway. Know what you want and expect from an interaction with a friend.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★ You have a strong sense of what you want. How you visualize a personal issue could be different from how someone else sees it.

BORN TODAY
Author D.H. Lawrence (1885), actor John Hawkes (1959), singer/songwriter Moby (1965)

ANSWER TO TODAY'S PUZZLE

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KOSA MNT	16	16		16		JTV	JTV Direct	Spaces	Homeown.	Green	Hazelton	O.House	HomeT.	First Baptist Church		Paid	Paid
FLIX	340	575		165		(:55) ★★ Free Money			★ Beat Kiefer Sutherland.			(:05) ★★★ Frank & Jesse Rob Lowe.				★★ Mindhunters	
HBO	300	550	14	14		Movie	(:45) Hard Knocks	(:45) Boxing							Canelo	1stLook	Movie
HBO2	302	551	15	101	23	★★ Brown Sugar Taye Diggs.			(:50) ★★★ Breach Ryan Phillippe.				(:45) The 33 ('15, Doc/Dra) Antonio Banderas.				
HBOS	304	552	16	102		(:05) ★★★ Max ('15, Fam) Robbie Amell.				★★★ The Bourne Ultimatum Julia Stiles.				★★★ Rushmore			Movie
MAX	380	557	17	120	24	(5:00) Poltergeist	(:55) ★★ Joe Dirt David Spade.				★★ Three Amigos!			★★ License to Drive			Movie
MAX2	382	558	18	122		(5:05) Brokeback Mountain			(:25) ★★★ Amazing Grace Ioan Gruffudd.				(:25) Sinister 2			(:05) Kiss the Girls	
PLEX			96			(5:10) The Company		★★ Dance With Me Vanessa L. Williams.				(:10) ★ Top Dog Chuck Norris.			(:40) ★★ Balto Kevin Bacon.		
SHOW	320	565	19	140	25	(5:15) Rocky Balboa		Inside the NFL		★★ Chappie ('15, Act) Sharlto Copley.				(:15) Forsaken ('15, West) Kiefer Sutherland.			
TMC	336	573	22	155	26	Movie	(:35) ★★★ Basquiat Jeffery Wright.				(:25) The Royal Tenenbaums			(:15) ★★ Greetings From Tim Buckley			
A&E	27	58	28	35	47	Criminal Minds		Crim. Minds "Proof"		Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds	
AMC	40	74	23	42	51	(5:00) ★★★ The Untouchables			Emperor ('12, Hist) Tommy Lee Jones, Matthew Fox.					★★★ Walk the Line Joaquin Phoenix.			
BET	58	-		40		D. Grier	Fellowship	Abundant	Miracles	Celebration of Gospel					(:40) Being "Tamela Mann"		
BRAVO	65	76		41		Below Deck		Real Housewives		Real Housewives		Manzo'd	Manzo'd	Manzo'd With Kids		Real Housewives	
CNBC	46	52		39	72	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid
CNN	43	50	51	30	56	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	9/ 11 Firehouse		9/ 11 Rescue Cops		The 9/ 11 Surfer		Bering Sea Gold	
DISNEY	56	64	36	25	36	Stuffins	Sofia 1st	M.Mouse	The Lion	★★★★ The Incredibles Craig T. Nelson.				Elena	Bizaard.	Underc.	Walk
ESPN	32	35	48	31	30	SportsCenter		SportsCenter		SportsCenter		NFL "Sunday Edition"		Sunday NFL Countdown (L)			
ESPN2	34	36	49	32	31	Football Scoreboard		ESPN	30Shorts	OLines	Report	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	Barefoot	Giada	Southern	Pioneer	Big Bite	Cooking	Patricia H	Pioneer	Southern	Giada (N)	Brunch
FREEFORM	53	63	34	42	33	Daddy	Daddy	★★ Little Fockers ('10, Com) Ben Stiller.				(:15) ★★ Guess Who? ('05, Com) Bernie Mac.					Movie
FSSW	37	38	50	45	29	Outdoors	Golf Life	UEFAMag.	Insider	Paid	Paid	Huddle	Texans	Countdown (L)		Polaris	Baseball
FX	31	56	59	64	69	★★ This Is 40 (2012, Comedy) Leslie Mann, Megan Fox, Paul Rudd.						Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	Movie
HALLMARK	54	71	58		34	Lucy	I Love Lucy	Middle	Middle	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	★ I Do, I Do, I Do ('15, Rom) Shawn Roberts.			
HGTV	63	69	26	48	44	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop
HISTORY	71	59	29	50	43	Pawn S.	The Towers Fell		Hotel Ground Zero		Voices From Inside the Towers				9/ 11 State of Emergency		
LIFETIME	28	30	25	28	48	In Touch Ministries		Amazing	David Jer.	J.Osteen	Paid	Project Runway		Project Runway		Project Runway	
MSNBC	47	53		49	73	Hardball	Business	Politics	Politics /(:55) MSNBC Special Coverage "9/11/01: The Today Show"							Place for Politics	
NBCSN	38	43				(5:00) Match/Week (N)		Premier League Match of the Day (N)				Leauge Live (L)		EPL Soccer Chelsea at Swansea City (L)			
NICK	55	-	39	34	37	ALVINNN	ALVINNN	PRangers	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Ninja	LoudHou.	LoudHou.	LoudHou.
SPIKE	30	-	55	53	58	Paid Program		Paid Program		Power	Power	Power	Power	★★★ Wedding Crashers Owen Wilson.			
SYFY	66	82	41	57	67	(5:00) Paid Program		Twilight	★★★ Fright Night ('11, Com) Anton Yelchin.					Anacondas: The Hunt for the Blood Or...			
TBS	25	33	44	66	41	Seinf. 1/2	Seinf. 2/2	Seinf. 1/2	Seinf. 2/2	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	★★ Hot Tub Time Machine John Cusack.			
TCM	41	75	24	63	66	(5:00) Mary, Mary		(:15) An Ideal Husband Paulette Goddard.				★★★ Mr. Lucky ('43, Rom) Cary Grant.				★★★ Agatha	
TELE	20	-	10	20		Pagado	Pagado	Pagado	Pagado	Pagado	Pagado	Pagado	Pagado	EPL Fútbol Chelsea at Swansea City (L)			
TLC	51	61	32	38	52	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	90 Day Fiancé		90 Day Fiancé		90 Day Fiancé	
TNT	24	34	40	26	50	Law & Order "Patriot"		Law & Order		Law&O. "Shangri-La"		Law&O. "True Crime"		Law & Order		Law&Order "Genius"	
TVLAND	49	-	35	54	35	(:10) Chris	(:50) G. Girls	(:25) The Golden Girls		G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls
USA	26	55	42	27	49	Paid	T.Point	In Touch	J.Osteen	Suits		Mr. Robot		Queen of the South		Law&O: SVU "Taken"	
WGN	19	85				Lord	Creflo	Key David	Paid	Law&Order "Discord"		Heat of Night "Rape"		In Heat of Night		★ A League of The...	

