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A LOOK BACK

Sheriff Painter visits the old county courthouse.

Sunday



GAME ON

Northern and Tower Little League teams hit baseball diamonds around town this week. Don't miss today's special Little League page, which features photos from the opening week.

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Study: Midland among happiest small cities

From staff reports

Midlanders are considered to be some of the happiest people living in an American small city, according to a study published this week.

The Tall City is the seventh happiest of cities with a population of 250,000 or less, according to a study by CreditDonkey, a website designed to help simplify personal finance issues.

Freedom to get another job, commute time, wages, nice office equipment and good bosses were the main criteria to help determine which small city has the happiest people, the study reported.

Midlanders' commute time and number of complaints to the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission kept the city from ranking higher on the list, the study found.

Midland had 0.36 EEOC claims from per capita, while Rochester, Minn. —

the small city ranked No. 1 — had 0.19 claims per capita, the study reports.

But the high wages and quality of office equipment were strong enough to put Midland on the top 10 list, the study said.

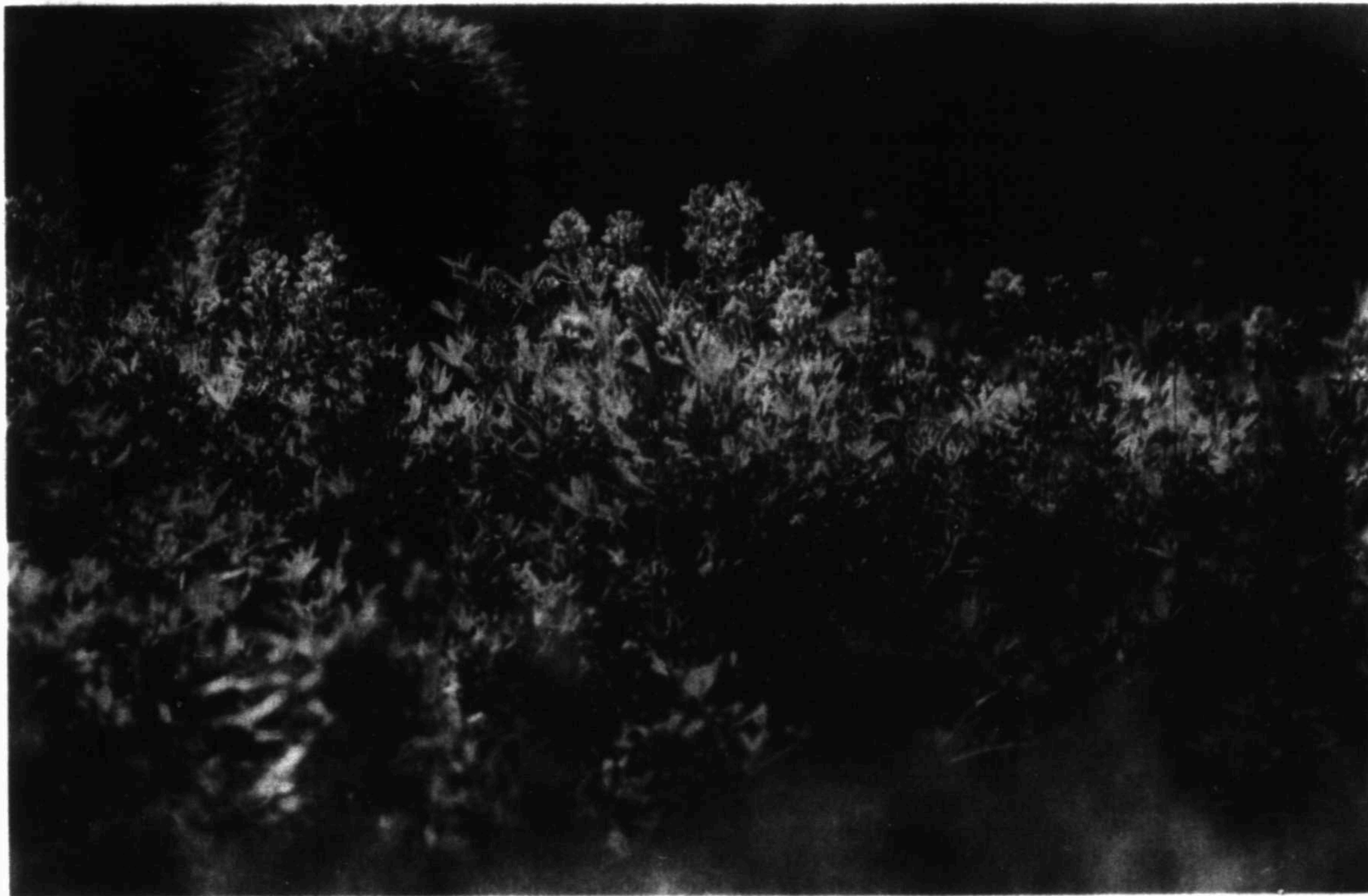
Rochester took the crown because of the city's high wages, low unemployment rate, good bosses and a short commute. CreditDonkey announced.

Even though Midland did not claim the top spot, it had a good week in the

spotlight. MyLife, a Los Angeles-based Internet company, reported that Midland is the best mid-sized city to find a job in America.

Additionally, a global think tank reported earlier this year that Midland has the fastest-growing economy in U.S. The city was also named the second best place in Texas by another company and No. 9 best city in the state to get the biggest bang for your buck.

BOTANICAL PRANK?



Associated Press

Bluebonnets bloom Thursday near the University of Texas Tower in Austin. The flower beds are now also home to a variant known as Alamo Fire, which is a shade of maroon, and had some wondering if it is a Texas A&M prank.

Some of UT's bluebonnets blossom A&M maroon

By Heather Alexander
Houston Chronicle

AUSTIN — Austin flower lovers are singing the bluebonnet blues — and it's all because a patch of the beloved state wildflower planted in the shadow of the venerable University of Texas Tower is popping up maroon.

At least some in the land of the Texas Longhorns suspect the horticultural surprise is the dastardly work of UT's archrivals, the Aggies.

"There were just a few at first, but now there's much more," Markus Hogue, UT's irrigation and water conservation coordinator, said of the off-putting blossoms. "Some find it cute. Others say if they get too much, they want them removed."

Hogue said the maroon bluebonnets likely were created at Texas A&M, and

indeed they were. Seeds for maroon bluebonnets — along with pink and white ones — have been on the market for more than a decade.

"We plant a few acres a year," said Tom Kramer, a botanist with Wildseed Farms, a Fredericksburg seed purveyor. "They're just a novelty, something different, a freak of nature. Texans never would want to give up their blue bluebonnets."

The maroon variety, developed in the 1980s by Texas AgriLife Extension Service horticulturist Jerry Parsons, officially is known as Alamo Fire.

"They took the red ones and isolated them and continued to select them until there was only maroon left," explained Skip Richter, a horticulturist with AgriLife's Harris County office. "God chose to put a maroon gene in (in the bluebonnet family), but there ain't no orange one."

The advent of maroon bluebonnets

marks the second time that A&M plant experts have irked UT loyalists. In the late 1990s, College Station scientists commercially developed a maroon carrot — a vegetable with 40 percent more healthful beta carotene than its burnt orange precursor.

For generations, indigo-hued bluebonnets — designated the state flower in 1901 and planted along state highways since the 1930s — have been celebrated in poetry, stories and countless family snapshots.

Succeeding growths of nontraditional bluebonnets will cross-pollinate and gradually revert to blue, plant experts said.

But Hogue isn't ready to wait that long.

He and his staff at UT are prepared to lop off the maroon menace's seed pods as soon as they appear. Better safe, after all, than sorry.

China's embrace of tequila affects Texas markets

The Texas Tribune

SHANGHAI — A whiff of tequila may conjure images of blue-green agave fields in the Mexican countryside, a raucous Texas dance hall or even a college frat house after a homecoming game.

But there's a new tequila haven emerging across the globe, and it's the most populous city in the world — Shanghai.

China is already the largest and fastest growing market for alcohol of all kinds, but pure tequila was banned until June, when Chinese President Xi Jinping signed a deal with Mexican President Enrique Peña Nieto that reconciled a decade-long tension between the two countries. They signed several deals on trade, energy, mining, intellectual property and, of course, tequila, the latter of which opened up a promising new market.

But the negotiations also have implications for Texas and for the American market. Mexico is the United States' third-largest trading partner, with \$500 billion worth of imports and exports combined in 2011, according to the Office of the U.S. Trade Representative. This makes Texas, the nation's No. 1 exporting state since 2002, a pivotal player in international business — beyond just tequila.

Since the China-Mexico negotiations, tequila has become popular in westernized cities such as Shanghai, Beijing and Hong Kong. If current trends continue, manufacturers predict China will soon become the second-largest market for tequila. Without the recent deal inked in Mexico City, though, the expected growth would be just another entrepreneurial pipe dream.

And it's not just the Mexican companies that are benefiting from the brand new market. Dulce Vida Spirits, an Austin company founded in 2008, has recently launched its own marketing campaign in China and has import distributors in cities like Beijing, Hong Kong and Shanghai.

"It's truly a greenfield opportunity over there," said Richard Sorenson, the

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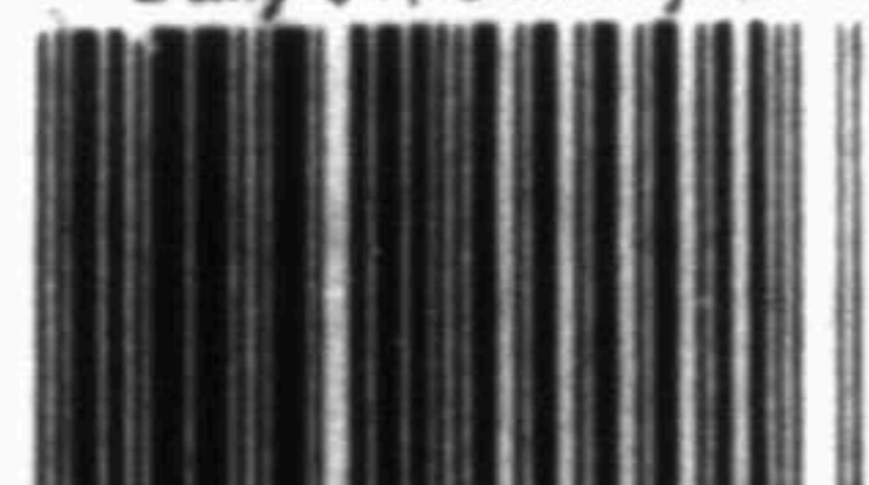
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Ana Trujillo sits with her lawyer, Jack Carroll, during closing arguments in the punishment phase of her trial on Friday in Houston. Trujillo was convicted on Tuesday of murder for fatally stabbing her boyfriend, 59-year-old Alf Stefan Andersson, with the stiletto heel of her shoe during an argument last June at his Houston condominium.

Stiletto heel stabber gets life in prison

Associated Press

HOUSTON — A Houston woman was sentenced to life in prison Friday for fatally stabbing her boyfriend with the 5 1/2-inch stiletto heel of her shoe, striking him at least 25 times in the face and head.

Ana Trujillo was convicted of murder Tuesday by the same jury for killing 59-year-old Alf Stefan Andersson during an argument last June at his Houston condominium. Defense attorneys argued that Trujillo, 45, was defending herself from an attack by Andersson, who was a University of Houston professor and researcher.

Trujillo could be seen silently crying Friday when her sentence was handed down.

"I never meant to hurt him," Trujillo said before the judge made the jury's decision final. "It was never my intent. I loved him. I wanted to get away. I never wanted to kill him." Andersson's niece, Ylva Olofsson, said the family was happy with the verdict.

"My uncle was a great man. He was kind. He didn't deserve what happened to him. We are happy that

justice is served," she said.

Prosecutors said that jurors — who declined to speak with reporters afterward — told them that it was the physical evidence that proved to them this was not self-defense.

"She hit him 25 times in the head. That is a hard thing to overcome," said prosecutor John Jordan.

Trujillo's attorney, Jack Carroll, said he thought the life sentence was too harsh. Carroll said he thought the jurors were "worried about her future dangerousness ... I don't think she's dangerous."

During closing arguments in the trial's punishment phase, Jordan asked jurors for the maximum sentence: life in prison. Jordan said Trujillo not only violently killed Andersson but tried to ruin his character by falsely claiming he had abused her.

"Send the message that in our community, when you beat a man to death for no reason, when you come into a courtroom and you slaughter his good name ... that we in Texas are going to hold you accountable," Jordan said.

Carroll had asked jurors to find

that his client acted in the heat of sudden passion, which would have limited her sentence to between two and 20 years. Carroll asked jurors to give her a two-year sentence.

"Ms. Trujillo needs mercy right now," he said. During Carroll's closing argument, Trujillo began crying.

Prosecutors argued Friday that Trujillo didn't kill Andersson in a moment of sudden passion but that his slaying was a vicious murder in which she pinned him down and repeatedly stabbed him with her shoe while he never fought back.

During their deliberations Friday, jurors asked to look at several pieces of evidence, including the blue suede stiletto heel — a size 9 platform pump. They reached agreement on a sentence after 4 1/2 hours of deliberations, and also found that the crime was not done in the heat of sudden passion.

Trujillo took the witness stand on Thursday, telling jurors that she was forced to kill Andersson to save her own life during a more than hour-long fight after being chased down, knocked into a wall and thrown over a couch.

FELONY ARRESTS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Ruben F. Bujanda, 40, of Midland, was charged Thursday with driving while intoxicated three or more times.

Joselin Gaytan, 20, of Odessa, was charged Thursday with violation of probation.

Jeremy T. Govan, 29, of Midland, was charged Thursday with possession of a controlled substance in a drug-free zone.

Lydia S. Haney, 27, of Midland, was charged Thursday with intentionally injuring a child.

Kristopher R. Jackson Sr., 18, of Midland, was charged Thursday with possession of a controlled substance.

Ausencio P. Rodriguez, 60, of Odessa, was charged Thursday with manslaughter and criminal negligent homicide.

Gasper G. Sanchez Jr., 22, of Midland, was charged Thursday with possession of controlled substance.

Bryan M. Sullivan, 21, of Midland, was charged Thursday with aggravated assault with a deadly weapon.

Ervin L. Terry, 23, of Odessa, was charged Thursday with possession of controlled substance and failure to appear at a bail jumping hearing.

Kasey L. Thatcher, 18, of Midland, was charged Thursday with abandoning or endangering a child by criminal negligence.

Source: Midland County Sheriff's Office

'Affluenza' teen's family won't pay full rehab fee

Associated Press

FORT WORTH — The family of a Texas teenager sentenced to probation after killing four people in a drunken-driving wreck will pay for just a fraction of his court-ordered treatment, a court official testified Friday.

Ethan Couch's parents will be charged \$1,170 a month for his treatment at the North Texas State Hospital in rural Vernon. That amount would cover less than two days of treatment, which costs \$715 a day, the Fort Worth Star-Telegram reported.

Couch's case drew national attention due in large part to his defense's argument that his wealthy parents had coddled him into a sense of irresponsibility — a condition that a defense expert called "affluenza."

Couch, 17, killed four people last year when his vehicle rammed into a crowd of people trying to help the driver of a disabled vehicle south

of Fort Worth. Investigators said he was driving his family company's pickup while drunk and with traces of Valium in his system.

Couch admitted to causing the wreck and received 10 years' probation from State District Judge Jean Boyd rather than prison time, as prosecutors and Couch's victims wanted. Several of his victims have since sued the Couch family, with most of them reaching confidential settlements.

Debbie Spoons, placement supervisor for Tarrant County Juvenile Services, said the facility decided what Fred and Tonya Couch would pay based on a sliding scale.

A message from The Associated Press seeking comment from Spoons on the facility's payment policy was not immediately returned Friday.

The teen's family previously had offered to pay for Couch to go to a \$450,000-a-year rehabilitation center near Newport Beach, Calif. Boyd rejected that request.

CRIMEBRIEFS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

MPD: Man stabbed friend who stole weed pipe

A Midland man is suspected of stabbing another man Thursday morning while wrestling at an apartment complex near Midland Drive and Wadley Avenue.

Bryan Matthew Sullivan, 21, repeatedly called his friend, who lives in the complex, and went to the apartment even though his friend asked him not to, according to an arrest affidavit.

Sullivan tried to force his way into the apartment. When the man didn't let him inside, the two got in a fight on the patio and Sullivan subsequently pulled a kitchen knife out of his pocket, the affidavit said. The man then grabbed

Sullivan's arms and wrestled him to the ground in front of the apartment. He later told police officers that he was holding Sullivan's arms back to keep from being killed, the document said.

The man was able to throw the knife into nearby bushes. Meanwhile, a neighbor saw the two men wrestling and called police, the affidavit said.

Sullivan fled when he heard sirens but police found him at a nearby apartment complex, the document said.

He had several cuts on his hands and told police that he was trying to get his marijuana pipe from the man because he stole it, the report said.

Sullivan claimed that the other man had the knife and that they stabbed one another, the report said. Police charged Sullivan with aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, a second-degree felony. As of Friday evening, he was still being held in jail and bond had not yet been set.

If convicted, Sullivan could face up to 20 years in prison.

MPD: Man strikes woman with car

A man was arrested early Friday morning after he allegedly drove into a 51-year-old woman and another vehicle.

Juan Carlos Moreno, Jr., 20, was reportedly circling a house near Cuthbert Avenue and Jackson Street for about 30 minutes at about 3:30 a.m. until another car pulled up and the people inside told him to leave, an arrest affidavit said.

Witnesses told police officers that Moreno then drove his car straight at the other car, hitting it and pinning the woman between the two vehicles, the report said.

The woman's left knee was out of socket and she had tire marks on both legs, the affidavit said. The woman's injuries



Moreno

were considered minor and she is not in a life-threatening condition, according to Sara Higgins,

the city's public information officer. Moreno later told police that he knew he had hit something but was not sure if it was a vehicle or person, the affidavit said.

He was charged with aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, a second-degree felony, and failing to remain on the scene of a wreck involving serious bodily injury, a third-degree felony.

As of Friday evening, Moreno was still being held in jail and bond had not yet been set.

If convicted, he could face up to 20 years in prison for the second-degree felony plus 10 years for the third-degree felony charge.

Obituaries



Trenton Michael Thomas

Trenton M. Thomas went to be with the Lord April 8, 2014. Trenton was born in Odessa on July 6, 1988 to Jeff Thomas and the late Stacy Thomas.

Trenton is survived by his father, Jeff Thomas and wife Janet; two brothers, Shawn and Kyle Thomas; and his step-sister, Misti Tatsch, all of Midland.

He is also survived by his grandmothers, Dortha LaGow of Alvarado, Texas and Nancy Duvaniv of Midland; and several aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins.

Family will be receiving friends on Sunday April 13, 2014 from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at Lewallen-Garcia-Pipkin Funeral Home. Funeral service will be held on Monday April 14, 2014 at 2:00 p.m. at Lewallen-Garcia-Pipkin Funeral Home Chapel. Pastor Danny Bisbee will be officiating. Interment will follow at Serenity Memorial Gardens.

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

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

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Death Notices

Lena Pauline Parish

Lena Pauline Parish, 72, of Oak Point, Texas, passed from this life on Tuesday, April 8, 2014.

Survivors are her mother, Alene Lippe; daughter, Renay Goodman; six grandchildren; and by other family members.

Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m. Saturday, April 12, 2014 at Acres West Funeral Chapel.

Former Hawks All-Star Lou Hudson dies

Associated Press

ATLANTA — Dominique Wilkins hopes young fans take the time to learn about Lou Hudson.

Wilkins says they'll discover "Sweet Lou" was one of the best shooting guards in NBA history.

Hudson, a smooth-shooting star for the Hawks who averaged more than 20 points during 13 NBA seasons, died Friday. He was 69.

He died in Atlanta, where he was hospitalized and listed in grave condition last month after a stroke, the Hawks said.

Hudson was a six-time All-Star while with the Hawks in St. Louis and Atlanta, often playing away from the national spotlight.

"Young people today don't know how good Lou Hudson really was," Wilkins, a Hall of Famer, told The Associated Press. "He was a hell of a player. The guy could score with the best in history. He was a phenomenal basketball player."

"He should be a Hall of Famer and it's amazing to me he's not. He was one of the best (shooting) guards and that's a fact. You go back and look at his career and look at the numbers and see what he did and you understand."

Hudson was the first face of the Hawks franchise in Atlanta. He then passed the torch to Wilkins.

TODAY IN MIDLAND

Things to do

Friday's results
Burgers, Fries and Cherry Pie
def. Strawberry Fields Cafe
Michael's def. La Mission
Texas Roadhouse def. Cafe at the Gardens (Aldredge)
Venezia def. Jumburrito

Note: This marks the end of the first round of Menu Madness. Check Monday's Reporter-Telegram for second-round matchups.

Things to do

- Midland Northside Lions Club 21st annual Bunny Breakfast, 7-10 a.m., Midland Park Mall.
Midland Downtown Farmers Market, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., 501 W. Texas Ave.
Arthur's World Tour exhibit meet and greet to welcome Arthur to Midland, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Midland County Public Library Centennial branch.
Children's Storytime, 10:30 a.m., Barnes & Noble Booksellers.
Selena Tribute, 2-5 p.m., Music City Mall in Odessa.
Mustangs Across America 50th Anniversary Tour, 6-8 p.m., Permian Basin Petroleum Museum.
Old Sorehead Trade Days in Stanton.
MOSC Celebrating Youth, 7 p.m., Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center.
Soft White Sixties and Leopold and His Fiction at Basin Burger House.
Big Boys' Toys featuring Big and Rich and Cowboy Troy.
Restless Heart at CAF Hangar.
Drillers game and Military Appreciation Night.
Pippi Longstocking at Midland Community Theatre.
Romeo & Juliet at The Globe Theatre in Odessa.

Club meetings today

- Comanche Trails Wood Turners, 10 a.m., 682-1700.
High Sky Squares, M-Squarena Square Dance Hall, 2800 W. CR 130, 7:30-9:30 pm.
Slyker's Professional Toastmasters Club, 10 a.m., Texas Tech University Health Science Building.
Special Olympics Spring Games are set for today at Ratliff Stadium in Odessa.

Community calendar

- Midland Northside Lions Club's annual Bunny Breakfast is 7 a.m.-10 a.m. today at the Midland Park Mall food court.
Special Olympics Spring Games are set for today at Ratliff Stadium in Odessa.
Old Sorehead Trade Days is today and Sunday at Stanton's community center and downtown.

Lottery

- Pick 3 morning: 6-3-4
Pick 3 day: 5-6-8
Pick 3 evening: 8-4-7
Pick 3 night: 2-4-1
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Daily 4 day: 2-9-1-8
Daily 4 evening: 9-2-8-4
Daily 4 night: 9-8-4-1
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Mega Millions: 35-36-41-60-71, MB: 3, Megaplier 3
All or Nothing morning: 1-4-5-8-12-14-16-17-18-21-22-24
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All or Nothing night: 1-3-4-6-10-11-12-14-15-18-20-23

Today in history

Today is Saturday, April 12, the 102nd day of 2014. There are 263 days left in the year.
On this date:
In 1955, the Salk vaccine against polio was declared safe and effective.
In 1961, Soviet cosmonaut Yuri Gagarin became the first man to fly in space, orbiting the earth once before making a safe landing.
In 1963, civil rights leader Martin Luther King, Jr. was arrested and jailed in Birmingham, Ala., charged with contempt of court and parading without a permit.



San Francisco Chronicle

Bottles of tequila sit on the shelf in 2013 at a restaurant in Redwood City, Calif. The taste for tequila is growing in China after a trade deal between China and Mexico was inked.

TEQUILA

From 1A
six-year-old company's co-founder and CEO.

With only 10 employees, Dulce Vida is the first small player — and definitely the only one from Texas — to sell Tequila in China, Sorenson said. But other small companies from Mexico and the U.S. alike are sure to follow suit.

Total alcohol consumption in China is projected to reach about 84.4 billion liters by 2016, reflecting an average annual growth rate of nearly 6 percent. Historically, the national spirit of choice has been a strong grain-based alcohol called baijiu. But in recent years, other beverages have caught up. In 2012, red wine and beer were the most popular alcoholic beverages — but spirits, namely tequila, are fast on their heels.

For years, the Chinese government prohibited tequila's entry on sanitary grounds, claiming that it was a risk for the public because of its high levels of methanol. All imports were limited to its cousin, mixed tequila, a fangless version of the drink made from sugar cane. But today, any tequila is fair game.

The Regulatory Tequila Council in Mexico estimates that in four years, China will become one of the world's leading tequila consumers — ahead of Mexico and just below the U.S. Projections suggest that by 2018, tequila exports from Mexico will rise from just below \$5 million in 2013 to \$100 million, and Chinese consumers will drink about 10 million liters of tequila, the equivalent of five Olympic swimming pools.

With the approval of the Mexican government, tequila producers and their worldly distributors now tackle the daunting task of building a network of new customers in the Chinese restaurant and bar industry.

Four nights a week, Robert Hamilton and his fellow 20-something alcohol distributors hit the Shanghai party scene with strategic precision. They know what hot spots to hit, the hidden places with the best drinks and the VIP clubs popular with the in-crowds — all in the name of spreading the gospel of tequila.

Dxcel International is a distributor and intermediary for imported booze in China. It represents virtually every type of alcoholic beverage manufactured by big brands from around the world, including Stella Artois, Hoegaarden, Jim Beam, 1921 Tequila and Jose Cuervo.

"I guess you could call us the 'Cuervo Guys,'" said Hamilton, 25, a company executive.

The Cuervo Guys — a group of slick young American, British and Chinese executives fresh out of college — have been

entrusted by Dxcel and Casa Cuervo, Mexico's biggest tequila producer, with getting a slice of the fresh, barely tapped market in the Far East.

"We go out, make connections, talk to the managers and let them know about tequila because it's a new drink to the market. What we're doing is educating them about a product they're really not familiar with," Hamilton said.

Dulce Vida's marketing strategy in China is less glitzy, functioning on daytime hours. But it's just as tactical. The company's distributor, Austin native Jacob Papermaster, said he has laid the groundwork for Dulce Vida's official Chinese launch in July, the month of Shanghai Tequila Week.

So far, Dulce Vida has been testing the waters with small shipments of its product. Since June, Papermaster has been fostering relationships with bar owners and mixology experts to develop tequila drinks suitable for Chinese tastes.

"We've been well received, to say the very least," Sorenson said.

The first large shipment for Dulce Vida's debut

will arrive by May. Then, in August or September, a new product will be introduced — the five-year aged Añejo, a "pet project" that Sorenson anticipates will be a success in China because of the popularity of barrel-aged spirits there.

"We're not expecting this giant tequila market in China to come up overnight, but things happen very quickly," Papermaster said. "I didn't come to China to sell tequila, but it all kind of snowballed."

This story was produced in partnership with Milenio, a daily newspaper in Mexico. Milenio reporter Victor Hugo Michel reported from Shanghai and Mexico City. Tribune reporter Cathaleen Qiao Chen reported from Austin.

Fort Worth police nab suspects in 9 vehicle fires

Associated Press

FORT WORTH — North Texas police have arrested a woman, her teenage daughter and the daughter's boyfriend, and two other men as suspects in a string of vehicle fires investigators blamed on arson.

The 39-year-old woman, her 17-year-old daughter, the daughter's 19-year-old boyfriend and two other men, ages 18 and 19, were arrested on suspicion of arson.

Fort Worth arson inves-

tigator Brad Sims said the mother had her 8-year-old son with her when the fires were set.

Fort Worth police said nine vehicles were torched within an hour before dawn April 5 within a 2 1/2-mile radius in southern Fort Worth between Texas Christian University and Interstate 35W. An arrest warrant affidavit said gasoline was used to burn the vehicles.

Sims says the motive behind the fires is unclear, but gang-related activity wasn't suspected.

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2 mine workers killed in Missouri accident

Two workers who fell to their deaths in a southeast Missouri mine have been identified by their employer.

Mississippi Lime Co. president Bill Ayers issued a statement saying 53-year-old John Hahl, of Farmington, Mo., and 29-year-old Chris Rawson, of Hillsboro, Mo., died in the accident at about 8:30 a.m. Friday.

Hahl and Rawson were working in a lime mine near the town of Ste. Genevieve, about 60 miles south of St. Louis.

Ste. Genevieve County Coroner Leo Basler said the men were in a basket extended from a truck removing loose rock from either the wall or the ceiling of the mine.

Basler said loose rock hit the basket and detached it. The men fell to their death.

NEW JERSEY

Borgata casino lawsuit: Gambler cheated, won \$9.6M

ATLANTIC CITY — An Atlantic City casino is suing a big-time gambler, claiming he won \$9.6 million in a card-cheating scheme in baccarat.

The Borgata Hotel Casino & Spa filed a federal lawsuit Tuesday against Phillip Ivey Jr., considered one of the best poker players in the world.

The lawsuit alleges Ivey and an associate exploited a defect in cards made by a Kansas City manufacturer that enabled them to sort and arrange good cards in baccarat. The technique gave him an unfair advantage on four occasions between April and October 2012, the casino asserted in its lawsuit.

The casino claims the technique, called edge sorting, violates New Jersey casino gambling regulations. Its senior vice president, Joe Lupo, declined to comment on the lawsuit.

Ivey's lawyer declined to comment on Friday.

