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TxDOT reveals proposed changes to I-20

From Lamesa Road to east of SH 158, exit and entrance ramps could be reversed

By Joseph Basco
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The public got its first look Tuesday at a Texas Department of Transportation plan to reverse the entrance and exit ramps on Interstate 20 between Lamesa Road to east of State Highway 158.

The move, unveiled at a public meeting at the Horseshoe, would alleviate congestion on the interstate, according to TxDOT.

By reversing the entrance and exit ramps, eastbound vehicles intending to exit onto SH 158 after the Lamesa Road overpass would do so where the current I-20 entrance ramp is, which is farther from SH 158 than the current exit ramp. Drivers travelling eastbound on the service road who want to enter I-20 would advance to a ramp located where the current exit for SH 158 is, which is closer to SH 158. The same changes are proposed for westbound traffic.

In addition, TxDOT is proposing to widen some of the service road lanes near the SH 158 overpass so queued traffic will have two lanes to wait in rather than one.

Gene Powell, TxDOT's public information officer for the Odessa district, said reversing the entrance and exit ramps would get traffic off the main lanes faster by letting drivers who exit onto SH 158 queue up on the service roads instead.

"What we're seeing right now in the area is sometimes we do have traffic stopped on the actual ramp itself and even a little bit onto the main lanes," Powell said. "By moving that exit ramp further out, they won't do that."

As with the proposed widening of Farm-to-Market 1788 north of State Highway 191 shown by TxDOT on Monday, this project is also in the planning and public comment stage. Several in attendance inquired about changing services roads to one way traffic, but TxDOT officials said that is not planned at this time.

Also similarly to the FM 1788 widening, funding will have to come from the state before actual construction begins, but Powell said that they want the plans to be complete by spring 2014.

One member of the public who attended both Monday and Tuesday's meetings, Dave Deffenbaugh, said the I-20 improvements would be a higher priority than the FM 1788 widening because the highway is more dangerous and more congested.

As of Tuesday, there have been four fatal traffic accidents on Interstate 20 in Midland County this year.

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Photos by Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

Patrons packed the new Saltgrass Steak House location on Loop 250 during the lunch rush Tuesday. See more on 3B.

Sheriff: Verbal dispute led to fatal shooting

By Tyler White
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Easterling

A Midland man "intentionally drove" his pickup into a woman's vehicle Sunday night after shooting and killing her husband during an argument, according to his arrest affidavit.

Midland County Sheriff Gary Painter said Daniel Lloyd Easterling, 30, was arrested without incident Monday night at his father's RV off County Road 1157. He is being held on a $1 million bond for shooting and killing 52-year-old Midlander Jimmy Conway, a first-degree felony charge of murder.

Midland County deputies responded to the shooting at about 11:36 p.m. Sunday after receiving a 911 call from a RV park in the 6400 block of East County Road 86.

Witnesses told deputies that Conway, his wife and Easterling were in a verbal dispute outside of a travel trailer. The dispute's subject matter is unknown. The argument turned physical, and Easterling retrieved a handgun, possibly a revolver, from the travel trailer and shot Conway in the abdomen, according to the arrest report.

Easterling re-entered the trailer with the weapon. He then exited with three children and headed to a pickup. During this time, Conway's wife attempted to flee the scene in her vehicle. Easterling then drove his vehicle toward the wife's vehicle, damaging both vehicles, before fleeing the scene, according to the report.

Investigators at the crime scene found .22-caliber bullets strewn across the travel trailer's bed, but did not locate a

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MISD trustees allot $3.5M for housing development

By Meredith Moriak
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Some Midland ISD teachers could soon have new housing options after district trustees authorized expenditures up to $3.5 million for the creation of a 70-unit temporary housing development Tuesday.

Trustees identified two sites for the development — either on district-owned land adjacent to Travis Elementary in the 900 block of East Gist Avenue or at the recently renovated Stonegate Mobile Home Park in the 1300 block of North Fairgrounds Road — and authorized Superintendent Ryder Warren to proceed with construction at the cheapest of the two sites.