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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	Paid	World XGames (N)		X Games	X Games	Paid	Paid	News	Carrasco
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	NFL Football Cincinnati Bengals at New York Jets Site: MetLife Stadium -- East Rutherford, N.J. (L)								(:05) PBR Bull Riding		RawTrav.	News
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 (L)						NFL Football New York Giants at Dallas Cowboys (L)					
KMLM IND	11	12	12	11	11	S. Baras	Mani Erfan	Z. Levitt	Restore	Light of Southwest		Light of Southwest		Joshua	Hebrew	House	About Us
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	PGA Tour	Ryder Cup	PGA Golf BMW Championship Site: Crooked Stick Golf Club -- Carmel, Ind. (L)								Inside Ed.	News
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	W.L.Yoga	Mind	Family	Supper C	Chef's	Chef	Britis'n Baking (N)		Nova		News.	Ireland
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	MFL Fútbol Querétaro at UNAM (L)				Republica deportiva		Juego de Estrellas		Primer Impacto		Nacional	Noticiero
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		Paid	Bucket List	Green	Homes	CARS.TV	AmAthlete	Entertainers		Missing	Insider	The Good Wife	
FLIX	340	575		165		(11:00) Mindhunters		★★ The Hand That Rocks the Cradle				★★★ Good Morning, Vietnam				(:05) Man of the ...	
HBO	300	550	14	14		(11:30) The Forest		(:05) In the Heart of the Sea				Making /(:20) ★★★★ Juno Ellen Page.				San Andreas	
HBO2	302	551	15	101	23	(:55) ★★ American Pie			★★ American Pie 2			(:15) Boxing					
HBOS	304	552	16	102		(11:40) Our Brand Is Crisis			★★★ Jupiter Ascending Mila Kunis.				(:40) The Intern ('15, Com) Robert De Niro.				Movie
MAX	380	557	17	120	24	(11:30) For Love or...		(:10) ★★ Mystic Pizza Julia Roberts.				(:55) ★★★ Pretty in Pink			(:35) Quarry		
MAX2	382	558	18	122		(11:05) Kiss the G...		(:05) ★★ Fracture Anthony Hopkins.				★★★ Lady in the Water			(:50) ★★★ Batman		
PLEX			96			Balto II: Wolf Q...		(:20) Balto III: Wings of Ch...			(:40) ★★ Oliver's Story			(:15) ★★★★ The African Queen			
SHOW	320	565	19	140	25	★★ Rocky Balboa			(:45) ★★ Southpaw ('15, Dra) Jake Gyllenhaal.					Spymasters: CIA in the Crosshairs			
TMC	336	573	22	155	26	★★★ Ray ('04, Bio) Kerry Washington, Jamie Foxx.					(:35) Iverson Allen Iverson.			(:05) ★★★ The Royal Tenenbaums			
A&E	27	58	28	35	47	Flight 93 ('05, Doc) Jeffrey Nordling.				Escaping Polygamy		Escaping Polygamy		Escaping Polygamy		Escaping Polygamy	
AMC	40	74	23	42	51	(10:00) Walk the ...		★★ Open Range ('03, West) Kevin Costner, Robert Duvall.						★★ Pearl Harbor ('01, War) Ben Affleck.			
BET	58	-		40		Payne	(:35) Payne	(:10) Payne	(:45) Payne	(:20) House of Payne		(:55) Payne	Payne	(:05) Payne	(:40) Payne	(:15) House of Payne	
BRAVO	65	76		41		The Real Housewives		Real Housewives		Real Housewives		Housewives NJ		Housewives NJ		WivesNJ "Spa-cation"	
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	Sea Gold "The Plague"		Alaska "Cabin Fever"		Alaska/Frontier		Alaska/Frontier		Alaska/Frontier		Alaska/Frontier	
DISNEY	56	64	36	25	36	Bizaard.	StuckMid	Friends	Jessie	Elena	Liv/Mad	Liv/Mad	Girl M.	Underc.	Friends	Austin	Bunk'd
ESPN	32	35	48	31	30	MLS Soccer D.C. United at New York Red Bulls (L)					OpenRed	ITF Tennis U.S. Open (L)					
ESPN2	34	36	49	32	31	Football Scoreboard		30Shorts	30 for 30		Top Ten	Football Scoreboard		OLines	30Shorts	SportsCenter	
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	Kitchen "High Five"		Food Truck Race		Cutthroat Kitchen		Cutthroat Kitchen		Chopped Junior		Food Network Star	
FREEFORM	53	63	34	42	33	(11:45) National Lampoon's Vegas Vaca...				★★★ National Lampoon's Vacation				(:15) National Lampoon's European Va...			
FSSW	37	38	50	45	29	(11:30) MLB Baseball Tex./L.A. A.			Insider	Pre-game	MLB Baseball Texas Rangers at Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim (L)						Rangers
FX	31	56	59	64	69	(11:30) The Hangover Part III			★★ The Internship ('13, Com) Vince Vaughn.					★★ Neighbors ('14, Com) Seth Rogen.			
HALLMARK	54	71	58		34	Hearts of Spring ('16, Rom) Lisa Whelchel.				★★ First Daughter Katie Holmes.				A Taste of Romance ('11, Fam) Teri Polo.			
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	(10:30) 9/ 11	To Be Announced					9/11: The Days After				15 Septembers Later	
LIFETIME	28	30	25	28	48	★★ The Craigslist Killer Billy Baldwin.				To Be Announced				The Hunt for the I-5 Killer John Corbett.			
MSNBC	47	53		49	73	Place for Politics		Meet the Press		Place for Politics		Place for Politics		Dateline NBC		Dateline NBC	
NBCSN	38	43				Goal Zone (L)		RFU Rugby English Premiership				UCI Cycling Vuelta a España				Pacific Open (N)	
NICK	55	-	39	34	37	LoudHou.	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	LoudHou.	LoudHou.	LoudHou.	H.Danger	H.Danger
SPIKE	30	-	55	53	58	(10:00) Wedding ...		★★ Now You See Me ('13, Cri) Jesse Eisenberg.					Lip Sync	Lip Sync	Lip Sync	Lip Sync	Lip Sync
SYFY	66	82	41	57	67	★ Anacondas: Trail of Blood Crystal Allen.				★★★★ Raiders of the Lost Ark Harrison Ford.					(:35) Indiana Jones & the Te...		
TBS	25	33	44	66	41	MLB Baseball Baltimore Orioles at Detroit Tigers Site: Comerica Park (L)						★★ Hot Tub Time Machine John Cusack.				50 First Dates	
TCM	41	75	24	63	66	(11:00) Agatha		★★★★ West Side Story ('61, Mus) Natalie Wood.					(:45) ★★★★ Royal Wedding Jane Powell.				Movie
TELE	20	-	10	20		Enfoque	Una Chihuahua de Beverly...			La Laguna Azul ('80, Rom) Brooke Shields.				Noticiero	Conducta	Para ser anunciado	
TLC	51	61	32	38	52	90 Day Fiancé		90 Day Fiancé		90 Day Fiancé		90 Day Fiancé		90 Day Fiancé		90 Day Fiancé	
TNT	24	34	40	26	50	★★ The Mummy: Tomb of the Dragon Emperor					★★★ I Am Number Four ('11, Act) Alex Pettyfer.					Transformers	
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 & Order: S.V.U.		Law & Order: S.V.U.		Law & Order: S.V.U.		Law & Order: S.V.U.		Law & Order: S.V.U.		Law & Order: S.V.U.	
WGN	19	85				(11:00) A League of Their Own			★★★ A League of Their Own Geena Davis.					Blue Bloods		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		Celebrity Family Feud (N)		The 96th Miss America Competition Fifty-two young women vie for the crown. (N)				Local 2 News/ 10	(:35) Basin Gridiron	(:05) Cowboys	(:35) Paid Program
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	60 Minutes		Big Brother		BrainDead (N)		BrainDead (N)		CBS 7 News	(:35) CBS 7 Wire	(:05) Elementary	
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	A. Griffith	A. Griffith Show	Columbo "Requiem for a Falling Star" Hatred in Hollywood.			M*A*S*H	The Odd Couple	Honey-mooners	Cheers	B.New-hart	MaryTy-lerM.	Taxi "Shut It Down"
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	(3:00) NFL Football	The OT (L)	Son of Zorn (N)	The Simpsons	Family Guy	Last Man on Earth	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	2 Broke Girls	Met Your Mother	Jack Van Impe	Texans 360
KMLM IND	11	12	12	11	11	Mission: M25	Shepherd's Heart		Walking	Light of the Southwest		Light of the Southwest		Audra Grace	Update News	What's the Cost	Someb-ody Cares
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	Football Night in America (L)		(:20) NFL Football New England Patriots at Arizona Cardinals Site: University of Phoenix Stadium -- Glendale, Ariz. (L)							(:35) News	Mercury Media	Havas
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	Globe Trekker "Food Hour: Story of Tea"		Masterpiece "Churchill's Secret" Churchill's life-threatening stroke summer of 1953. (N)				Masterpiece Classic "Indian Summers" (N)		The Forsyte Saga		Time Scanners "Machu Picchu" (N)	
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	Sal y pimienta		La Banda (SP)				Aqui y Ahora		Durmiendo mi jefe	Noticiero Univision	Republica deportiva	
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		Rizzoli & Isles		Castle		Scandal		Mike&M.	Mike&M.	Anger M.	Tosh.0	NameG.	Fam.Feud
FLIX	340	575		165		(5:05) Man of the ...		★★ Summer of Sam ('99, Cri) John Leguizamo.					★★★ Zodiac ('07, Dra) Jake Gyllenhaal.				
HBO	300	550	14	14		(5:00) San Andreas		(:55) ★★★ 300 ('06, Epic) Gerard Butler.				Ballers	VicePrin	LastWeek	(:35) Ballers	VicePrin	(:40) Ballers
HBO2	302	551	15	101	23	1stLook	(:25) ★★ The Boy Next Door			In the Heart of the Sea Chris Hemsworth.				(:05) ★★★★ 25th Hour Edward Norton.			
HBOS	304	552	16	102		(5:45) Blackhat ('14, Act) Chris Hemsworth.				★★★ The Bourne Ultimatum Julia Stiles.				Our Brand Is Crisis			Movie
MAX	380	557	17	120	24	(:55) ★★ Less Than Zero			(:35) Unfriended			Insurgent ('15, Sci-Fi) Shailene Woodley.				Wild	
MAX2	382	558	18	122		(4:50) Batman		Quarry		(:20) ★★ Magnolia ('99, Drama) Jeremy Blackman, Melinda Dillon, Tom Cruise.							Quarry
PLEX			96			(:05) ★★ The Company Neve Campbell.				★★ Dance With Me Vanessa L. Williams.				(:10) ★★★ The Final Season Sean Astin.			
SHOW	320	565	19	140	25	Ray Donovan		Circus (N)	Circus	Ray Donovan		Masters "Freefall" (N)		Ray Donovan		Circus	Masters
TMC	336	573	22	155	26	★ Pride ('07, Dra) Terrence Howard.				★★★ Ray ('04, Bio) Kerry Washington, Jamie Foxx.					(:35) Freedom		
A&E	27	58	28	35	47	Hoarders		Hoarders: Then & (N)		Hoarders: Then & (N)		Esc.Polygamy (N)		(:05) The First 48		(:05) Hoarders	
AMC	40	74	23	42	51	(4:00) Pearl Harbor		Fear the Dead		Fear the Dead (N)		Talking Dead (N)		Fear the Dead		Geeking	FearDead
BET	58	-		40		(:55) Payne	(:35) Payne	(:15) House of Payne		(:55) Payne	(:35) Payne	(:15) Payne	(:55) One Shot			Abundant	Ministries
BRAVO	65	76		41		New Jersey Social (N)		Housewives NJ (N)		To Be Announced		Housewives NJ		Watch (N)	Manzo'd	Manzo'd	Wives NJ
CNBC	46	52		39	72	The Costco Craze		Colorado Pot Rush		Marijuana Country		Ground Zero Rising		Secrets of Mexico's		Cocaine Cowboys II	
CNN	43	50	51	30	56	CNN Newsroom		9/11: 15 Years Later (Documentary)				A. Cooper 360		9/ 11: 15 Years Later (N)			
DISC	50	60	31	24	42	Alaska/Frontier		Alaska/Frontier		Alaska/Frontier		Alaska/Frontier		Alaska/Frontier		Alaska/Frontier	
DISNEY	56	64	36	25	36	Walk	Liv Maddie	Underc.	Bizaard.	Girl M.	Friends	Liv/Mad	Bunk'd	Underc.	Bizaard.	★★★★ WALL-E	
ESPN	32	35	48	31	30	SportsCenter		MLB Baseball Chicago Cubs at Houston Astros (L)						SportsCenter			SportsC.
ESPN2	34	36	49	32	31	Baseball Tonight		SportsC.	Poker World Series			Poker World Series		Arm Wrestling		ESPN FC	
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	Guy's Grocery Games		Guy's Game (N)		Food Truck Race (N)		Cooks vs. Cons (N)		Cooks vs. Cons		Food Truck Race	
FREEFORM	53	63	34	42	33	Movie	National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation				(:45) ★★ Paul Blart: Mall Cop ('09, Com) Kevin James.					J.Osteen	Jeremiah
FSSW	37	38	50	45	29	Bull Riding		Sooner Football (N)		WPT Poker		UFC Unleashed (N)		Cowboys	School (N)	WPT Poker	
FX	31	56	59	64	69	★★★★ Captain America: The Winter Soldier Chris Evans.						Strain "First Born" (N)		Strain "First Born"		Strain "Bad White"	
HALLMARK	54	71	58		34	Love on the Sidelines Emily Kinny.				Chesap. Shores (N)		America/Hope (N)		G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls
HGTV	63	69	26	48	44	Love It or List It		Bargain	Bargain	Life (N)	Life (N)	Island	Island	H.Hunt	House	Life	Life
HISTORY	71	59	29	50	43	(5:00) 15 Septembers		102 Minutes That Changed America "15th Anniversary"				9/11 Flag (N)			102 Minutes "15th Anniversary"		
LIFETIME	28	30	25	28	48	Girl in the Box ('16, Thril) Zane Holtz.				Colleen Box The real-life story of Colleen Stan.				Girl in the Box ('16, Thril) Zane Holtz.			
MSNBC	47	53		49	73	Dateline NBC		Dateline NBC		Dateline NBC		Dateline NBC		Lockup		Lockup	
NBCSN	38	43				Rio 2016 Summer Paralympic Games (L)						Sailing		Feherty (N)		Match of the Day (N)	
NICK	55	-	39	34	37	Thunder	Thunder	Nicky	Nicky	F.House	F.House	F.House	F.House	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends
SPIKE	30	-	55	53	58	Lip Sync	Lip Sync	Lip Sync "All-Stars"		LipSync	LipSync	(:05) ★★★ Wedding Crashers ('05, Com) Owen Wilson.					
SYFY	66	82	41	57	67	(4:35) Indiana Jo...		(:10) ★★★★ Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade Harrison Ford.						(:05) ★★ Push ('09, Thril) Chris Evans.			
TBS	25	33	44	66	41	(5:00) 50 First Dates		★★ Big Daddy ('99, Com) Adam Sandler.				★★ Big Daddy ('99, Com) Adam Sandler.				★★ Due Date	
TCM	41	75	24	63	66	(5:30) Carefree		★★★★ Casablanca Humphrey Bogart.				★★★ The Dirty Dozen ('67, War) Lee Marvin.					Movie
TELE	20	-	10	20		Para ser anunciado		Hasta Que Te Conoci (N)				Para ser anunciado		Titulares	Conducta	Mentiras perfectas	
TLC	51	61	32	38	52	Day Fiancé "This Is It"		90 Day Fiancé (N)		90 Day "You Say Goodbye, I Say Hello" (N)				(:05) 90 Day "You Say Goodbye, I Say Hello"			
TNT	24	34	40	26	50	(5:00) ★★★ Transformers Shia LaBeouf.				The Last Ship (N)		Neighborhood		The Last Ship		Transformers	
TVLAND	49	-	35	54	35	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens
USA	26	55	42	27	49	Law & Order: S.V.U.		Law & Order: S.V.U.		Law & Order: S.V.U.		Law & Order: S.V.U.		Motive (N)		Law & Order: S.V.U.	
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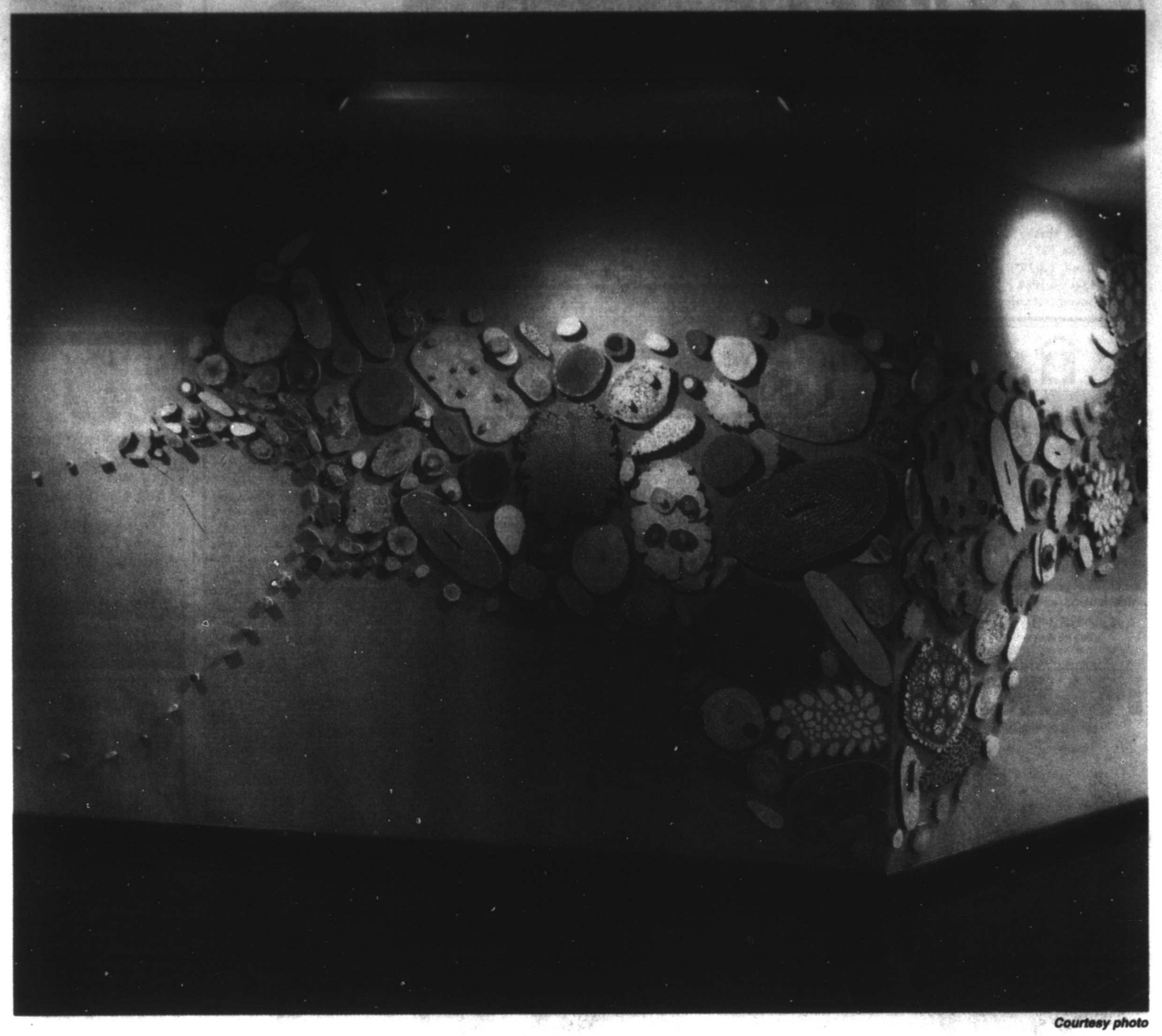

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"Invade" by Marilee Salvatore is an installation and exhibition of currently showing at Midland College's McCormick Gallery.

CALENDAR

TODAY

Permian Basin Fair and Exposition daily through Saturday at Ector Coliseum, Odessa. Permianbasinfair.com.

Septemberfest 2016: Technicolor Flashback with artist booths, live entertainment, KinderFest and more. Noon at Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. $5 adults, $3 children. museumsw.org.

Suez Shrine Circus will have five performances with showcases such as the Wheel of Destiny and Motorcycle Madness. Doors open one hour before show time for pre-show festivities. 1:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. at Horseshoe Arena, 2514 Arena Trail. $18, $16 ages 12 and younger. supershrinecircus.com.

MONDAY

"Very Eric Carle: A Very Hungry, Quiet, Lonely, Clumsy Busy Exhibit" is the summer exhibit of the children's author's works and books. Closes Saturday. Midland County Public Library Centennial branch, 2503 Loop 250. co.midland.tx.us/lib.

Haley Scholars Lecture Series: "H. Frank Mitchell: Early Panhandle Cowman" with Robin Boedecker. "Hispanic Settlement and Cultural Influence in the Texas Panhandle" with Dollie Lookingbill and "Our Indian Summer in the Far West: The Value of Republishing a Historical Western Book' with Alex Hunt.Cocktails, appetizers, and dessert buffet. 6:30 p.m. at Haley Memorial Museum and Research Library, 1605 W. Indiana Ave. Free but RSVP to haley-mail@att.net or call 432-682-5785. haleylibrary.com.

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 colledge. Contact 432-553-0632 for more information.

TUESDAY

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 register, email sara@artbysaradb.com.

Midland Quilters Guild : "What is a Round Robin.... And Why Do I Care?" is a presentation by Nelda Eakin and Anna Marie Connally. 6:30 p.m. at Alamo Heights Baptist Church, 1305 Midland Dr.

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 432-296-9840.

Palette Club Painting session from 9 a.m.-noon weekly. 907 W. Wadley Ave. paletteclubmidland.com.

"Nature Notes" on Marfa Public Radio. 8:35 a.m. and 4:45 p.m. KXWT-Midland/Odessa-91.3 FM

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/CrossingTheLineWestTexas.

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.

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Third Thursday Reading will have a featured book with copies given to each child. The monthly event is part of the Laura Bush Literacy Program. Free but space is limited so reservations are encouraged. Refreshments provided. 4:30 p.m. at the George W. Bush Childhood Home, 1412 W. Ohio Ave. bushchildhoodhome.org.

Fall Art Show opening reception at The Gallery at Midland Shared Spaces with works by ArtQuest, ArtiZen, Midland Arts Association and Palette Club of Midland. At Midland Shared Spaces, 3500 N. "A" St., Midland.

West Texas Dance Club with live country music, 7:30-10 p.m. at 301 E. 61st St. in Odessa. 432-697-0281 or 432-631-6125.

"Willie Velasquez: Your Vote is Your Voice" is a documentary about the man who led the Southwest Voter Registration and Education Project which paved the way for Latinos to have a voice in government. The screening is presented by Basin PBS and will be followed by a panel discussion with Maria Gonzales, Delma Abalos, Lydia Madrigal and Art Leal. The screening takes place over two days and also encourages voter registration. 6:30 p.m. at Midland Hispanic Cultural Center, 1311 E. Wadley Ave. Free. Basinpbs.org.

Ryan Bingham, Brian Fallon & the Crowes, Paul Cauthen, 7 p.m. at Horseshoe Amphitheater, 2514 Trail. $20-$60. Etix.com.

FRIDAY

Artizen Pop-Up Local Art and Gift Show 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Friday and Saturday at Arts Council of Midland, 1506 W. Illinois St.

Closing members reception for Woody Gwyn and Roger Colombik exhibitions. 6 p.m. at Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. museumsw.org.

"Sweeney Todd: The Demon Barber of Fleet Street" follows a vengeful barber in this dark, musical. For 12 and older due to subject matter and language. Through Sept. 25 at Midland Community Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave. mctmidland.org.

SATURDAY

Midland Downtown Farmers Market. 8:30 a.m. at Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave.

Youth Audition Workshop for young actors of all levels. The workshop prepares youth for the theater's auditions for "A Christmas Carol." The workshop will teach auditioning skills, audition performance and other skills. Noon at Midland Community Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave. mctmidland.org.

"The Gates of Paradise" looks at the crucifixion of Jesus Christ through the eyes of those watching. 3 p.m. at Ragtown Gospel Theater, 870 Ragtown Road, Post. $22. ragtowngospeltheater.com.

38 Special, 8 p.m. Sept. 17 at La Hacienda Event Center, 12610 SH 191. $28 advance, $35 door. Haciendamidland.com.

5 QUESTIONS

With Matt Scott | actor

Native Midlander Matt Scott currently is onstage as Beadle Bamford in "Sweeney Todd" at Midland Community Theatre. The musically inclined Scott played trumpet at Lee High School and pursued his music degree at West Texas A&M and Midland College. When he's not tending to his artistic side, he works as a salesman for Craft Office Systems. "Sweeney Todd: The Demon Barber of Fleet Street" runs through Sept. 25.

Scott

MRT: What's been your proudest achievement in theater?

Scott: Receiving Summer Mummers Rookie of the Year in 2015. I still find it an incredible honor that I hardly believe I deserved.

MRT: What is your best quality and why?

Scott: My willingness to do whatever needs to be done — within reason and the boundaries of the law, of course.

MRT: Who is a fictional and real-life hero and why?

Scott: Fictional would be (Nintendo's) Mario because he faces all those enemies who want to stop him and doing so with what has to be hundreds of concussions from all the brick-breaking with his head.