The lawsuit claims the cards, manufactured by Gemaco Inc., were defective in that the pattern on the back of them was not uniform. The cards have rows of small white circles designed to look like the tops of cut diamonds, but the Borgata claims some of them were only a half diamond or a quarter of one.

The company is also fighting a lawsuit from another Atlantic City casino, the Golden Nugget, claiming the firm provided unshuffled cards that led to gamblers beating the casino for \$1.5 million.

Ripples of Nevada range showdown spread in West

Associated Press

LAS VEGAS — Images of a forced cattle roundup on a rural Nevada range sent ripples through the West on Friday, prompting elected officials in several states to weigh in, militia members to mobilize and federal land managers to reshape elements of the operation.

Bureau of Land Management officials dismantled designated protest areas Thursday, and Nevada's governor urged calm as the fight over rancher Cliven Bundy's cattle widened into a debate about states' rights and federal-land-use policy.

The dispute that triggered the roundup dates to 1993, when the BLM cited concern for the federally protected tortoise.

The agency later revoked Bundy's grazing rights.

Bundy claims ancestral rights to graze his cattle on lands his Mormon family settled in the 19th century. He stopped paying grazing fees and disregarded several court orders to remove his animals.

BLM officials said Bundy now owes more than \$1.1 million in unpaid grazing fees.

"I'm seeing a lot of passionate Americans willing to stand up for important rights," said Nevada state Assemblywoman Michele Fiore.

Fiore, a Republican, said Friday she has been making the 80-mile drive from Las Vegas to a growing tent city of militia members, advocates and protesters in dusty but scenic rangeland near Bundy's ranch, just east of the Virgin River. She said she was horrified that BLM police used stun guns on one of Bundy's adult sons during

a Wednesday confrontation on a state highway near the Bundy melon farm in the Gold Butte area.

Video of that confrontation has spread on the Internet, along with blog commentary claiming excessive government force and calls to arms from self-described militia leaders. Some have invoked references to deadly confrontations with federal authorities, including a siege of a ranch home in Ruby Ridge, Idaho, in 1992, and the fiery destruction of a religious compound near Waco that killed 76 people in 1993.

In Arizona, a congressman said he and several state Republican lawmakers may travel to Bunkerville to protest what they perceive as government heavy-handedness.

U.S. Rep. Bob Thorpe of Flagstaff said he and state legislators weren't arguing whether Bundy broke laws or violated grazing agreements. Thorpe said the Arizona lawmakers were upset the BLM initially restricted protesters to so-called "free speech zones."

U.S. Sen. Dean Heller and Gov. Brian Sandoval, both Republicans, have also said they were upset with the way the BLM was conducting the roundup.

After the areas were removed Thursday, Sandoval issued a new statement.

"Although tensions remain high, escalation of current events could have negative, long lasting consequences that can be avoided," it said.

The roundup started last Saturday, after the BLM and National Park Service shut down an area half the size of Delaware to let cowhands using helicopters and vehicles gather about 900 cattle that officials said are trespassing.



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Jim Olson puts up a flag Thursday near what was the Bureau of Land Management's "First Amendment area" in Bunkerville, Nev.

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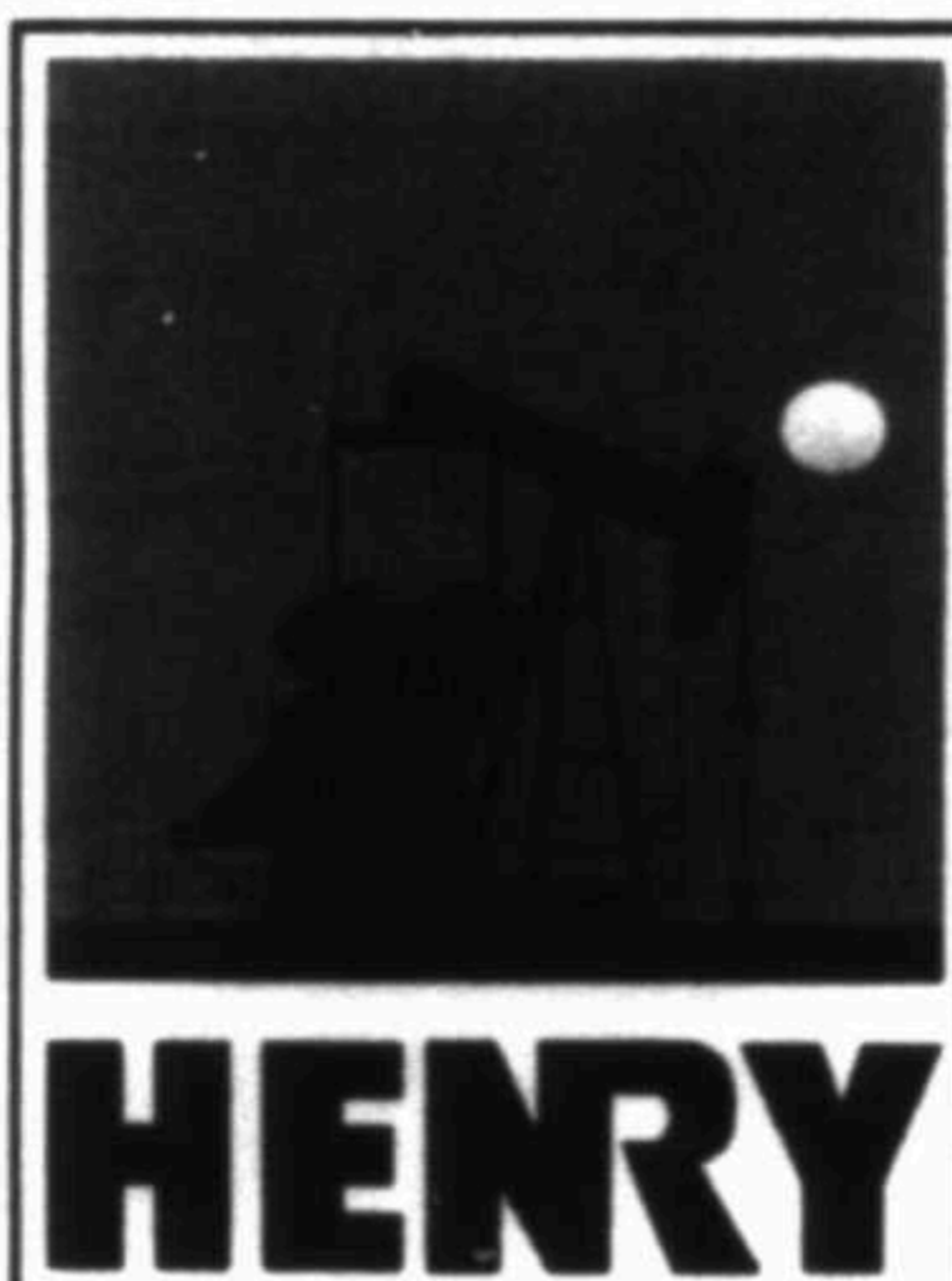
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Obamas pay \$98,169 in income tax this year

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Barack Obama and Michelle Obama paid \$98,169 in taxes on \$481,098 income last year, tax returns the White House released Friday show. They paid an effective federal income tax rate of 20.4 percent and donated significantly less to charity than they did the year before.

The 42-page document, which included the couple's Illinois state income tax return, shows the Obamas reported donating \$59,251 to 32 charities, which helped lower their overall tax bill. The nearly \$60,000 in donations represents 12.3 percent of their adjusted gross income.

But their charitable giving was down sharply from 2012, when the president and first lady reported giving away \$150,034.

Their largest charitable gift last year, \$8,751, went to the Fisher House Foundation, which supports military families. The Obamas gave the foundation \$103,871 in 2012.

The joint tax returns, which the Obamas signed Tuesday, were posted on the White House website on Friday, four days before the April 15 income tax filing deadline.

Income from the sale of Obama's best-selling books also declined significantly since 2012.

Obama received \$31,139 from Random House and \$85,041 from Dystel & Goderich Literary Management, for a total of \$116,180 in book sales. That combined total compares with \$273,739 in similar payments he received in 2012. There was a big drop in the amount from Random House, which paid Obama \$162,789 in 2012.

Overall, the Obamas had total tax payments of \$117,277. They were enti-

led to a refund of \$19,108, but applied it toward their 2014 tax bill instead of pocketing the money.

They also paid an extra \$9,513 in alternative minimum tax.

Obama's annual salary as president is \$400,000, which was the main source of the family's income last year.

Itemized deductions totaling \$147,769 helped reduce the Obamas' taxable income. Along with their charitable contributions, the Obamas deducted \$42,383 in mortgage interest on the home they own in Chicago.

Among the Obamas' other notable charitable contributions were \$5,000 to the Sidwell Friends School, the exclusive private school where daughters Malia and Sasha are enrolled, \$4,000 to the American Red Cross and \$2,000 to One Fund Boston, which was created last year to aid victims of the Boston Marathon bombings.

The Obamas also redeemed a \$295,000 short-term U.S. Treasury note they acquired in April 2012, selling off the security in January 2013. The proceeds were the same as the original price of the note, so the Obamas incurred neither a profit nor a loss on the sale.

They also sold three other long-term Treasury notes worth \$1.2 million and posted a capital loss of \$112,515.

For tax purposes, the Obamas reported only a \$3,000 capital loss from the sales. Taxpayers are allowed to carry over capital losses to the next year if the loss is more than \$3,000. Under the carry-over provision, taxpayers can list just \$3,000 as their total capital loss for the year.

The Obamas' Illinois income tax return showed them paying \$23,328 in income taxes to their home state.

Obama: Right to vote under threat

Associated Press

NEW YORK — In an unsparing critique of Republicans, President Barack Obama on Friday said the GOP is threatening voting rights in America more than at any point since the passage of the historic 1965 law expanding rights at the ballot box to millions of black Americans and other minorities.

"The stark, simple truth is this: The right to vote is threatened today in a way that it has not been since the Voting Rights Act became law nearly five decades ago," Obama said in a fiery speech at civil rights activist and television talk host Al Sharpton's National Action Network conference.



Associated Press

President Barack Obama gives a keynote address during the Civil Rights Summit on Thursday in Austin.

The election-year warning comes as Obama seeks to mobilize Democratic voters to fight back against state voting requirements and early balloting restrictions that many in his party

fear will curb turnout in November. The president vowed that he would not let the attacks on voting rights go unchallenged, but he offered no new announcements of specific

actions his administration planned to take.

Obama's speech came a day after he marked the 50th anniversary of the Civil Rights Act at the LBJ Library in Austin where he praised President Lyndon Johnson's understanding of presidential power and his use of it to create new opportunities for millions of Americans.

The president pinned efforts to curb access to the ballot box directly on the GOP, declaring that the effort "has not been led by both parties. It's been led by the Republican Party." Mocking the Republicans, he said, "What kind of political platform is that? Why would you make that a part of your agenda, preventing people from voting?"

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ENERGY BRIEFS

FROM STAFF & WIRE REPORTS

HOUSTON Permian Basin rig count up 12 this week to 536

The number of rigs exploring for oil and natural gas in the Permian Basin increased 12 this week to 536, according to a report released Friday by Houston-based oilfield services company Baker Hughes.

Texas added seven rigs this week for a total of 884.

In other Texas basins, the Eagle Ford ended the week with 220 rigs, a decrease of four; the Granite Wash added three rigs for a total of 61; and the Barnett lost one rig, leaving a total of 24.

At this time last year there were 472 rigs in the Permian Basin and 848 rigs in Texas.

The number of rigs searching for oil and natural gas in the U.S. increased 13 this week for a total of 1,831. There were 1,517 rigs listed as on land, up 19; 310 as searching for natural gas, down six; and four as miscellaneous, unchanged. A year ago this week there were 1,771 rigs in the U.S.

By trajectory, there were 391 vertical drilling rigs, down two; 1,224 horizontal drilling rigs, unchanged; and 216 directional drilling rigs, up 15.

The top five basins by rig count this week were the Permian; the Eagle Ford; the Williston with 185 rigs, unchanged; the Marcellus with 79, unchanged; and the Mississippi with 71, down three.

The top five states by rig count were Texas; Oklahoma with 192, down one; North Dakota with 178, unchanged; Louisiana with 108, up nine; and New Mexico with 91, unchanged.

In the U.S. there were 1,759 rigs listed as on land, up five; 19 as in inland waters, up two; and 53 as offshore, up six.

There were 52 rigs in the Gulf of Mexico, up six.

The number of rigs exploring for oil and

natural gas in Canada decreased 23 this week to 212. There were 93 rigs listed as searching for oil, down 17; 119 as searching for natural gas, down six; and zero as miscellaneous, unchanged. There were 156 rigs in Canada a year ago this week.

The total number of rigs operating in the North America region — which includes the U.S. and Canada but excludes the Gulf of Mexico — decreased 10 this week to 2,043. At this time last year there were 1,927 rigs in North America.

On Monday, Baker Hughes released its monthly international rig count for March. The total number of rigs operating worldwide was 3,597. The U.S. ended March with 1,803 rigs, just more than half of all rigs worldwide. The following are the number of rigs in each region, with the top three nations by rig count in parentheses:

- Africa: 132 (Algeria, 44; Nigeria, 15; Angola, 14; Kenya, 14)
- Asia-Pacific: 258 (India, 122; Indonesia, 36; Australia, 20)
- Europe: 148 (Turkey, 40; Norway, 21; United Kingdom offshore, 16)
- Latin America: 406 (Argentina, 101; Mexico, 88; Venezuela, 81)
- Middle East: 401 (Saudi Arabia, 96; Iraq, 90; Oman, 59)

For more information about the weekly North America and monthly international rig counts, visit

the Baker Hughes website at bakerhughes.com.

IRVING Exxon CEO's compensation rises 3 percent to \$28.1M

The CEO of Exxon Mobil Corp. received compensation worth \$28.1 million last year, a 3 percent increase over the previous year, according to an Associated Press analysis of a company regulatory filing. Most of Rex W. Tillerson's compensation was in the form of stock awards, which the largest U.S. oil company valued at \$21.3 million when they were granted.

His overall compensation for 2013 was up from \$27.2 million in 2012, under The AP's calculation.

The AP analysis of Tillerson's compensation considered salary, bonus, perks and the estimated value of stock and option grants that the company reported Friday to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission. The calculation excluded changes in the present value of Tillerson's pension benefits.

Tillerson, 62, received a salary of \$2.7 million, a 6 percent increase from a year ago, plus a cash bonus of nearly \$3.7 million, which was down 20 percent because Exxon's earnings fell compared with 2012, the company said.

The value of Tillerson's stock awards increased

\$1.6 million, or 8 percent, from 2012, because of a rise in the company's share price. He received other compensation valued at \$496,704. The biggest items in that miscellaneous category were \$190,190 in matching contributions to a retirement plan and \$177,140 for personal security.

Exxon earned \$32.6 billion last year, a decrease of 27 percent from 2012, which was the company's second-best year ever, helped by high and rising

oil prices. Exxon Mobil shares, however, rose 17 percent in a strong stock market during 2013. Through Thursday's close, they were down 4 percent in 2014.

NORTH DAKOTA State posts 951K barrels of oil daily in February

BISMARCK — North Dakota oil drillers produced an average of about

951,000 barrels of oil a day in February.

The Department of Mineral Resources said February production was up from an average of about 935,000 barrels daily in January.

North Dakota's oil patch had a record 10,186 producing wells in February, up from 10,114 in January.

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Ohio geologists link small quakes to hydraulic fracturing

Associated Press

COLUMBUS, Ohio — Geologists in Ohio have for the first time linked earthquakes in a geologic formation deep under the Appalachians to hydraulic fracturing, leading the state to issue new permit conditions Friday in certain areas that are among the nation's strictest.

A state investigation of five small tremors last month in the Youngstown area, in the Appalachian foothills, found the injection of sand and water that accompanies hydraulic fracturing in the Utica Shale may have increased pressure on a small, unknown fault, said State Oil & Gas Chief Rick Simmers. He called the link "probable."

While earlier studies had linked earthquakes in the same region to deep-injection wells used for disposal of fracturing wastewater, this marks the first time tremors in the region have been tied directly to fracturing, Simmers said. The five seismic events in March couldn't be easily felt by people.

The oil and gas drilling boom targets widely different rock formations around the nation, so the Ohio findings might not have much relevance to other areas other than perhaps influencing public perception of fracturing's

safety. The types of quakes connected to the industry are generally small and not easily felt, but the idea of human activity causing the earth to shake often doesn't sit well.

The state said the company that set off the Ohio quakes was following rules and appeared to be using common practices. It just got unlucky, Simmers said.

Gerry Baker, associate executive director of the Interstate Oil and Gas Commission, said state regulators across the nation will study the Ohio case for any implications for the drilling industry. A consortium of states has already begun discussions.

Fracturing involves pumping huge volumes of water, sand and chemicals underground to split open

rocks to allow oil and gas to flow. Improved technology has allowed energy companies to gain access to huge stores of natural gas but has raised widespread concerns that it might lead to groundwater contamination — and earthquakes.

A U.S. government-funded report released in 2012 found that two worldwide instances of shaking can be attributed to actual extraction of oil and gas, as opposed to wastewater disposal in the ground — a magnitude-2.8 quake in Oklahoma and a magnitude-2.3 quake in England. Both were in 2011.

Later, the Canadian government tied quakes in British Columbia's Horn River Basin between 2009 and 2011 to fracturing. Those led to stricter regu-

lations, which news reports indicated had little effect on the pace or volume of drilling.

But for the region encompassing Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia, where energy companies have drilled thousands

of unconventional gas wells in recent years, it's a first. The Utica Shale lies beneath the better-known Marcellus Shale, which is more easily accessible and is considered one of the world's richest gas reserves.

Glenda Besana-Ostman, a seismologist with the U.S. Department of the Interior's Bureau of Reclamation, confirmed the finding is the first in the area to suggest a connection between the quakes and fracturing.

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Goodley helps MHS boys to good day at 2-5A meet

From staff reports

LUBBOCK — Midland High's De'Andre Goodley picked up a pair of individual medals, and also helped the Bulldogs win the 400-meter relay on Friday at the District 2-5A Track & Field Championships at Lowrey Field.

Goodley won the 100 meters with a time of 10.70 seconds, finishing just over three-tenths of a second ahead of Lee's Terry Sims at 11.08.

Goodley then won the 200 meters with a time of 21.91, also winning by just more than three-tenths of a second.

In the first running event of the day, Goodley teamed with Jeremiah Sullivan, Juleion Bowers and Mazelle Justice to win the 400-meter

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See District 2-5A track results and Thursday's District 4-3A results.

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relay with a time of 42.53 seconds.

Lee won the 800-meter relay as Darius Strambler, Zyan Burditt, Juwan Lee and Gage Burkhart combined to run a time of 1 minute, 28 seconds. The Rebels also finished second in the 1,600-meter relay.

Ian Johnson picked up his second jumping medal of the meet as he finished second in the triple jump with a mark of 44-feet, 11 1/2 inches and Strambler was third at 43-feet.

Midland High distance runner Austin Watson won a pair of medals on Friday. Watson finished second in the 1,600 meters with a time of 4:32.54, and then was third in the 800 at 1:58.02.

Midland High's Jumel Jones finished fourth in the long jump to qualify for the area meet with a height of 6-2, and Bryce Hoppel was fourth in the 400 meters, clocking in at 50.01.

The Midland High boys finished second in the team standings with 98 points as Amarillo Tascosa won with 147 points.

On the girls side, the Midland High girls team had a pair of relays qualify for the area meet. The

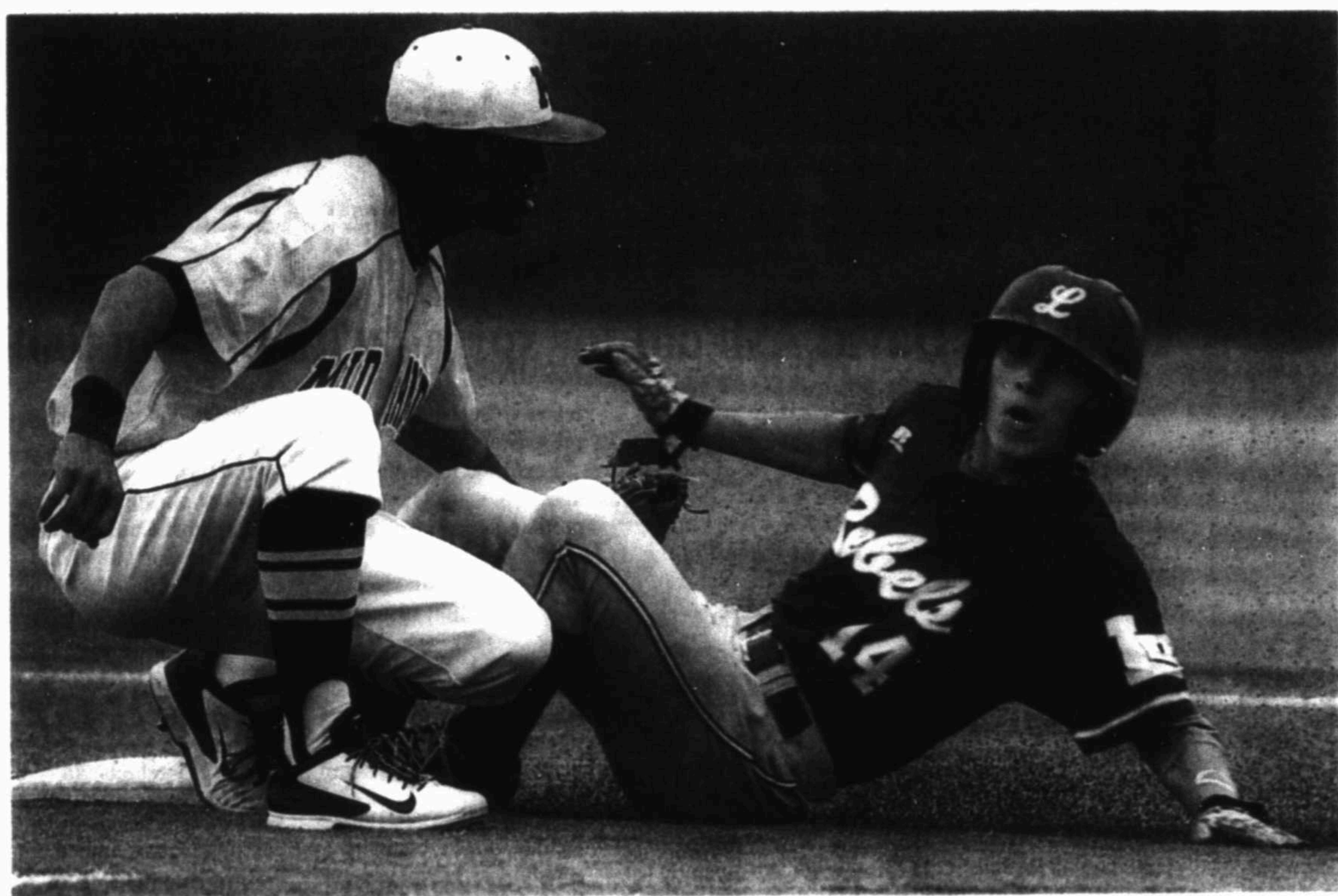


Midland High's De'Andre Goodley rounds the corner of the 200-meter dash during the UIL District 2-5A Track Championship on Friday at Lowrey Field in Lubbock. Goodley won the event.

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Brad Tollefson/Special to the MRT

Victory is Midland High's



Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

Lee's Garrett Chalker slides into second base as Midland High's Gilbert Sanchez tries to lay the tag down on Friday at Christensen Stadium. The Bulldogs remained unbeaten in district play with a 4-1 win over the Rebels.

MHS stays unbeaten in 2-5A with win over Rebels

By Len Hayward

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Jackson Lancaster had to find a way to finish Friday night's game against Lee.

The senior had been solid through six innings, but between the emotion of the game and his escalating pitch count, Lancaster was starting to fatigue a little bit.

But in a game that doesn't mean a thing when it comes to the standings, but means plenty since it's against the rival Rebels, Lancaster dug a little deeper and retired the Rebels in order in the seventh for the first time in the game to complete a 4-1 Bulldogs victory at Christensen Stadium.

Midland High clinched a playoff berth with the victory as it improved to 18-6 and 12-0 in 2-5A play, while Lee fell to 8-15 and 2-10.

"It's just the emotion, everyone is jacked up and everyone is dialed in more so than other games," Lancaster said after the game. "I just went out there and competed as hard as I can. Every time I go

Bulldogs 4
Rebels 1

out there, I have the mindset I'm going to try to finish it."

Lancaster gave up a pair of walks and a run in the fifth inning, and a leadoff single in the sixth, as MHS held a 2-1 lead. He worked out of a fifth inning jam by giving up the lone run, but no more, and then in the sixth gave up a leadoff single to his pitching counterpart Evan Mata.

But Mata was doubled off first when Austin Maddox's bunt attempt was popped up and caught by Lance White.

The Bulldogs then added a pair of runs in the sixth for some insurance and a 4-1 lead. Lancaster drove in one of those runs with a single, and entered the seventh with that little bit of extra energy to finish off the Rebels.

Two groundouts and a diving catch by Jason Raughton on a pop fly by Brady Roper gave Lancaster his first 1-2-3 inning of the game and eighth

District 2-5A win.

"When I started walking people I was getting tired, and I didn't think I would go all the way," said Lancaster, who gave up the one run on five hits with four strikeouts. "I started settling down and was getting back in the zone."

Mata, meanwhile, was nearly Lancaster's equal on Friday night. The Bulldogs scored two runs in the first inning, including one on a passed ball. But after that, Mata found ways to keep MHS off the scoreboard.

Mata also had some help from his defense as well. Anthony Navarrete finished a close play at second to end the second inning, and Sean Grebeck was caught stealing to end the fourth.

The Rebels again ended the sixth with some more nifty defense when Jason Raughton was thrown out at third after Ethan Barker reached on an error to keep the score at 4-1.

Mata scattered eight hits over seven

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Kingsbury: QB Webb will start for Texas Tech

By Betsy Blaney

Associated Press

LUBBOCK — Davis Webb won't be competing for the starting job at Texas Tech this fall.

After Webb's standout performance and MVP award in the Red Raiders' 37-23 Holiday Bowl win over then-No. 16 Arizona State, coach Kliff Kingsbury already knows the sophomore will be leading the offense.

It doesn't hurt that the two quarterbacks Webb battled for the starting spot last season have transferred. But Kingsbury said what Webb went through last season seasoned him in ways that will benefit him going forward.

It will be a different type of pressure this season. Instead of wondering if he'll get the nod to start, Webb knows the team's success rests on his shoulders.

"That's where I want it to be because I feel like it's either do or die with me, and that's what I want," he said. "I feel so much more confident this year than I did last year."

Texas Tech plays its spring game Saturday in Lubbock, two weeks after Webb had four touchdowns in a scrimmage in Midland.

Webb's confidence in large measure grew out of his four-touchdown performance against the Sun Devils. He threw for 403 yards and tied a Holiday Bowl record with four touchdown passes. He had no interceptions after



Webb

Please see WEBB/2B

Watson goes on birdie spree at the Masters

By Paul Newberry

Associated Press

AUGUSTA, Ga. — Bubba Watson likes the way he looks in green. He wants to get that color back in his wardrobe.

Watson surged to the Masters lead with a spree of birdies on the back side Friday, positioning him for a weekend run at his second green jacket in three years.

"I'm trying to get the jacket back," Watson said. "I want that feeling again."

The 2012 champion at Augusta National sparked the best run of the tournament so far when he stuck his tee shot at No. 12 within 3 feet of the cup. He tapped in for the first of five straight birdies that propelled him to a 4-under 68.

Even after making his second bogey of the tournament by missing a short putt at the 18th, Watson walked off with his second straight round in the 60s, a 7-under 137 total and a three-stroke lead — the biggest 36-hole advantage at Augusta since 2006.

"It's not science here," Watson said. "It's try to hit the greens, and if you're hitting the greens that means you're obviously hitting your tee shots well. So that's all I'm trying to do, just hit

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Chaps open series against Wranglers with split

By Oscar LeRoy

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Justin Clarkson has a knack for driving in runs in bunches for the Midland College baseball team.

On a warm Friday afternoon at Christensen Stadium, Clarkson helped the Chaparrals bounce back from a 2-0 loss to Odessa College in the first game with eight RBI in the second game as MC run-ruled the Wranglers, 13-5, after seven innings.

"We hit the ball hard in the first game, but we didn't (get the timely hits). But then we turned it around in the second game pretty well," said Clarkson, who was 3-for-5 and was a triple away from hitting for the cycle in that second game. "The guys in front of me got on, I put the

Chaps 0-13
Wranglers 2-5

bat on the ball and things turned out pretty well."

Odessa College (20-17, 10-12 in Western Junior College Athletic Conference) seemed to have the momentum after a four-run fourth inning in which Simon Clarke and Eduardo Castro each connected for two-run home runs to left against MC starter Aaron Rumfield for a 5-1 lead.

But MC (6-16, 19-20) responded quickly in the bottom of the fourth as Clarkson sparked a four-run rally with a three-run double to right-center as the Chaps took a 6-5 advantage.

Rumfield settled down in the fifth and retired the Wranglers' side in order.

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Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

Midland College's Josh Narvaiz gets the force out at second on Odessa College's Eduardo Castro on Friday at Christensen Stadium. The Chaparrals split Friday's doubleheader with the Wranglers.