Trustees originally thought Travis Elementary and the district-owned transportation department were the only sites available for a manufactured-home development, but owners of Stonegate Mobile Home Park contacted Warren this week about leasing up to 100 spaces in the currently vacant park to MISD.

"We don't know the terms or costs of leasing their property, but I've asked (Chief Financial Officer) David (Garcia) to investigate it," Warren said.

If leasing space in the mobile home park, which already has water and electrical hook ups, is cheaper than developing the site next to Travis Elementary, trustees indicated their desire to contract with Stonegate, which is located north of the Midland

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Natural Gas	$3.905	▲	$0.030
Gasoline	$3.406	▲	$0.007

Water usage
On Monday, Midland used
16.1 million gallons
Visit www.midlandtexas.gov to see water restrictions.

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Meet the new director of operations at Sibley. Page 1B

Coming Thursday
Review of the Cheap Trick concert at Wagner Noel.

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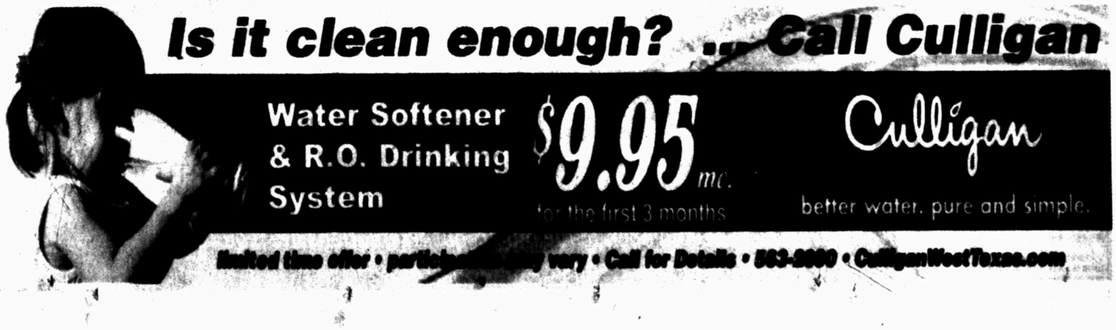

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Gov. Perry looks to lure New York companies

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Gov. Rick Perry on Tuesday said his efforts to lure companies out of New York is similar to a sports final series between rival teams and that states are in a competition with each other over businesses and jobs.

"It's no different than, I would think, if the Knicks were in the finals playing the San Antonio Spurs, they'd be willing to win all the games," he said after a meeting at a Park Avenue office building. "The same's true with business; the same's true with jobs."

Perry was in New York City as part of a five-day trip to New York state and Connecticut to meet with businesses and promote Texas' business climate.

"We compete against each other. I think we can do it, should do it, in a civil and thoughtful and a positive way," Perry said.

Perry was in Connecticut on Monday, talking to gun manufacturers and praising his state's tax policies and regulatory climate.

His trips haven't been met with open arms by the Democratic governors of those states. He and New York Gov. Andrew Cuomo engaged in a little verbal sparring over the merits of their respective states before Perry's trip started.

The trip also includes $1 million in television ads promoting Texas, along with radio ads.

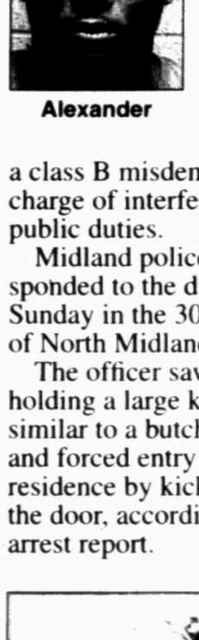
CRIMEBRIEFS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

MPD: Man assaults female family member, police officer

A Midland man was arrested Sunday for assaulting a police officer after biting, slapping and striking a female family member, according to his arrest affidavit.