Real life hero is Muhammed Ali. The man knew who he was and what he stood for, and he fought for every bit of it. Oh, and he just happened to be the best boxer of all time.

MRT: Your not-so-secret indulgence?

Scott: I am a massive English football fan and supporter of Chelsea Football Club. I don't mind losing sleep to wake up at 6 a.m. on a weekend to watch them play.

MRT: What book do you always recommend?

Scott: "The Kingkiller Chronicle" trilogy by Patrick Rothfuss. Although the third book is unreleased, they are imaginative, intricately detailed, mysterious and intelligent enough to keep you on the edge that you might tip over.

ON DISPLAY

"Invade," featuring printmaking works by Marilee Salvator. Opening reception at 6 p.m. Friday at McCormick Gallery in the Allison Fine Arts Building at Midland College, 3600 N. Garfield Road. midland.edu/gallery.

The works of Scott Lunson. Music by the West Texas Jazz Project. 6 p.m. Friday at Kamiposi, 510 S. Big Spring St. facebook.com/kamiposi.

"The Light of Consciousness: Part 1" featuring photography by Katherine E. Bash. On view through Oct. 23. Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. museumsw.org.

"Woody Gwyn: A Sense of Scale." The renowned Southwestern painter Woody Gwyn was born in San Antonio and raised in Midland. This exhibition features rarely seen works from the Museum's permanent collection as well as several local collectors. Through Sept. 18. Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. museumsw.org.

"The West Texas Triangle Roger Colombik: Every Beloved Object Is The Center Of A Garden of Paradise." Roger Colombik lives in the Texas Hill Country with his wife and artistic collaborator Jerolyn. His sculptures address a range a conceptual interests that include composing environments of poetic repose in public spaces and the transformative nature of journeys, both inward and external. Through Sept. 18. Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. museumsw.org.

"Acrylic Underwater: Photographs by Bill Bynum" is a collection of photographs from dives in Indonesia and New Guinea. Midland Community Theatre 2000 W. Wadley Ave.

"Indian Flint: Shibusa" exhibition through Monday at Ellen Noel Art Museum, 4909 E. University Blvd., Odessa. Noelartmuseum.org.

Summer 2016 show features works by Western artist Wayne Baize. Haley Library and History Center, 1805 W. Indiana Ave. Monday-Friday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Free. 432-682-5785. haleylibrary.com.

Galactic Golf returns to Midland. The indoor exhibition combines a fun exploration of space amid a miniature golf course. Currently at Durham Children's Museum, 1705 W. Missouri Ave.museumsw.org.

"Dust and Depression" will feature historic photographic works of the country after the Stock Market Crash of 1929. The exhibition includes works by John Collier Jr., Walker Evans, Dorothea Lange and more. Runs through Monday. Ellen Noel Art Museum, 4909 E. University Blvd., Odessa. noelartmuseum.org.

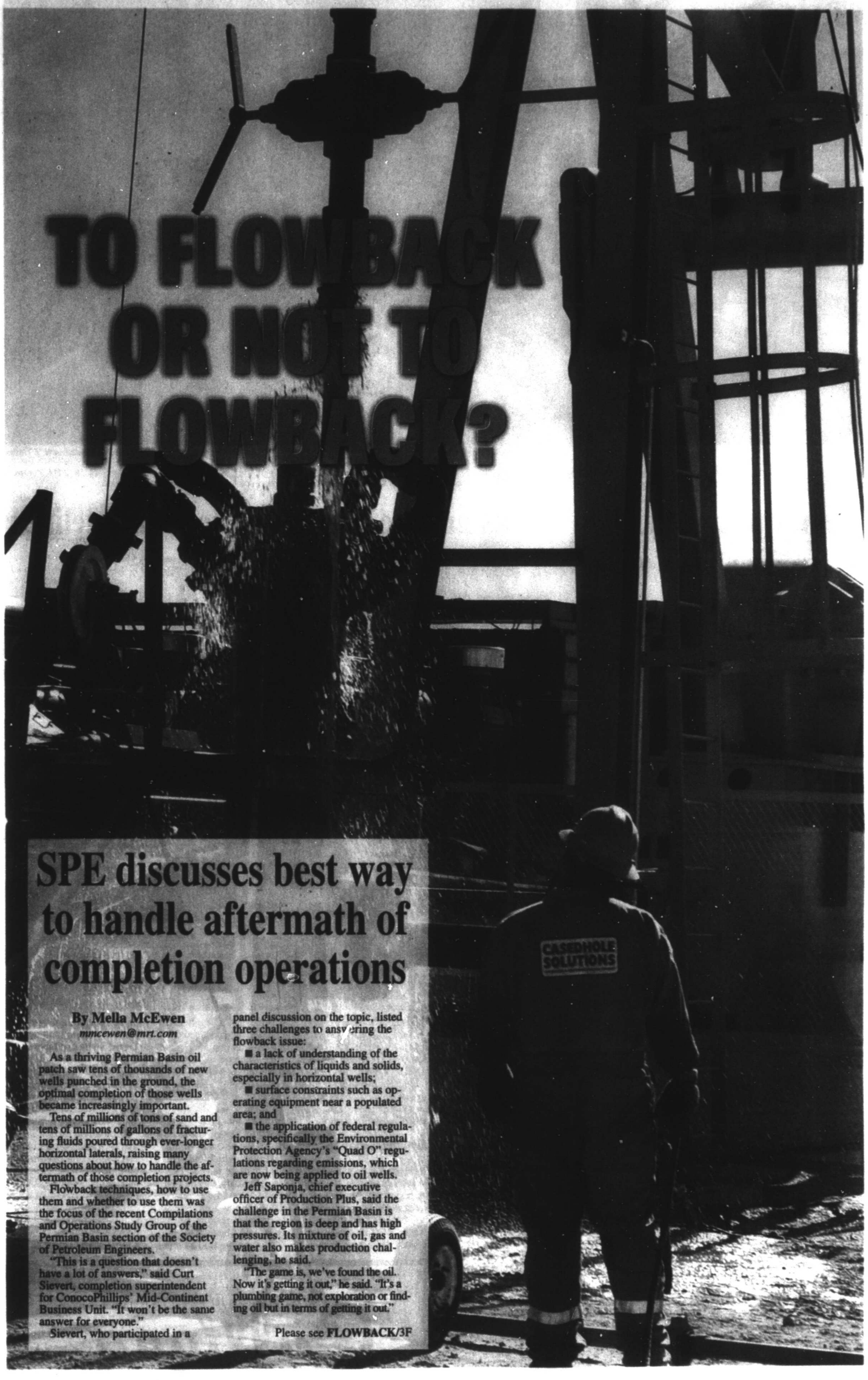
Ballroom Marfa, 108 E. San Antonio St. Marfa. ballroommarfa.org.

Blakemore Planetarium, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Dome shows Tuesdays -Saturdays. Closed Sunday and Monday. 432-683-2882. museumsw.org.

George Bush Childhood Home. Tours and gift shop hours are 2-5 p.m. Sundays and 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturdays. Admission charged. 1412 W. Ohio Ave., 432-685-1112

Midland Army Airfield Museum. 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturdays. 9600 Wright Drive. Admission currently free. highskywing.org.

Midland Arts Association presents works by J. Mark Cox, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Mondays-Thursdays, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Fridays, in the Community National Bank lobby, 401 W. Texas Ave., during September. midlandartsassociation.org.



TO FLOWBACK OR NOT TO FLOWBACK?

SPE discusses best way to handle aftermath of completion operations

By Mella McEwen
mmcewen@mrt.com

As a thriving Permian Basin oil patch saw tens of thousands of new wells punched in the ground, the optimal completion of those wells became increasingly important.

Tens of millions of tons of sand and tens of millions of gallons of fracturing fluids poured through ever-longer horizontal laterals, raising many questions about how to handle the aftermath of those completion projects.

Flowback techniques, how to use them and whether to use them was the focus of the recent Compilations and Operations Study Group of the Permian Basin section of the Society of Petroleum Engineers.

"This is a question that doesn't have a lot of answers," said Curt Sievert, completion superintendent for ConocoPhillips' Mid-Continent Business Unit. "It won't be the same answer for everyone."

Sievert, who participated in a panel discussion on the topic, listed three challenges to answering the flowback issue:

- a lack of understanding of the characteristics of liquids and solids, especially in horizontal wells;
- surface constraints such as operating equipment near a populated area; and
- the application of federal regulations, specifically the Environmental Protection Agency's "Quad O" regulations regarding emissions, which are now being applied to oil wells.

Jeff Saponja, chief executive officer of Production Plus, said the challenge in the Permian Basin is that the region is deep and has high pressures. Its mixture of oil, gas and water also makes production challenging, he said.

"The game is, we've found the oil. Now it's getting it out," he said. "It's a plumbing game, not exploration or finding oil but in terms of getting it out."

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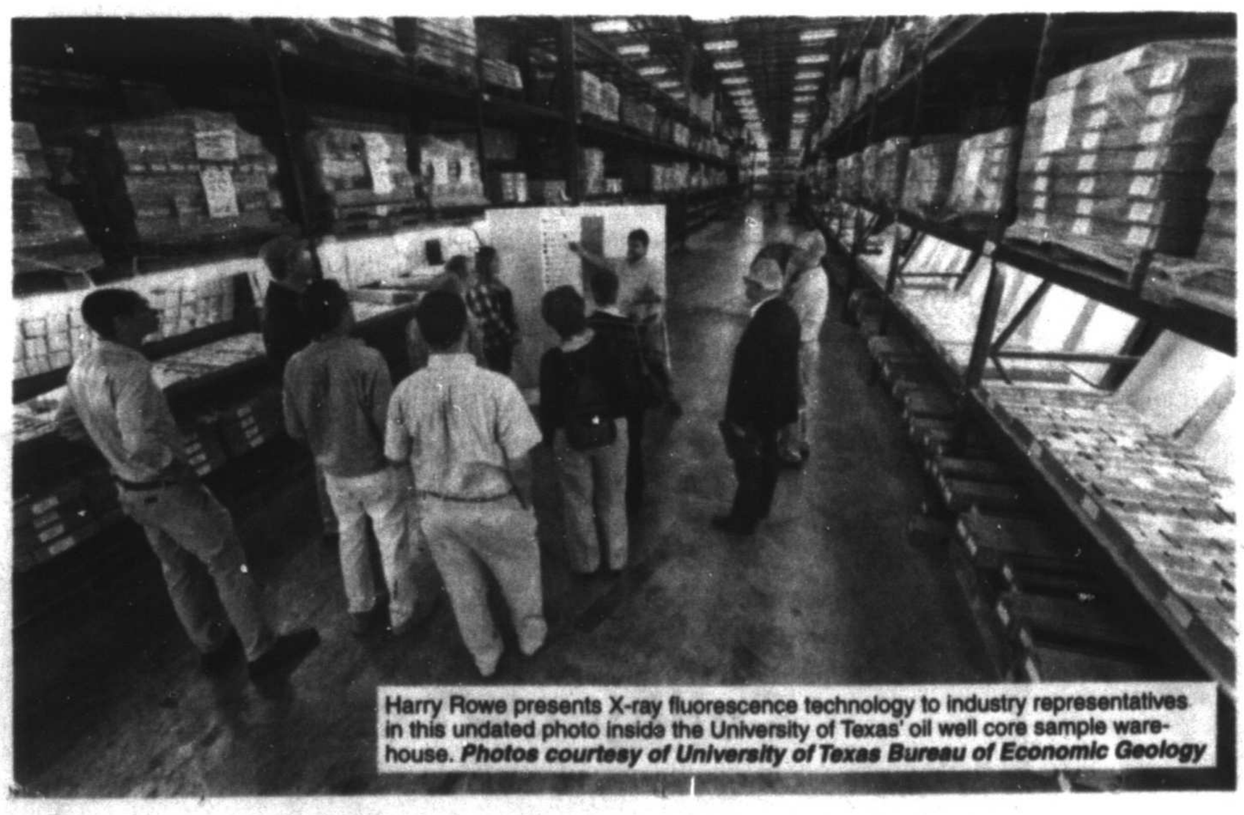

Harry Rowe presents X-ray fluorescence technology to industry representatives in this undated photo inside the University of Texas' oil well core sample warehouse. *Photos courtesy of University of Texas Bureau of Economic Geology*

X-ray gun is fast help when taking shot at oil

■ UT research scientist picks up the pace in analyzing well core samples

By David Hunn
Houston Chronicle

AUSTIN — Harry Rowe has a ray gun. It's small and gray, and it might, he thinks, change how companies dig for oil.

Rowe is a research scientist at the University of Texas Bureau of Economic Geology. For years, he's been trying to figure out how to speed the analysis of core samples — cylinders of rock that well drillers bore out of the ground with hopes of finding clues to the potential oil below.

Rowe

Until recently, companies sent core samples to a lab for analysis. It took weeks, if not months, to get results.

Rowe figured out how to do the same work in hours.

It took hundreds of rock

Please see **RAY GUN/3F**

Adriana Zehbrauskas/N.Y. Times

Workers on the La Muralla IV semi-submersible drilling rig, operated by Petroleos Mexicanos, or Pemex, Mexico's state-owned oil corporation, off the coast of Veracruz, Mexico, on Sept. 19, 2014. Pemex expected oil majors to line up for a historic chance to help it tap the giant Perdido reserves in ultra-deep waters of the Gulf of Mexico. So far, sign-ups for an auction have only trickled in.

Pemex terms, Perdido's risks may be keeping majors on sidelines

Bloomberg

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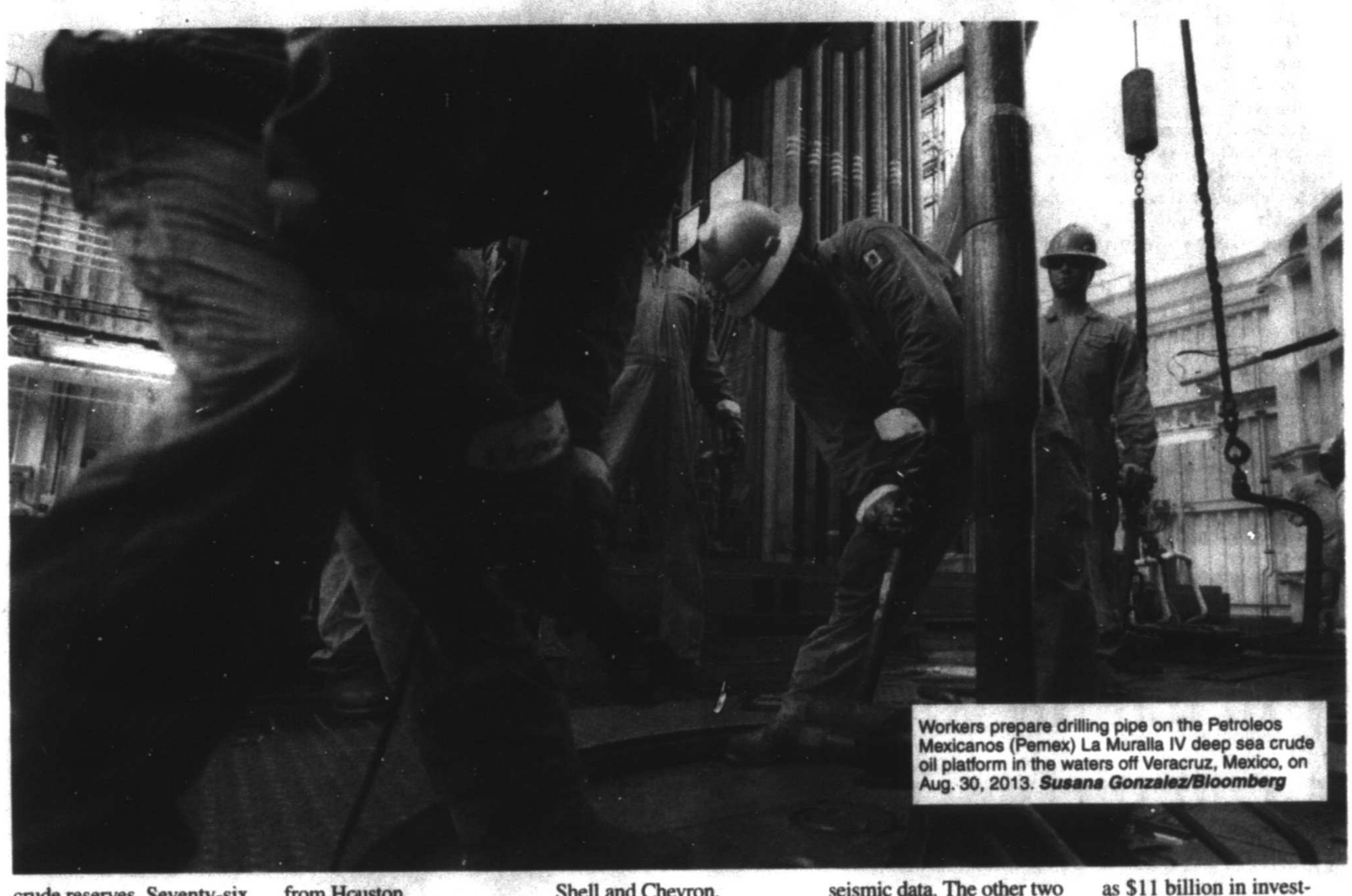
Days before the Sept. 5 deadline to begin the bidding process to join Petroleos Mexicanos's first oil production joint venture since ending more than seven decades of state monopoly, Chevron, BP and Total were the only big oil producers among the five companies that had enrolled as of Thursday, according to data on the oil regulator's website. Exxon Mobil was added to the list Friday, while Royal Dutch Shell and Anadarko Petroleum, which have paid for access to the field's seismic data, still aren't among pre-qualified bidders.