HOUNDWATCH



FRIDAY'S SCORE Arkansas 2, Midland 1

TODAY'S GAME Midland at Arkansas, 6:10 p.m., Dickey-Stephens Park, North Little Rock, Ark.

RADIO/INTERNET www.mlb.com KORS (850 AM)

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FROM STAFF & WIRE REPORTS

ON THE AIR

WHAT'S ON TV

AUTO RACING: United SportsCar Championship, 5 p.m., Fox Sports 1. COLLEGE BASEBALL: North Texas at Marshall, 11 a.m., Fox Sports Southwest Plus.

GOLF: Masters Tournament, third round, 2 p.m., CBS. HORSERACING: Thoroughbreds, Blue Grass Stakes, 3:30 p.m., Fox Sports 1.

WHAT'S ON DECK

TODAY TEXAS LEAGUE: RockHounds at Arkansas, 6:10 p.m. JUNIOR COLLEGE BASEBALL: Midland College at Odessa College, Noon (DH).

HS SOCCER PAIRINGS

CLASS 5A BOYS: Region I-5A Tournament. Girls: Region I-5A Tournament. Today's Final: Flower Mound Marcus, 19-14, vs. Coppell, 19-14.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL: LOS ANGELES ANGELS - Activated LHP Dana De Rosa from the 15-day DL. NATIONAL LEAGUE: ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS - Agreed to terms with LHP Randy Wolf on a minor league contract.

FIGHT SCHEDULE

Today: At MGM Grand, Las Vegas (PPV), Timothy Bradley vs. Manny Pacquiao, 12, for Bradley's WBO welterweight title. Monday: At UIC Pavilion, Chicago (FS1), Roney Rios vs. Andrew Cancio, 10, junior lightweights.

HSSOFTBALLCAPSULE

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CLASS 5A BOYS... GIRLS... Region I-5A Tournament... Friday's Semifinals... Today's Final

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After death threats, depression and a remarkable personal transformation, Bradley (31-0, 12 KOs) returns to that ring Saturday night in Las Vegas for a rematch with the Filipino congressman. Bradley intends to let out two years of humiliation and frustration with a decisive win over Pacquiao, finally earning the credit that was two years

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Lee's Austin Maddox waits on the ball as Midland High's Travis Willbanks dives back to first Friday at Christensen Stadium.

BULLDOGS

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innings, and gave up four runs with four walks and two strikeouts. But despite the effort, the Rebels again were on the losing end against their rival.

"I felt like I competed and I wanted to help my team out and do everything I could to win this ballgame," Mata said. "They are a worthy opponent and you can't give them extra outs because they will take full advantage of it like they did tonight. Two games against these guys were awesome and we played great, we played our hearts out. We didn't come out on top, but we get another day (today) to play a game."

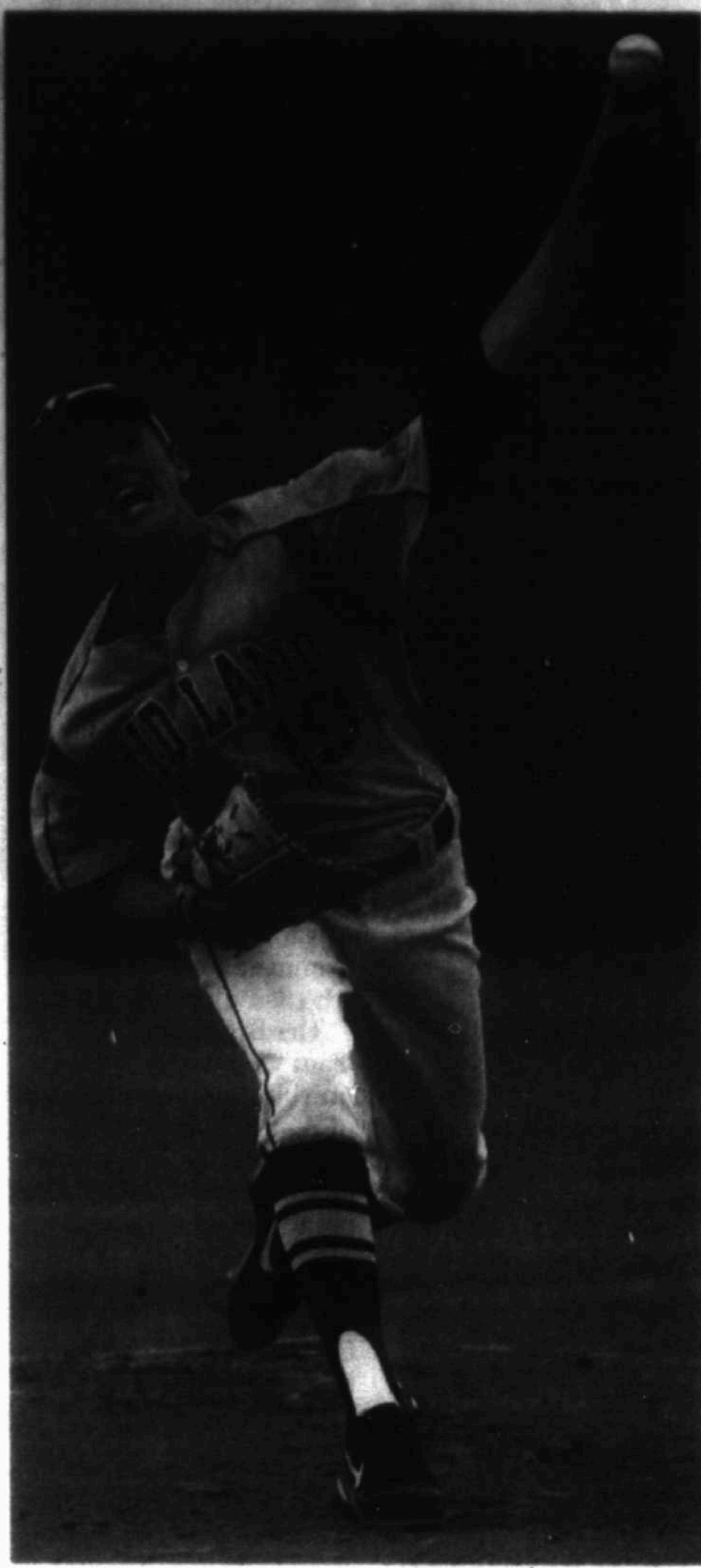
Both teams will return to the field today as Midland High will host a red-hot Lubbock Coronado team at noon at Zachery Field, and Lee will travel to San Angelo Central for a 1 p.m. game at Nathan Donsky Field.

But after Friday, it may

District 2-5A Standings BASEBALL table with columns for Team, District, Overall, and records for various schools like Midland High, Lubbock Coronado, etc.

be tough for both teams to regroup. "I'm drained a little bit," Lancaster said. "But we've got to recharge for (today), because that's a big game (today)."

MIDLAND HIGH 4, LEE 1 table showing game statistics for Lee and MHS.



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Midland High pitcher Jackson Lancaster delivers a pitch Friday night against Lee at Christensen Stadium.

UTPB ROUNDUP

FROM STAFF REPORTS

SOFTBALL LCU SWEEPS LADY FALCONS ODESSA — Lubbock Christian University swept the UTPB softball team with 7-1 and 12-2 victories on Friday at the UTPB softball field. In the first game, UTPB was held to three hits, two of which by Miley McKee. Desiree Valero (5-19) took

the loss after allowing five runs on 10 hits. In the second game, LCU (37-10, 16-4 in Heartland Conference) had 15 hits in the game to go with a five-run sixth and a four-run seventh. Former Midland College player Diana De La Paz went 4-for-4 with two doubles and two RBI to lead the Lady Chaparrals.

UTPB (9-32, 6-11) was held to five hits. Holly Herrington (4-12) took the loss after giving up eight runs (five earned) on 10 hits. BASEBALL MCMURRY SWEEPS FALCONS ODESSA — The McMurry University baseball team swept UTPB at Roden Field

on Friday with 8-1 and 5-1 victories. The Falcons (17-21, 10-10 in Heartland Conference) were held to four hits in the first game and Andrew Grifol (2-4) took the loss. In the second game UTPB was out-hit 13-7 as Brian Woody took the loss. No Falcon had a multiple-hit game on the day.

MCA's Sivalls wins TAPPS 1-3A boys singles title

From staff reports

Midland Classical Academy's Max Sivalls rolled through the boys singles bracket to win the TAPPS District 1-3A title on Thursday at the Bush Tennis Center, and a number of players from both Midland Classical and Trinity earned spots in the TAPPS 3A state tournament. Sivalls, who was the top seeded player, lost a total of five sets in defeating Trinity's Darren Maguire, 6-0, 6-1, and Aaron Mackie, of Flower Mound Coram Deo, 6-3, 6-1, on the way to the title. Maguire ended up third in the bracket, and qualified for the state tournament. Midland Classical

Academy's Kelsie Kennedy finished second in girls singles, falling to Autumn Crossnoe of Amarillo San Jacinto in the final, 6-0, 6-2. The Midland Classical girls doubles team of Beth Ann Holmes and Clara Cliver finished second in that division, falling to Flower Mound Coram Deo's Rebecca Harris and Natalie Mackie. In boys doubles, Trinity's Adam Ball and Justin Hofman took second, falling to Flower Mound Coram Deo's Pete Morriss and Thomas Hansen. Also qualifying for the state tournament is the Midland Classical boys' doubles team of Marshall McCray and Jonathan Childers, and Trinity's

Maddie Fryt and Rhea Cholia in girls doubles. The TAPPS 3A state tournament is scheduled for April 23-24 in Waco. TAPPS 1-3A DISTRICT TENNIS TOURNAMENT Bush Tennis Center Friday's Results Girls Singles Quarterfinals Autumn Crossnoe, Ama. San Jacinto def. Tracey Fu, Midland Classical, 6-0, 6-0; Kathryn Rogers, FM Coram Deo def. Julie Nguyen, Trinity, 6-0, 6-1; Kelsie Kennedy, Midland Classical def. Aless Temple, Trinity, 6-0, 6-0; Aubrien Henderson, FM Coram Deo def. Courtney Bowling, Ama. San Jacinto, 6-1, 6-0. Semifinals Crossnoe def. Rogers, 6-0, 6-0; Kennedy def. Henderson, 6-2, 6-4. Third-place match Henderson def. Rogers. Final Crossnoe def. Kennedy, 6-0, 6-2. Boys Singles Quarterfinals Max Sivalls, Midland Classical, bye; Darren Maguire, Trinity def. Forrest Huggins, FM Coram Deo, 6-3, 6-3; James Stinnett, Ama. San Jacinto def. Anthony Fago, Trinity, 6-4, 6-3; Aaron Mackie, FM Coram Deo, bye. Semifinals Sivalls def. Maguire, 6-0, 6-1; Mackie def. Stinnett, 6-0, 6-0. Third-place match

Maguire def. Stinnett, 6-7, 6-2, 6-3. Final Sivalls def. Mackie, 6-3, 6-1. Girls Doubles Rebecca Harris-Natalie Mackie, FM Coram Deo def. Brittany Thompson-Peyton Ford, Ama. San Jacinto, 6-1, 6-0; Rhea Cholia-Maddie Fryt, Trinity def. Aless Beattie-Elaine Heest, Midland Classical, 4-6, 6-3, 7-5; Beth Ann Holmes-Clara Cliver, Midland Classical def. Emily Mooney-Laney Morris, FM Coram Deo, 6-3, 6-2; Jordan Ford-Kirsten Nettles, Ama. San Jacinto def. Veena Aguilera-Aurika Malik, Trinity, 6-4, 6-0. Semifinals Harris-Mackie def. Cholia-Fryt, 6-2, 6-2; Holmes-Cliver def. Ford-Nettles, 6-2, 6-2. Third-place match Ford-Nettles def. Cholia-Fryt, 6-2, 7-5. Final Harris-Mackie def. Holmes-Cliver, 3-6, 6-2. Boys Doubles Quarterfinals Adam Ball-Justin Hofman, Trinity, bye; Marshall McCray-Jonathan Childers, Midland Classical def. William Whitney-Vincent Wu, FM Coram Deo, 6-3, 7-6; Pete Morriss-Thomas Hansen, FM Coram Deo def. Zach Lyon-Christopher Cooper, Trinity, 6-0, 6-0; Ryan Hodges-Luke Tyson, Ama. San Jacinto, bye. Semifinals Ball-Hofman def. McCray-Childers, 6-3, 6-2; Morriss-Hansen def. Hodges-Tyson, 6-3, 6-4. Third-place match Hodges-Tyson def. McCray-Childers, 6-4, 7-6. Final Morriss-Hansen def. Ball-Hofman, 6-2, 7-6.

Prosecutor challenges Pistorius' story of killing

By Gerald Imray and Christopher Torchia Associated Press

PRETORIA, South Africa — What exactly was Oscar Pistorius doing in the moments before he fatally shot his girlfriend in his home? Was he, as the double-amputee Olympian testified Friday, hobbling fearfully on his stumps with his pistol down a passageway from his bedroom toward the bathroom after hearing a possible intruder there? Or, as the chief prosecutor contended, was he instead angrily pursuing his girlfriend in the midst of an argument? Contradicting himself at times, Pistorius sparred with the prosecutor over the differing accounts of what happened on the night he killed Reeva Steenkamp by firing four bullets through the closed door of a toilet cubicle. The star athlete, who says the shooting was an accident because he mistook her for a robber, faces 25 years to life in prison if convicted of premeditated murder. "My whole being was fixated on this person that I thought was in the bathroom," Pistorius said during the third day of his cross-examination.

He said that as he moved toward the bathroom, he screamed to his girlfriend to get down from their bed and call the police. After hearing a noise that made him think someone was opening the toilet door to attack him, Pistorius said he opened fire. Only afterward, he testified, did he realize that Steenkamp was not in the bedroom but in the toilet cubicle. Prosecutor Gerrie Nel, however, said an argument between the couple was the "only reasonable explanation" for why Pistorius, 27, shot the 29-year-old model as she stood behind the toilet door some three meters (yards) away in the pre-dawn hours of Valentine's Day last year. Citing earlier expert testimony, Nel noted that the trajectory of the three bullets that hit the model in the hip, arm and head showed she was standing behind the door and facing it. Steenkamp wasn't scared of anyone "other than you," Nel said to the athlete. Nel argued that the position of items in the bedroom also indicated Pistorius' story was a fabrication. A duvet on the floor in police photos shows the couple were

awake and arguing just before the shooting and not in bed as Pistorius has claimed, he said. Pistorius said it was one of many items apparently moved by police after the shooting. He relentlessly attacked Pistorius' account, asking the runner why he didn't determine where Steenkamp was and make sure she was OK before firing, and why he approached what he thought was a danger zone in the dark if he felt vulnerable on his stumps. Nel noted that throughout Pistorius' version Steenkamp "never uttered a word." "It's not probable. It's not possible," the prosecutor said, asking why Steenkamp never responded to Pistorius' panicked shouts of an intruder when she was in the cubicle. "I agree with Mr. Nel she would have been terrified," Pistorius said, "but I don't think she would have shouted out ... In her mind I must have been retreating toward the bathroom." Nel responded that gave Steenkamp even more reason to talk to Pistorius, who was meters away. "She was standing behind the toilet door talking to you when you shot her,"

Nel said at the end of the first week of the athlete's testimony. "That's not true," replied Pistorius. The trial in a wood-lined courtroom in the South African city of Pretoria has been closely followed around the world, which once admired Pistorius as a man who persevered despite his disability and reached the pinnacle of his career when he was allowed to run in the London Olympics in 2012. Now, instead of signing autographs in packed stadiums, the multiple Paralympic champion is a solitary figure in the witness box. He stumbled in some of his testimony Friday, prompting the prosecutor to pounce on what he called inconsistencies. "I am tired. It's not going to change," Pistorius said. "You're trying to cover up for lies," Nel said, "and I'm not convinced." Judge Thokozile Masipa then asked Pistorius if he was too tired to continue testifying, saying: "You can be at a disadvantage when you're in that box." Pistorius kept going. Later, Masipa tried to rein in the prosecutor, telling him: "Mind your language. We don't call a witness a liar, not while he's in the witness box."

Lady Chaps pick up big sweep of Frank Phillips

From staff reports

Lady Chaps 5-5 Lady Plainsmen 2-4

The Midland College softball team overcame a slew of injuries to sweep Frank Phillips College in a key Western Junior College Athletic Conference doubleheader at the Midland College softball field on Saturday.

The Lady Chaparrals defeated Frank Phillips, 5-2, in the first game, and then came from behind to beat the Lady Plainsmen, 5-4, in the second game.

MC (23-18, 10-8 in WJAC) was down, 4-3, in the seventh inning of the second game when a bunt by Naomi Posada resulted in a throwing error that allowed Savannah Koke to score and tie the game. Posada ended up going to third on the play. Then with one out in the inning, Gaby Muniz pushed a single through to left to score Posada with the winning run.

Muniz was 2-for-3 in the game and Tynesha Houkamu was 2-for-3 with two doubles and three RBI. Shelby Weissenbach picked up her second win of the day in relief of Dominique Lozano Alcocer.

"It seems like we have a different lineup every week, but this lineup we

had out there today gave us a lot of energy and gave us the extra effort we needed," MC coach Tommy Ramos said. "We executed at the plate and we moved runners over when we needed to. We were a much improved team today. Ty Gaby and Naomi were really good for us. And I thought Shelby did a good job both hitting and pitching."

In the first game, MC overcame an early 2-1 deficit with a three-run fourth inning.

MC had 12 hits in the game as Muniz was 3-for-3. Houkamu was 2-for-4 with a home run two RBI, and Posada was 2-for-3 with a double and an RBI. Midland College will next host Clarendon College in a doubleheader beginning at noon today.



Posada



Muniz

First game MIDLAND COLLEGE 5, FRANK PHILLIPS 2 table with statistics for both teams.

Second game MIDLAND COLLEGE 5, FRANK PHILLIPS 4 table with statistics for both teams.

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Then Clay O'Dell came in the sixth and retired all six batters he faced.

Meanwhile, the Chaps gave Rumfield and O'Dell plenty of run support as they scored four runs in the sixth, which included a two-run single by Clark. And then with two runners on and one out in the seventh, Clarkson ended the game with a three-run homer to right. "He threw a fastball in there and I was able to put a good swing on it," said Clarkson, the freshman third baseman from Nainimo, British Columbia. "It was good to run-rule them in that game after they showed us up in the first game."

Added MC coach David Coleman about Clarkson. "He's been big for about a month or so. He's really got his swing going. Coach (Chris) Rowland made a swing change with him and positioned his hands differently and he really took to it. It's a tribute to the player to be willing to be able to make a change and a tribute to Coach Rowland to see what needed to be done and make that change."

Unfortunately for the Chaps and MC starter Brandon Courville in the first game, the run support wasn't there as OC starter Bruce Valentin kept working his way out of jams.

The Chaps got leadoff doubles in the first and second innings, but they couldn't get much more against the sophomore right-hander from Bronx, N.Y.

MC then loaded the bases in the third, but a 1-2-3 double play helped Valentin get out of that jam. MC again loaded the bases in the sixth, but Valentin again managed to get out of that jam with a flyout to end the inning. For the game, MC stranded nine runners on base.

"Valentin did a nice job," Coleman said. "He located, changed speeds, he competed well and made some pitches when he had to. There's some deception there, obviously, because he got some good hitters out at times. You'd like to cash in on some of those opportunities because Courville pitched really well, way good enough to win."

Courville did not allow a

hit until the fourth inning, but the Wranglers were the ones to get on the board as an RBI single by Henry Rodriguez in the fifth gave OC a 1-0 lead.

The Wranglers extended it to 2-0 in the seventh when Valentin helped his own cause with an RBI single of his own.

Other than those two runs, the sophomore right-hander from Flower Mound limited the Wranglers to six hits, struck out six and walked two.

"I felt really good," said Courville of his outing. "I had more command today than I have been lately. I've been kind of leaving the ball up, but today I kept the ball down and using the curveball early on really helped me out in the later innings."

Courville, who made his second start as the No. 1 starter in the weekend rotation, said he's getting used to that role.

"At first I was a little jittery and I felt bad for my good friend Thomas (McIlraith), who got taken out of that role, but I feel a lot more comfortable now and I'm just trying to give my team a chance to win," he said.

Courville added that although he was disappointed his team didn't get the win in the first game, he added that getting the win in the second game was heading into today's noon doubleheader at American Legion Field in Odessa.

"It was good to bounce back," he said. "We couldn't come up with the runs in the first game but I know my team is going to score runs to give us a chance, and that's what we did in the second game. That was good to see before going to their place."

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First Game ODESSA COLLEGE 2, MIDLAND COLLEGE 0 table with statistics for both teams.

Second Game MIDLAND COLLEGE 13, ODESSA COLLEGE 7 table with statistics for both teams.

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DISTRICT 2-5A TRACK RESULTS

District 2-5A Championships
Friday, Lubbock
Paine/Capital Park's Lowrey Field
(Top four finishers in each event qualify for Districts 12-5A Championships)

Team Totals: 1. Amarillo, 114 points; 2. Lubbock Coronado, 112; 3. Permian, 96; 4. San Angelo Central, 84; 5. Abilene High, 58; 6. Odessa High, 54; 7. Midland High, 51; 8. Abilene Cooper, 33; 9. Midland Lee, 28; 10. Field Events

Shot put: 1. Brynn Daniels, Central, 36 feet, 3 inches; 2. Tameisha Cotton, Abilene High, 31-11; 3. Rosangelica Moncada, Cooper, 35-2; 4. Jaycee Tisdale, Odessa High, 34-7.5; 5. Amber Dominguez, Odessa High, 34-7.5; 6. Larissa Arenas, Odessa High, 34-04.35.

Triple jump: 1. Alor Maywin, Permian, 37-3.25; 2. Jasmine Brown, Odessa High, 36-11.75; 3. Ashley Rackow, Midland Lee, 35-6.5; 4. Alyah Acuna, Cooper, 35-0; 5. Bri Westinghouse, Lee, 34-8.75; 6. Ailee Rodriguez, Central, 34-0.25.

Pole vault: 1. Kelli Wilson, Coronado, 10-0; 2. Miaa Moore, Central, 9-6; 3. Sara Dalton, Coronado, 9-6; 4. Sarah Gallagher, Central, 9-6; 5. Anara Banda, Tascosa, 9-6; 6. Myra Carrion, Abilene High, 9-4.

Running Events

400 relay: 1. Lubbock Coronado (Chavoye Bethany, Quiana Wiley, Hy Manahan, Destiny O'Ann), 49:12; 2. Midland High, 49:58; 3. Tascosa, 49:56; 4. Permian, 50:21; 5. Cooper, 50:40; 6. Odessa High, 50:54.

800: 1. Miah Nelson, Permian, 2:19.00; 2. Sevelia Dale, Tascosa, 2:20.96; 3. Amber Suarez, Odessa High, 2:27.57; 4. Dezara Delao, Odessa High, 2:30.87; 5. Hika Hartmann, Abilene High, 2:33.15; 6. Briana Carrasco, Midland High, 2:33.81.

100 hurdles: 1. Marikaisha Richardson, Tascosa, 14:85; 2. Sophia Flores, Central, 15:32; 3. Rachelle Dixon, Abilene High, 16:50; 4. Kate Lavo, Tascosa, 16:54; 5. Yasmine Delao, Odessa High, 17:05; 6. Ashley Rackow, Lee, 17:36.

100: 1. Laitrova Taylor, Tascosa, 12:76; 2. Chavoye Bethany, Coronado, 12:77; 3. Hunter Laje, Central, 12:77; 4. Destiny Dunn, Coronado, 12:78; 5. Jasmine Graham, Permian, 12:85; 6. Quiana Wiley, Destiny Dunn, Chavoye Bethany, 14:58; 7. Midland High, 14:54; 8. Central, 14:52; 9. Permian, 14:58; 10. Amarillo Tascosa, 14:58; 11. Odessa High, 14:59.

400: 1. Ashley Hughes, Coronado, 58:15; 2. Miah Nelson, Permian, 58:78; 3. Nyah Kuhlman, Central, 1:00:06; 4. Neer Garza, Cooper, 1:00:86; 5. Tatiana Martinez, Coronado, 1:01:55; 6. Avier Guernero, Lee, 1:02:76.

300 hurdles: 1. Marikaisha Richardson, Tascosa, 43:23; 2. Sophia Flores, Central, 45:84; 3. Porsha Pinker, Permian, 45:96; 4. Kate Lavo, Tascosa, 46:00; 5. Rachelle Dixon, Abilene High, 46:16; 6. Jacquelyn Garrett, Cooper, 48:17.

200: 1. Marisa Puente, Tascosa, 25:75; 2. Zakybina Lewis, Midland High, 26:17; 4. Jasmine Graham, Permian, 26:54; 5. Jimmiryia Goodley, Midland High, 26:62; 6. Alesia Oliver, Central, 26:87; 7. LaDajiah Ellis, Permian, 27:24.

1,600: 1. Ashton Endsley, Abilene High, 4:59:53; 2. Isabelle Gutierrez, Abilene High, 5:01:05; 3. Hollie Ruffin, Tascosa, 5:23:21; 4. Sevelia Dale, Tascosa, 5:30:85; 5. Jacoy Burks, Abilene Cooper, 5:40:06; 6. Jerri Guerrero, Lubbock Coronado, 5:50:60.

1,600 relay: 1. Tascosa (Marisa Puente, Skiler Murray, Kaiti Leno, Marikaisha Richardson), 5:01:05; 2. Coronado, 4:03:89; 3. Central, 4:04:72; 4. Lee, 4:07:17; 5. Abilene High, 4:10:88; 6. Permian, 4:12:19.

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Team Totals: 1. Amarillo Tascosa, 147 points; 2. Midland High, 98; 3. Abilene High, 82; 4. Midland Lee, 69; 5. Abilene Cooper, 65; 6. Permian, 60; 7. San Angelo Central, 53; 8. Lubbock Coronado, 26; 9. Odessa High, 19; 10. Field Events

Discus: 1. Lucas Riley, Cooper, 180; 2. Jonathon Ferrer, Tascosa, 160; 3. Josh Hunter, Abilene High, 151; 4. Joseph Boyd, Tascosa, 142.



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Lee's Ashley Rackow jumps over a hurdle during the 300-meter hurdles at the UIL District 2-5A Track Championship on Friday at Lowrey Field in Lubbock.

500: 1. Midland Lee (Jawan Lee, Darus Strambler, Zyan Burditt, Gage Burkhardt), 1:28:00; 2. Amarillo Tascosa, 1:28:02; 3. Permian, 1:29:14; 4. Coronado, 1:29:20; 5. Abilene High, 1:30:28; 6. Midland High, 1:31:21.

400: 1. Lorenae Joe, Cooper, 49:20; 2. Robert McClane, Central, 49:88; 3. Alex Plunk, Tascosa, 49:76; 4. Bryce Hoppel, Midland High, 50:01; 5. Brandon Humphries, Tascosa, 51:06; 6. Denver Gravit, Cooper, 51:47.

300 hurdles: 1. Jesus Serrano, Abilene High, 38:52; 2. Corey Williams, Tascosa, 39:57; 3. Luke West, Central, 41:07; 4. Sean Germany, Cooper, 41:48; 5. Mariquee Latson, Abilene High, 41:58; 6. Dwayne Amoyee, Odessa High, 42:20.

200: 1. Deandra Goodley, Midland High, 21:91; 2. Malik Shinsako, Permian, 22:28; 3. William Coleman, Abilene Cooper, 22:60; 4. Julian Harvey-Jones, Amarillo Tascosa, 22:69; 5. Arnold Serrano, Abilene High, 22:97; 6. Kobe Robinson, Permian, 23:16.

1,600: 1. Zac Cabrera, Central, 4:30:64; 2. Austin Watson, Midland High, 4:32:54; 3. Ruben Guerra, Midland High, 4:32:97; 4. Aaron Ramirez, Odessa High, 4:33:86; 5. Briggs Wittlake, Amarillo Tascosa, 4:40:15; 6. Kelton Reynolds, Abilene High, 4:42:90; 7. Eric Pison, Odessa High, 4:56:05; 8. Alan French, Lubbock, 4:56:05.

1,600 relay: 1. Tascosa (Alex Plunk, Donald Hutton, Brandon Humphries, Corey Williams), 3:21:58; 2. Lee, 3:22:47; 3. Cooper, 3:24:81; 4. Abilene High, 3:24:82; 5. Odessa High, 3:25:64; 6. Central, 3:26:26; 7. Permian, 3:27:73.

110 hurdles: 1. Jesus Serrano, Abilene High, 14:86; 2. Rodney Bot, Tascosa, 15:14; 3. Corey Williams, Tascosa, 15:29; 4. Luke West, Central, 15:34; 5. Enrique Ronquillo, Odessa High, 16:00; 6. Derian Galindo, Permian, 16:47.

100: 1. Deandra Goodley, Midland High, 10:70; 2. Terry Sims, Lee, 11:06; 3. William Coleman, Cooper, 11:23; 4. Delasae Johnson, Coronado, 11:26; 5. Dexter Neboh, Permian, 11:30; 6. Jacob Hines, Abilene High, 11:49.



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Lee's Ian Johnson lands in the pit during the triple jump at the UIL District 2-5A Track Championship on Friday at Lowrey Field in Lubbock. Johnson finished third in the event.