Isaac Isaiah Alexander, 23, was being held on a $26,500 bond for a third-degree felony charge of assaulting a public servant, class A misdemeanor charges of assault family violence with bodily injury and resisting arrest and a class B misdemeanor charge of interfering with public duties.



Alexander

Midland police responded to the disturbance Sunday in the 3000 block of North Midland Drive.

The officer saw a woman holding a large knife similar to a butcher's knife and forced entry into the residence by kicking down the door, according to the arrest report.

The woman was distraught with tears down her face and dropped the knife when the officer commanded her to do so. Alexander then stepped in front of the woman and told the officer not to point a gun at her, according to the report.

When the officers attempted to place handcuffs on Alexander, he swung at the officers, striking one in the left jaw. That officer then kicked Alexander before both officers tackled him. An officer apprehended Alexander after he struck him with a baton and sprayed tear gas in his face after Alexander continued to kick the officer, according to the report.

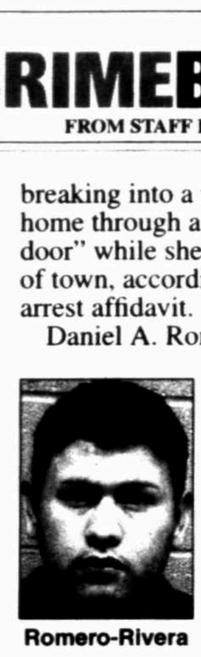
Alexander had become intoxicated at a party and began harassing the woman while she was sleeping. He bit and slapped her before striking her in the face, according to the report.

If convicted of the felony charge, he could face up to 10 years in prison.

MPD: Midland man breaks into home through 'doggy door'

A Midland man was arrested early Monday for breaking into a woman's home through a "doggy door" while she was out of town, according to his arrest affidavit.

Daniel A. Romero-Rivera, 19, was being held on a $25,000 bond for a second-degree felony charge of burglary of a habitation. He posted bond and was released Tuesday.



Romero-Rivera

Officers responded to the burglary Sunday at about 10:18 p.m. in the 1300 block of South Colorado Street.

The alleged victim said a "doggy door" in the back of the residence had been forced open. She said she had seen a black truck parked outside of her residence believed to be connected to the burglary, according to the arrest report.

Officers found Romero-Rivera inside the truck.

The alleged victim said Romero-Rivera did not take any property inside the residence and that nothing seemed to be missing from the home, according to the report.

Another officer had responded to a burglary call earlier that day at the home involving Romero-Rivera, who told the officer that a friend resided in the home and that he was trying to retrieve some clothes from the residence, the report states.

The officers believe Romero-Rivera was indeed attempting to commit theft inside the home, according to the report.

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

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FROM WIRE REPORTS

LUBBOCK

Child welfare workers resign amid probe

The Texas child welfare agency under investigation for its mishandling of a toddler's death last year has disciplined two employees after discovering one of them had "an inappropriate relationship" with the child's father, an agency spokesman said Tuesday.

Officials were tipped in May that the relationship between Thomas Klapheke and the caseworker started after the investigation into the Aug. 28 death of 22-month-old Tamryn Klapheke began, Texas Department of Family and Protective Services spokesman Patrick Crimmins said. The caseworker was later moved into a supervisory job.

Crimmins said the two women who resigned were investigating the case. Two others not assigned to the case but who were aware of the relationship and did not report it to supervisors were reprimanded and reassigned, he said.

The agency remains under scrutiny on charges of evidence tampering for what authorities have said was lack of cooperation as investigators looked into the child's death. That criminal investigation is ongoing.

The toddler's mother, Tiffany Klapheke, claimed she was too stressed by her military spouse's deployment to care for her children. She faces a charge of injury to a child.

Tiffany Klapheke remained jailed Tuesday with a $500,000 bond. Her attorney, David Thedford, who through a receptionist declined to comment Tuesday, is seeking a change of venue in the case.