Being the state oil company in a country where the industry is still mostly a government affair comes with many benefits, but that's exactly what may be scaring away investors. The joint operating agreement, or JOA, drafted by the Mexican government may expose Pemex's partners to excessive environmental risks in a challenging area of the Gulf, while Pemex retains a large role in the decision-making, analysts said. That might explain the tepid demand.

"The JOA is much more conflict-ridden than it is cooperation-prone," John Padilla, managing director of energy consulting firm IPD Latin America, said in a phone interview. Companies also have expressed concerns with the minimum $464 million they'll have to put in to cover their share in investments Pemex has already made, and that the agreement will be governed by Mexican law, which lacks clarity in regards to joint venture regulation, he said.



Workers prepare drilling pipe on the Petroleos Mexicanos (Pemex) La Muralla IV deep sea crude oil platform in the waters off Veracruz, Mexico, on Aug. 30, 2013. *Susana Gonzalez/Bloomberg*

Extreme depth

The winning bidders will partner with Pemex to develop the Trion field, located 25 miles from shore on the Mexican side of the Perdido belt that straddles the maritime border with the U.S. The field is estimated to contain as much as 485 million barrels of oil equivalent in waters as deep as 8,200 feet, according to Pemex.

Shell, which operates fields on the U.S. side of the area, describes its Perdido oil and gas production and drilling platform as the deepest in the world, coping with challenges such as extreme water depth, rugged sea-floor terrain and low-temperature, low-pressure reservoirs in a new geological frontier, according to its website.

Mexico estimates its side of the Perdido belt may contain as many as 10 billion barrels of potential crude reserves. Seventy-six percent of the country's prospective resources are located in the deep waters of the Gulf, according the energy ministry.

Sovereign immunity

The JOA for Trion can be modified until Sept. 30. It currently calls for at least two operating partners while Pemex, which controls almost all of the country's oil production, distribution and refining industry, maintains as much as a 45 percent stake in the field. But when it comes to the risks, the agreement could put the burden mainly on operators as it would give Pemex the opportunity to invoke sovereign immunity, meaning it could be absolved of responsibility in the case of an oil spill or other incidents, according to George Baker, analyst and publisher of Mexico Energy Intelligence.

"If there were an incident, and if that incident came to U.S. courts, Pemex could walk away from it," Baker said in a telephone interview from Houston.

The terms of the JOA proposed by Mexico expose Pemex's operating partners to more risk than similar types of contracts usually do, according to Steven Otillar, a partner at Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld who has acted as an adviser to energy companies in Mexico.

There's "greater exposure for an operator, as opposed to non-operators, under this form of JOA than you might typically see in a deep-water development in another emerging market," he said.

Pemex, in an emailed response to questions, said "the idea that the terms of the JOA aren't favorable is debatable because the text, aside from some local adjustments, is standard."

Mexico is having better luck with a Dec. 5 auction of 10 deep-water oil blocks that will allow international producers to bid as groups to develop the fields from scratch, without having to partner with Pemex. A total of 26 companies have qualified to bid for those prospects, including Exxon, Shell and Chevron.

There "is clearly less interest in the Pemex farm-out" than in the accompanying Dec. 5 bid round, Sergio Pimentel, a member of Mexico's Nation Hydrocarbons Commission, said in an Aug. 29 webcast session.

Deadline extended

The commission voted during that session to extend the period for companies to request to qualify to bid until Sept. 5. To date, a total of 10 companies have registered to access Trion's seismic data. The other two companies that signed up are Australian mining giant BHP Billiton Ltd. and Japan's Inpex Corp., but being on the list of pre-qualified bidders doesn't mean they'll necessarily bid. The announcement of the results is slated for Dec. 5, the same day as the next auction.

Pemex, which has seen its oil output fall for 11 straight years, has lauded the joint venture in the Trion field as a remedy to reverse the company's mounting financial woes. The company said as much as $11 billion in investment is required to develop Trion. Some producers may wait until Mexico's overhaul of the oil industry's regulations provides further assurance before they commit to a partnership like Trion.

"You might see parties that won't participate in the early years of the reform until there is more case law and certainty" in the contractual details, Otillar said. "But that just means there will be opportunities for companies willing to take a more aggressive position."

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RAY GUN

From 1F

samples, tens of thousands of measurements and an X-ray instrument that looks something like a science fiction weapon.

But now Rowe can take his gun to a well, point it at a core and, after a bit of rock-cleaning, tell an oilman if his land will likely produce 10 barrels of oil per day, or hundreds.

"Now we have this portable device. We can simply go along and take a sample wherever we want," Rowe said.

The process isn't actually that simple. The rock needs to be cleaned and sometimes crushed into a pellet before it's analyzed. Most companies use larger bench-top versions of Rowe's gun.

Still, they can help decide drilling strategy in real time, Rowe said.

Technological advances are fundamentally changing the oil and gas industry. Drill-head sensors allow geologists to steer drill bits within feet of their targets. Terabytes of computer data help companies constantly analyze the efficiency of their drilling progress and petroleum recovery. Seismic imaging maps underground basins in vivid detail.

Some of those advances have arrived in surprising ways: Horizontal drilling and hydraulic fracturing, for example, weren't new technologies a decade ago. But the two together reversed declining U.S. oil production and helped create the shale revolution.

At the same time, they've exacerbated the need for high-tech tools. Fracking wells often are 10,000 feet deep, then turn and run 5,000 feet horizontally. They can cost $10 million to drill. Making a mistake, missing oil, is expensive. Even straying afew feet from the heart of the reservoir can be the difference between recovering 1,000 barrels of oil per day and recovering 2,000.

So oil producers want to know as much as they can about the rock they're drilling before they begin.

Rowe's work is just one piece of that. But it's an important piece, oil geologists say.

His gun adapts an old technology, X-ray fluorescence — used by miners to analyze rock elements, doctors to measure chemicals inside the human body and even archaeologists to reveal ancient inscriptions. The device, called an XRF analyzer, shoots X-rays at the target. The X-rays hit and dislodge electrons. When other electrons take the place of those dislodged, they emit their own rays, which are read by a sensor in the gun. Each element in the sample releases its own specific X-ray — something of an elemental fingerprint.

Rowe and his university lab took that technology and calibrated it for shale drilling.

That means geologists can quickly tell oil companies what elements are in the rocks bored out of each well.

Such measurements can be bellwethers for success. As companies drill, they can pull rock samples, test them and know if the well should be productive.

Certain trace elements — vanadium, nickel and uranium, for instance — tend to be highly concentrated in rock that has a lot of organic matter. And, in general, the more organic matter present, the more oil or gas the rock can generate.

"It's a very nice signal," said Michael Dix, ageoscientist at the service company Weatherford International who has worked on XRF for years.

The Pittsburgh-based oil and gas company EQT orders bench-top XRF units to well sites, said Randy Blood, a senior geologist there.

"Within 20 minutes, you have the chemical composition of the rocks," he said.

Blood says his bosses periodically ask him how confident he is in his analyses of potential oil or gas wells.

"I don't know, I wasn't there 410 million years ago," he tells them.

But with XRF, he says, he feels like he's as close to being there as possible, he said.

The technology has been slow, however, to catch on in the industry. The readings aren't perfect, and Rowe admitted the gun can be hard to use, especially for the uneducated.

Still, once workers understand how to use the guns, they produce fast, cheap and revealing analyses, several users said.

"Some elemental analysis, increasingly by XRF, is becoming almost mainstream these days," Dix said. "As we come out of the downturn, this is going to be a much more accepted practice."

Rowe uses guns sold by the scientific instrument-maker Bruker Corp., headquartered near Boston. The guns cost about $50,000.

And Bruker now caters to the oil and gas industry. It even has calibration software made specifically for shale and mudrock. A spokesman said device sales to energy companies climbed steadily from 2011 to 2015 and make up a significant share of U.S. totals.

Staff at the University of Texas are bullish on his work. They say XRF could revolutionize oil and gas exploration.

Rowe and his lab staff are now building a database with hundreds of core samples and thousands of measurements. Aconsortium of oil companies are adding their samples to the mix, and already using the database to make drilling decisions.

That's one of the things Rowe has brought to the field, Dix said. His calibration of the XRF gun has allowed him and his team to collect a great deal of data quickly.

But Rowe says a vast majority of the drilling companies still aren't using XRF in any format.

People are married to their ways, he said. If they've been using the same technology for 20 years, they can be slow to change.

Photo courtesy of University of Texas Bureau of Economic Geology

Assistants analyze oil well core samples at Harry Rowe's University of Texas at Austin lab.

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Instructor: Larry Chapman
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Instructor: J.T. "Tommy" Lent, Jr.
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Instructor: Jeff Harris
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Instructor: Dr. Patrick Fitzgerald
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Basic Oilfield Operations
Instructor: Albert Garza
October 12-13, 2016, Weds-Thursday 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. ,
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SQL: Application to Oil/Gas Relational Databases
Instructor: Celia Houston
October 18, 2016, Tuesday 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
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Petroleum Geology for Non-Geologists
Instructor: Paul Pause
October 24 -27, 2016, Monday - Thursday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
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Remediation and Restoration of Hydrocarbon Contaminated Soils
Instructor: Kerry Sublette
October 24, 2016, Monday - 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
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Petra Fundamentals
Instructor: Greg Hinterlong
October 27-28, 2016, Thursday - Friday, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
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Rangeland Energy brings RIO Pipeline into service

From staff reports

SUGAR LAND — Rangeland Energy announces that the company's RIO Pipeline is now in commercial service for all shippers transporting crude oil and condensate to market from the Delaware Basin.

The 110-mile, 12-inch pipeline begins at the RIO State Line Terminal in Loving County, a gathering hub at the Texas-New Mexico border in the heart of the Delaware Basin with tankage and truck unloading facilities.

The pipeline has the capacity to transport more than 125,000 barrels per day from the State Line Terminal to Rangeland's Geneva and Zurich terminals in Midland. The Geneva and Zurich terminals provide connecQvity through Plains Pipeline L.P.'s Midland terminals to other area terminals and interstate pipelines that access Cushing, East Texas and Gulf Coast markets.

"The Delaware Basin is the most active and prolific basin in the U.S., and we don't expect that to change in the foreseeable future," said Rangeland President and Chief Executive Officer Chris Keene. "For this reason Rangeland has placed a very high priority on providing takeaway service and optionality to all customers active in the basin. We're very pleased to commission the RIO Pipeline."

Construction of the RIO Pipeline began in January. The State Line and Geneva terminals were completed in July. The Zurich Terminal is expected to come into service in the spring of 2017. As demand increases, Rangeland expects to construct a 10-inch, bidirecQonal pipeline to connect the State Line Terminal to the RIO Hub near Loving, New Mexico.

FLOWBACK

From 1F

Operators were paying attention to drilling when prices were high; now that prices are low, they're paying attention to flowback and productivn, Saponja said.

"They've learned what to do and what not to do," he said.

Handling flowback in a controlled manner is key, according to Saponja.

"Control flowback and control the slug flow that comes along with flowback," he said. "Slug flows are the root cause of flowback problems. Not only controlling flowback but minimizing slug flow tendencies is important."

Amid the growing concern about the safety of fracking fluids and their impact on the environment and on people, Saponja said the industry "won't get away from fracking anytime soon. It's making these wells economic."

Amid those concerns, it's important for operators to improve their communication and consultations with the public.

"We've been fracking so long, we know its impact on the environment is low, but we've done a poor job of communicating that," he said.

Saponja's Calgary, Alberta-based company is active in the Permian Basin, teaming up with Midland's Permian Production Equipment to market, install and service Production Plus' Horizontal Enhanced Artificial Lift system, technology aimed to reducing lifting costs and increase production in horizontal wells by controlling and minimizing slug flow, preventing proppant flowback problems and making the transition to artificial lift easier.

"When the rest of the world is tapped out, this area will still be producing oil," he said.

Exxon ignores near-term glut, plays long game with LNG

Bloomberg

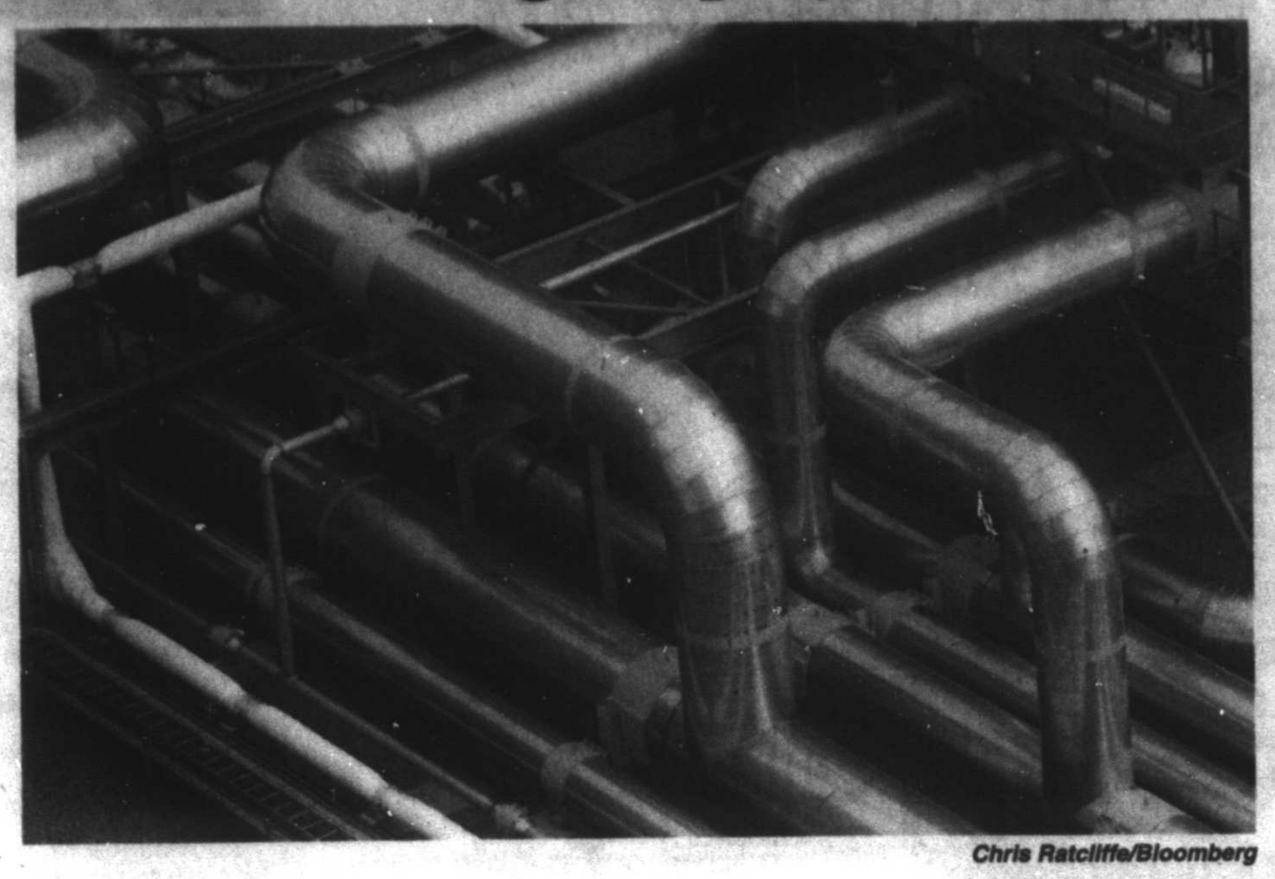
When it comes to natural gas, Exxon Mobil believes in playing the long game.