The area meet is scheduled for April 16-17 and is also at Lowrey Field in Lubbock.

Greenwood trio win gold medals at 4-3A meet

From staff reports

BIG SPRING — A trio of athletes from Greenwood each won gold medals at this week's District 4-3A Track & Field Championships at Memorial Stadium.

Guillermo Manriquez won the boys discus with a toss of 142-feet, 3-inches. Amanda Bell won the girls discus with a throw of 114-8, and also finished second in the shot put at 35-5.

Morgan McKee continued her run in the girls high jump, winning that event with a height of 5-4, which was four inches ahead of teammate Kaleigh Cloyd, who had a mark of 5-0.

The Big Spring girls team won the team title, finishing six points ahead of Abilene Wylie. The Bulldogs boys team won that title, finishing 92 points ahead of second-place Big Spring.

The competitors will now move on to the District 3-3A/4-3A Area Meet, scheduled for Thursday in Pecos.

Team Standings: 1. Wylie 206; 2. Big Spring 114; 3. Greenwood 76; 4. Greenwood 76; 5. Monahans 71; 6. Snyder 70.

100: 1. Tray Kharber, Wylie, 10:76; 2. Zachary Deen, Snyder, 10:91; 3. Jonathan Browning, Sweetwater, 11:04; 4. Jeremy Ayers, Wylie, 11:12; 5. 1. Taron Terrell, Big Spring, 22:20; 2. Isiah McGee, Sweetwater, 22:62; 3. The Calhoun, Wylie, 22:63; 4. Dylan Anderson, Monahans, 22:78.

400: 1. Ryan Lopez, Big Spring; 2. Ian Gonzalez, Big Spring, 50:05; 3. Neil Reed, Greenwood, 51:50; 4. Joseph Allen, Wylie, 52:21; 5. Diego Rodriguez, Big Spring, 52:35; 6. John Humphries, Monahans, 2:05:28; 4. Mark Lawrence, Sweetwater, 2:05:94.

1,600: 1. Daniel Quilty, Wylie, 4:50:34; 2. Isaac Renteria, Monahans, 4:56:86; 3. Diego Rodriguez, Big Spring, 4:59:34; 4. Jon Michael Hernandez, Wylie, 5:00:37.

3,200: 1. Daniel Quilty, Wylie, 10:58:69; 2. Sammy Magallon, Greenwood, 11:02:71; 3. Jose Viegas, Big Spring, 11:09:30; 4. Diego Rodriguez, Big Spring, 11:22:65.

110 Hurdles: 1. Jarrett Fleau, Snyder, 15:42; 2. Charles Green, Big Spring, 15:43; 3. Colin Wilson, Wylie, 15:67; 4. Tyler Christian, Wylie, 16:07.

300 Hurdles: 1. Devin Robinson, Big Spring, 39:74; 2. Jonathan Garcia, Snyder, 41:58; 3. Jarrett Fleau, Snyder, 41:90; 4. Tiso Reyes, Greenwood, 42:11.

400 Relay: 1. Wylie 43:12; 2. Sweetwater 43:13; 3. Monahans 44:09; 4. Greenwood 44:15.

800 Relay: 1. Wylie 1:30:87; 2. Sweetwater 1:32:21; 3. Monahans 1:33:02; 4. Snyder 1:33:24.

1,600 Relay: 1. Big Spring 3:22:85; 2. Wylie 3:30:59; 3. Greenwood 3:30:87; 4. Monahans 3:33:93.

Long Jump: 1. Isiah McGee, Sweetwater, 21-114; 2. Tyler Christian, Wylie, 20-111; 3. Jonathan Browning, Sweetwater, 20-114; 4. Brandon Carlson, Wylie, 19-10.

High Jump: 1. Deshaun Baker, Sweetwater, 6-0; 2. Tate Kennedy, Big Spring, 5-10; 3. Braxton Pineda, Wylie, 12-0; 4. Marcus Montez, Monahans, 5-10.

44-2 Jump: 1. Carson Montez, Monahans, 44-2; 2. Brandon Carlson, Wylie, 43-8; 3. Josiah Light, Wylie, 41-9; 4. Jeremy Ayers, Wylie, 41-7.

Shot Put: 1. Baylen Bait, Wylie, 48-3; 2. Andrew Porter, Snyder, 47-3; 3. Charlie Boling, Big Spring, 47-1; 4. Braden Darrow, Wylie, 45-1.

Discus: 1. Guillermo Manriquez, Greenwood, 142-3; 2. Andrew Porter, Snyder, 139-3; 3. Braden Darrow, Wylie, 131-4; 4. Jack Clinton, Wylie, 130-1.

Pole Vault: 1. Gary Tadvick, Wylie, 12-6; 2. Jack Tadvick, Wylie, 12-0; 3. Hunter Wigninton, Greenwood, 12-0; 4. Nathan Fuentes, Monahans, 11-6.

BOYS

Team Standings: 1. Big Spring 177; 2. Wylie 171; 3. Snyder 86; 4. Greenwood 82; 5. Monahans 74; 6. Sweetwater 25.

148.68: 2. Cooper 149:24; 3. Andrews, 1:51:79; 4. Shallowater, 1:53:35; 5. Levelland, 1:54:87.

400: 1. Sahar Freeman, Estacado, 56:34; 2. Kandace Pope, Shallowater, 1:01:65; 3. RonDayzha Love, Estacado, 1:02:42; 4. Victoria Wright, Cooper, 1:02:84; 5. Nikki Lowren, Seminole, 1:02:86; 6. Coryn Sloan, Cooper, 1:04:19.

300 hurdles: 1. Meredith Sattenwhite, Shallowater, 48:63; 2. Cayenne Williams, Shallowater, 49:32; 3. Kaley Shotts, Shallowater, 49:44; 4. Oanaa Ridge, Andrews, 50:63; 5. Maci French, Levelland, 51:04; 6. Michaela Meyers, Cooper, 51:20.

200: 1. Sahar Freeman, Estacado, 25:20; 2. Hollie Windham, Cooper, 26:66; 3. Sarah Ives, Andrews, 26:87; 4. Lauren Hish, Cooper, 27:19; 5. Kershavia Haskins, Estacado, 27:52; 6. Carl Brockel, Shallowater, 27:77.

1,600: 1. Morgan McCutchen, Levelland, 5:24:42; 2. Hannah Davis, Andrews, 5:33:19; 3. Sabrina Flores, Andrews, 5:55:21; 4. Victoria Roman, Andrews, 5:55:46; 5. Lindsey Spruill, Shallowater, 5:56:04; 6. Alex French, Levelland, 6:13:78.

1,600 relay: 1. Estacado (RonDayzha Love, Janyriane Hardrock, Desirae Johnson, Sahar Freeman), 4:06:62; 2. Andrews, 4:11:54; 3. Lubbock-Cooper, 4:12:13; 4. Shallowater, 4:14:34; 5. Levelland, 4:15:74.

400 relay: 1. Estacado (Simone Dickson, Desirae Johnson, Jacqui Myers, Odessa Blackmore), 50:44; 2. Andrews, 51:37; 3. Shallowater, 51:64; 4. Cooper, 53:41; 5. Levelland, 53:72.

800: 1. Karen Torres, Andrews, 2:28:47; 2. Hannah Haynes, Andrews, 2:29:34; 3. Gabie Ruiz, Levelland, 2:31:77; 4. Kayla Spear, Cooper, 2:34:17; 5. Alex French, Levelland, 2:37:61; 6. Angelica Infante, Andrews, 2:39:13.

100 hurdles: 1. Sarah Ives, Andrews, 15:46; 2. Desirae Johnson, Estacado, 15:76; 3. Oanaa Ridge, Andrews, 16:25; 4. Cayenne Williams, Shallowater, 16:45; 5. Meredith Sattenwhite, Shallowater, 16:96; 6. Tiffany Sanders, Cooper, 17:68.

100: 1. Miranda Lopez, Andrews, 12:91; 2. Hollie Windham, Cooper, 13:09; 3. Olivia Riley, Levelland, 13:31; 4. Amanita Estacado, 13:46; 5. Autumn Lavender, Andrews, 13:48; 6. Tiffanie Luan, Andrews, 13:77.

800 relay: 1. Estacado (Kershavia Haskins, Odessa Blackmore, Haven Thurman, Jacqui Myers), 1:48:68; 2. Cooper 1:49:24; 3. Andrews, 1:51:79; 4. Shallowater, 1:53:35; 5. Levelland, 1:54:87.

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400: 1. Faith Robinson, Big Spring, 1:00:05; 2. Erin Polard, Big Spring, 1:02:09; 3. Morgan Raina, Wylie, 1:03:17; 4. Diamondique Mayes, Big Spring, 1:04:42.

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Long Jump: 1. Faith Robinson, Big Spring, 16-1; 2. Jayle Thomas, Monahans, 15-10; 3. Crystal Ruiz, Monahans, 15-10; 4. Layla Puckett, Wylie, 15-9.

Shot Put: 1. Pundin Mack, Wylie, 39-5; 2. Amanda Bell, Midland Greenwood, 35-5; 3. Alex Braxton, Snyder, 33-5; 4. Cierra Knox, Sweetwater, 30-9.

Discus: 1. Amanda Bell, Greenwood, 114-8; 2. Alexis Ams, Monahans, 105-6; 3. Zaneha Collins, Sweetwater, 104-4; 4. Cierra Knox, Sweetwater, 100-5.

Triple Jump: 1. Daniella Miranda, Snyder, 33-9; 2. Eboni Zaveloff, Big Spring, 33-0; 3. Amanda Sarmiento, Monahans, 32-8; 4. Natesia Sunderland, Greenwood, 31-9.

High Jump: 1. Morgan McKee, Greenwood, 5-4; 2. Kaleigh Cloyd, Greenwood, 5-0; 3. Kiara Ramsey, Big Spring, 4-10; 4. (tie) Abby Garcia, Sweetwater, 4-10; 5. Kinsey Christian, Wylie, 4-10.

Pole Vault: 1. Krystal Ontivero, Monahans, 10-6; 2. Alyssa Martin, Snyder, 10-6; 3. Jacy Andrews, Wylie, 9-0; 4. Becca Baron, Greenwood, 8-9.

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Daley, Stars beat Blues, end playoff drought

By Schuyler Dixon
Associated Press

Stars.....3
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DALLAS — Trevor Daley had a goal and an assist, Kari Lehtonen recorded his fifth shutout of the season, and the Dallas Stars clinched their first playoff berth since 2008 with a 3-0 victory against the St. Louis Blues on Friday night.

The Stars missed the postseason a franchise-record five straight seasons after never going more than one without a playoff trip since moving to Dallas in 1993. The longest previous drought was three seasons in Minnesota in the early 1970s.

St. Louis, outshot 40-22, dropped its fifth straight game for the first time since February of last year. The playoff-bound Blues also jeopardized their shot at the top seed in the Western Conference.

Daley, the only holdover from the team that lost to Detroit in the Western Conference finals six years ago, and Lehtonen were on the ice three years ago for a season-ending loss

at Minnesota when Dallas just needed to win to move on.

Dallas' victory eliminated Phoenix in the race for the West's final playoff spot and kept the Stars from having to worry about a potential win-or-go-home game at the Coyotes on Sunday.

Daley put Dallas up 1-0 when he stole the puck during a series of St. Louis turnovers and raced ahead of everyone before beating Ryan Miller on the glove side early in the second period.

Tyler Seguin's team-leading 37th goal came on the power play 10 seconds after the Blues' Dmitriy Jaskin was called for hooking. Daley sent a pass to Jamie Benn, who zipped the puck through the crease to an open Seguin for an easy shot past Miller.

After Ryan Garbutt tipped in Alex Goligoski's shot from the point in the third period of the home finale, the last 15 minutes were basically a celebration for the sellout crowd

that included a fan with a No. 99 jersey that read "Stanley" — a reference to the franchise's only Stanley Cup title in 1999 when the hockey playoffs were a rite of spring in North Texas.

The Blues knew T.J. Oshie would be sidelined after he took a hit to the head that resulted in a four-game suspension for Minnesota's Mike Rupp. They also ended up missing former Stars captain Brenden Morrow, who injured his foot in practice before the Wild game, and Vladimir Sobotka and Derek Roy, who got hurt during that game.

St. Louis didn't get its first power play until the third period and couldn't convert on two chances with the man advantage in the final 12 minutes.

After the Stars killed the last power play, the crowd stood and cheered for the final two minutes, counting down the last few seconds.

Taylor Lipssett, a Dallas-area resident who won a 2014 Paralympic gold medal with the U.S. in Sochi, was honored before the game.



San Antonio Spurs guard Danny Green, right, defends Phoenix Suns forward Markieff Morris during the second half Friday in San Antonio. San Antonio won 112-104.

FRIDAY IN THE NBA

FROM WIRE REPORTS

Standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE			
ATLANTIC DIVISION			
	W	L	Pct
x-Toronto	48	33	.592
x-Boston	47	34	.578
New York	34	45	.430
Boston	24	55	.304
Philadelphia	17	62	.215

WESTERN CONFERENCE			
CENTRAL DIVISION			
	W	L	Pct
x-Miami	54	25	.684
x-Washington	41	38	.519
x-Charlotte	40	39	.506
Atlanta	35	43	.456
Orlando	23	58	.291

WESTERN CONFERENCE			
SOUTHWEST DIVISION			
	W	L	Pct
x-San Antonio	52	27	.658
x-Houston	48	32	.600
Dallas	47	32	.595
Memphis	47	32	.595
New Orleans	32	47	.405

WESTERN CONFERENCE			
NORTHWEST DIVISION			
	W	L	Pct
x-Oklahoma City	58	21	.734
x-Portland	52	28	.650
Minnesota	40	39	.506
Denver	35	44	.443
Utah	24	55	.304

WESTERN CONFERENCE			
PACIFIC DIVISION			
	W	L	Pct
x-L.A. Clippers	55	24	.696
Golden State	48	31	.606
Phoenix	47	32	.595
Sacramento	27	52	.342
L.A. Lakers	25	53	.321

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Mickelson headed home, misses cut

By Paul Newberry
Associated Press

AUGUSTA, Ga. — Rory McIlroy took off his cap, rubbed his brow and let out a deep sigh.

After rolling in a testy 4-foot putt at the 18th hole, he was one of the fortunate ones Friday.

He gets to keep playing on the weekend at Augusta National.

Not so for Phil Mickelson, who missed the Masters cut for the first time since 1997 after making a mess of three holes. Lefty took triple-bogey on two of them, a double-bogey on another, and wound up with one stroke too many.

"I didn't play great. I didn't play bad," Mickelson said. "I keep making these triples. They're tough to overcome."

He wasn't the only big name headed home.

The last major champion, PGA winner Jason Dufner, missed the cut by six shots.

Former Masters champions Zach Johnson, Trevor Immelman and Charl

Schwartzel were on the wrong side of the line, too. Ditto for Ernie Els, Sergio Garcia, Dustin Johnson and Luke Donald.

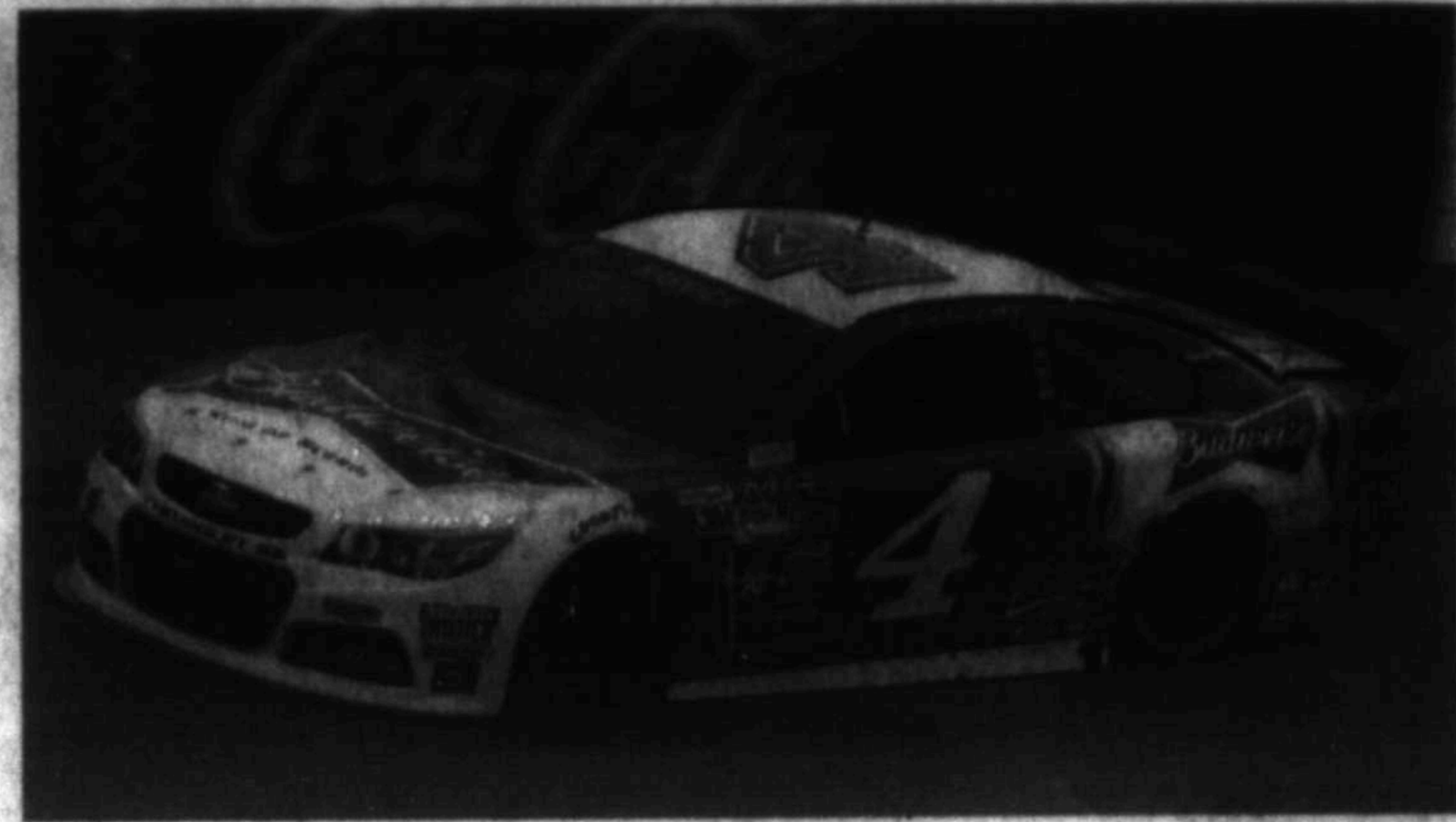
"Just made some silly errors here and there," said Els, whose 2-over 74 left him with a 5-over 149, which like Mickelson was one shot more than he could afford. "I'm actually driving it well, doing a lot of things well, but just getting in my own way here and there." Mickelson dug himself a big hole with a 76 on Thursday, marred by a triple-bogey 7 at the seventh and a double-bogey 7 at the 15th. In the second round, his undoing was the par-3 12th, where Lefty deposited his tee shot in the front bunker, whacked the next over the cup into a back bunker, then put his third shot back in the front bunker. He finally got it on the green and two-putted for a 6.

Mickelson had six birdies and played 33 of the 36 holes at 3 under. Those other three holes did him in, and a 73 Friday not quite good enough.

"I've actually played reasonably well for a majority of the holes," he said. "Then the ones I let slide I end up making a big number. So it's tough to overcome those big numbers."

Garcia, Donald and Schwartzel were also at 149. Zach Johnson totaled 150, one stroke better than Dustin Johnson. Cabrera, who nearly won his second green jacket a year ago but lost to Adam Scott in a playoff, struggled to a 152 this time. Bradley, the PGA winner at Atlanta Athletic Club in 2011, and Immelman never really had a chance on the way to 153.

McIlroy came oh-so-close to missing out on the final two rounds. Some of it was his own fault, like at the par-3 fourth, where he not only drove it over the green but also the tee box for the fifth hole, winding up in the woods 30 yards beyond his intended target. He found the ball but had to go back to the tee for a do-over, winding up with a double bogey.



Mike McCarr/AP

Kevin Harvick steers into Turn 1 during qualifying for a Sprint Cup race at Darlington Speedway in Darlington, S.C., on Friday. Harvick won the pole position for today's race.

Harvick wins 1st Darlington pole

By Pete Iacobelli
Associated Press

DARLINGTON, S.C. — Kevin Harvick won his first career pole at Darlington Raceway on Friday as he looks to chase his first Southern 500.

Harvick came out on top in the first knockout qualifying session at NASCAR's oldest superspeedway since the circuit made the change from single-car laps. Joey Logano, the winner Monday in Texas, was second, followed by Aric Almirola.

Almirola's teammate, Marcos Ambrose, was fourth, followed by Brad Keselowski, Jamie McMurray, Ryan Newman and Kyle Busch.

Points leader Jeff Gordon, a seven-time Darlington winner, will start ninth, with Denny Hamlin rounding out the top 10.

Almirola finished first in the second of three rounds of qualifying and set a track record of 184.145 mph, shattering Kurt Busch's mark of 181.918 set last May when the Southern 500 was held on Mother's Day weekend. It's the sixth time in eight races this season the qualifying record fell.

But Harvick used a higher line in the final segment to lead the field.

"It all worked out. Knockout qualifying paid off for us today because we were able to save the best for last," Harvick said.

Harvick, in his first season with Stewart-Haas Racing, hasn't been a qualifying demon during

Lineup

- NASCAR Sprint Cup-2014 Sprint Southern 500 Lineup
- After Friday qualifying, race today at Darlington Raceway, Darlington, S.C.
- Lap length: 1.366 miles (Car number in parentheses)
- (4) Kevin Harvick, Chevrolet, 183.479 mph
 - (22) Joey Logano, Ford, 183.049
 - (43) Aric Almirola, Ford, 182.946
 - (9) Marcos Ambrose, Ford, 182.495
 - (2) Brad Keselowski, Ford, 182.059
 - (1) Jamie McMurray, Chevrolet, 182.019
 - (31) Ryan Newman, Chevrolet, 181.985
 - (14) Kyle Busch, Toyota, 181.763
 - (94) Jeff Gordon, Chevrolet, 181.726
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 - (28) Cole Whitt, Toyota, Owner Points
 - (88) Joe Nemechek, Toyota, Owner Points. Failed to Qualify
 - (38) David Reutemann, Ford

his successful NASCAR career, winning just six of them in his previous 473 career Sprint Cup races. He said his triumph Friday was simple — he had the fastest car.

"We just had faster cars to drive in qualifying," he said. His No. 4 Chevrolet team has improved in finding qualifying speed the past few weeks. Harvick hadn't started better than 13th in his first four events. He's had a fourth, a third and a first in qualifying in three of past four events.

It didn't look like anyone would have the speed to move past Almirola in the second segment, whose fast lap was more than 2 mph quicker than the old mark.

"That track record lap I actually felt like I was

going faster in the third session than the second session," Almirola said. "But the record was in the second session. It was a great lap for us and I am proud of everyone (at Richard Petty Motorsports)."

In all, 25 drivers went faster than Kurt Busch's old record in the first round of qualifying. There were 14 who bettered Busch's 2013 mark in the second session. The top seven qualifiers ran faster than the old record in the final run.

Among those not advancing to the second round were six-time Sprint Cup champion Jimmie Johnson and Matt Kenseth. The two drivers combined for 13 victories last season, yet each is winless through the first seven events this year.

MASTERS

From 1B

the greens." Look who's in the mix again, too: 54-year-old Fred Couples, who posted his second straight 71.

This is the fifth straight year the 1992 winner has gone to the weekend in the top 10 — he was leading two years ago — but he's never been able to hang on.

"I can't panic," said Couples, looking to become the oldest major champion in golf history. "You're not going to pick up two or three shots here because you want to. It's not that kind of course. You've got to hang in there, expect a tough shot here and there. It's going to be a tough day tomorrow."

And don't count out defending champion Adam Scott, who got off to a rough start but rallied for 72. The Aussie was among those four shots back, still solidly in contention to become only the fourth back-to-back winner in Masters history.

Watson opened Thursday with a 69 and went bogey-free through the first 26 holes, finally stumbling at the ninth. But that bogey was quickly forgotten when he put on a dazzling display of the golf that had the patrons roaring. He took advantage of both par 5s, sandwiched around a curling, 40-foot birdie putt at the 14th that prompted him to throw both arms in the air.

Watson made it five in a row at the par-3 16th, pulling off another magnificent tee shot with the 9-iron, the ball rolling up about 4 feet short of the flag. He became only the fifth player in Masters history to run off nothing but birdies from the 12th to 16th holes.

A year ago, the left-hander finished in a tie for 50th last year as the defending Masters champion, his worst showing in five previous appearances. He likes being two years removed from his title a whole lot better.

"I was in awe when I was the champion," Wat-



Chris Carlson/AP

Bubba Watson hits out of a bunker on the second hole during the second round of the Masters on Friday in Augusta, Ga.

son said. "I didn't know how to handle it the best way, so I didn't play my best golf."

Watson's closest pursuer was Australia's John Senden, who birdied 14 and 15 on his way to a 68 and 140 overall.

Scott bogeyed three of the first five holes but wound up at 141. He was joined by Denmark's Thomas Bjorn, who birdied four of the last five holes for a 68; Sweden's Jonas Blixt, who managed 71 despite a double-bogey at the 11th; and 20-year-old Jordan Spieth, hardly looking like an Augusta rookie when he closed out 70 with a birdie at the tough finishing hole.

Five shots back with Couples were Jimmy Walker, a three-time PGA Tour winner this season who shot 72, and Jim Furyk, whose 68 matched Watson, Senden and Bjorn for the best round of the day.

First-round leader Bill Haas, teeing off on a warm, sunny afternoon with the wind picking up and the greens getting

firmer, was still at 4 under approaching the turn. Then came a miserable stretch of holes starting at No. 9: bogey, bogey, double-bogey, bogey, bogey. He staggered to a 78 — 10 shots higher than the day before, knocking him nine shots back.

At least Haas gets to keep playing.

Three-time winner Phil Mickelson missed the Augusta cut for the first time since 1997.

Lefty had a triple-bogey at the 12th, where he knocked three straight shots in bunkers for his second triple of the tournament. Three birdies on the back side gave him a glimmer of hope, but 73 totaled up to 149 — one shot too many.

"It's tough to overcome those big numbers," said Mickelson, who had plenty of big-name company beyond the cut line.

Sergio Garcia, Luke Donald, Ernie Els, Graeme McDowell, Dustin Johnson, Angel Cabrera and Charl Schwartzel were all headed home as well before the weekend.

MASTERS SCORES

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Stephen Gallacher	71-72-143
Russell Henley	73-70-143
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'Hounds lose pitchers' duel to Travelers

Travelers 2, RockHounds 1

From staff reports

NORTH LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — The Arkansas Travelers took advantage of an error to edge the Midland RockHounds, 2-1, in a pitching duel at Dickey-Stephens Park on Friday.

The game was tied at 1 in the fifth when Jett Bandy doubled and moved to third on a groundout. But then with two outs, Shawn O'Malley grounded to second base and Conner Crumbliss misplayed it, allowing Bandy to score the go-ahead run.

Crumbliss actually gave the RockHounds the early lead with a two-out solo home run to right field in the first inning. Crumbliss also had two of the six Midland hits in the game.

Arkansas tied it at 1 in the second when Zach Borenstein led off the inning with a double and later scored on a sacrifice fly by Bandy.

Runs were hard to come by for both teams as Midland's Tanner Peters (0-2) was locked in a pitching duel with Arkansas' Drew Rucinski (2-0) through five innings. The Travelers' bullpen had four pitchers allowed a combined one hit through the last four innings with Mike Morin picking up his third save of the season with a perfect ninth.

Jeff Urlaub pitched two perfect innings for Midland.

The RockHounds now look to avoid the three-game sweep of the Travelers with the final game of the series at 6:10 p.m. today.

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Verdasco advances to Clay Court semifinals

Associated Press

HOUSTON — Fourth-seeded Fernando Verdasco beat Donald Young Jr. 7-6 (1), 6-1 on Friday in the quarterfinals of the U.S. Men's Clay Court Championships.

Verdasco, from Spain, will face Santiago Giraldo in the semifinals Saturday. Giraldo beat Colombian countryman Alejandro Gonzalez 6-3, 6-4.

Sam Querrey beat Dustin Brown 6-3, 6-7 (8), 6-3 to set up a match against third-seeded Nicolas Pietrangeli, a 6-2, 6-4 winner of Jack Sock.

In the doubles semifinals, top-seeded Bob and Mike Bryan beat Chris Guccione and Lleyton Hewitt 7-5, 6-3, and Verdasco and David Marrero topped Giraldo and Gonzalez 6-4, 6-2.



Associated Press

Rangers beat Astros in 12 innings

The Texas Rangers' Elvis Andrus connects for a single in front of Houston Astros catcher Jason Castro during the third inning Friday in Arlington. The game between Texas' two teams took 12 innings to settle, but the Rangers pulled off the 1-0 win.

FRIDAY IN THE MLB

FROM WIRE REPORTS

American League

RED SOX 4, YANKEES 2

NEW YORK — Grady Sizemore hit a three-run homer in the sixth inning and the Boston Red Sox finally gave Jon Lester enough run support for his first win of the year, 4-2 over the New York Yankees on Friday night.