Abilene Police Chief Stan Standridge said Tuesday he expected the evidence tampering case to be presented to a grand jury later this month.

The Abilene Reporter-News first reported the resignations and reassignments.

The toddler died in August after being found unresponsive at her Dyess Air Force Base home, and she had suffered from malnutrition, dehydration and a basic lack of care over a period of time, according to a preliminary autopsy report. The child weighed only 17.5 pounds and her body had chemical burns, indicating she had been exposed to human waste, the report said.

Her two sisters were hospitalized for severe neglect and later placed with relatives.

RIO GRANDE CITY

Police: South Texas teen run over by own car

Police are investigating the death of a South Texas teenager who appears to have been run over by her own vehicle.

The Monitor of McAllen reported authorities in Rio Grande City were called to a home around 8:10 a.m. Tuesday.

Police Chief Dutch Piper said that responding officers found a 17-year-old girl who had died after her car had run her over.

While police are still investigating, it appears the teenager exited her vehicle, which then moved and went over her.

The name of the victim was not immediately released.

PHOENIX

Heimlich rescues choking Texas congressman

A Texas congressman who was choking on a piece of popcorn is thanking a fellow Republican from Arizona and a House staffer who is also a doctor for stepping in to help.

Rep. Ted Poe's spokeswoman said the five-term congressman from the 2nd District was eating dinner at the Capitol Hill Club in Washington on Thursday when he began choking. Arizona Rep. Matt Salmon was eating nearby and he and another bystander jumped into action and began doing the Heimlich maneuver to clear Poe's airway.

Poe spokeswoman Shaylyn Hynes said they were unsuccessful and called for a doctor. That's when GOP House staffer Dr. Nick Muzin jumped in. As Salmon kept trying to dislodge the popcorn with strong slaps to the back, Muzin did the Heimlich maneuver again and was successful.

TYLER

Man pleads guilty to smuggling snakes on planes

Samuel L. Jackson would have been cursing up a storm.

An East Texas man has pleaded guilty to smuggling snakes on several planes from South America to the United States.

During a court hearing Wednesday in Tyler, William Lamar pleaded guilty to importing wildlife taken in violation of foreign law.

Prosecutors said the 63-year-old eco-tourism guide bought the seven live snakes in August 2012 in a market in Lima, Peru, and smuggled them in his jacket on flights from Lima to Miami and then to Dallas.

Game wardens seized the snakes from Lamar's home in Tyler.

Peruvian law prohibits the exportation of wild live animals coming from the forest or jungle unless the exporter has the proper paperwork.

Lamar faces up to five years in prison.

HOUSTON

Man accused of threatening Cruz

A Houston man is accused of threatening to kidnap, murder and burn U.S. Sen. Ted Cruz and his father and also to "blow up" the sun if he wasn't paid $3 million.

Nick Gates, 37, was being held Tuesday in the Harris County jail on a $10,000 bond. He's charged with making a terroristic threat.

Investigators allege threatening phone calls made June 5 to Cruz's offices in Austin and San Antonio were traced back to Gates.

Court documents show he admitted to FBI agents he made the calls and that Cruz was told he had a choice: give Gates the money or "lose the sun."

Gates told agents he had previously been hospitalized at the Harris County Mental Health Center.

FELONY ARRESTS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Ruben Belloc, 31, of Odessa, was arrested Monday on a charge of violation of probation.

Daniel L. Easterling, 30, of Midland, was arrested Monday on a charge of murder.

Guy L. Gosciniak, 47, of Gardendale, was arrested Monday on a charge of possession of a controlled substance less than 1 gram.

Joshua A. Kirby, 28, of Midland, was arrested Monday on charges of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon and a bench warrant.

Andres A. Mata III, 31, of Midland, was arrested Monday on a charge of violation of probation.

Daniel A. Romero-Rivera, 19, of Midland, was arrested Monday on a charge of burglary of a habitation.

David J. Veliz, 30, of Odessa, was arrested Monday on a charge of violation of probation.