As competitors continue to flood the world market with a liquefied form of the fuel, depressing prices, Exxon is heeding the advice of forecasters scanning a quarter-century beyond the current glut. Their view: LNG demand will rise 1.6 percent a year through 2040, more than double the rate for crude oil.

With much of that growth set to come from the Asia-Pacific region, the world's biggest energy producer is working to bookend the area with resources, pursuing promising but as-yet untapped natural gas fields in Papua New Guinea and Mozambique that won't produce for years. It's a strategy that stands in stark contrast to Royal Dutch Shell's takeover of BG Group, an established producer that promises to quickly swell Shell's LNG exports, even as prices remain low.

"Exxon has a different strategy in that it's not looking to grow its gas business right now but is looking at what will happen in LNG 10 or 15 years from now," said Brian Hennessey, who manages $1.3 billion at Alpine Woods Capital Investors. "The market's going to get tight starting in 2020."

The influx of LNG from gigantic projects first conceived a decade ago has swamped markets with excess supply, dropping the average worldwide price by 37 percent last year to $9.77 per million British thermal units, according to the International Gas Union. In Japan, the world's biggest LNG market, the price of cargoes from Qatar tumbled 70 percent in two years to $4.93 per million Btu. Spot LNG in Singapore fell 1.3% on Thursday to $5.187 per million British thermal units, according to Singapore Exchange.



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Transportation pipes lie on the ground at the National Grid's liquid natural gas terminal on the Isle of Grain, U.K.

But the glut might be short-lived as low prices spur new buyers to enter the market and the advent of low-cost import facilities enables poorer nations to receive cargoes.

Bidding war

That "tidal wave" of demand will overwhelm available supplies and pit major importing nations in a bidding war for LNG cargoes as soon as the early 2020s, said Fred Beach, assistant director for policy studies at the University of Texas Energy Institute, in a telephone interview.

"Consensus is that the LNG market will be over-supplied for the next 5+ years," wrote Anish Kapadia, managing director at Tudor Pickering Holt & Co. in London, in a note to clients on Wednesday. "However, there is the potential for the market to tighten around the end of the decade as we see downside risks to suppiy and upside risks to demand."

In July, Exxon agreed to pay between $2.3 billion and $3.6 billion for InterOil's Papua New Guinea finds, and is in talks to buy stakes in the fields in Mozambique. The final value of the stock-and-cash agreement with InterOil, expected to close within weeks, depends on how large the natural gas reserves prove to be.

More drilling is required to figure that out, as well as the optimal locations for production wells that can eventually produce natural gas for export, The Mozambique assets are in a similar state of nascent development.

The InterOil transaction will be Exxon's biggest acquisition since a 2009-2013 spree in which the company acquired multiple North American gas drillers, including the $35 billion buyout of XTO Energy. That foray has yet to pay off.

In the six years since the XTO transaction closed, U.S. gas prices have fallen 40 percent. Within 24 months of the biggest deal of his career, Exxon Chairman and Chief Executive Officer Rex Tillerson told a Council on Foreign Relations gathering that he and fellow gas producers were "all losing our shirts."

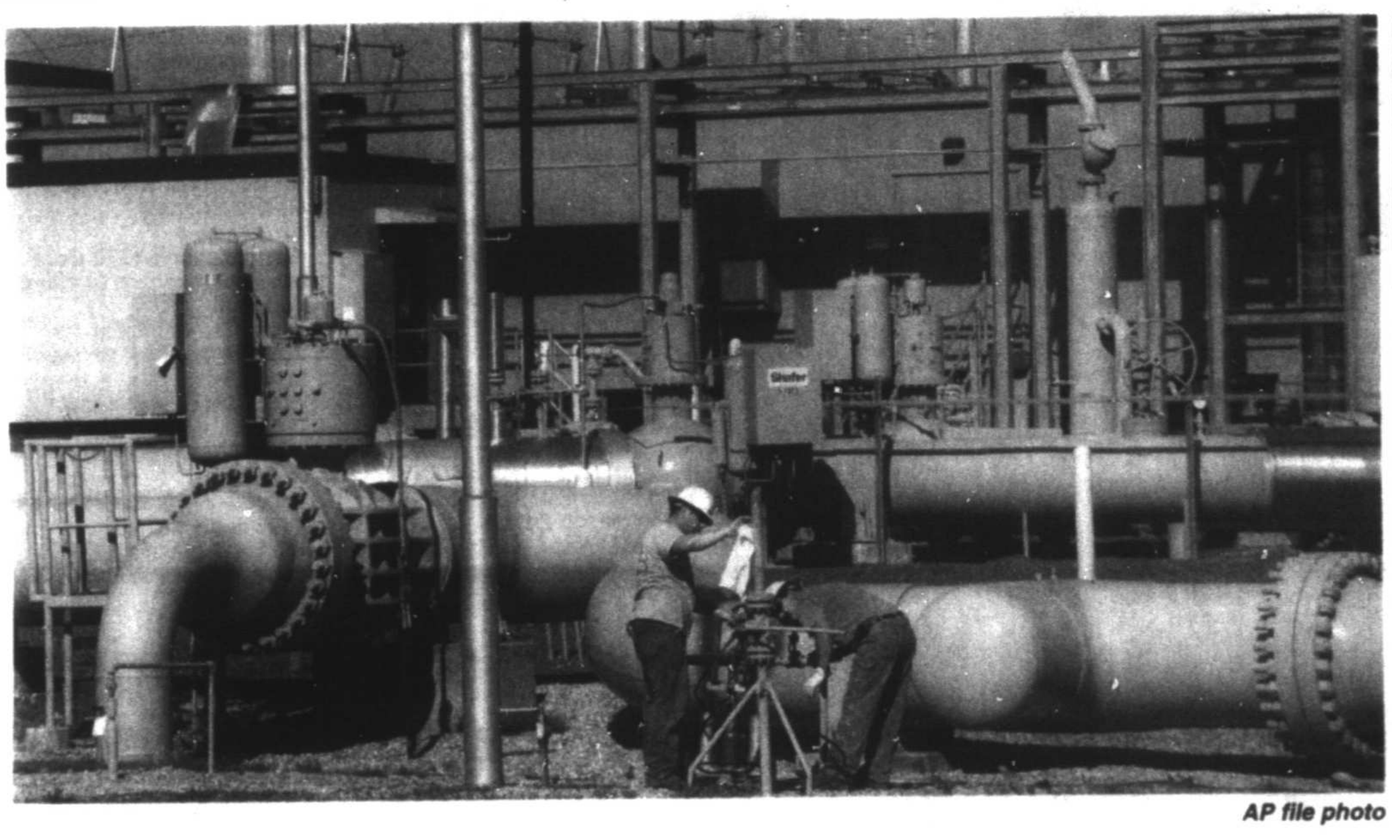
Slamming on the brakes

Exxon's long-term approach has also meant slamming the brakes on projects that are moving too fast.

Last week, the company told Alaskn lawmakers it's quitting an LNG project in that state because its leaders want Exxon and its partners, BP and ConocoPhillips, to spend money on engineering and design work even though a fiscal agreement for the development hasn't been finalized. Bill McMahon, Exxon's senior commercial adviser on the project, told an Alaskan legislative panel on Aug. 25 that the company will hand control of the project to the state by the end of the year.

Tillerson's new LNG strategy included a meeting with Mozambique President Filipe Nyusi in the capital city of Maputo in July to discuss acquiring a stake in Eni's offshore gas holdings, according to a person with knowledge of the talks. Exxon is also talking to Anadarko Petroleum Corp. about buying into a nearby discovery beneath a part of the seafloor known as the Rovuma Basin.

Exxon's newest push is definitely "a long gas play," said Thomas McNulty, an analyst at Navigant Consulting in Houston. "Even though demand has weakened in markets like China, Japan and South Korea in the near term, the long-term view is that demand will recover and be strong in that part of the world."



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In this 2011 file photo, workers make minor repairs on the pipeline hub run by Spectra Energy Corp. in Guilford, Pa. Canada's Enbridge is buying Houston-based Spectra Energy for about $28 billion, creating North America's largest energy infrastructure company, the companies announced Tuesday.

Enbridge may have just touched off a 'supermajor' race for pipes

By Tim Loh
Bloomberg

"It's a chess match, and I think you're going to see some more players, more pieces in the action. As you piece this puzzle together, there will be little pieces missing, and somebody with those little pieces — they become valuable."

Skip Aylesworth, oversees the Hennessy Gas Utility Fund

Is the North American pipeline sector about to be consumed by merger mania?

With Enbridge Inc. planning a $28 billion takeover of Spectra Energy Corp., some investors say the industry's in store for more deals as pressure mounts on the likes of Enterprise Products Partners and Kinder Morgan to follow suit. The biggest pipeline deal of the year foreshadows a feeding frenzy as those companies that survived the collapse in oil and natural gas prices step up the hunt for bargains. TransCanada Corp. got the ball rolling with the $10.2 billion purchase of Columbia Pipeline Group Inc. earlier in the year.

"We've just come through a very tumultuous period," said Libby Toudouze, a partner and portfolio manager at Cushing Asset Management in Dallas. "Being able to survive the trough in the energy cycle, especially one like this last one that was so long, means you have to be bigger, faster, stronger."

Enbridge's deal would vault the Calgary-based company into North America's largest energy pipeline and storage player. It could also mark the beginning of the "supermajor" era for the industry, according to Rebecca Followill, head of research at U.S. Capital Advisors, since it might "light a fire in the bellies" of the larger pipeline players, setting off a wave of consolidation that could accelerate through the end of 2016.

"Enterprise Products Partners is the other big 800-pound gorilla out there," Toudouze said. "This puts a little more pressure on them to try to do something in the space."

A spokesman for Enterprise Products Partners didn't immediately respond to an e-mail seeking comment. Kinder Morgan declined to comment.

If Enbridge closes the deal to buy Spectra, it'll lord over a network of pipelines stretching from the oil sands of Alberta, Canada, to the coasts of southern Florida. It'll be plugged into population centers from Seattle to Boston and from Houston to Montreal.

"This is two successful companies thinking they'll be even more successful together," said Skip Aylesworth, who oversees the Hennessy Gas Utility Fund. "This is a good deal for shareholders. If you look at the maps and overlay them, they're very complementary."

TransCanada made a similar play after getting stymied on the Keystone XL pipeline. This spring, it bought Columbia Pipeline Group to create a network spanning from Canada to Mexico. Such deals may proliferate as opposition mounts against new projects across North America. Protesters in Montreal last week disrupted hearings on a proposed TransCanada line. Several arrests were also made at a site in North Dakota where Energy Transfer Partners is trying to build a line to Illinois.

"This is the market adjusting to that kind of mentality," said Jay Hatfield, chief executive officer of Infrastructure Capital Management, a New York-based hedge fund. "Existing pipelines are worth a lot. Longhaul pipelines like Spectra has, particularly the natural gas pipelines, are worth probably 20 times Ebitda, not 15 times, which is what they're trading at."

Ebitda, a measure of income watched closely by some analysts and investors, is short for earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization.

Meanwhile, Enbridge is offering Spectra shareholders a 12 percent premium in the stock-for-stock deal. That's in line with the 11 percent premium TransCanada offered for Columbia.

Energy Transfer Equity's failed bid for Williams Cos. this year — another effort to create a pipeline behemoth — may put it at a disadvantage in this latest round of consolidation as it seeks to lower its debt level, according to Aylesworth. Williams, too, may find itself distracted by a looming proxy fight. Meantime, new players could emerge in the sector such as private-equity funds. "Kinder Morgan can play the game," Aylesworth said. "I'd anticipate they might play around a little bit."

Williams CEO Alan Armstrong said in an Aug. 1 interview that he's focused on leading the company as a standalone entity. Energy Transfer's Kelcy Warren said in an Aug. 12 interview that his company is "gearing back up" with an acquisition strategy and that the "doors are open" for possible deals.

"It's a chess match, and I think you're going to see some more players, more pieces in the action," Aylesworth said. "As you piece this puzzle together, there will be little pieces missing, and somebody with those little pieces — they become valuable."

ENERGYBRIEFS

FROM STAFF & WIRE REPORTS

WTGS sets September meeting

Members of the West Texas Geological Society will meet Sept. 13 in the upstairs ballroom of Midland Country Club beginning at 11:30 a.m.

John A. Brett III from Brett Exploration LLC will present "Theory, Application, Discovery: From OCGS Talk to Drilling to Production! - Application of an OCGS Presentation Results in Economic Production."

Cost is $20 with reservation, $30 at the door, including lunch. Reservations may be made by calling 683-1573 or by email at wtgs@wtgs.org. Online registration is also available at www.wtgs.org and clicking on the Events tab.

DALLAS

Pioneer closes Permian Basin acquisition

Pioneer Natural Resources Company has closed the previously announced acquisition of about 28,000 net acres in the Permian Basin from Devon Energy for $435 million, before normal closing adjustments.

The acquired acreage is located in Martin, Midland, Upton, Reagan, Glasscock, Andrews, Dawson, Gaines and Howard counties. Current net production is about 1,400 barrels of oil equivalent per day, with oil comprising about 65 percent of the production. Substantially, all of the acreage is held by production.

Substantially, all of the 28,000 net acres is located in the core of the Midland Basin, with significant portions of the acreage acquired offsetting existing Pioneer acreage. Of the core acreage acquired, approximately 15,000 net acres are located in the Sale Ranch area in Martin County and northern Midland County where Pioneer has drilled its most productive Wolfcamp B wells. Pioneer expects to utilize three horizontal rigs to drill the newly added Sale Ranch area locations. The company will immediately begin the title work, permitting process and facility construction in preparation for the expected initial production from these locations during the first half of 2017.

HOUSTON

Third generation gains stake in Watson Grinding

Kelly L. Watson has gained a stake in Watson Grinding & Manufacturing and Watson Valve Services Inc.

She is the second of two third generation family-member shareholders, preceded by her cousin and future partner, Jason White.

Watson Grinding was founded as a small specialty grinding shop in 1960 by James L. Watson. Over the years, the company grew to include a full-scale machine shop and to offer specialty thermal spray coatings.

Watson Grinding has always been a family business, and today the company is owned and operated by the founder's son, John Watson; son-in-law, Bob White; grandson, Jason White; and now, granddaughter, Kelly Watson.

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Baker Hughes cuts employee pay 5 percent through furloughs

By Jordan Blum
Houston Chronicle

Houston-based Baker Hughes is cutting employee pay for many U.S. workers by 5 percent through a new furlough program to reduce costs and lessen the need for additional job reductions.

The pay cuts, which Baker Hughes described as temporary, will stretch from the pay period beginning Sept. 11 through the final paycheck of the year. In exchange for the pay cut, employees will get holidays on Oct. 10, Nov. 23, Dec. 23 and Dec. 28, according to an internal memo acquired by the Houston Chronicle.

The memo said the furlough program is designed to "help Baker Hughes reduce the need for additional layoffs and to achieve the cost savings needed to enable profitable growth." Among those excluded from the pay cuts are some top executives and other global operations employees in the United States; many employees in chemicals operations; some human resources workers; many sales people; and corporate security and information technology workers, among others. Most leadership is included in the furlough, according to the memo.

Baker Hughes spokeswoman Melanie Kania said in a prepared statement, "These efforts will allow us to lessen the need for additional workforce reductions while remaining focused on serving customers and maintaining safe, compliant operations."

"I don't subscribe to the hopeful commentary that gets thrown around a lot. We don't expect to see a meaningful recovery in the second half of the year."