Jonny Gomes homered leading off the sixth against CC Sabathia (1-2), and the four-run inning was more than Boston had scored for Lester in his first two starts combined. Despite a 2.51 ERA coming in, Lester (1-2) was at risk of failing to 0-3 for the first time in his career.

The left-hander was lifted with two outs in the seventh after Kelly Johnson singled to pull the Yankees within two runs. Junichi Tazawa relieved and retired Derek Jeter on a flyout.

Lester allowed Alfonso Soriano's homer starting the second and six hits overall. He improved to 12-5 in 27 starts against New York.

Edward Mujica was perfect in the ninth for his first save with Boston. Red Sox closer Koji Uehara was bothered by shoulder stiffness before the game and was held out as a precaution.

BLUE JAYS 2, ORIOLES 0

BALTIMORE — Dustin McGowan allowed five hits over 6 1-3 innings to earn his first win since 2006, and Toronto used two unearned runs to beat Chris Tillman and Baltimore.

Making his second start since September 2011, the off-injured McGowan (1-1) struck one, hit two batters and walked out two. He had faced the Orioles 13 times previously — going 0-3 with a 6.99 ERA in 37 1-3 innings.

The right-hander spent time on the disabled list in each of the last six seasons. He had shoulder surgery in 2008 and 2010 and missed the entire 2012 season. In his debut this year, McGowan didn't make it out of the third inning in a loss to the New York Yankees.

Against Baltimore, however, he allowed only one runner past second base for his first win since June 22, 2006.

Brett Cecil got five straight outs and Sergio Santos worked a perfect ninth for his fourth save.

Tillman (1-1) allowed three hits over eight innings, lowering his ERA to 0.84.

WHITE SOX 9, INDIANS 6

CHICAGO — Conner Gillaspie had a career-high four RBIs, leading Chris Sale and the Chicago White Sox to a 9-6 victory over the Cleveland Indians on Friday night.

Sale (3-0) pitched five innings in his first win against Cleveland since May 1, 2012. The left-hander allowed three runs and six hits while throwing 105 pitches.

The White Sox have captured the first two games of their first series of the year against the Indians, who had a 17-2 record against Chicago last season. They play again today and Sunday.

Indians starter Carlos Carrasco (0-2) was tagged for five runs and six hits in 4 2-3 innings.

TWINS 10, ROYALS 1

MINNEAPOLIS — Chris Colabello drove in three runs, Kyle Gibson pitched into the seventh inning and the Minnesota Twins beat the Kansas City Royals 10-1 on Friday night to end a nine-game home losing streak that dated to last season.

Joemil Pinto homered for the Twins, who reached double digits in runs for the third time this year.

Mike Moustakas had two hits for Kansas City, which had won seven straight at Target Field.

A 4-6 start to the season for Minnesota has been largely due to ineffective starting pitching. The Twins had received just two outings of six or more innings entering the game — only one quality start — and the other four starters besides Gibson have a combined 7.50 ERA.

National League

BREWERS 4, PIRATES 2

MILWAUKEE — Aramis Ramirez hit a two-run homer that backed Willy Peralta, and the Milwaukee Brewers extended their winning streak to seven with a 4-2 victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates on Friday night.

Francisco Liriano befuddled the Brewers with his slider over the first three innings before Ramirez sent a 1-2 fastball over the left-field wall for a 2-0 lead.

At 8-2 on the year, the Brewers are off to their best

start since opening with 13 wins in 1987.

Peralta (1-0) allowed four hits in seven innings, but gave up a two-run homer to Neil Walker in the seventh.

Francisco Rodriguez struck out the side in the ninth for his third save.

Liriano (0-2) struck out seven over six innings. He was charged with four runs and four hits.

PHILLIES 6, MARLINS 3

PHILADELPHIA — Marlon Byrd drove in two runs and Philadelphia knocked around Jose Fernandez in one of his worst major league starts, beating Miami to snap a four-game skid.

Phillies starter A.J. Burnett left in the fourth inning because of a sore groin, but Philadelphia chased Fernandez (2-1) with three runs in the fifth en route to its first home win of the season.

Fernandez, last season's NL Rookie of the Year, was tagged for eight hits and a career-worst six earned runs in four-plus innings. The right-hander walked four, matching a career high, and struck out six.

Derek Dietrich homered for the Marlins, who lost their fifth straight. Miami has been outscored 32-13 during the slide.

Left-hander Jake Diekmann (1-0) got two outs for the win and Jonathan Papelbon pitched a scoreless ninth for his second save in three chances.

BRAVES 7, NATIONALS 6, 10 INNINGS

ATLANTA — Jordan Schafer scored from first base on Justin Upton's bloop single to right field with two outs in the 10th inning, giving the Atlanta Braves a 7-6 win over the Washington Nationals on Friday night.

Chris Johnson singled with two outs off left-hander Jerry Blevins (1-1), and Schafer pinch ran. With a 2-2 count, Schafer ran on the pitch and Upton dropped a single in front of Bryce Harper.

Schafer already was rounding third when Schafer bobbled the ball. No error was charged.

Luis Avilan (2-1) pitched around two walks, one intentional, in the 10th.

Upton hit a solo home run in the eighth off Tyler Clippard that tied the score 6-6, his third homer in two games. Atlanta's Ramiro Pena and Washington's Ryan Zimmerman hit three-run drives — Zimmerman following a throwing error by Dan Uggla on a

routine grounder to second

Interleague

RAYS 2, REDS 1

CINCINNATI — David Price took a shutout into the ninth and Matt Joyce homered, helping Tampa Bay earn its first victory in Cincinnati.

The teams have a brief and lopsided interleague history. The Reds had won eight of their nine previous games, with Tampa Bay's only win coming at Tropicana Field on June 28, 2011, on Evan Longoria's game-ending homer.

Joyce connected against Johnny Cueto (0-2) as the Rays finally got a victory in their second visit to Great American Ball Park.

Price (2-0) allowed four hits and one walk, losing his shutout when Joey Votto homered to the opposite field with one out in the ninth. Grant Balfour walked the bases loaded in-between getting the final two outs, throwing a called third strike by pinch-hitter Brayan Pena to secure his third save.

Standings

Table showing American League East Division standings with columns for Team, W, L, Pct., GB.

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Texas Tech gets win over conference foe K-State

From staff reports

LUBBOCK — Texas Tech scored three runs in the fifth inning and held off a late Kansas State rally in the ninth to win its first Big 12 series opener of the season, 4-3, on Friday evening in front of 2,709 fans at Dan Law Field at Rip Griffin Park.

The victory improves Texas Tech to 26-11 overall and to 6-7 in Big 12 play. Tech has matched its total number of wins from a year ago (26) while also equaling its

home wins (19) from 2013. KSU (20-14, 2-5 Big 12) dropped to 5-10 on the road this season.

Junior left-handed pitcher Cameron Smith (5-0) earned the win in relief pitching five scoreless innings allowing just one base hit and a walk with five strikeouts.

KSU starting pitcher Levi MaVorris (4-4) took the loss allowing three runs (two earned) on six hits with three strikeouts and a walk in 6 1/3 innings.

With Tech trailing 2-0, the Red Raiders started the fifth inning

with three consecutive base hits, the third a bunt single by shortstop Tim Proudfoot that ended with a run scoring on a throwing error by MaVorris.

Midland Christian grad Hunter Redman, (2-for-3) who singled to left in the fifth, then scored on Stephen Smith's grounder to shortstop Austin Fisher. Fisher bobbled the grounder and then threw wide at first base, allowing Smith to reach base and Proudfoot to score from second base on the second error of the play for a 3-2 advantage.

Tech added to its lead and scored the eventual game-winning run in the eighth when Adam Kirsch tapped a grounder back to KSU reliever Jake Matthys, who fielded and threw home but the throw was wild and pinch runner Zach Davis scored on the play to give Tech a 4-2 lead.

In the ninth Red Raider reliever Johnny Drozd allowed a run but earned his third save of the season when he got Max Brown to ground out to Jake Barrios at third to end the game.

A year after, Boston and its people heal

By Denise Lavole and Paige Sutherland
Associated Press

BOSTON — Every time Roseann Sdoia comes home, she must climb 18 steps — six stairs into the building, another 12 to her apartment. It is an old building in Boston's North End, with doors that are big and heavy, not an easy place for an amputee to live.

When she left the hospital, a month after the Boston marathon bombing, she had a choice: She could find another place to live, one more suitable for someone who wears a prosthetic that replaces most of her right leg. Or, she could stay.

"Early on when all this happened, so many people were telling me to move out of the city and move out of my apartment because of the stairs and I don't have an elevator and parking is not very convenient," she recalls. "But I have been able to get past all of that."

In that, she mirrors Boston itself.

"I have to tell you, honestly, Boston is a better city now than it was before," says Thomas Menino, Boston's former mayor. "People learned how to deal with each other, they had to deal with a tragedy."

Not that it's been easy. Three people were killed at last year's Boston Marathon, and more than 260 were injured, and the legacy of trauma and lost limbs remains — as does the shock of having endured a terrorist attack on Marathon Monday. Nor can Bostonians forget the fear that gripped a city locked down in the midst of a manhunt.

But Boston has been able to get past all of that. Copley Square is no longer littered with impromptu



Charles Krupa/AP

In this May 14, 2013 photo, Boston Marathon bombing survivor Roseann Sdoia, from the North End neighborhood of Boston, is hugged and lifted off the ground by Boston firefighter Mike Meteria as she leaves Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital in Boston. Meteria was part of a group of first responders who brought Sdoia to the hospital after she lost part of her right leg in an explosion near the race's finish line. The same first responders were on hand for Sdoia's departure from the Boston hospital.

tributes to the dead and injured; they're now on display in an exhibit at the Boston Public Library, where Robert White of Lynn saw meaning in every teddy bear and pair of sneakers: "Every last one of the items says 'Boston Strong' or 'I will return next year.'"

Roseann Sdoia is 46 years old, a vice president of property management for a Boston development company. She is a cheerful woman; she smiles broadly when she arrives at the Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital in Charlestown for physical therapy.

"It's just my nature," she says. "I'm not a negative person. I'm not a Debbie Downer."

Still, she says, she cries every day.

"What is sinking in is that life has changed," she says, her face awash with tears.

Sdoia is a runner, but she did not take part in the marathon. She was at the finish line on April 15, rooting for friends in the race, when the second bomb went off. Aside from her leg injury, she suffered hearing loss.

"Other than losing the bottom of my right leg, I'm still me," she says. "I haven't changed, I am still the same person I was before."

And yet, so much has changed. She had to take more leave from the job she loved. Winter, and snow, were tough to

handle. She's had to tackle daily tasks — showering, vacuuming — differently.

Marc Fucarile, a 35-year-old roofer from Stoneham, also lost his right leg from above the knee; he has shrapnel in his heart, and still could lose his left leg.

"Everything has changed," he says. "How I use the bathroom, how I shower, how I brush my teeth, how I get in and out of bed."

His 6-year-old son, Gavin, does not always understand. "Gavin is like, 'Hey, you want to go out and play?' and I'm like, 'There's a foot of snow. I can't do snow. We're not going out and playing right now, sorry buddy.' It breaks my heart."

Jennifer Lawrence, a social worker at Boston Medical Center, says the emphasis on "Boston Strong" had had some unhappy consequences.

"A lot of it is portraying that people are so resilient and so strong. While that is absolutely true, we are neglecting that people still have hard days," she said.

In the aftermath of the bombings, more than 600 people took advantage of the medical center's mental health services. And while most needed no help after the first few months, she has seen an increase in demand in recent weeks, as the anniversary approached.

Still, she says a "vast majority" of those who came through the hospital's programs intend to attend this year's marathon, either as bystanders or runners.

Nicole Lynch will be there. Her brother, Sean Collier, was the MIT officer who was shot to death, allegedly by the two suspects in the bombings.

She will be at the race with Team Collier Strong — a group of 25 friends and family members, including two of her siblings, who will run to raise money for a scholarship fund to put one person a year through law enforcement training.

William Evans will be there, but he has little choice. He has run the marathon 18 times — including last year — but this time he will be there as police commissioner, supervising beefed-up security including more than 3,500 police officers (more than twice last year's force), more security cameras, more bomb-sniffing dogs, and restrictions on the kinds of bags runners and spectators can bring.

"It weighs heavy on my mind, that I want this to go off well," he says. "I don't want anyone hurt. I don't ever want a repeat of the tragedy we saw that day."

In the first three months after the explosions, the One Fund collected nearly \$61 million in donations. In the next five months, another \$12 million in contributions came in.

This big-heartedness was mirrored by a sort of proud defiance, exemplified by "Boston Strong." The amount of merchandise bearing the slogan was astonishing.

"In the immediate aftermath of the bombings, it became a peaceful mantra that people could repeat and believe in. And if they said it enough, tweeted it enough, hash-tagged it enough, it would actually be true," says Dan Soleau, a brand development manager for Marathon Sports.

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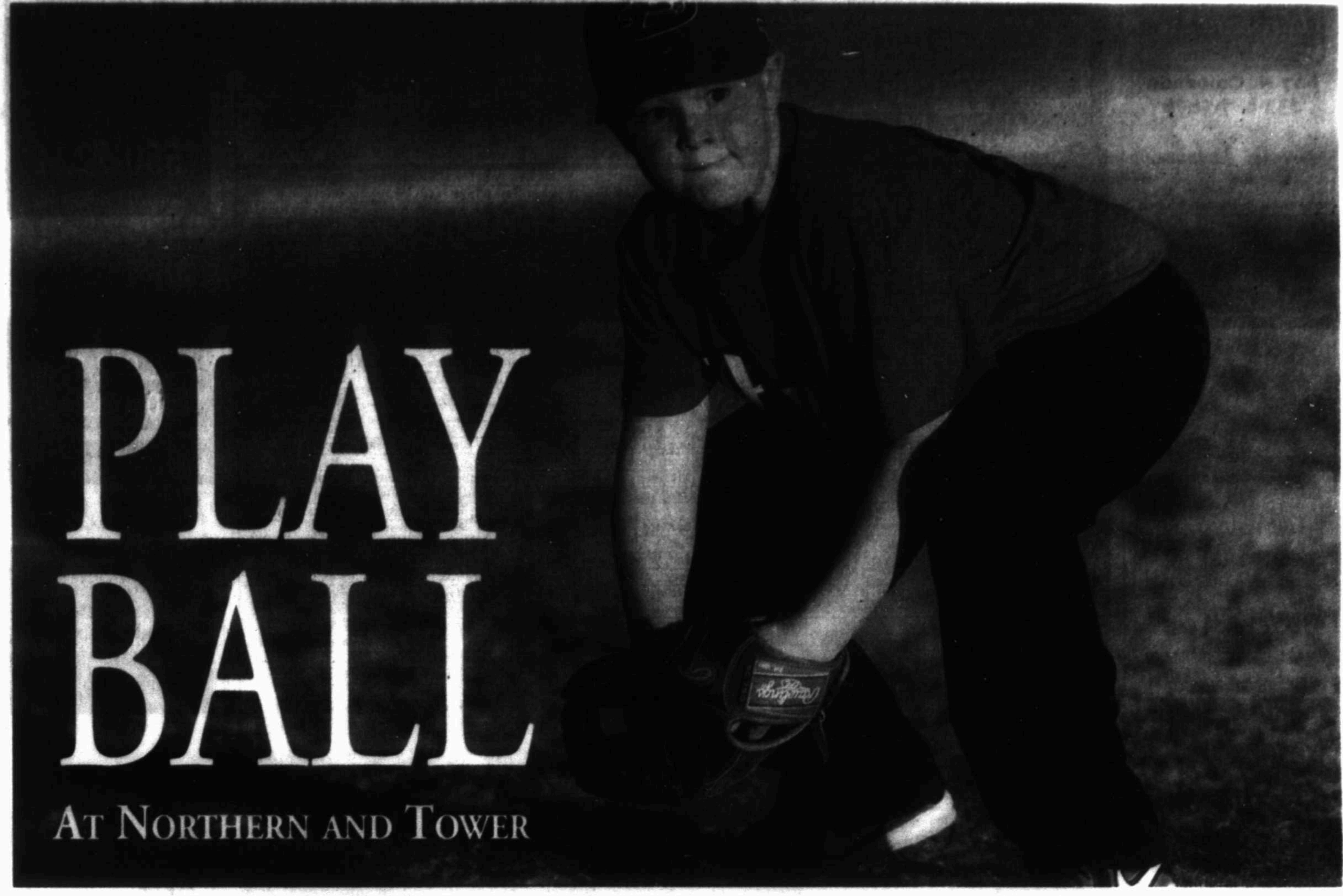
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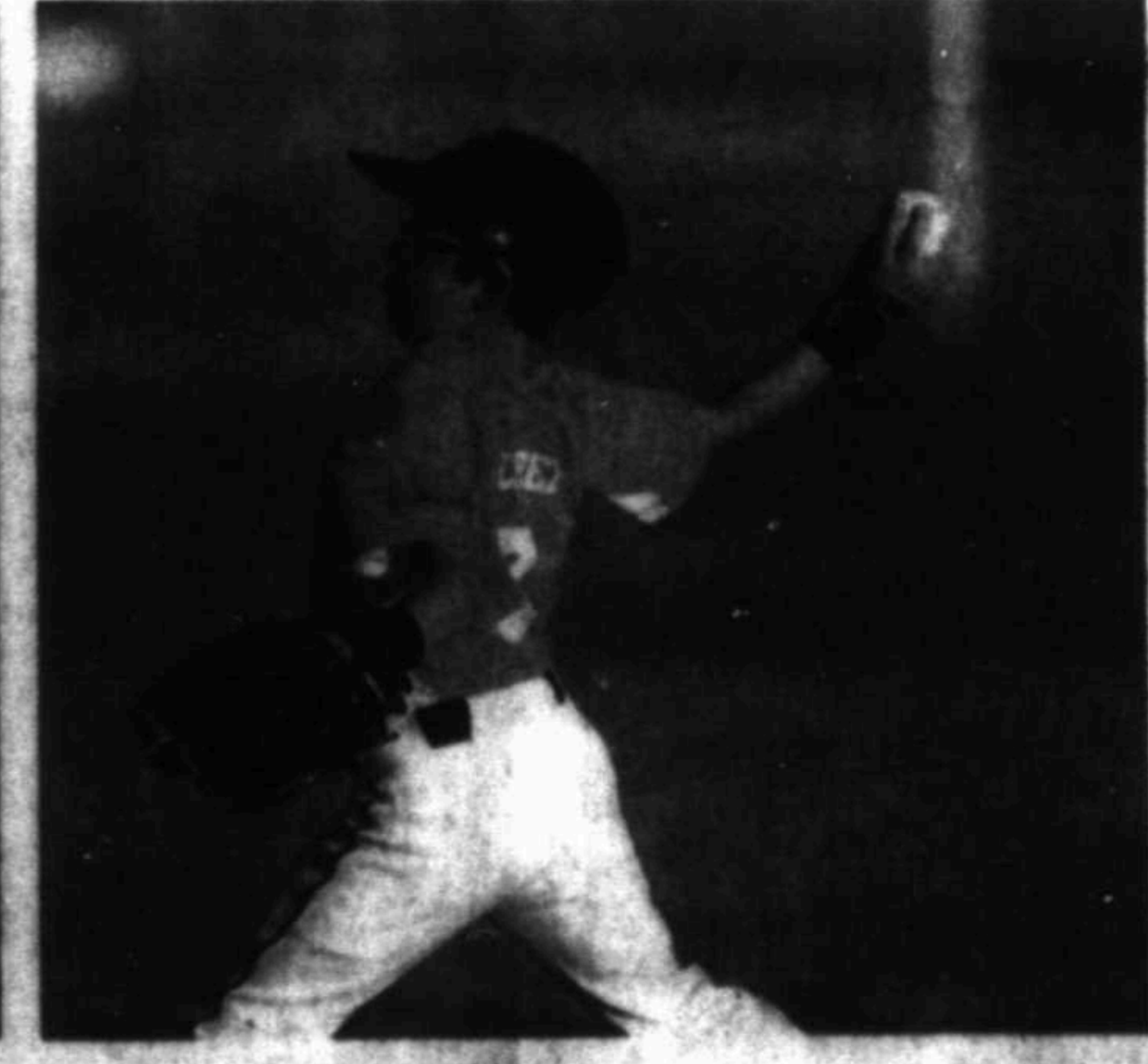
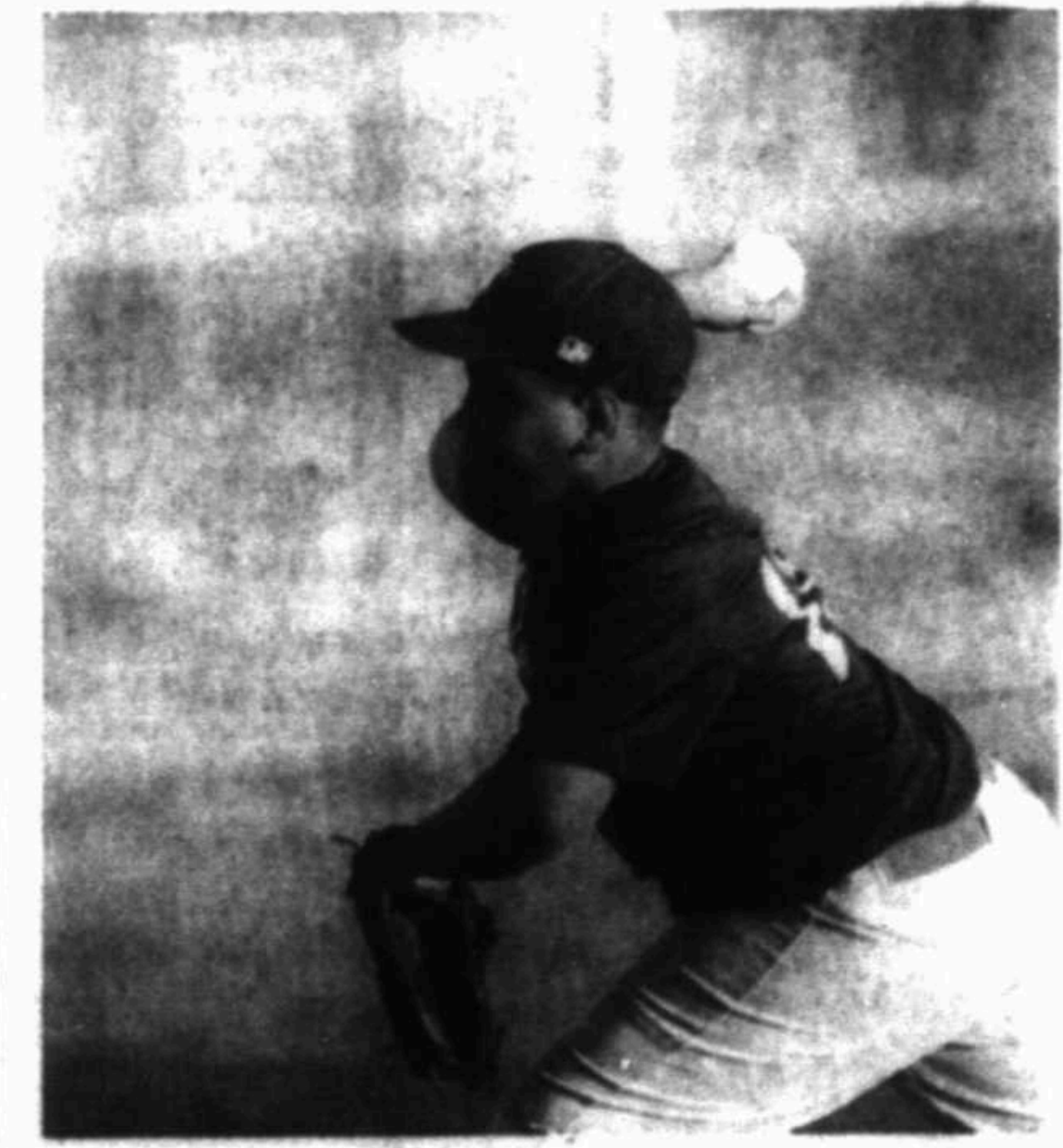
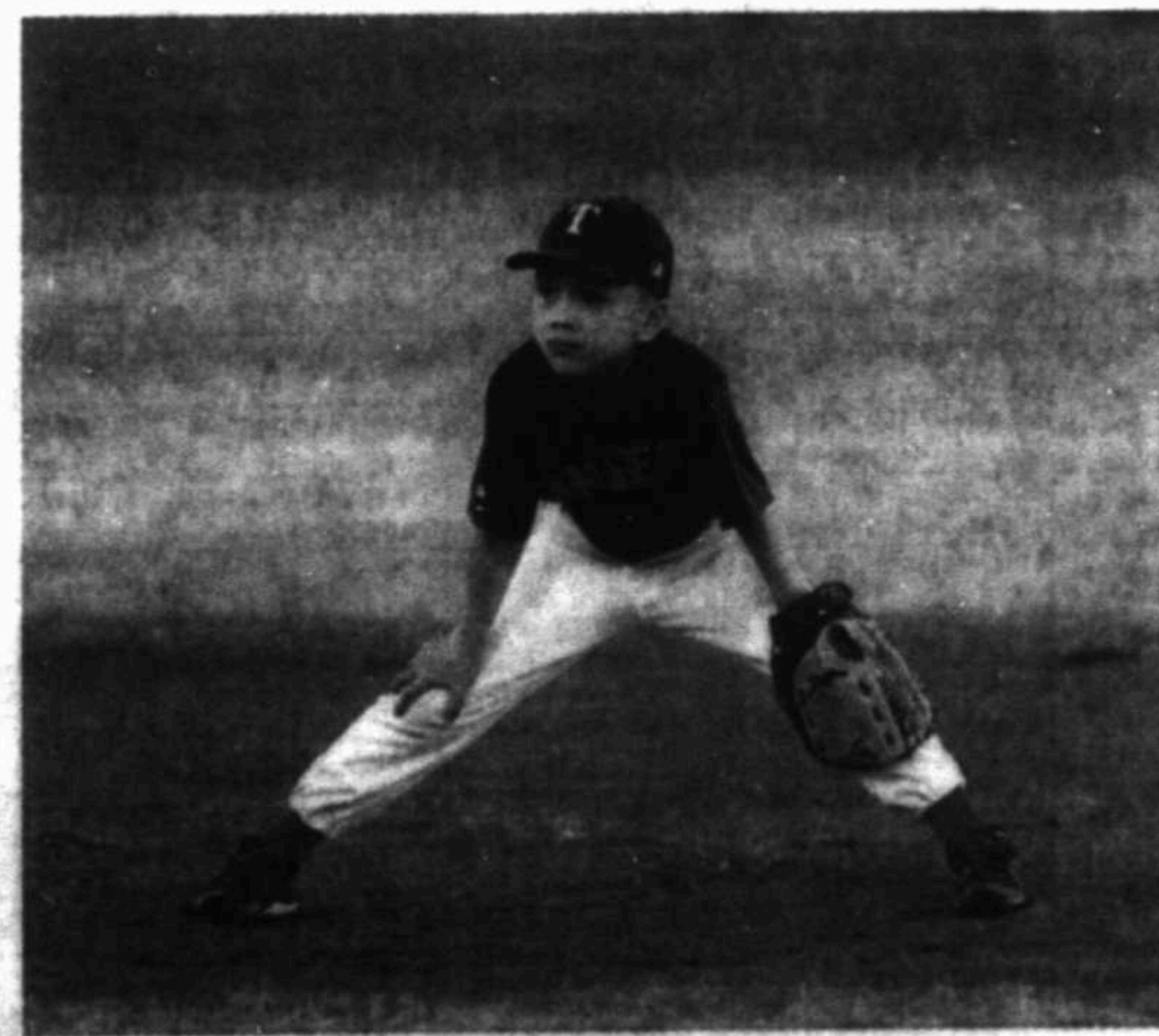
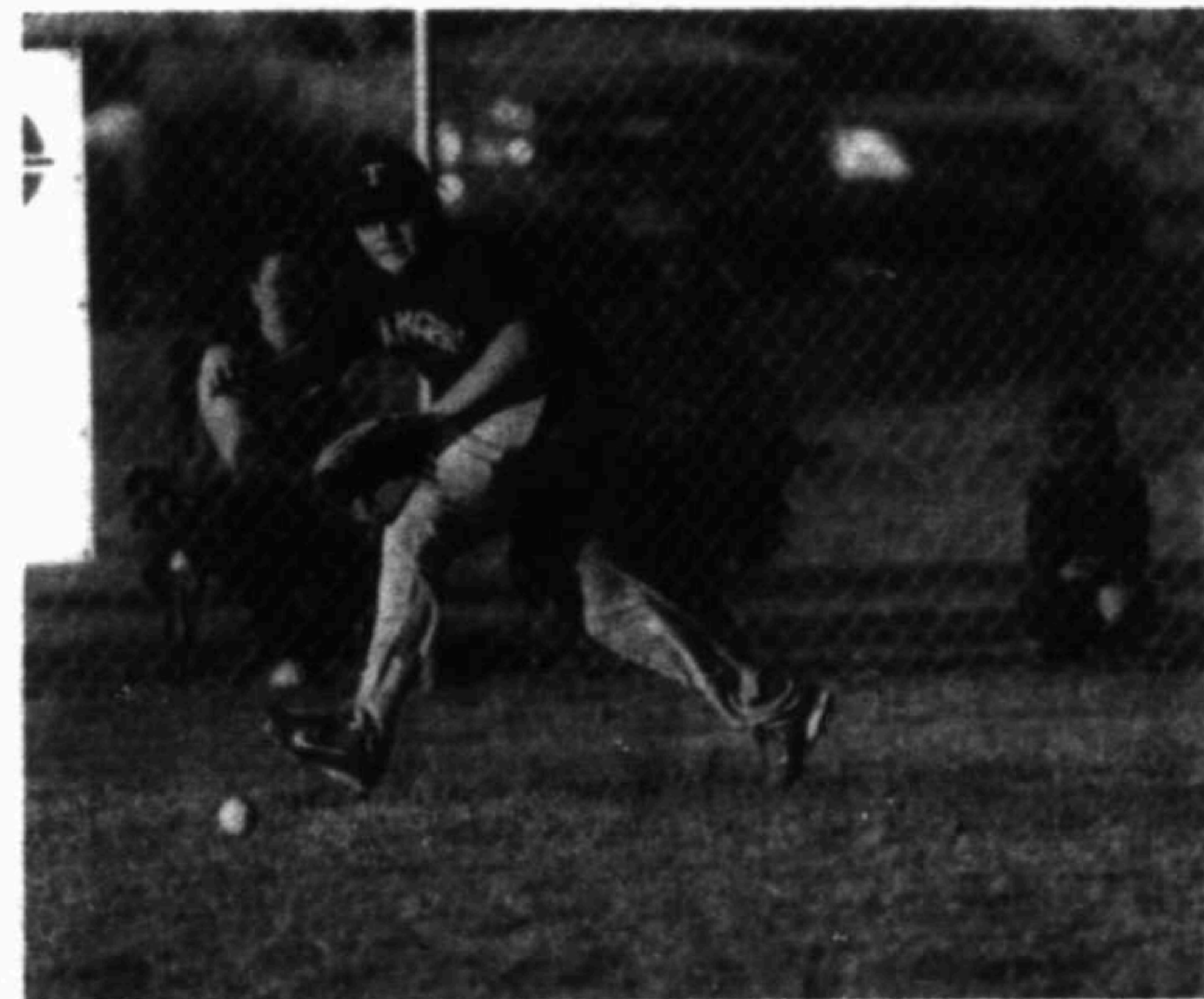
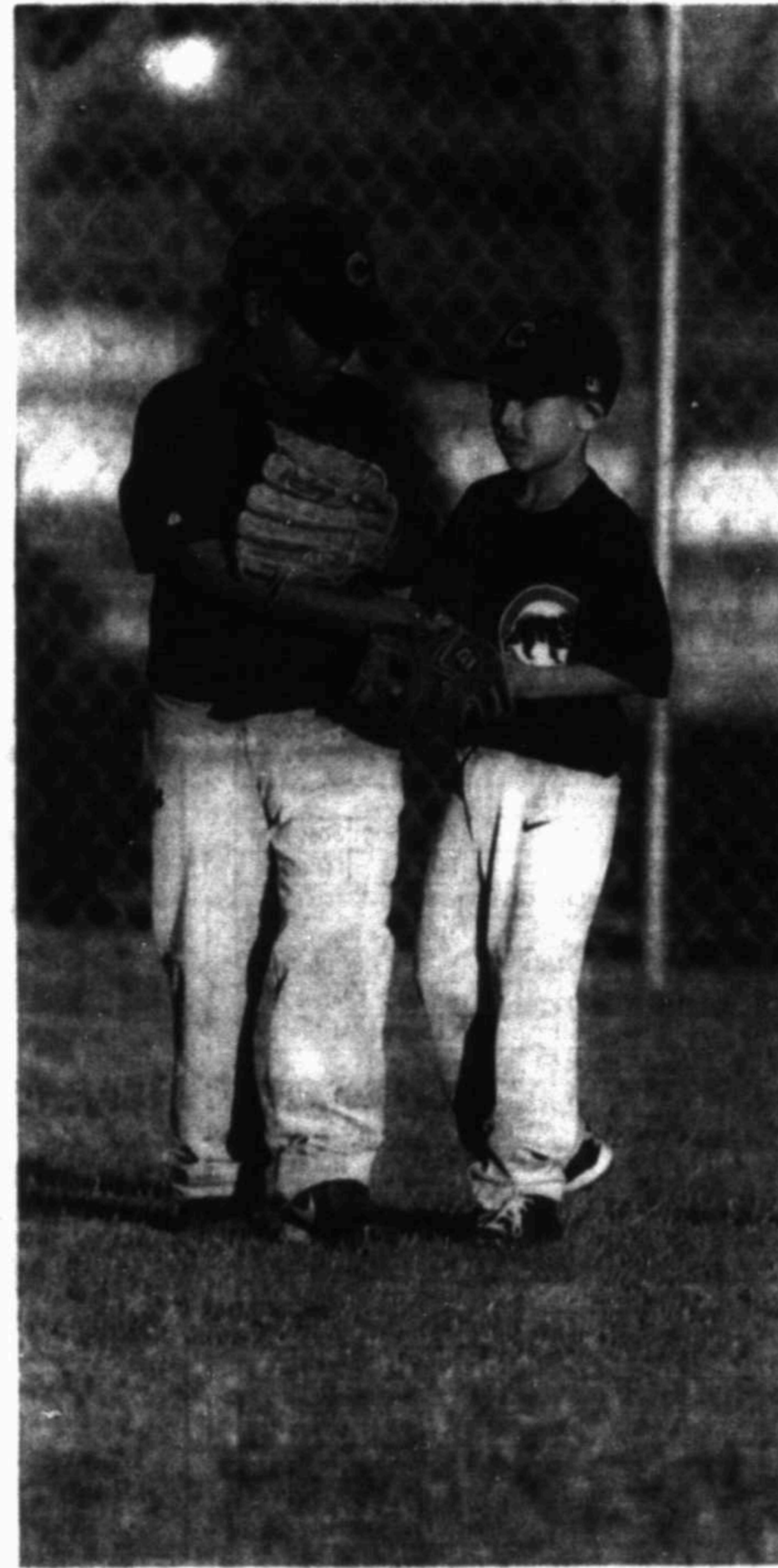
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PLAY BALL