Philip A. West, 33, of Midland, was arrested Monday on a charge of failure to appear or bail jumping.

Source: Midland County Sheriff's Office

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■ Juneteenth event "A Celebration of Freedom," Woodson Community Park, 1020 E Murphy, Odessa. Contact: 432-853-1344.

Community calendar

■ A member of the Texas Army National Guard will be in Midland to issue military ID cards to retirees and disabled veterans and their dependents.

Staff Sgt. Xochitl Montanez will be at the Texas National Guard Armory, 10 a.m.-8 p.m. through Friday.

Montanez said cards will be issued to disabled veterans who have 100 percent disability and dependents 23 and younger. She said she plans to come to Midland every three months in order to provide this service.

For more information, call Montanez at 806-765-9529, extension 21 or 806-543-4759.

■ The George W. Bush Childhood Home monthly reading event is planned for 4:30-5:30 p.m. Thursday. This month's featured book is "Gimme Cracked Corn and I Will Share."

Each child will receive a copy of the book. Refreshments will be served. To make a reservation, call 685-1112.

Support groups, club meetings today

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

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

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■ Alcoholics Anonymous — hotline 580-7868.

■ Narcotics Anonymous — hotline 582-2926.

Lake levels report

Representing totals from early June 2011-13

	2011	2012	2013
O.H. Ivie	26.23	16.02	18.89
Thomas	3.64	0.78	0.58
Spence	1.23	0.38	5.15

Delivery (in gallons)

Midland: daily average this week 14.389 million

Midland: daily average last week 14.824 million

Midland: daily average last year 12.756 million

Odessa: daily average this week 20.557 million

Source: Colorado River Municipal Water District

Water tracker

The following is the amount of water delivered to the city of Midland from the Colorado River Municipal Water District and the Paul Davis water fields.

Friday's total: 16,710,000 gallons (CRMWD 11,653,000, Paul Davis fields 5,057,000)

Saturday's total: 14,918,000 gallons (CRMWD 10,003,000, Paul Davis fields 4,915,000)

Sunday's total: 18,702,000 gallons (CRMWD 13,798,000, Paul Davis fields 4,904,000)

Monday's total: 16,159,000 gallons (CRMWD 11,333,000, Paul Davis fields 4,826,000)

June 10: 19,976,000 gallons

Source: City of Midland

City of Midland pool hours today

■ Doug Russell Pool: lap swimming noon-1 p.m., open swimming 1-7 p.m. weekdays

■ Washington Aquatic Center: open swimming noon-7 p.m. Pool fee is $1 a person; children under 2 are free.

Correction

The graphic for a five-lane road on page 2A of the Tuesday Reporter-Telegram was incorrect. It was a repeat of the graphic for the four-lane road. The Reporter-Telegram regrets the error.

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Today in history

Today is Wednesday, June 19, the 170th day of 2013. There are 195 days left in the year.

Today's highlight:

On June 19, 1953, Julius Rosenberg, 35, and his wife, Ethel, 37, convicted of conspiring to pass U.S. atomic secrets to the Soviet Union, were executed at Sing Sing Prison in Ossining, N.Y.

On this date:

In 1862, Congress passed, and President Abraham Lincoln signed, a measure abolishing slavery in U.S. territories.

HOUSING

From 1A

Animal Control between Nobles Avenue and Golf Course Road.

"If we spent 3.5 million bucks in this community for our teachers and staff and we give them (rent of) $750 bucks a month, on the caveat that it's transitional housing that they're in for 12 months max ... that's a heck of an employee benefit," said Trustee Jay Isaacs said, noting it's the type of creative thinking needed in Midland right now.

Though Warren had initially proposed rent of just $500 a month, trustees discussed their desire to break even on the housing project within four years and decided rent of $750 a month will achieve that goal, while remaining a significant saving to employees.