Baker Hughes CEO Martin Craighead

Baker Hughes, the world's third largest energy services company, cut about 3,000 jobs in the second quarter, bringing the total jobs eliminated over the past 18 months to 26,000, including 23,000 through layoffs and and 3,000 via attrition. Baker Hughes previously eliminated 2,000 jobs in the first quarter and 18,000 last year. Baker Hughes employs about 36,000 people globally now, down from more than 62,000 employees before the oil bust began in late 2014. The last local headcount provided by Baker Hughes was about 5,700, but that was before the second-quarter cutbacks.

Baker Hughes, posted a second-quarter loss of more than $900 million despite receiving a $3.5 billion breakup fee check from Halliburton after the companies were unable to complete a merger in the face of opposition for U.S. antitrust officials. The companies merger agreement was allowed to expire at the end of April.

Like other energy services companies, Baker Hughes has been battered by the oil downturn. But unlike his counterparts, Baker Hughes CEO Martin Craighead sounded more pessimistic about the direction of the industry during a call with analysts at the end of July.

"I don't subscribe to the hopeful commentary that gets thrown around a lot," Craighead said at the time. "We don't expect to see a meaningful recovery in the second half of the year."

In the wake of the failed merger, Baker Hughes, is refocusing on technology and equipment sales, with the idea of putting fewer boots on the ground in the oil patch.

Back in May, the company said it planned to reduce its annual costs by $500 million by the end of the year. More recently, executives confirmed the third quarter of the year would see a strong focus on additional costs cutting.

Energy Department warns against further shrinking of US oil stockpile

By James Osborne
Houston Chronicle

The nation's oil stockpiles, maintained in the event of a global shortage, are in need of immediate repair and must not shrink any more than already ordered by Congress , the U.S. Department of Energy said in a report Wednesday.

The findings have been much anticipated, as federal energy officials debated whether the Strategic Petroleum Reserve is in need of drastic overhaul, as its infrastructure ages and the country's recent oil boom makes it less dependent on foreign supplies.

Right now the reserve, which is housed in underground caverns along the Texas and Louisiana Gulf Coasts, holds close to 700 million barrels. But that is expected to come down by 160 million barrels, after oil sales authorized by Congress last year.

"While the reduction in crude oil imports in recent years has reduced U.S. exposure to physical supply shortages, crude oil is a globally traded commodity and disruptions anywhere in the world result in price spikes that harm the American economy," the report from the Department of Energy reads.

The Department of Energy is seeking more more than $375 million to modernize the reserve, a project that includes replacing aged infrastructure and building a new shipping terminal to get oil off the Gulf Coast by tanker in the event of a supply interruption.

At present, officials say, that system is compromised.

"Most of the critical infrastructure for moving crude oil within the SPR has exceeded its serviceable life," the report reads. "The reserve continues to experience increases in the frequency and severity of equipment failures, which will only worsen as physical assets age."

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around the oil patch

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Case Study shows Summit's ESP system provides long run life even where regular shutdowns are necessary

Wells located in urban neighborhoods often require pressure kills and lease kills that are set to shut down for even the slightest leak in order to insure the safety of nearby residents. This is good and necessary in order for the producer to prevent the slightest chance of a dangerous incident.

But the constant starting and stopping is hard on the average ESP's run life. During starts and stops the seal, which is filled with oil to protect the motor, will release oil due to heat expansion. This expansion allows well bore fluid into the seal. If that fluid reaches the motor it can cause a downhole short. Additionally, solids produced in the well will "fall back" during a stop, building up around the top mechanical seal. This buildup can prevent the mechanical seal from closing properly, giving well bore fluids an open path to the motor.

In a recent case study a producer was using a Summit ESP in a west Texas urban neighborhood under the circumstances described above, with outstanding results. The Summit ESP system remained productive for over a year despite experiencing more than 830 safety shutdowns in a 12-month period.

That number is many times more than an average well's count of less than 20 shutdowns in a year—yet the Summit ESP continues to operate efficiently in this environment.

Patented Defender Seals®

There are two main reasons for this exceptional performance. The first, Summit's patented Defender® seals, feature enhanced high-load (EHL) bearing support, its exit ports prevent abrasive material from collecting inside and Defender's side wellbore pressure relief makes it more reliable than most legacy type seals.

They are designed to extend operating life in harsh environments by equalizing downhole pressure and preventing the intrusion of damaging intrusive solids and well bore fluids.

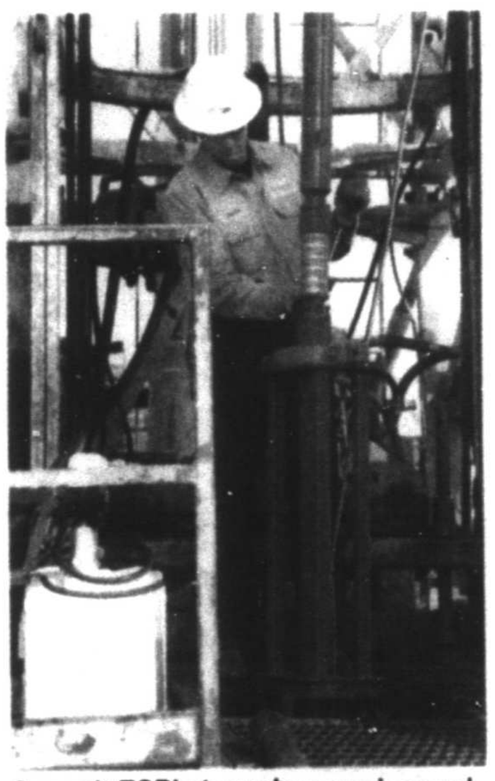
CORSAIR™ Motors

The second reason for improved performance are Summit's exclusive CORSAIR motors, which have precision hand-wound stators; shaped rotor bars; non-recessed rotors; and self-aligning wide profile Big Foot bearings. These features allow the rugged CORSAIR motors to withstand harsh conditions as well as frequent starts and stops, while delivering higher horsepower at cooler temperatures extending motor life.

Another breakthrough from Summit is their patent pending Inverted Shroud, which provides natural gas separation. It doubled oil production in Eddy County well.

An operator with a field in Eddy County, NM had a well with GORs as high as 2940, causing frequent shutdowns with resulting production losses.

Summit ESP's engineering team, with its extensive experience with high GOR wells, recommended the producer handle the gas issue by using Summit's patent-pending Inverted Shroud technology. The Inverted Shroud, compatible with standard ESP equipment, can be deployed quickly to provide natural gas separation. It is often used with Summit's patent pending, industry leading gas handling pumps.



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Doubling oil production

By separating the gas from the liquid flow the Inverted Shroud reduced gas-induced shutdowns and boosted equipment life. Most importantly, the reduced shutdowns boosted production from an average of 52 BOPD before its installation to 106 BPOD afterward. At an average price of $50/BO that's $80,000 per month in increased revenue.

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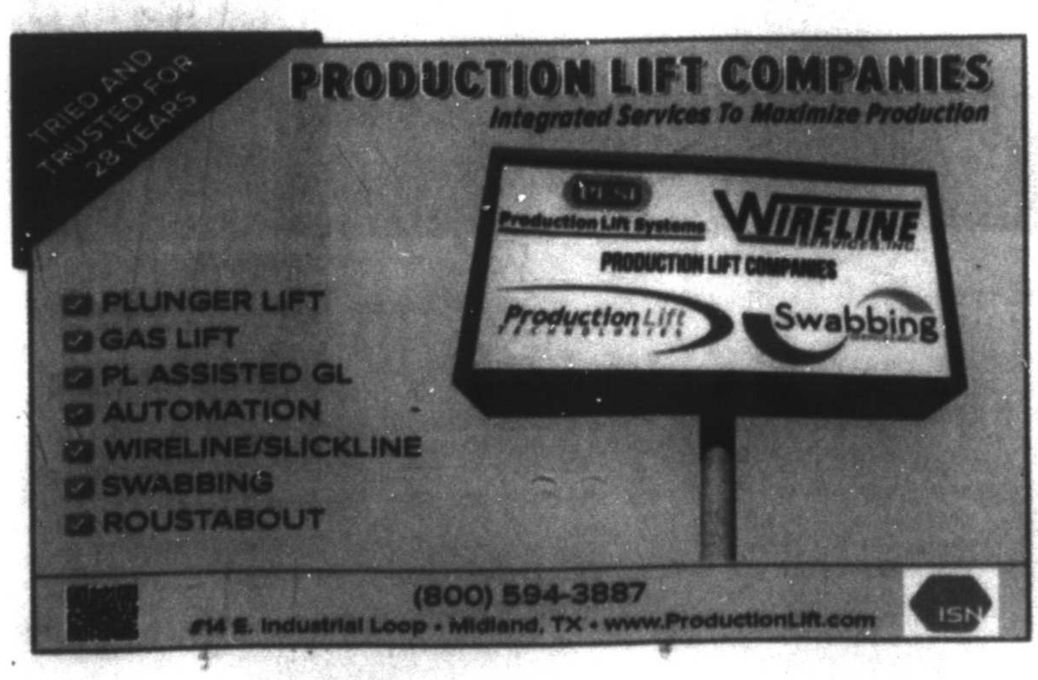

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U.S. House Speaker John Boehner, left, responds to questions April 10, 2012, after he and Rep. Mike Conaway toured the Faskin Oil and Ranch drilling rig, located off of County Road 40 near Farm-to-market Road 1788 in Midland County. Conaway gave Boehner a tour of independent oil operations so that he can see the importance of hydraulic fracturing.

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Reagan County

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Upton County

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Culberson County

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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

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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 8200', 3 SE KNOTT API# 42-227-38774

ENDEAVOR ENERGY RES. LP, JLM (MISSISSIPPIAN) (O) (RECOMP) Well# 1 GUITAR 26, 467 FSL 470 FWL, SEC 26 BLK A, BAUER & COCKRELL SUR., A-575 10350', 8 E KNOTT API# 42-227-36215

Loving County

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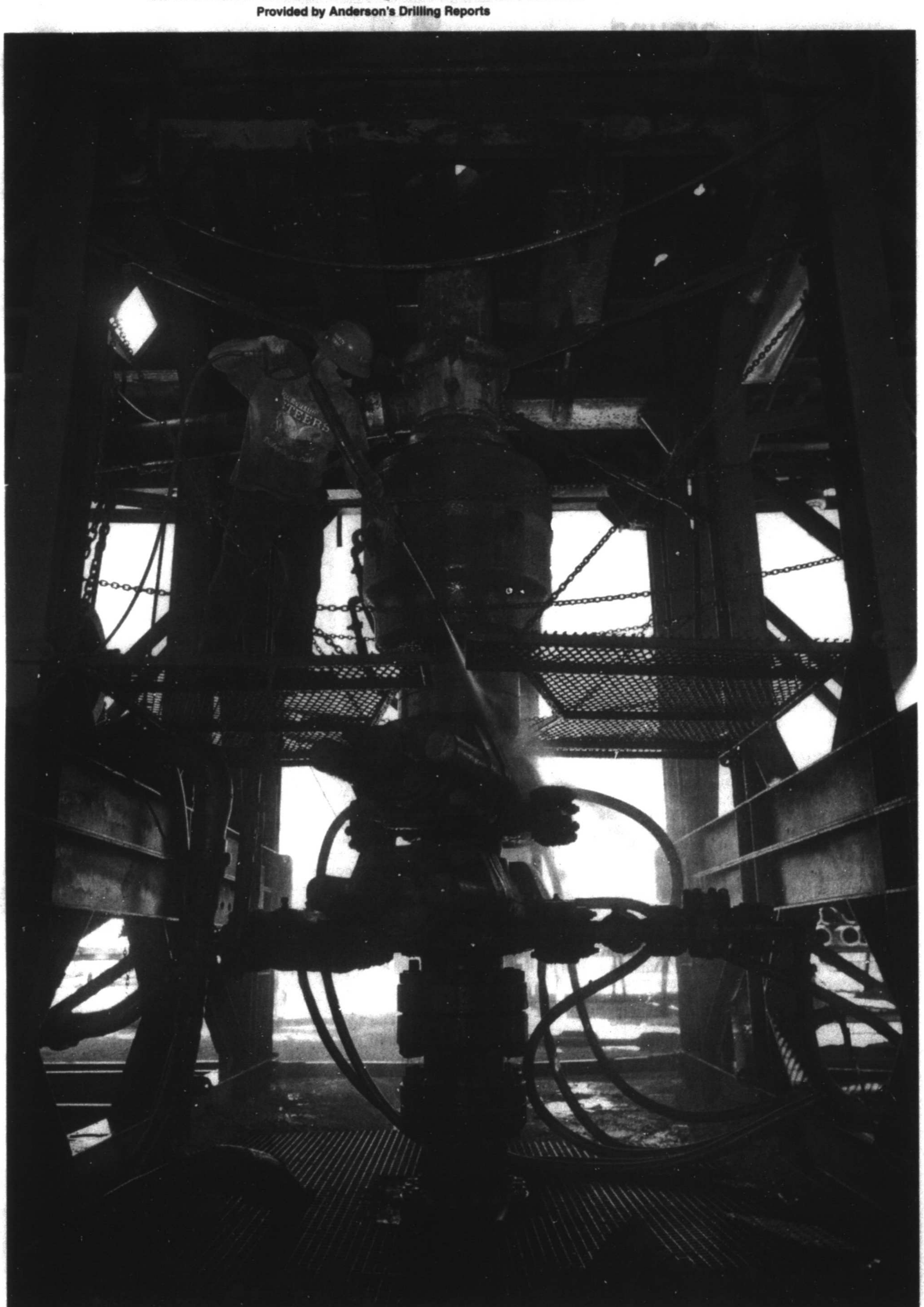

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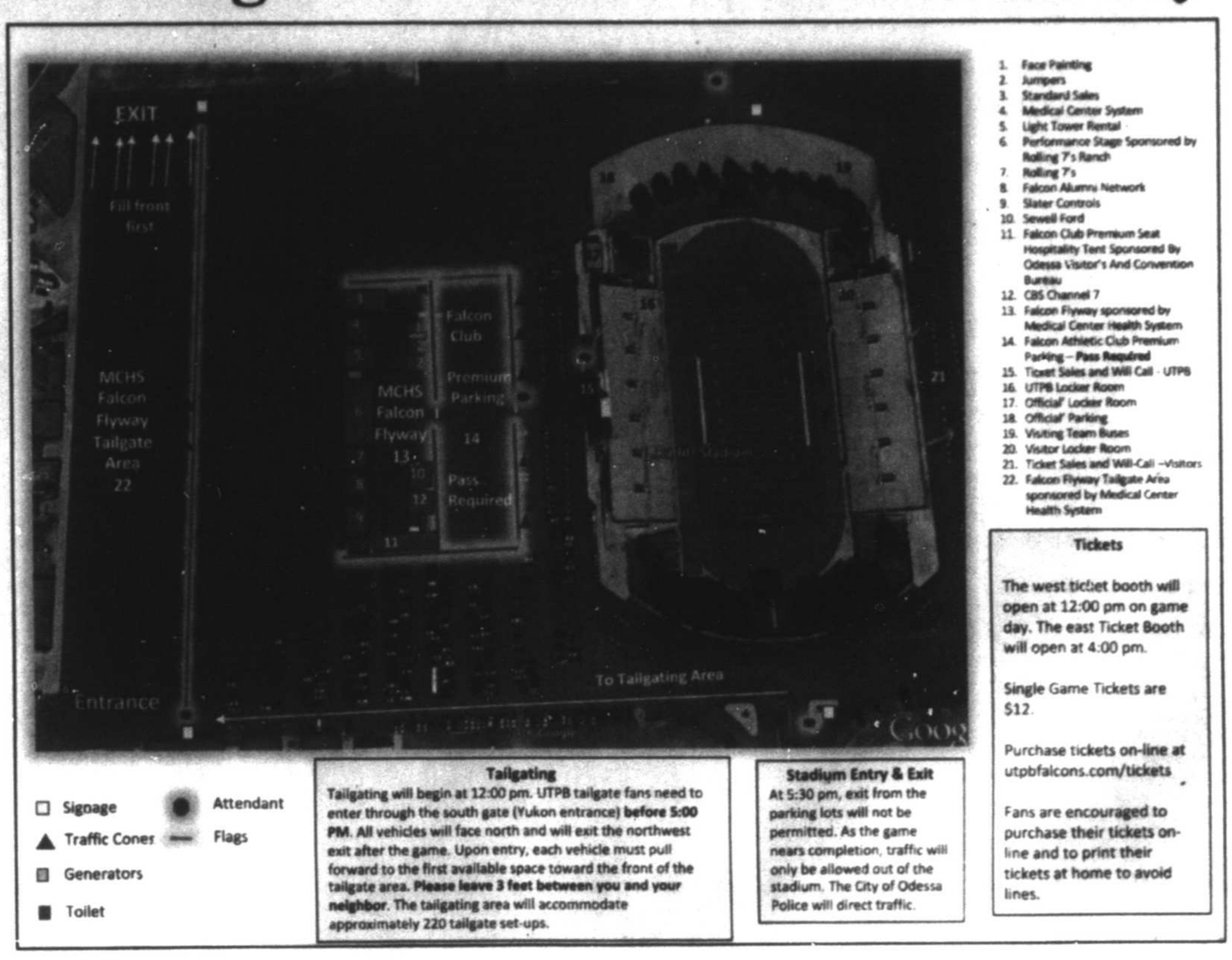