AT NORTHERN AND TOWER

Little League gets underway in Midland. Seen here are players with Tower Little League on Thursday at Beal Park and Northern Little League on Wednesday at Butler Sports Complex. See these and other Little League photos throughout the season in the galleries at mrt.com.



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Channel	Time	Program	Channel	Time	Program
KMID ABC	6 AM	Wilda House	GMA Saturday	7 AM	Wild C.
KOSA CBS	6:30	Morning Saturday	LuckyDog	8 AM	Ocean M.
KWWT CW	7 AM	Pulsus! Land Loss	Green	8:30	Explore
KPEJ FOX	7:30	Consumer Consumer	Animal R.	9 AM	S.Rescue
KMLM IND	8 AM	(5:00) Light of south	Donkey Wonder	9:30	Wildlife D.E.
KWES NBC	8:30	Farmat. Paid	Saturday (N)	10 AM	Wild Family
KPBT PBS	9 AM	C.George Cat/Hat	Peg + Cat	10:30	Family Bucket
KUPB UNI	9:30	Pagado Pagado	PocoYo Backyard	11 AM	Family Bull Ride
KOSA MNT	10 AM	JTV Direct	Aqua Kid Dragon	11:30	Family Wagon Train

SATURDAY AFTERNOON APRIL 12, 2014

Channel	Time	Program	Channel	Time	Program
KMID ABC	12 PM	Mr. Box	Mr. Box	1:30	Celebrity Wife Swap
KOSA CBS	12:30	BullRide Sports.	Sports Spec. (N)	2 PM	ESPN Sports Saturday
KWWT CW	1 PM	GunsMoke	Bonanza	2:30	Augusta National Golf Club - Augusta, Ga. (L)
KPEJ FOX	1:30	Mazda Younger	Mother Mother	3 PM	Wanted Wanted
KMLM IND	2 PM	News Walking	Dr. Wadge Uri Harel	3:30	Rifeman Rifeman
KWES NBC	2:30	W.America Paid	Skiing Megalope	4 PM	Adam 12 Adam 12
KPBT PBS	3 PM	Texas Old House	House HomeT	4:30	NASCAR Auto Race
KUPB UNI	3:30	Sabadazo	Access Hollywood	5 PM	BASPres. Day Disc.
KOSA MNT	4 PM	RedCarpe	Green Homeown.	5:30	Paed News

SATURDAY PRIME TIME APRIL 12, 2014

Channel	Time	Program	Channel	Time	Program
KMID ABC	6 PM	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	7 PM	Castle "Limelight"
KOSA CBS	6:30	The Insider	Weekend	7:30	Two and a Half Men
KWWT CW	7 PM	Batman	Batman	8 PM	Friends "Pilot"
KPEJ FOX	7:30	NASCAR Auto Racing	Bojangles' Southern 500	8:30	Star Trek "The Enterprise Incident"
KMLM IND	8 PM	Exploring With the Scholars	Country Reporter	9 PM	Son of Frankenstein (1939, Horror)
KWES NBC	8:30	The Lawrence Welk Show "April Showers"	La Familia P. Luche	9:30	Lost in Space "Cave of the Wizards"
KPBT PBS	9 PM	La Familia P. Luche	Sábado gigante	10 PM	Humor comedy
KUPB UNI	9:30	Game Trobadour	Castle	10:30	30 Rock
KOSA MNT	10 PM	Castle	Castle	11 PM	Sunny Office

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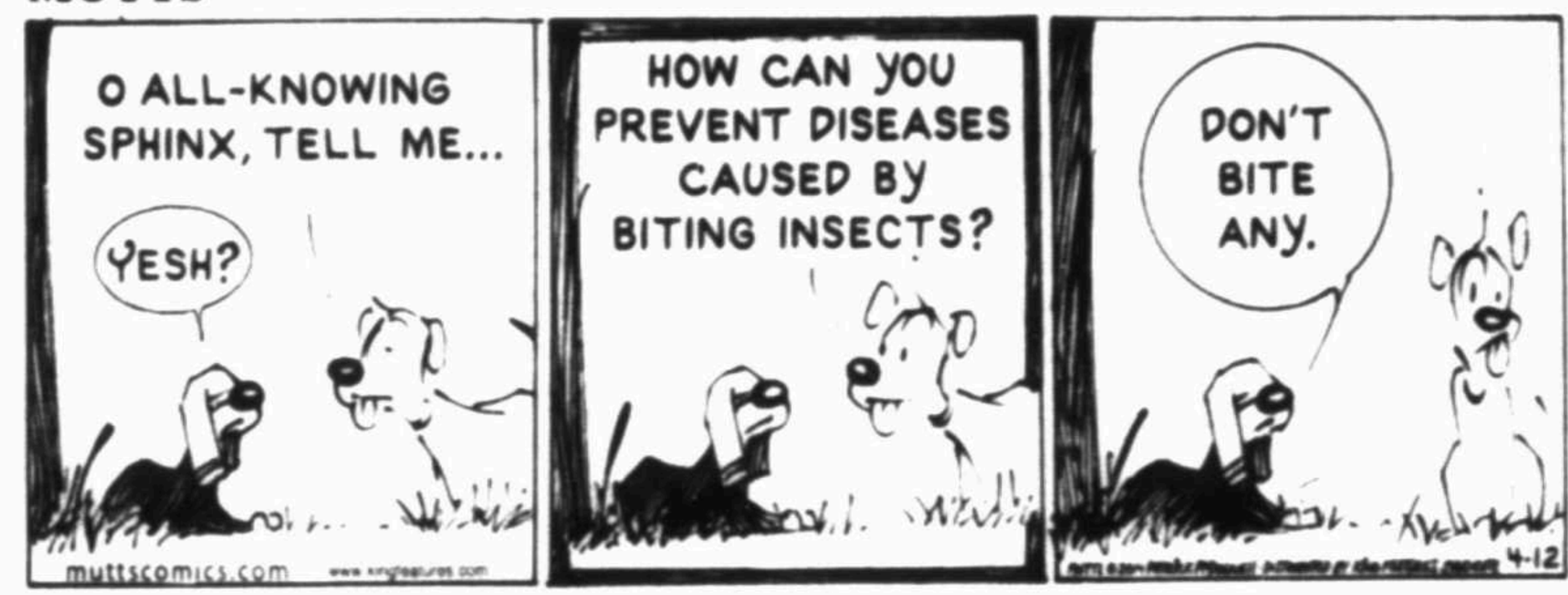
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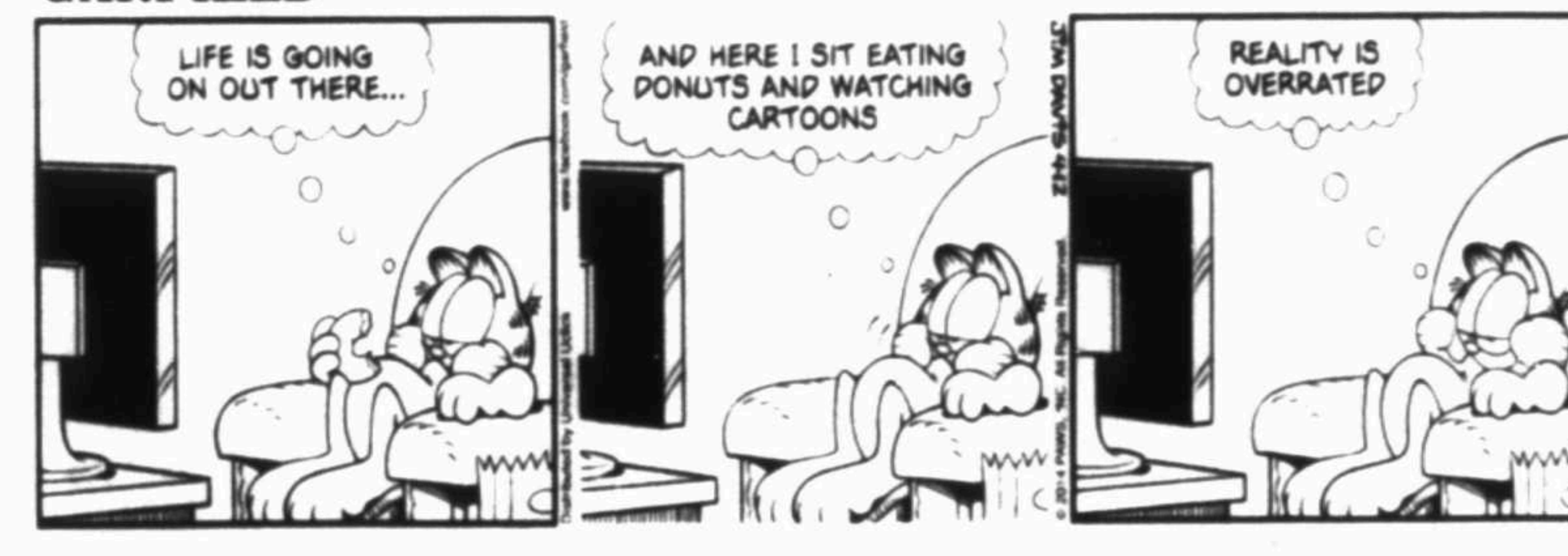
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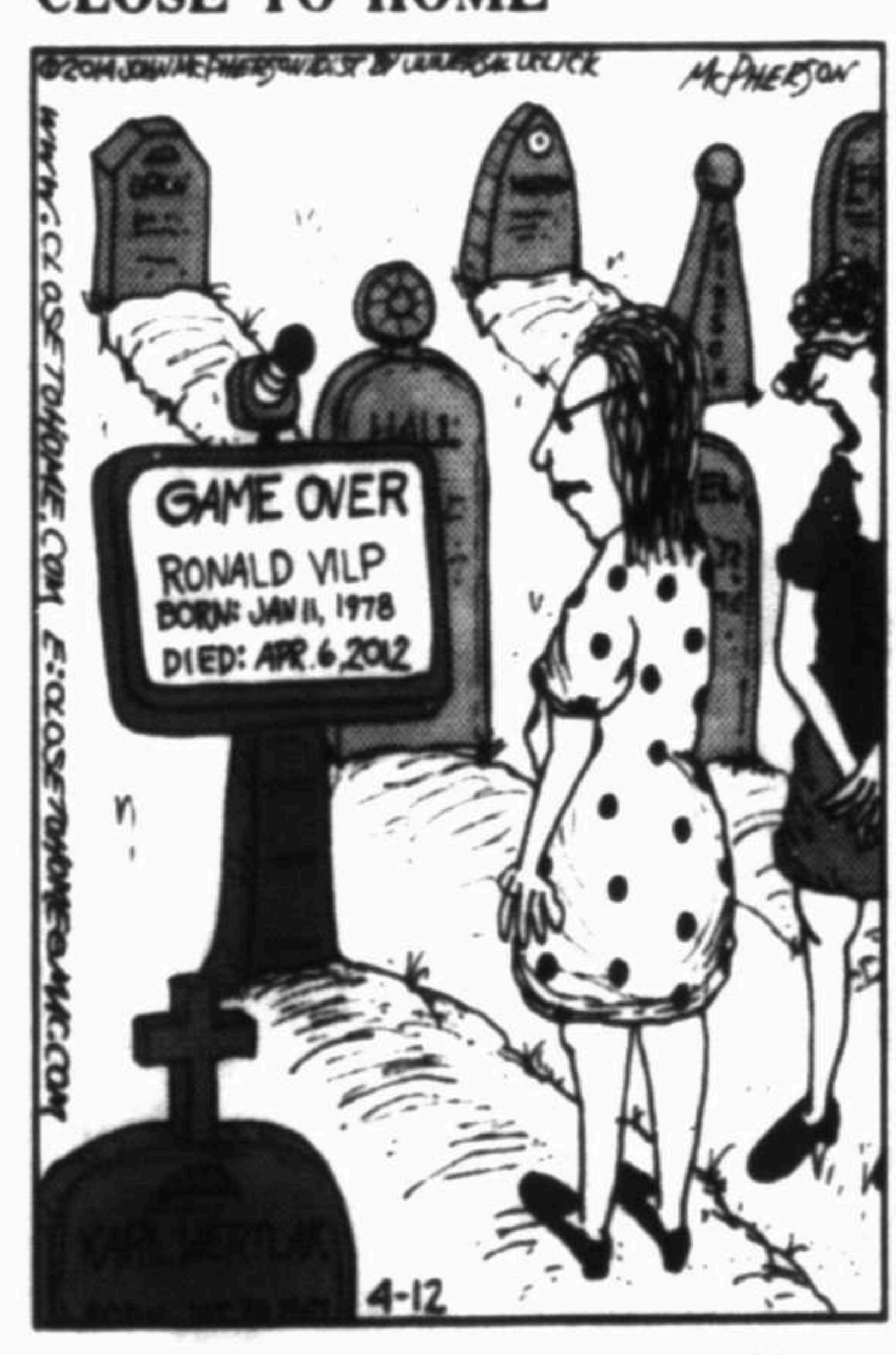
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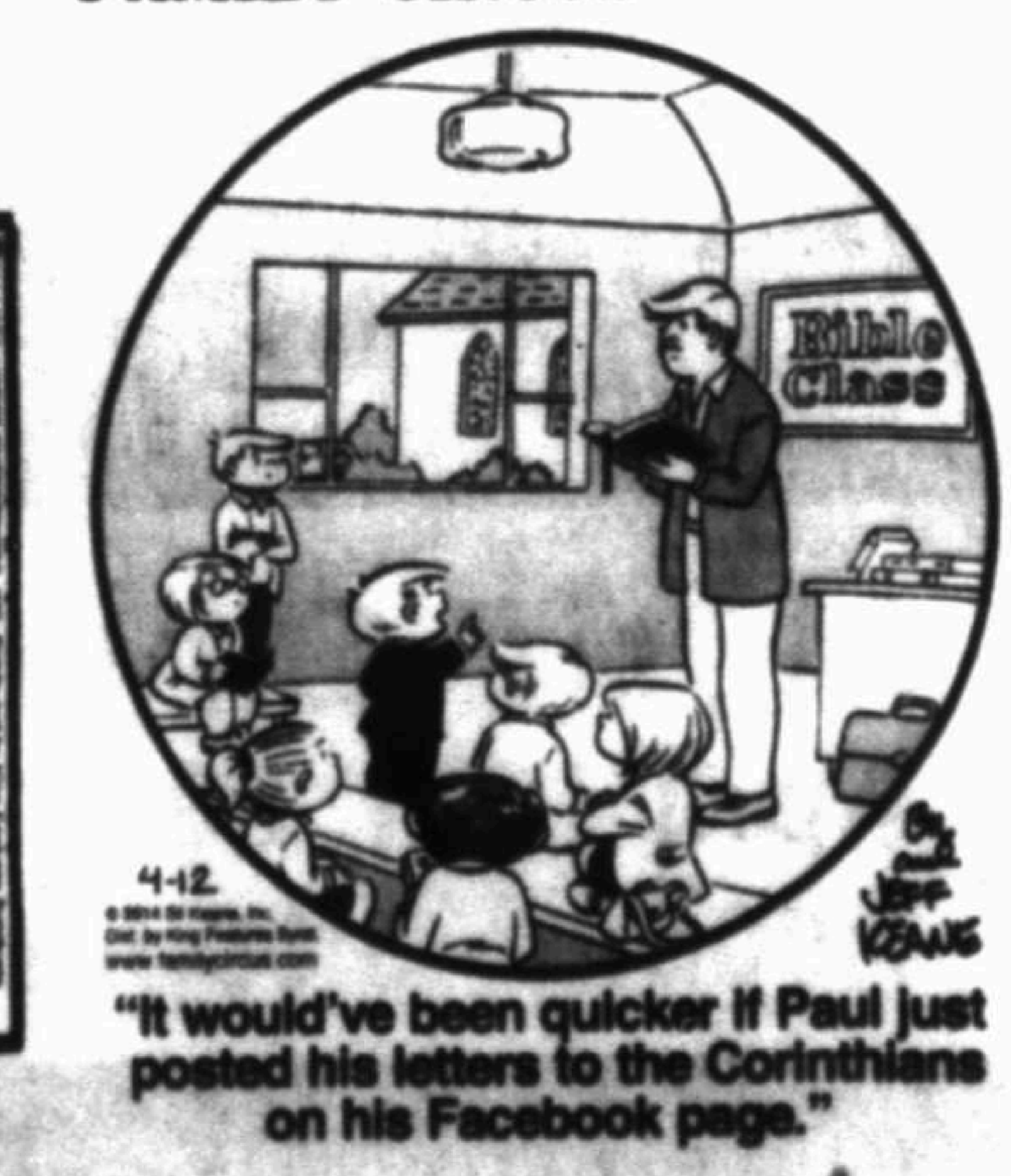
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TODAY: Mostly sunny High: 90 Low: 65

SUNDAY: Mostly sunny High: 89 Low: 42

MONDAY: Partly sunny High: 58 Low: 38

TUESDAY: Sunny High: 69 Low: 42

WEDNESDAY: Mostly sunny High: 77 Low: 53

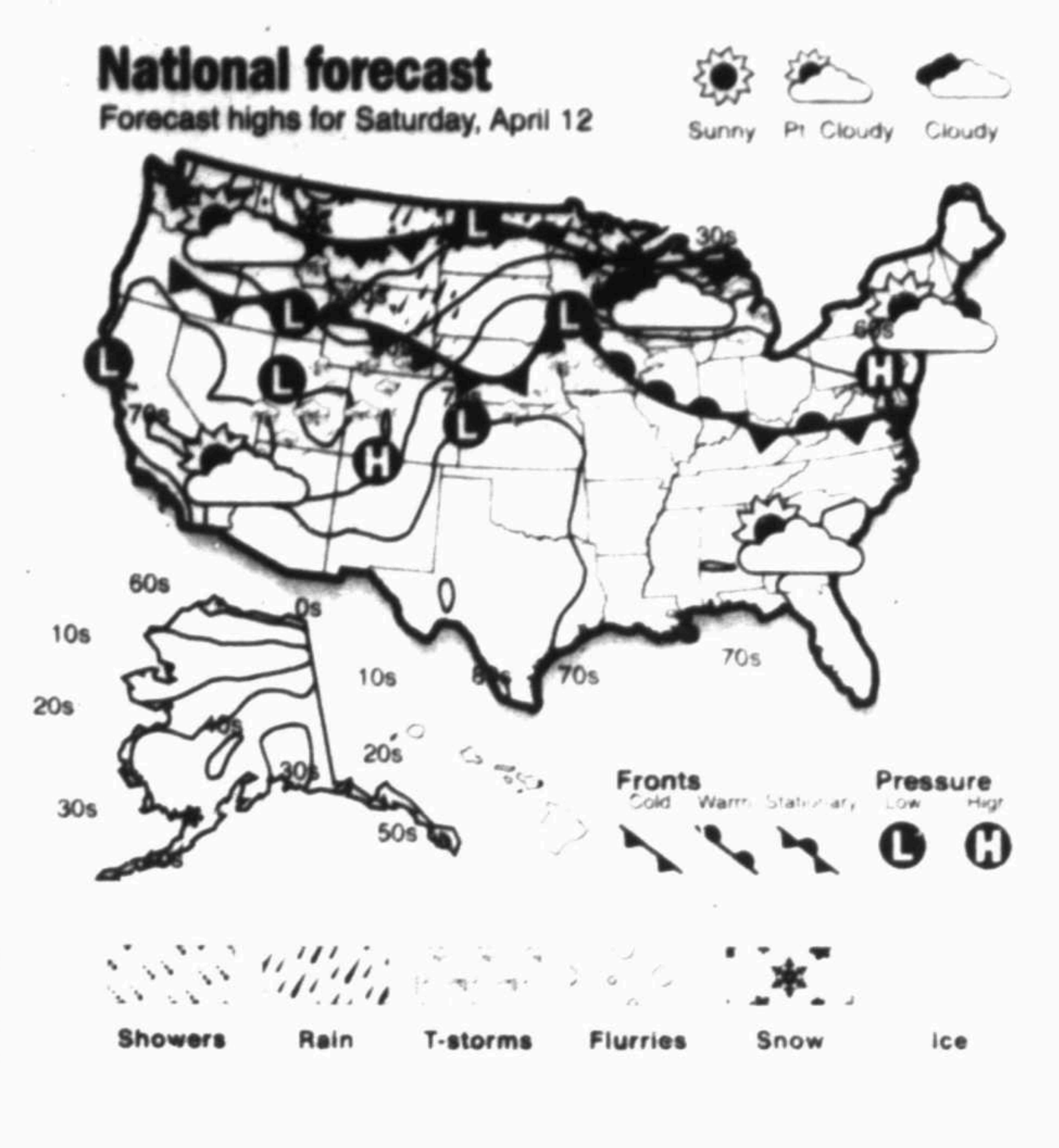
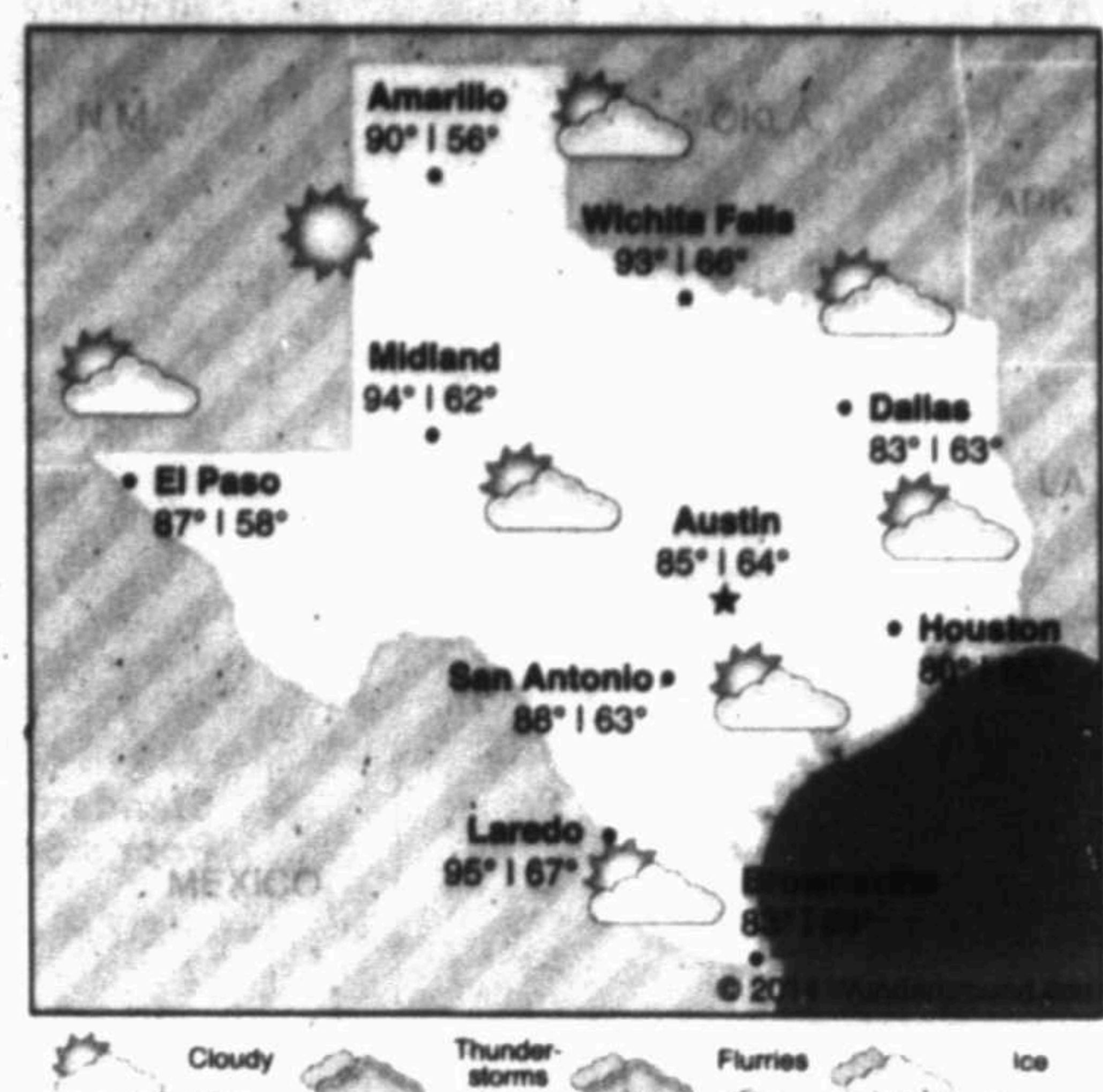
THURSDAY: Mostly sunny High: 73 Low: 54

Local forecast

Expect mostly sunny skies today with a high around 90 and south winds between 10 and 15 mph. Tonight's forecast calls for mostly cloudy conditions with a low around 65 and southwest winds between 15 and 25 mph, with gusts reaching 30 mph.