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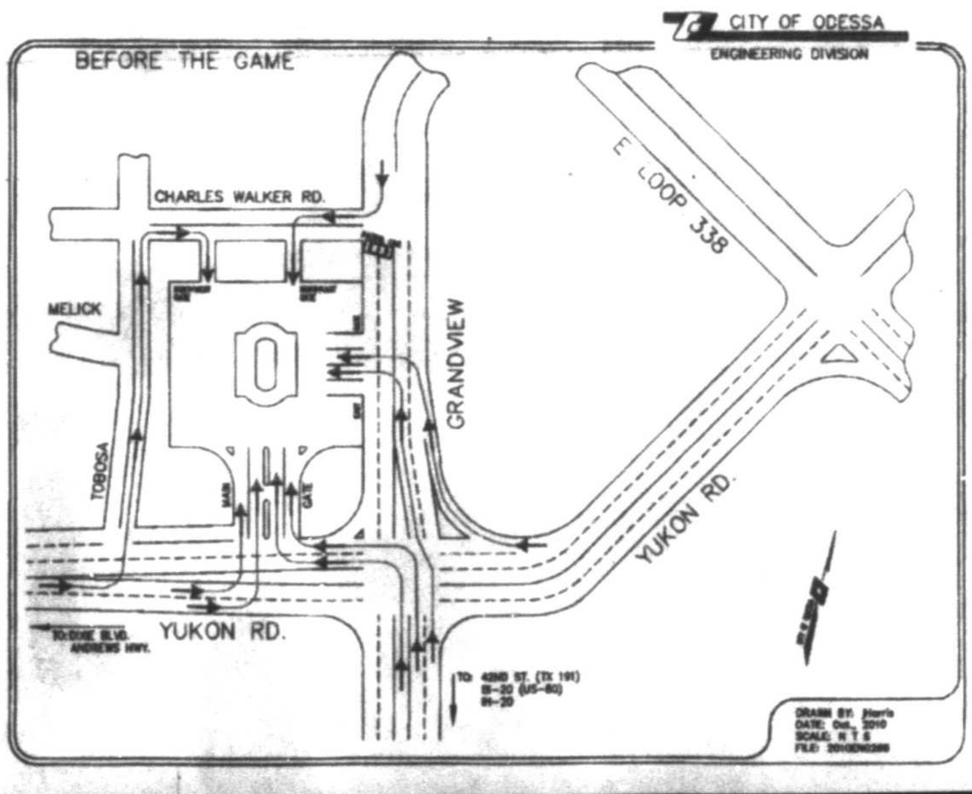

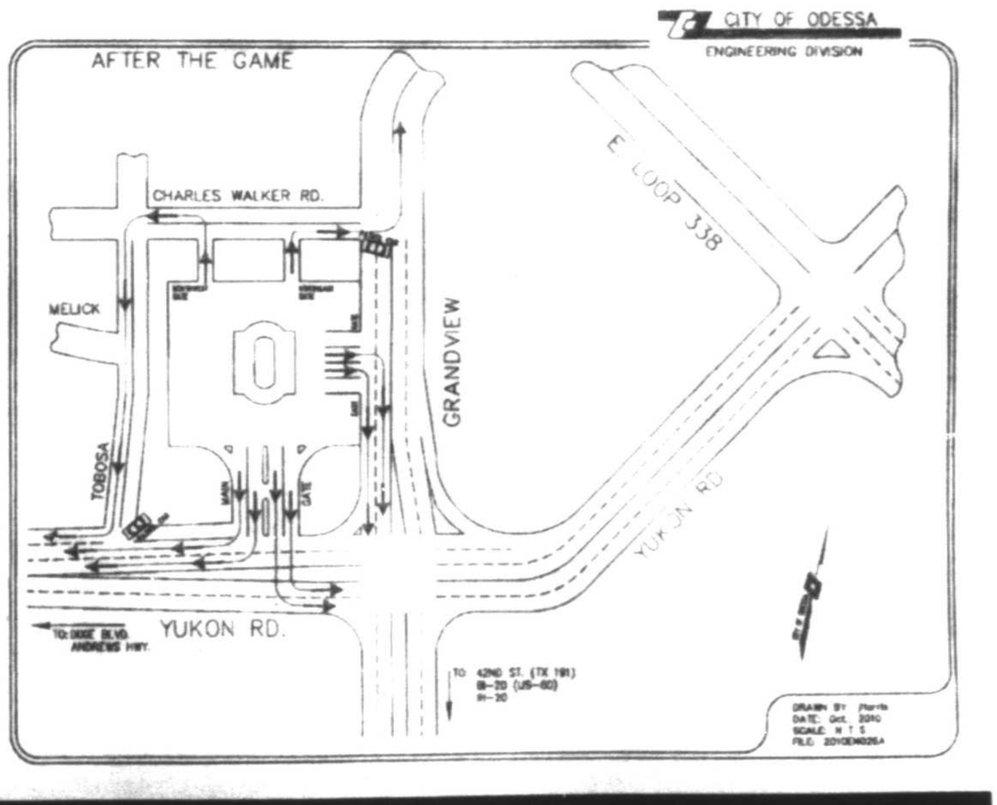

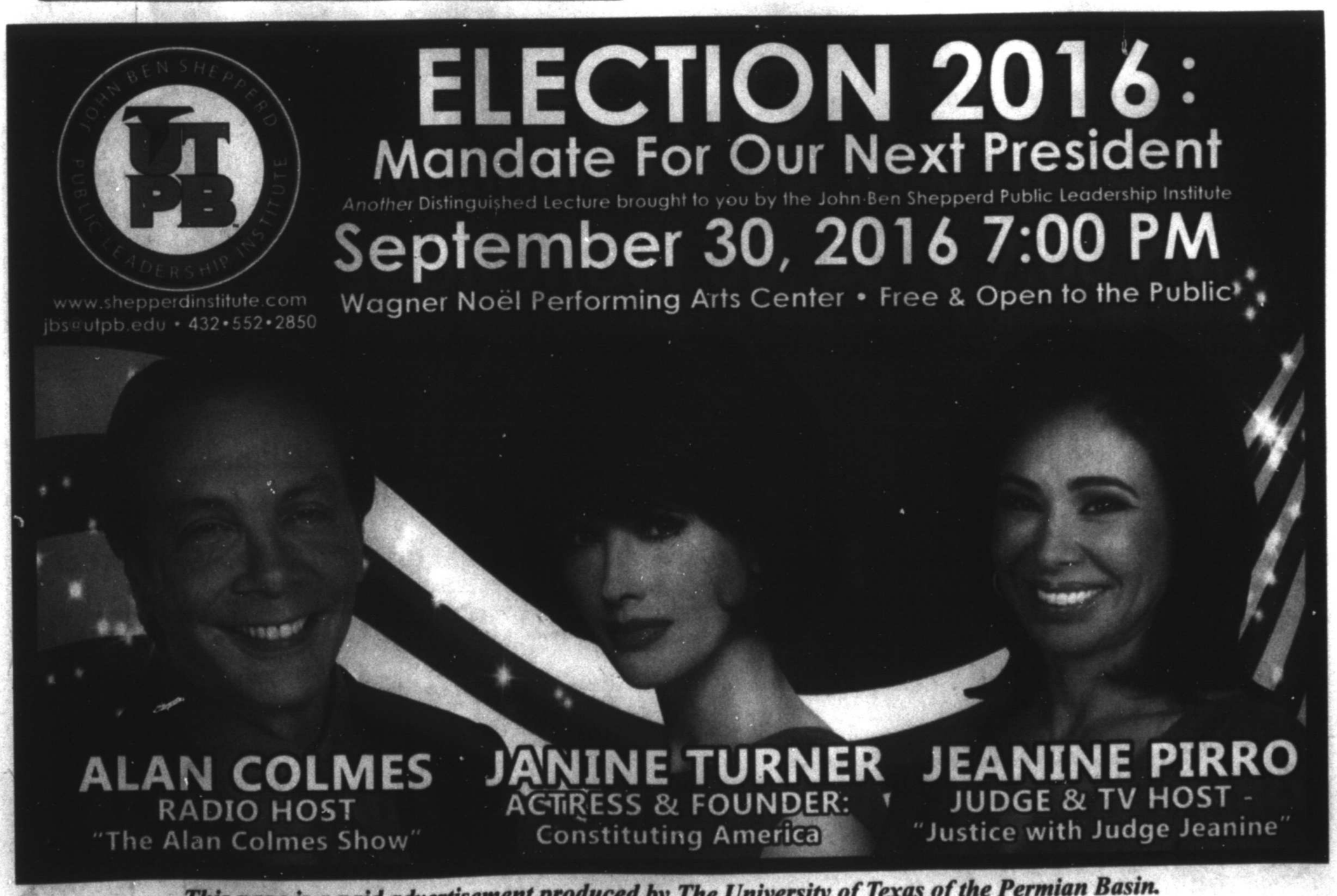

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DEVELOPMENT WELL PERMITS

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Texas RRCD 7C

Reagan 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/J 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 7650', 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

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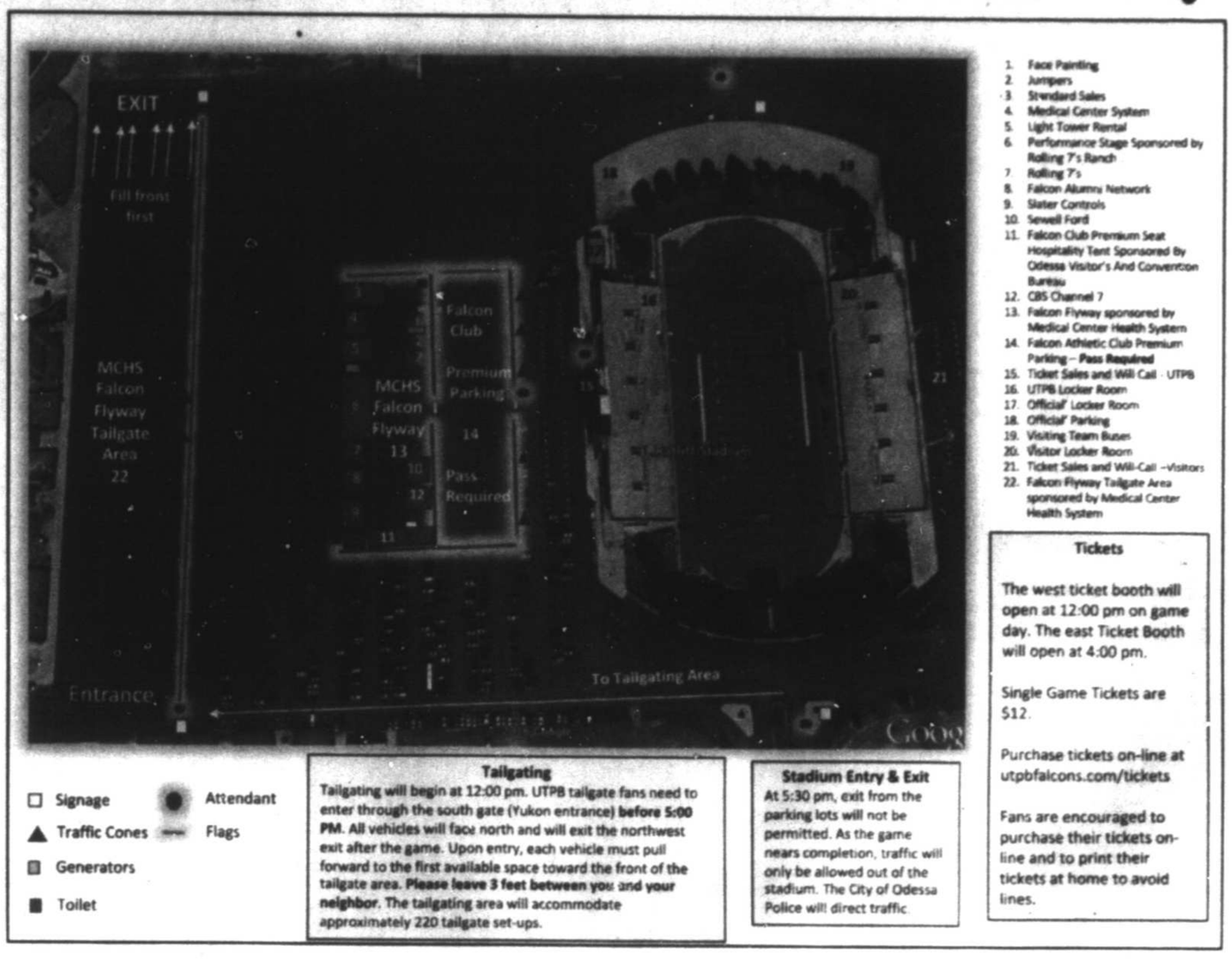

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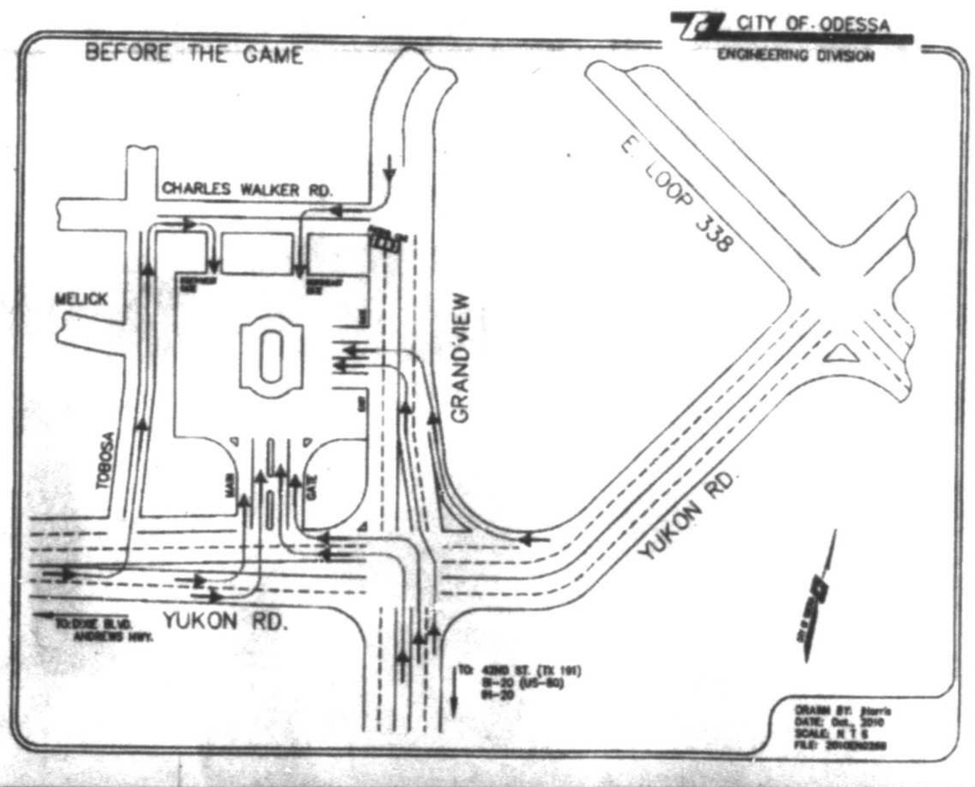

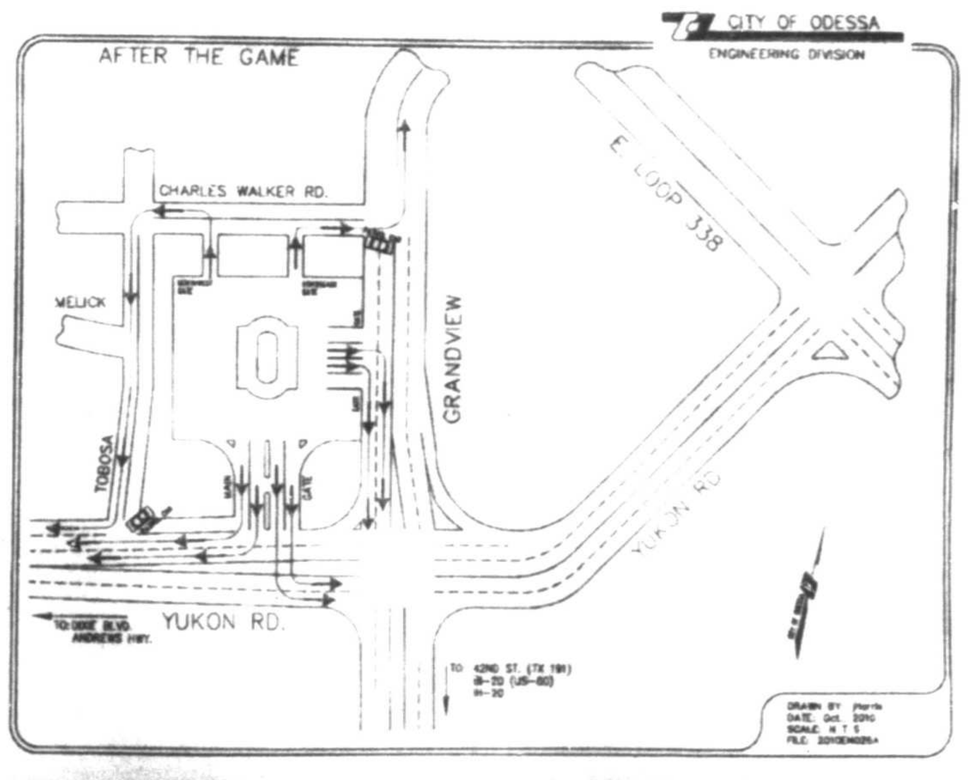

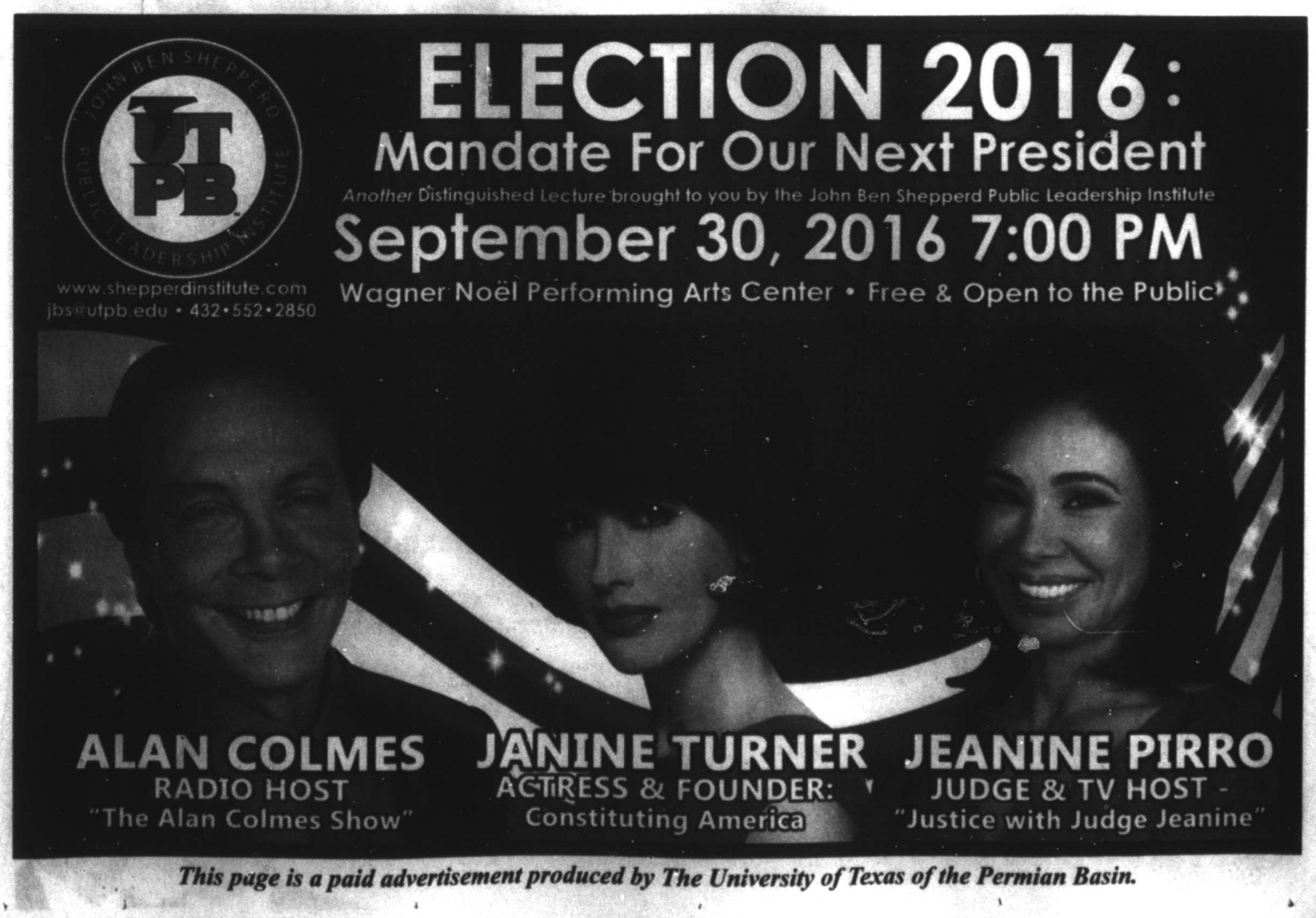

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CROWNQUEST OPERATING, LLC, CEDAR FLATS (MISS) (O) DRILL Well# 6 LAGNAPPE 16, 2640 FWL 2165 FNL, SEC 16 BLK 36 T2N, T&P/ MRS E WARE SUR., A-842 12000', 4 N LENORAH API# 42-317-40390

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

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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

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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

COG Operating LLC
Spruce Goose Fed Com #2
North Lusk; Sec 12 T19S R31E; 985/N & 390/E; 9 1/2 mi NW Halfway; Rot 14550 Bone Spring; API #30-015-43878

Yates Petroleum Corp.
Cohiba BPY State #2
West Willow Lake; Sec 1 T25S R27E; 400/N & 200/W; 6 mi SW Malaga; Rot 12447 Bone Spring; API #30-015-43877

Mewbourne Oil Co.
Devon 13 W2HE Fee Com #1
Hay Hollow; Sec 13 T25S R27E; 2200/N & 185/E; 8 mi SW Malaga; Rot 14775 Wolfcamp; API #30-015-43881

Mewbourne Oil Co.
Devon 12 1 W2PL #1
Hay Hollow; Sec 13 T25S R27E; 200/N & 450/E; 8 mi SW Malaga; Rot 17875 Wolfcamp; API #30-015-43880

Lea County

Mesquite SWD Inc.
Paduca 6 SWD #1-Y
SWD; Sec 6 T26S R32E; 2650/S & 1175/W; 18 mi SW Ochoa; Rot 19250 Devonian; API #30-025-43379

COMPLETIONS

Texas RRCD 7C

Irion County

Discovery Natural Resources LLC
Antelope Draw #3042J
Spraberry (Trend Area); 1965 fsl, 951 fwl, Sec 3042, Blk 24, Abst. 1120, H&TC RR, 18.4 n Barnhart; TD 8795; Comp 8/5/2016; producing from 5000 -8466, fracture stimulated; pump 90 BO, 202 MCF, 160 BW, 37.9 Oil Gravity; API #42-235-36090

Texas RRCD 8

Martin County

XTO Energy Inc.
Merrick Unit "1" #1101BH
Spraberry (Trend Area)-Horizontal; 650 fwl, 1029 fsl, Sec 4, Blk 35, T-2-N, Abst. 1140, T&P RR, 5.1 ne Lenorah; TD 9062 TVD, 20455 MD; Comp 8/17/2016; producing from 10103 -20306, fracture stimulated; flow 1516 BO, 624 MCF, 2902 BW on 46/64 inch choke, 40 Oil Gravity; API #42-317-40338

Midland County

XTO Energy Inc.
Maralo "41-32" Allocation 32O8 #3208BH
Spraberry (Trend Area)-Horizontal; 330 fel, 2400 fsl, Sec 41, Blk 38, T-4-S, Abst. 118, T&P RR, 23.5 se Midland; TD 9498 TVD, 17335 MD; Comp 8/19/2016; producing from 9810 -17193, fracture stimulated; flow 888 BO, 856 MCF, 3744 BW on 54/64 inch choke, 41.5 Oil Gravity; API #42-329-40232

Reeves County

Cimarex Energy Co.
Greenhorn North Unit "1 -35" #3H
Phantom (Wolfcamp)-Horizontal; 300 fswl, 600 fnwl, Sec 35, Blk 1, Abst. 359, H&GN RR, 11 w Mentone; TD 11276 TVD, 21709 MD; Comp 8/18/2016; producing from 11432 -21650, fracture stimulated; gas lift 493 BO, 3529 MCF, 6514 BW on 42/64 inch choke, FTP 2093 psi, 50.8 Oil Gravity; API #42-389-35093

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Jerry Moore, driller aboard Robinson Drilling rig #4, monitors activity from the control room Feb. 17 in Midland County.

New Mexico

Eddy County

Apache Corp.
Lee Federal #43
Cedar Lake; Sec 17 T17S R31E; 241/S & 380/W; EL 36712 GL, TD 6400; Spud 8-13-15, Comp 6-8-16; production is through treated perfs: 4600-5984. Treat: 670,201# sd, 306 bbls acid. IP: 6-14-16 Pump 24 hrs 85 BO, 177 BW, 177 MCF, GOR 2082, Gty 36. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 400 w/760 sx, 8 5/8 @ 3500 w/2200 sx, 5 1/2 @ 6400 w/1000 sx, 2 7/8 @ 6097; API #30-015-43268

COG Operating LLC
Man State #3
Travis; Sec 32 T18S R28E; 330/S & 405/E. BHL: 352/S & 341/W; EL 3555 GR, TD 11118, PBTD 10960; Spud 4-15-16, comp 5-3-16; production is through treated perfs: 7172-10940. Treat: Acdz w/81022 gals 15% Frac w/3920353# sd & 5158243 gals fluid. IP: 7-12-16 Flow 24 hrs 210 BO, 1046 BW, 515 MCF, TP 300, CP 1050. Csg: 9 5/8 @ 1016 w/450 sx, 5 1/2 @ 11118 w/2200 sx, 2 7/8 @ 6515; API #30-015-43315

Mewbourne Oil Co.
Journey 12 B2MP Fee #1
North Malaga; Sec 12 T24S R28E; 470/S & 285/W. BHL: 451/S & 348/E; EL 2975 GL, TD 12710 MD, 8409 TVD, PBTD 12687 MD; Spud 12-12-15, Comp 6-30-16; production is through treated perfs: 8454-12675. Treat: Frac w/8,712,606 gals slickwater carrying 6,228,100# 100 mesh sd & 3,623,1260# 30/50 sd. IP: 7-12-16 Flow 24 hrs 275 BO, 2157 BW, 201 MCF, 34/64" Ch, TP 830, CP 1550, GOR 731, Gty 46. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 420 w/772 sx, 9 5/8 @ 2599 w/850 sx, 7 @ 8650 w/1100 sx, 4 1/2 @ 7651-12703 w/250 sx, 2 7/8 @ 7634; API #30-015-43419

Devon Energy Production Co. LP
Cotton Draw Unit #223
Paduca; Sec 12 T25S R31E; 2405/S & 2395/E. BHL: 255/S & 2031/E; EL 3423.6 GL, TD 17438 MD, 10562 TVD; Spud 12-11-15, Comp 5-18-16; production is through treated perfs: 10630-17240. Treat: 2811.5 gals acid, 8,614,000# proppant. IP: 5-25-16 Flow 24 hrs 722 BO, 1453 BW, 1453 MCF, TP 2238, CP 2248. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 788 w/805 sx, 9 5/8 @ 4337 w/1325 sx, 5 1/2 @ 17438 w/2210 sx, 2 7/8 @ 9650; API #30-015-43275

Devon Energy Production Co. LP
Shire 22 Federal #1
Paduca; Sec 15 T25S R31E; 14/S & 1660/E. BHL: 301/S & 1992/E; EL 3363 GL, TD 14947 MD, 10408 TVD; Spud 10-24-15, Comp 6-27-16; Treat: Frac w/3181.5 gals acid, 5,549,000# prop. IP: 7-4-16 Flow 24 hrs 595 BO, 1334 BW, 1419 MCF, TP 1898, CP 2021. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 972 w/1050 sx, 9 5/8@ 4304 w/1315 sx, 5 1/2 @ 14,947 w/1920 sx, 2 7/8 @ 9735; API #30-015-43221

Lea County

EOG Resources Inc.
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East Featherstone; Sec 13 T20S R35E; 250/N & 2303/E, BHL: 199/S & 1318/E; EL 3647 GL, TD 14850 MD, 10015 TVD, PBTD 14710; Spud 11-25-15, Comp 6-21-16; production is through perfs: 10226-14710. IP: 6-21-16 Flow 24 hrs 525 BO, 599 BW, 209 MCF, Open ch, TP 88, CP 1029. Csg: 10 1/2 @ 2061 w/1317 sx, 7 5/8 @ 5674 w/893 sx, 5 1/2 & 5 @ 14850 w/680 sx; API #30-025-42731

COG Operating LLC
Smalls Federal #1
Wildcat; Sec 28 T22S R34E; 190/S & 560/E. BHL: 341/N & 654/E; EL 3404 GL, TD 14831 MD, 10330 TVD, PBTD 14760 MD, 10332 TVD; Spud 1-27-16, Comp 6-21-16; production is through treated perfs: 10513-14658, 14710-14720. Treat: Acdz w/106,950 gals 15% acid, Frac w/8,243,514# Sd & 11,918,580 gals fluid. IP: 7-10-16 Flow 24 hrs 769 BO, 1703 BW, 931 MCF, 30/64" Ch, TP 1550, CP 850. Csg: 16 @ 2012 w/1925 sx, 11 3/4 @ 3750 w/1700 sx, 8 5/8 @ 5306 w/625 sx, 5 1/2 @ 14815 w/2150 sx, 2 7/8 @ 9630; API #30-025-43001

Devon Energy Production Co. LP
Arena Roja Federal Unit #15
SW Jabalina; Sec 27 T26S R35E; 200/N & 10/W; EL 3113 GL, TD 19,660; Spud 7-22-15, Comp 6-29-16; production is through treated perfs: 13,079-19,552. Treat: Frac w/19,845 gals acid, 8,253,000# prop. IP: 7-4-16 Flow 24 hrs 346 BO, 1109 BW, 539 MCF, TP 3500, CP 2600. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 1097.7 w/1145 sx, 9 5/8 @ 4269.3 w/1745 sx, 7 @ 12,770 w/1205 sx, 4 1/2 @ 19,650 w/705 sx, 2 7/8 @ 11,754; API #30-025-42671

Devon Energy Production Co. LP
Arena Roja Federal Unit #16
SW Jabalina; Sec 27 T26S R35E; 200/N & 600/W. BHL: 475/S & 560/W; EL 3112 DF, TD 15,883; Spud 9-8-15, Comp 6-28-16; production is through treated perfs: 9280-15,719. Treat: Frac w/8442 gal 15% acid, 121,000# proppant IP: 7-11-16 Flow 24 hrs 683 BO, 1699 BW, 933 MCF, TP 535, CP 140. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 1074.3 w/1135 sx, 9 5/8 @ 5255.8 w/1745 sx, 5 1/2 @ 15,864 w/2525 sx, 2 7/8 & 3 1/2 @ 8622.8; API #30-025-42872