Sunday, look for mostly sunny skies with a high around 89 and west winds between 15 and 20 mph, increasing to between 25 and 30 mph in the afternoon and gusts reaching 40 mph. Expect partly cloudy conditions at night, with a low around 42 and west winds between 10 and 20 mph. Winds may become north after midnight and have gusts as high as 25 mph.

The high on Friday reached 90, while the low dropped to 55. The record high for April 11 is 95 set in 1972. The record low is 28 set in 1995.



National forecast

Much of the eastern half of the nation will be free of rain and rather warm today. High pressure off the East Coast will exert enough influence to the west to limit the risk of showers to South Florida and along the central Gulf Coast.

Precipitation

Thursday	0.00 in.
Friday	0.00 in.
Month total	trace
Year total	0.45 in.
Normal total (year to date)	2.11 in.

Friday's temperatures

High	90
Low	55
Normal high	78
Normal low	48
Sunrise	7:24 a.m.
Sunset	8:16 p.m.

Joy of having service dog is diminished by public attention

DEAR ABBY: I use a service dog, and I'm constantly barraged with requests to pet him. Other people who use service dogs warned me this would happen. Although the ADA does not require him to wear a vest, I bought one for him that reads, "Do Not Pet," which he wears in public. They ask me anyway!

They also ask what I use the dog for. Sometimes I'm tempted to say, "First, tell me about your medical history and then I'll tell you mine." I don't mind quietly and discreetly discussing with a store owner what my dog does, but for a stranger to walk up and expect me to share personal information is rude.

As excited as I am about how my dog has expanded my life, I do not want to spend my time answering strangers' questions or hearing about every dog they've ever owned. Obviously, I'm still learning what it means to live with a service dog. Would you kindly share with your readers proper etiquette with service dogs and their owners? — **LIVING LARGER IN WASHINGTON STATE**

DEAR LIVING LARGER: I'm happy to. But you must be realistic. If you have a service dog, you must accept that people will be curious. However, what many people fail to understand is that when a service dog is out in public,

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the animal is WORKING and should not be distracted from its task — which is ensuring the well-being of the owner.

The basics for interacting with service dogs are:

1. Always speak to the person first. Do not try to distract the dog.
2. Never touch the service dog — or ANY dog, for that matter — without first asking for and receiving permission.
3. Do not offer food to the animal.
4. Do not ask personal questions about the handler's disability or otherwise intrude on his or her privacy.
5. Do not be offended if the handler refuses to chat about the service dog.

DEAR ABBY: My son "John" and daughter-in-law "Bree" recently announced their second pregnancy via email and asked that we keep the news in the immediate family for now.

I was so happy and excited that I notified my sister. She is my best friend and lives in another state. As it turns out, my sister shared the news with her daughter, who is good friends with Bree. My niece then texted congratulations to her.

At the end of the day, I received a nasty, dramatic phone call from Bree. She was furious that I had revealed her secret. My heart sank. It wasn't my intention to hurt her in any way. I apologized profusely, but now I'm afraid that this may have solidified the wedge between us because our relationship was never very close to begin with.

I realize I was wrong and apologized. What more can I do to make this the joyful occasion it should be? — **NOW WHAT? IN NORTH CAROLINA**

DEAR NOW WHAT?: Now you pay the penalty for leaking the news, and gracefully accept that you will be relegated to the second tier when it comes to announcements from your son and daughter-in-law. Perhaps you can eventually get back in their good graces by respecting their wishes in the future.



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Q 1 — Both vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ K J 10 6 4 3 A 3 2 J 8 7
♣ Q 9

The bidding:
NORTH EAST SOUTH WEST
1♣ Pass 1♦ Pass
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What call would you make?

Q 2 — North-South vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ A 10 7 5 3 K 10 8 4 A Q
♣ 6 2

The bidding:
SOUTH WEST NORTH EAST
1S Pass 2H Pass
3♥ Pass 3♦ Pass

What call would you make?

Q 3 — East-West vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ 5 2 7 5 3 A Q 7 5 ♣ K Q J 9

The bidding:
SOUTH WEST NORTH EAST
1♥ 1♥ Dbl* 2♥

*Negative — values with no clear bid

What call would you make?

Q 4 — Both vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ A K Q 5 4 Void 10 8 5 4
♣ A Q J 2

The bidding:
SOUTH WEST NORTH EAST
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What call would you make?

Look for answers on Monday

DAILY CROSSWORD

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- 1 Extremely lame, in slang
- 2 Scott who played the lead in 1976's "Bugsy Malone"
- 3 Mimosa family member
- 4 AM radio abbr.
- 5 Liszt's "Harmonies du..."
- 6 City on the Rhine
- 7 One of the five basic taste sensations
- 8 "Am I seeing things?"
- 9 Intention
- 10 Extent
- 11 Beret, old-style
- 12 Outlaws
- 13 Causing agita
- 14 Good way of seeing
- 21 Nicklaus rva
- 23 Kind of lead a closer often has to protect
- 25 ...Novo: Benin's capital
- 28 "Rubaiyat" rhyme scheme
- 30 "Soon"
- 32 Electronic control mechanisms, briefly
- 33 Tabloid scoop
- 34 Sun Bowl Stadium coll. team
- 41 Backwoods possessive
- 42 Letters before P, perhaps
- 43 State tree of Texas
- 47 Sch. where chapel service attendance is mandatory
- 48 Silk-spraying movie monster
- 51 It only makes sense when it's broken
- 52 Oil sources
- 54 Wine quality
- 56 Collection to burn
- 57 High fliers
- 58 Traumatic expression
- 60 Month abroad
- 61 Klondike product with a shell
- 62 V-shaped fortification
- 63 Postgame finger-pointer

DOWN

- 1 Hot stuff
- 2 Swaddle
- 3 80s Shatner cop show
- 36 Mr. Clean's lack
- 37 Not appropriate
- 40 He played Harold in "Harold & Kumar" films
- 44 Winter warmers
- 45 Cite as proof
- 46 Counselor at Troy
- 48 Elementary particle
- 49 Centrifuge component
- 50 "Cold..." 1977 hit for Foreigner
- 53 First name in fashion
- 55 Hydroxy compound
- 58 Short coolers?
- 59 Pontiac co-designed by John DeLorean

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

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By John Lieb
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JACQUELINE BIGAR'S STARS

The stars show the kind of day you'll have: 5-dynamic; 4-positive; 3-average; 2-so-so; 1-difficult

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Saturday, April 12, 2014:

This year you enter a period where you want to accomplish a lot. You often could be challenged or distracted by those in your daily life. Keep in mind that they enjoy their time with you. If you are single, it is impossible for a relationship to blossom when you are focused on other matters. Come summertime, you might want to become less focused on your goals and a little more aware of what is going on around you. Someone quite special could meander into your life during this period. If you are attached, the two of you need to make fun plans for the summer. You might want to go to the beach often or choose a different pastime you both enjoy. **VIRGO** sometimes irritates you with details.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★★★ Your intuition does not match up with what you are seeing. You could go back and forth when deciding which view to follow. A partner will offer several options that could change your perspective, but you still might be uneasy. Tonight: Do not push too hard.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★★ Your ingenuity will take you down an interesting path, if you decide to go. A partner or loved one might present a different view — perhaps one that is not as bold as yours. You could be at a standstill because of the disparity between both of your views. Tonight: Aren't we playful?

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★ You will want to make a decision regarding a domestic or personal issue. You might realize that the timing is not right for a discussion at this point. More information will be coming forward. How you see a situation could change as a result. Tonight: Order in.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★★★ Wherever you go, you could end up in a lengthy conversation. You even might irritate a child or loved one with your socializing. This person will want to have your attention, so make that a high priority. Tonight: A special evening.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★ You could feel pushed by a money matter. You know your limits, and you understand what needs to happen. Unfortunately, a family member might not see eye to eye with you. A discussion needs to occur about your home and an investment. Tonight: Your treat.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★★ You might be more determined than you realize, and that attitude could be pushing others away. Try to loosen up and be more open to others' suggestions. Not everything needs to happen your way. You could be delighted by what someone offers. Tonight: Go along with plans.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★★ You still could be overreacting to someone you care about. Be aware of what another person needs, and be willing to respond appropriately. Still, you might need to take a personal day far away from the daily grind as soon as you can. Tonight: Not to be found.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★★★ A loved one is so charming that you might feel inclined to bend to his or her will. Though you might have other plans, you probably should cancel them. Sometimes a person needs to follow his or her heart; you are no different. Tonight: Where the party is.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★★★ You might feel pressured once more to visit with a family member. Consider what would happen if you were to do what you wanted. You can't keep giving without having some "you" time. Someone will let you know how much he or she cares. Tonight: A force to be dealt with.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★★ What might seem like an excellent plan could have its faults. Pull back and look at the pros and cons of having someone from a distance visit you. Make a choice that you feel comfortable with, and it will work out for the best. Tonight: Go to the movies. Be entertained.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★★★ You'll have a chance to really enjoy a close friend. Screen your calls, and make this day just for the two of you. Catch up on news, and enjoy a favorite mutual pastime. This person is very important to you; time together means a lot to both of you. Tonight: Keep it a duo.

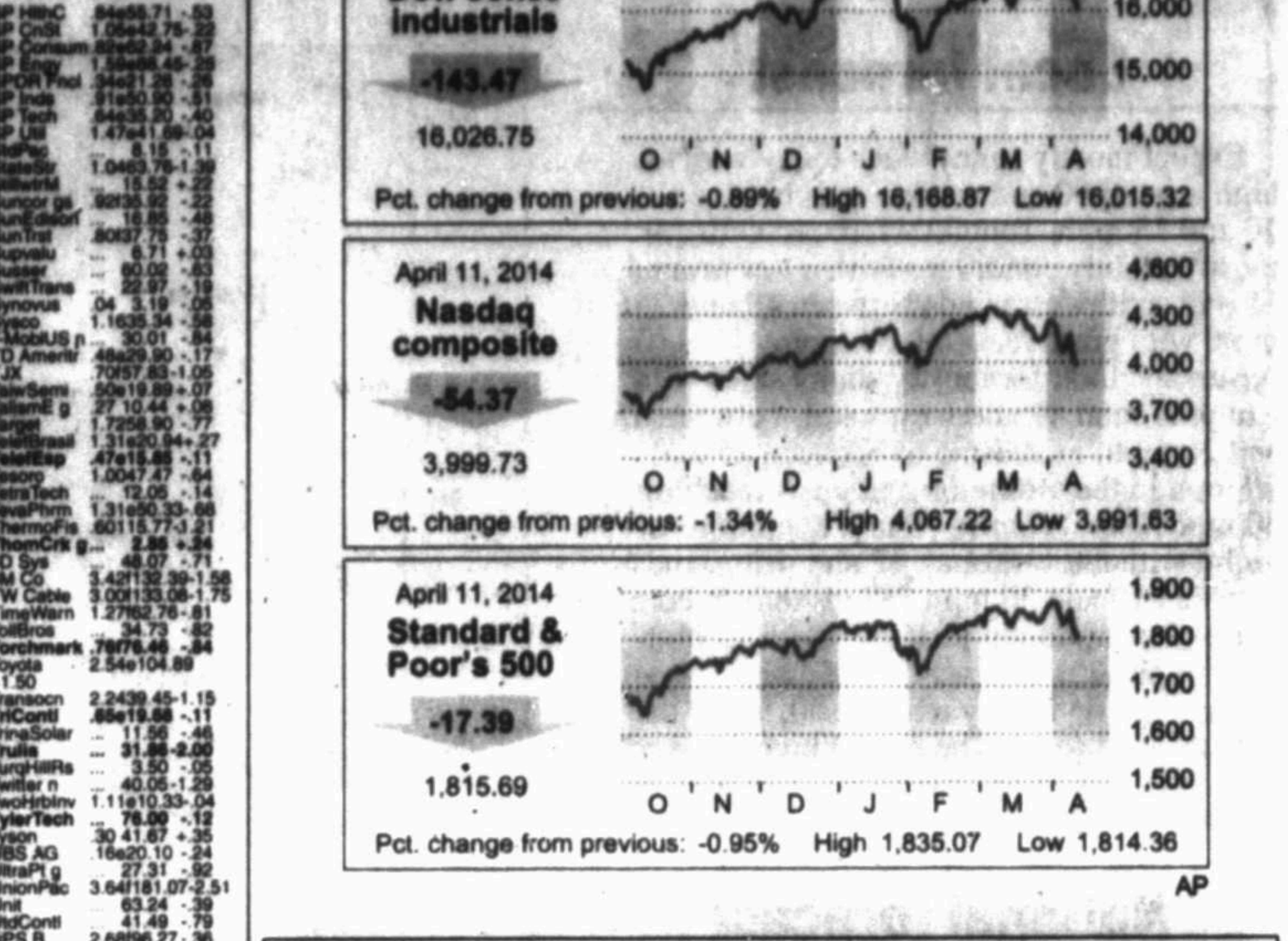
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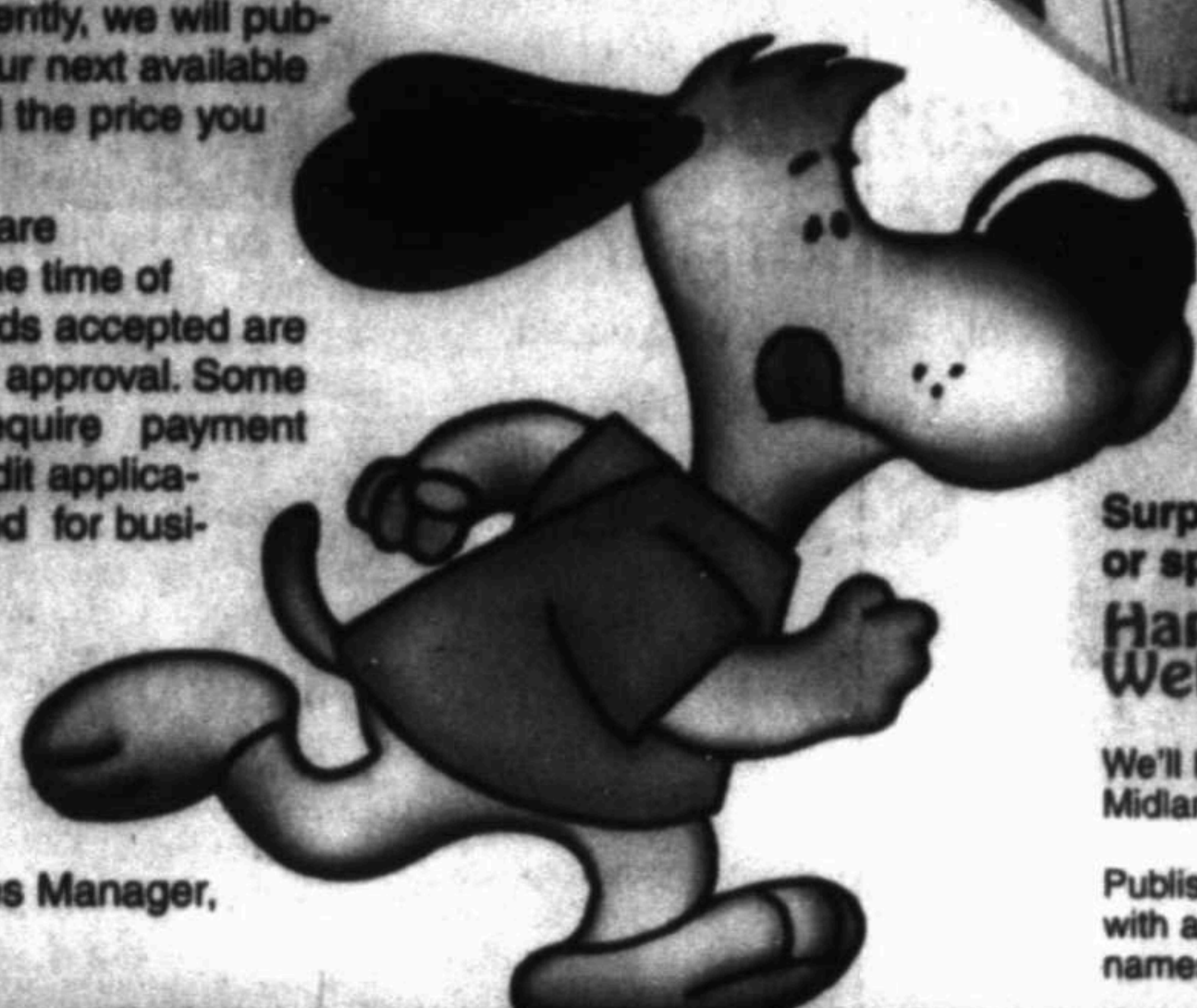
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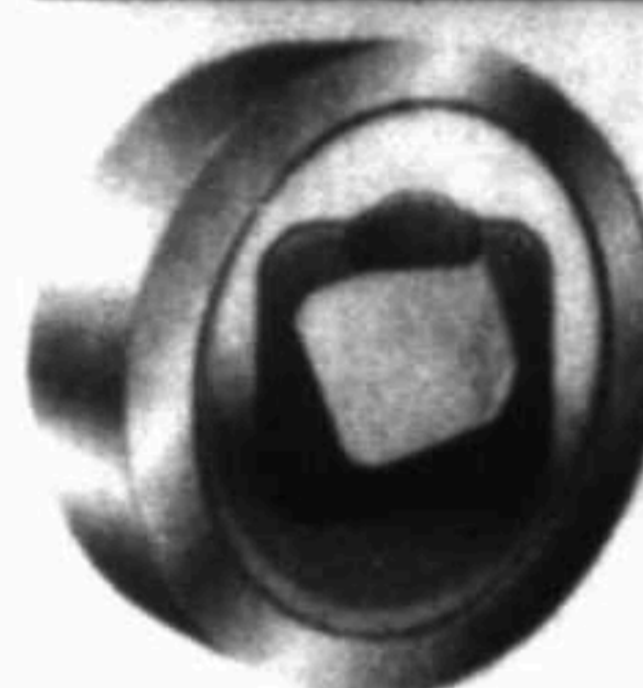
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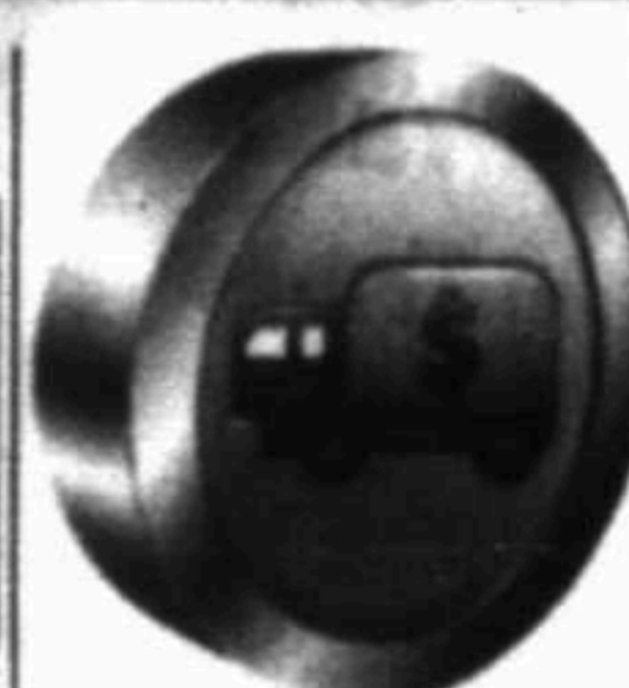
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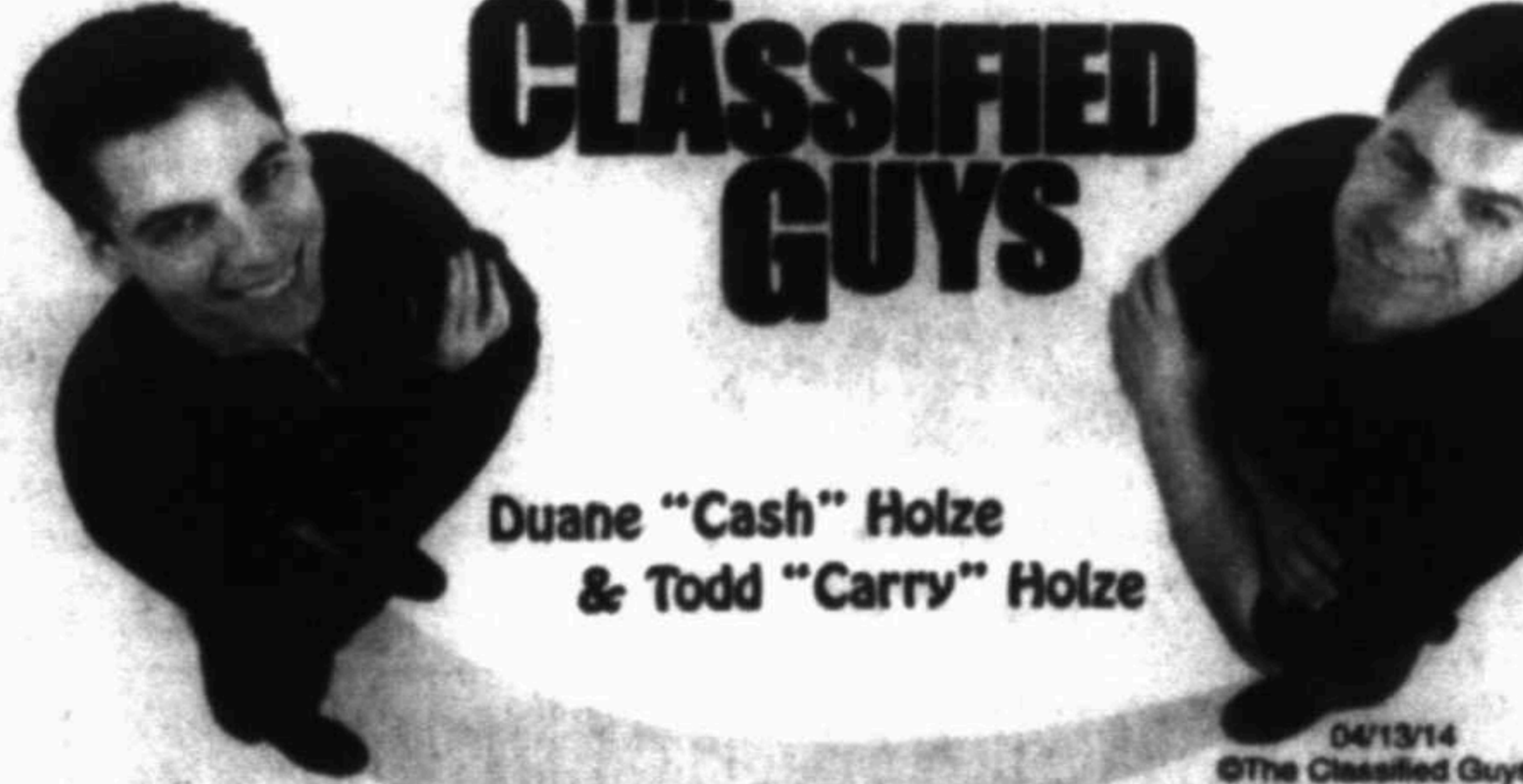
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Ask the Guys

Dear Classified Guys, Every Sunday I open my front door and reach for the morning paper to read the classified section. A few months ago, I started noticing that the paper wasn't on my doorstep at the usual time. I checked with the newspaper carrier and found he delivers promptly every day by 5 am. I thought he was just covering up, until I also started noticing roses disappearing from my garden out by the mailbox. To figure it out, my son aimed his web camera toward the front porch and started recording. The next Sunday when my paper was missing, he reviewed the video. Turns out my neighbor gets up at 6 am on Sunday, takes the paper, and returns it around 7 am. I suspect he's behind the roses disappearing as well because he told me he started dating again since his divorce. I thought I knew my neighbor pretty well, but apparently not. I like the guy and don't want to be mean about this. What's the best way to handle this problem without ruining a neighborly friendship? Carry: You have to love tech-



nology. Nowadays you can catch everything on video, even at 6 am. Cash: Whether you get along with him or not, neighbors are just a part of life. Sometimes they can be quite friendly and helpful, while other times they can steal your roses when you're not looking. Carry: In your case you're doing the right thing by not overreacting to the situation. Often when neighbors infringe upon others, people can become irritated or angry. These types of emotions usually lead to complicating the disagreement rather than working it out calmly. Cash: The only way to resolve your dilemma is to let your neighbor know that his behavior is unacceptable. Since it seems that you are on good terms with him, he may actually assume that it's okay to borrow the newspaper on Sunday or cut a few roses every now and then. He may not consider his behavior inappropriate. Carry: Provided you stay calm when talking with your neighbor, asking him to stop should not ruin any friendship you may have. If you're not comfortable in discussing it with him in person, you could leave a note first and then follow up with a conversation later. Cash: And when you do decide to talk to him in person, you could always be neighborly and bring him some freshly cut roses!

Fast Facts

Neighborhood Watch

One of the most common disputes between neighboring yards involves trees. From falling leaves and pinecones to protruding roots and overhanging branches, neighbors sometimes take actions into their own hands trimming or even killing the tree. However, those actions may carry a penalty. Take the case of Douglas Hoffman. When his view of the Las Vegas strip was blocked by trees on a neighboring property, he topped or cut down more than 500 trees over the course of one year. A jury eventually convicted him of "arboricide" and sentenced him up to 5 years in jail.

Celebrity Clash

If you think neighbor disputes are limited to the average homeowner, think again. Even the rich and famous have their bouts with neighbors. Actor Jim Belushi feuded for years with his neighbor Julie Newmar, co-star of the old "Batman" series. And he's not alone. Neighbors of comedian Lilly Tomlin mistakenly accused her of cutting down two eucalyptus trees on their property. Even Hulk Hogan battled his homeowners association over his pets.

Reader Humor

Between Neighbors

My dog Charlie travels with me in the car every where. Although he's supposed to sit in the back seat, he often tries to sneak into the driver's seat when I get out of the car. Last week I pulled out of my driveway and realized that I left my purse in the house. I stopped at the curb, and hopped out to go get it. As I walked away from the car, I turned around and pointed to Charlie who was laying in the back seat. "Now stay," I said. "And don't move."

I didn't think much of it until I saw my neighbor look over at me. "That's pretty impressive training," he shouted, not realizing Charlie was in the back seat. "Normally I have to shift my car into park!" (Thanks to Marie D.)

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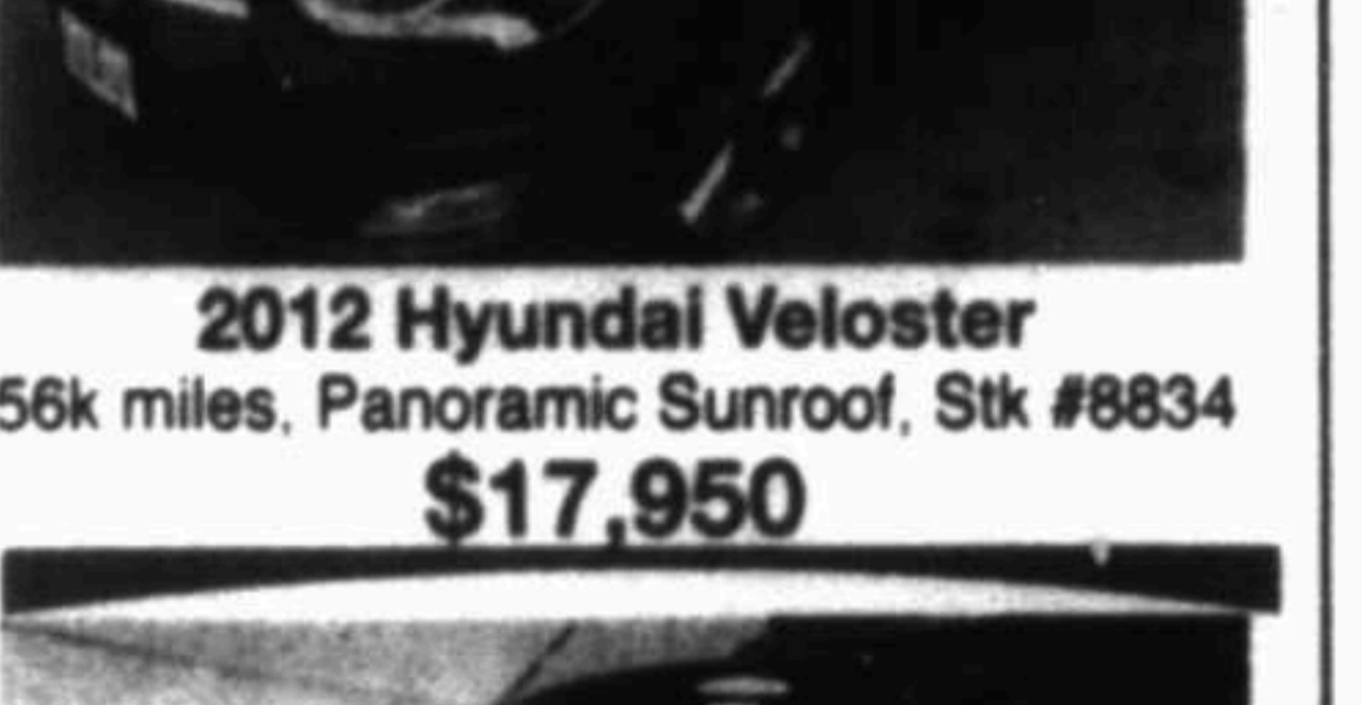
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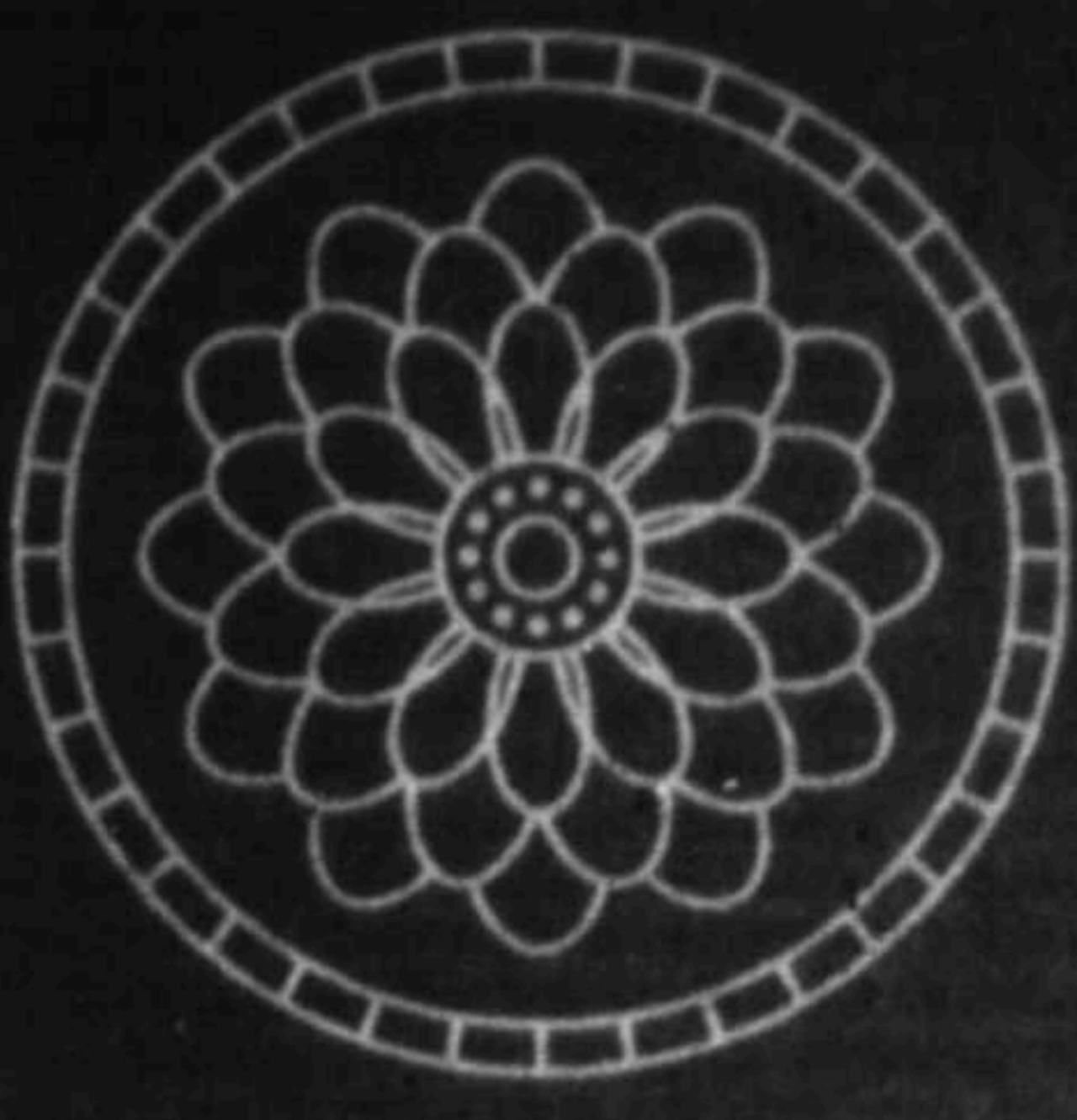
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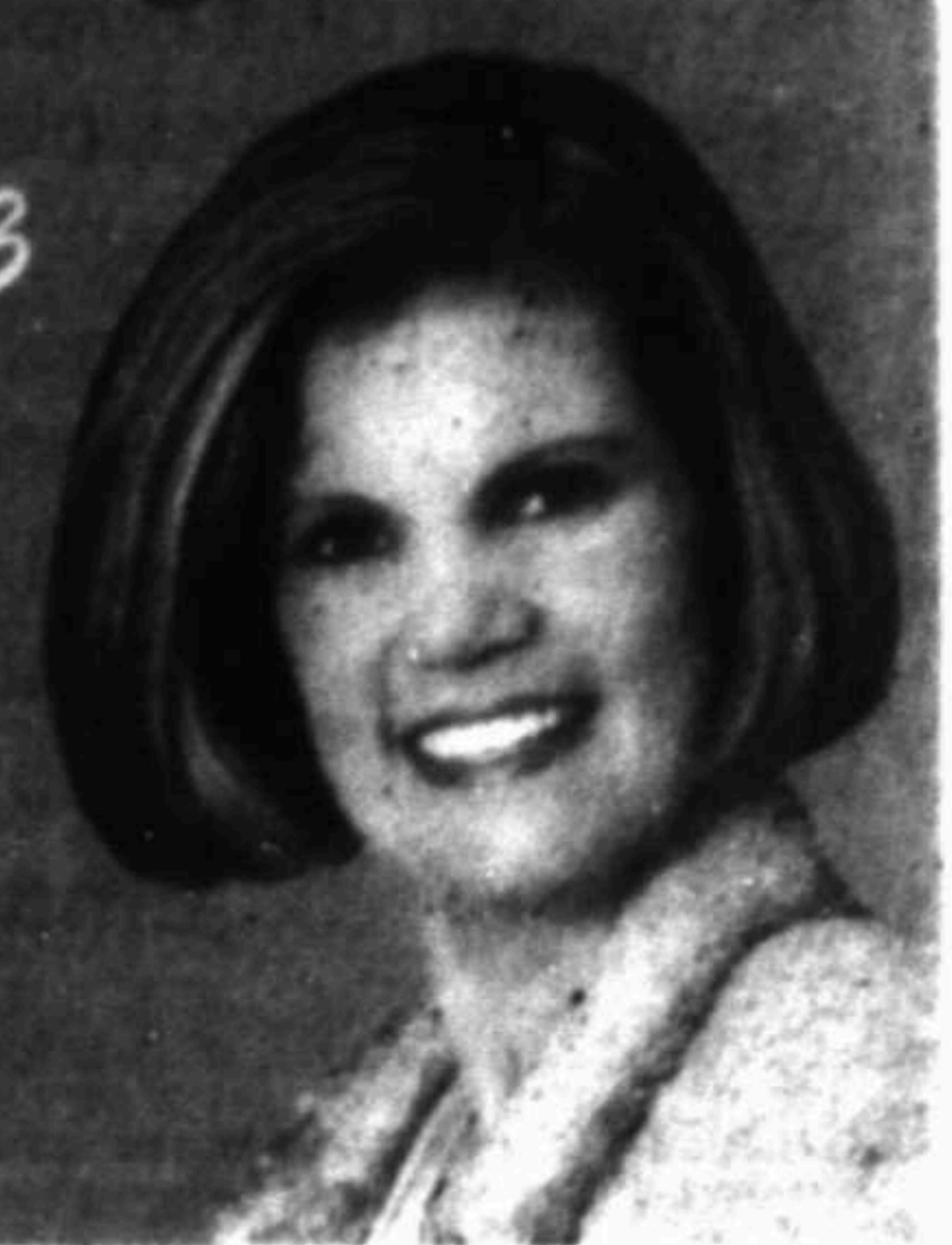
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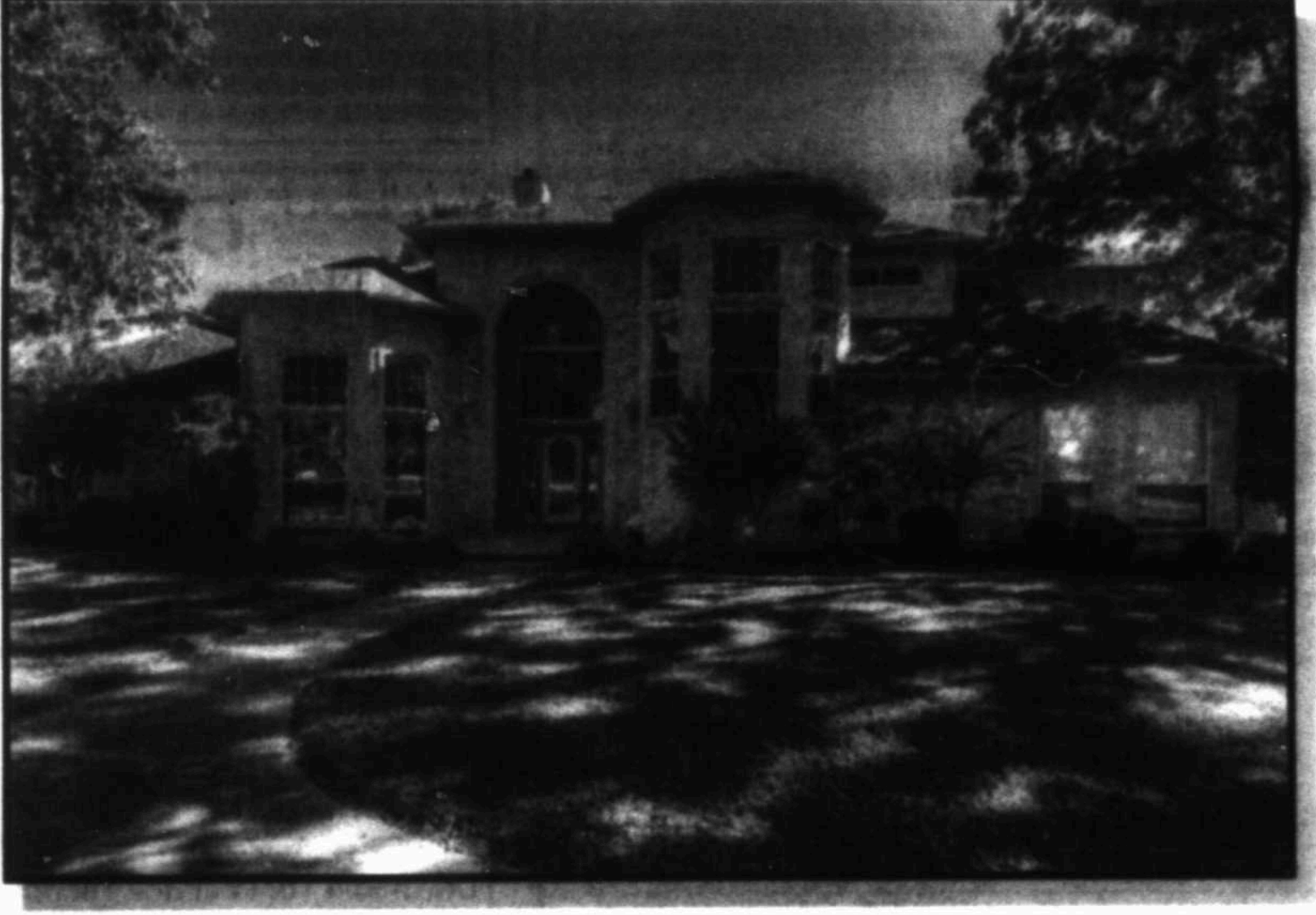


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OTHER JOBS



Midland Reporter-Telegram HAS IMMEDIATE OPENINGS IN ITS DISTRIBUTION DEPARTMENT FOR NIGHT TIME ASSOCIATE

Night time associate - MUST BE DEPENDABLE

Must be able to count at a fast pace. Be able to work between the hours of 12-6 am Sunday night thru Friday night and be able to work Saturday night 8pm -4am. Will be working inside and outside depending on the job you are doing that night. Will be 5-6 nights per week. We will train the right person
Pay \$10.00 per hour paid every 2 weeks

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ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE

Accounts Receivable Assistants
Natural Gas Service Group FT
Accounts Receivable Assistants needed in Midland for two full-time positions in our corporate office. 3+ years Accounts Receivable experience with intermediate to advanced skills in Microsoft Excel required. Candidates must also be exceptionally detail oriented with strong problem solving skills. Experience with electronic billing preferred. These positions also serve as rotating back up for the receptionist. Applicants must exhibit dependability, professional demeanor and integrity. High school diploma/GED required, some college preferred. Competitive benefit package offered. E-mail resumes with salary history to employment@ngsg.com. No phone calls please. EOE/Drug Free Employer.

CLERICAL & ADMINISTRATIVE

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• Providing daily and monthly reports to management
• Managing employee time and bonus sheets
• Working with corporate office in collection of job field tickets
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Program Assistant: Full time position with benefits for a respected Child Placing Agency High Sky Children's Ranch. Requires strong computer skills specifically in office excel, data entry and template building. Must be able to answer a multi-phone line, manage a high volume documentation file and maintain HIPPA compliance. Position requires a minimum of a high school diploma. Preference given to applicants with administrative assistant certificates. If you would like a full job description send a resume or contact Shawna Bowerman at shawna@highsky.org. Position closes 4/21/14. No phone calls please.

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Must have experience in Microsoft Word/Excel, phone skills, filing skills and have the ability to multi-task.
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CRMWD
Colorado River Municipal District
The Colorado River Municipal Water District is accepting applications for an **Operations Superintendent**
Position is responsible for supervising maintenance employees to assure smooth operation of District facilities while following direction of the Field Operations Supervisor.
The successful candidate will have the experience necessary to successfully plan, direct, organize, and oversee the daily activities of crews maintaining the District's raw water pipelines, pumps, and pump stations. Must have progressive experience managing multiple projects and personnel. Prior experience in water supply operations and distribution preferred.
CRMWD is an equal opportunity employer. Benefits include health insurance, retirement plans, and sick, vacation and holiday leave.
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• Ability to follow instructions and implement standard operating procedures.
• Ability to direct self and 1 to 2 others. • Good oral and written communication skills. • Prefer 3 to 5 years of experience. • Willingness to travel and work outdoors. • Mud School certification preferred. • State Drillers License Required. • Welding Certifications Preferred. • Must be able to attain a Class A CDL. To apply for this position electronically, please email your resume to resume@layne.com. Please put the Job Title and Location in subject line of email. This job description in no way states or implies that these are the only duties to be performed by the employee(s) incumbent in this position. Employee(s) will be required to follow any other job-related instructions and to perform any other job-related duties requested by an person authorized to give instructions or assignments. A review of this position has excluded the marginal functions of the position that are incidental to the performance of fundamental job duties. All duties and responsibilities are essential job functions and requirements and are subject to possible modification to reasonably accommodate individuals with disabilities. To perform this job successfully, the incumbent(s) will possess the skills, aptitudes, and abilities to perform each "direct threat or significant risk to the health or safety of themselves or others." The requirements listed in this document are the minimum levels of knowledge, skills, or abilities. This document does not create an employment contract, implied or otherwise, other than an "at will" relationship. An Equal Opportunity M/F/D/V Employer Drug Free/Smoke Free

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Part Time Day Associate - MUST BE DEPENDABLE

Must be able to work Monday thru Saturday from 8am-6pm, Tuesday will be here later till about 8 or 9 pm. Need to be able to work on your feet thru 6-8 hour shift. Will work at night occasionally. We will train the right person
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PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

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TECHNOLOGY

IT Assistant
Local oil and gas company seeking part-time or full-time job candidate to work under the direction of IT Specialist on routine user problems and assist with moderately complex applications. Duties include assisting with desktop support, troubleshooting desktop hardware/software problems and carrying out projects as assigned. Entry level IT skills required with general knowledge in network and hardware (server and workstations). Experience with different versions of Microsoft OS and Microsoft Office applications useful. Strong written and oral communication, interpersonal and customer service skills necessary. Send resume to lyndaj@lori.com

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2013 Toyota Tundra Crew Max

Automatic Stability Control, Child Restraint Seat, Curtain Air Bags, Dual Front Air Bags, Dual Zone Climate Control, Keyless Entry, Low Tire Pressure Warning, Power Mirror, Power Windows, Rear Side Air Bags, Tilt Wheel, Traction Control



2009 GMC Sierra 1500

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ESTATE SALE by Joseph and Team
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Friday 9:00 am - 3:00 pm & Saturday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Lots of nice items in this sale including... decorator items, area rugs, crystal, Lowrey organ, electronics, kitchen items, Pfaltzgraff dishes, art work snow board, leather sofa/ve seat/chaise/over stuffed chair & ottoman, stone top coffee/lamp tables, bar stools, glass top kitchen table/chairs, pool table, 3 flat screen TV's, weight bench, chest of drawers, washer/dryer/fridge, king 4 poster bed/night stands, queen sleigh bed, patio furniture, grills, and the usual household misc.

For pictures please go to...
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Industrial Street Antiques is downsizing.

We have sold the building. Storewide sales 30%-50% off or better. Lots of store displays, all sizes. 1015 W. Industrial * 296-0638 Wednesday-Saturday 12pm-6pm Sunday 1pm-4pm

INTERIOR DECORATOR'S DREAM SALE
4805 Rustic Trail (Green Tree North)
Friday & Saturday 9AM-3PM, Sunday 1PM-4PM

Furniture Formal dining table with 8 chairs, breakfast dining table with 6 chairs, 2 queen-size bedroom suites with dresser and 2 nightstands each. Thomasville and Bernhard china cabinets. Hooker bookcase. Broyhill sofa and chair, Schnadig sofa and love seat. Century sofa and chair with ottoman, leather sofa and chair. tables with glass tops, tables with call skin tops, tables with marble tops, desk, credenza, executive office chair. Seth Thomas grandfather clock, set of 4 bar stools, set of 3 bar stools, round black dining table with 4 chairs, 2 roll-away beds, black leather recliner, and a baby bed Décor. Lamps, florals, mirrors, Moroccan rug, rugs, fireplace screens. Bronze rooster by Bob Guelich "Almost Sunrise", clocks. Art: 1968 original oil "The Golden Train" by W.B. Franklin. Thomas Kincaid lithograph Hometown Memories VI "Hometown Morning". Louis Fuentes. Comco Carrasco.

Entertainment: 5 flat screen televisions, 3 reclining media chairs. VCR's, movies, games, sports memorabilia, golf clubs.

Miscellaneous: 4 sets of dishes, seasonal decorations, patio furniture, large flower pots, men's size large up to size 4X clothes, ladies', children's and baby clothes, shoes, linens, bed ensembles, luggage (Kenneth Cole, Samsonite, King Ranch), firewood and firewood rack.

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MOVING SALE
2801 Maxwell
Thurs & Fri 9-2, Sat 9-12

Dining room table & 6 chairs, china hutch, Haviland china, glass punch bowl, Rataan table & 2 chairs, sewing machine cabinet, couch, love-seat, and tables, mirrors, lamps, full bed, roll top desk, stereo cabinet, bookshelves, desk, king size four poster bed, dresser with mirror, TV armoire, cup & saucer collection, Eastman Strings Viola, cameras, Dyson vacuum, framed art, washer, dryer, refrigerator, silk trees, porch swing, small appliances, dog crate, power and yard tools, house and garage full.

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2502 QUAIL Point, Friday & Saturday, 8am-3pm Multi-Family Garage Sale. Media equipment, furnishing, jewelry, collectibles, makeup, vacuum cleaners, household items

2600 NEELY Ave Two Family Garage Sale Friday & Saturday 7am-1pm Lots of kids clothes, toys, charcoal grill, nice ironwork queen bed frame, vacuum, convertible crib & dresser and many more great items

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3014 FREDNA Pl. Saturday Only, 8am-1pm. Above ground pool, computer equipment, BMX Bike, school uniforms, clothing, lots of household items

3222 ELMA Drive Moving Sale! Everything must go 8am-3pm Sunday April 13

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4305 LEHIGH Dr In the Ally Saturday only 8am-1pm Furniture clothes small kitchen items bedding, etc

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4908 RIO Grande Multi-Family Garage Sale! Friday 7am-noon and Saturday 7am Many items including clothes bedding, baby clothes and toys PIN BALL MACHINE, home decor and furniture

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5605 GRASSLANDS Blvd Saturday at 8:00 am MULTI-FAMILY SALE Household items, kids clothes, women's clothes, shoes and lots of good stuff!

5611 LLANO CT. Saturday 8am-12pm. Tons of home decor, mens clothing, kids stuff, etc.

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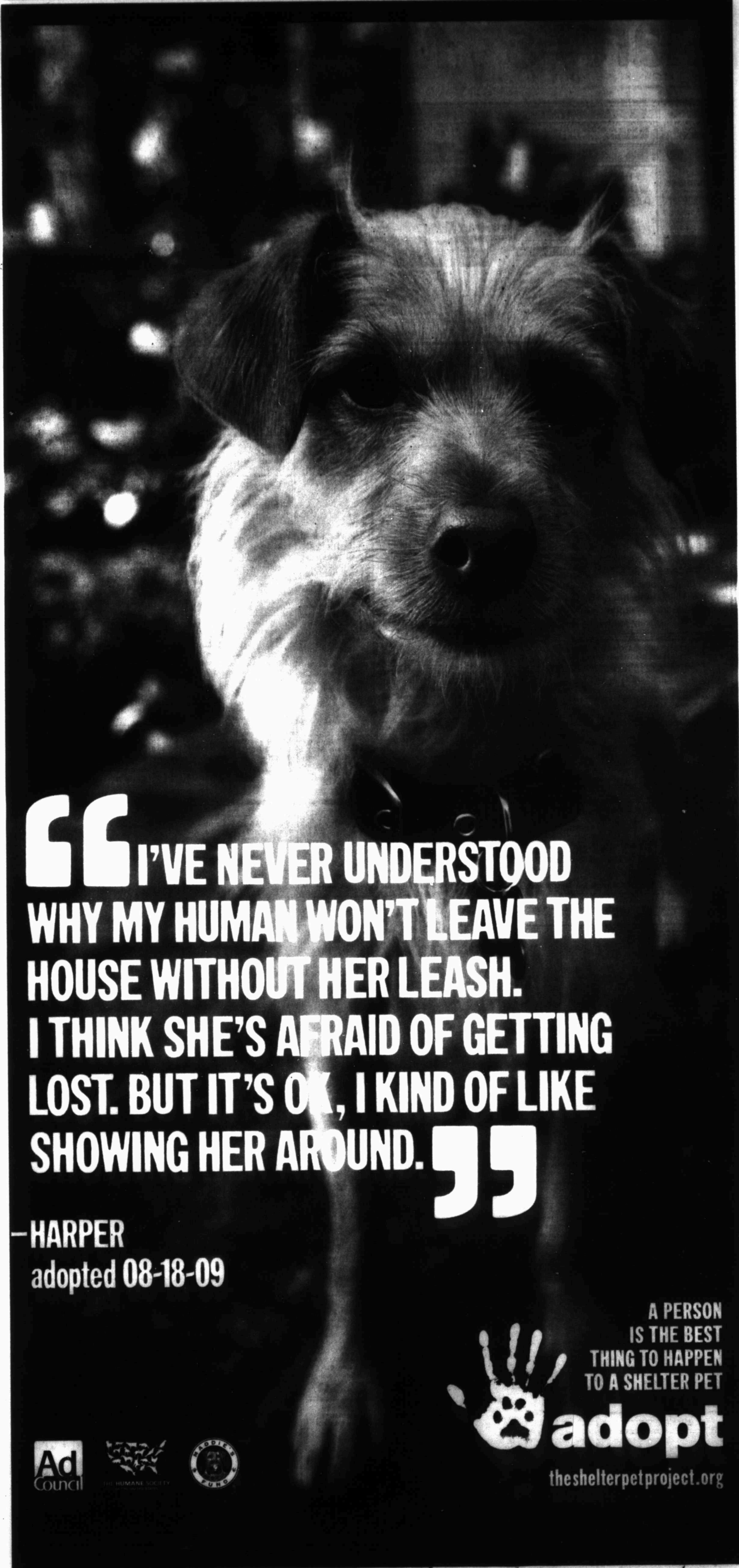
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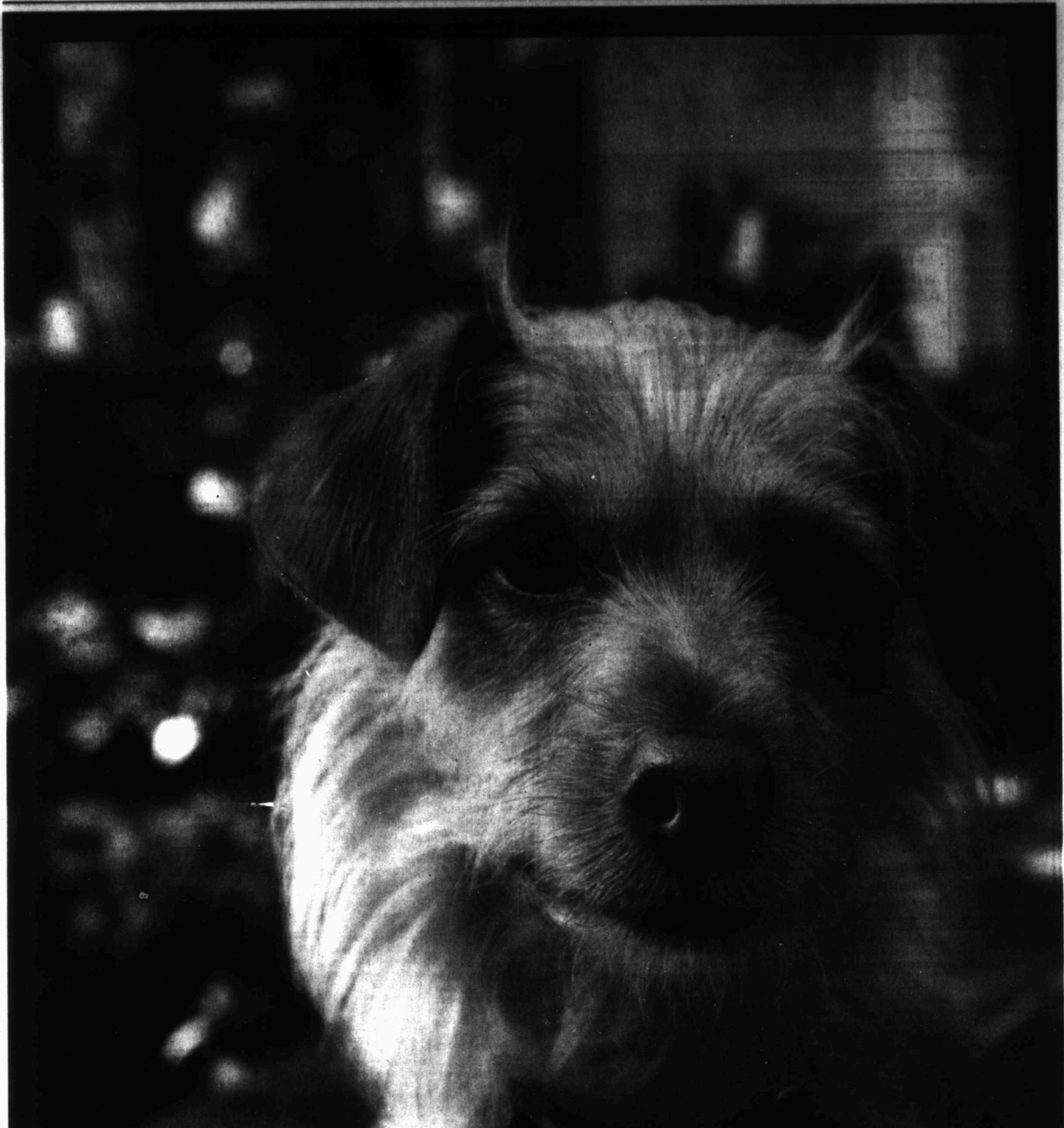
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