At $32,000 a unit, the purchase price of 70 manufactured homes will be $2.24 million. Rent payments will generate $2.52 million over four years, and utilizing the buy-back option, MISD could recoup the additional $1 million in project costs by selling the homes back to the seller for 40 to 50 percent of the purchase price, Garcia said.

The 1,024-square-foot homes will be purchased out of fund balance in both two- and three-bedroom models so they can serve both families and single staff members who wish to live with a roommate, Warren said.

"We've toured them, and they're nice homes. Much nicer than (my wife) Jill and I started off in," Warren said.

Warren does not feel MISD will have any trouble finding teachers to live in these homes, as MISD will have to fill 380 teaching positions for the fall. In addition to creating 140 new teaching positions based on growth and the 22-to-1 student-to-teacher ratio, MISD accepted 240 retirements and resignations, Garcia said.

Trustees were initially insistent that the housing development be used as a tool to recruit new teachers to the district and only be open to new, non-Midland resident teachers.

"This is for people that we've got to get in here, that otherwise wouldn't move here if they didn't have this transitional housing. This gives them 12 months to go find a place elsewhere," said Trustee Jay Isaacs. "This is not meant to bail someone who already lives here out of an expensive situation."

However, Warren told the board of multiple staff members currently experiencing extreme cases that may ultimately result in those teachers leaving the district.

"I would rather you not limit me just to new teachers right now. I've got staff who are hurting right now that I want to take care of. Please don't limit me just to say we're going to consider new staff members because I've been hearing (of rent problems) for six months," Warren said. "We're going to be very careful about establishing true need. We have to get new teachers in this school district; this will be a big thing for us to do that. But we've also got some that we have to assist in the interim as well. And the interim will be dictated by our private builders."

Midland law enforcement OK with firearm suppressors

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Inside

Check out today's edition of West Texas Living as Reporter Tyler White profiles his experience in firing semi-automatic and suppressed firearms, including an AR-15 rifle.

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Midland County Sheriff Gary Painter said he has no problem with residents owning firearm suppressors as long as they are properly registered.

The firearm attachment is legal in 39 states — including Texas — and provides benefits for shooters that include reduced gun recoil and exposure to loud gunfire that may cause permanent hearing damage.

Painter said he views suppressors as beneficial, especially for big-game hunters. The suppressors allow for hunters to thin herds of deer and hogs without scaring the remainder away, he said.

"If you get a loud report with a weapon, those hogs are going to split up," Painter said.

In order to legally own a suppressor, residents must pay a one-time $200 tax for each suppressor and each one must be registered through the National Firearms Act branch of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives. Registration applicants must submit a Form 4 to the BATFE, which must be signed by a chief law enforcement officers in the applicant's home jurisdiction, which would be either Painter or Midland Police Chief Price Robinson, according to Reporter-Telegram records.

Robinson said the department runs a criminal record check on each applicant who applies to register a suppressor.

"If that comes back all right, then I sign the form," he said.

Applicants can process a Form 4 without their signature by means of a Firearm Trust, which can be set up through an attorney if a chief law enforcement officer refuses to sign the document, according to information website Silencersarelegal.com.

Painter said not everyone can qualify to own a suppressor and he will not approve everyone. Felons are not allowed to own suppressors, and Painter said anyone who unlawfully uses a suppressor faces "serious repercussions."

Federal law makes provisions for enhanced penalties for individuals convicted of using a firearm with a silencer in the commission of drug-related or violent crimes, according to Daryl Fields, U.S. Attorney's Office public affairs officer.

A prohibited person — including a convicted felon, illegal immigrant, fugitive, drug addict, domestic violence offender, an individual under indictment or mentally incompetent person — caught in possession of a firearm can face up to 10 years in federal prison and a fine of up to $250,000, Fields said.

Possession of an unregistered firearm calls for the same punishment stipulations, he said.

Fields said a firearm refers to many pieces of equipment: Any weapon which will or is designed to expel a projectile through the use of an explosion, the frame or receiver of any such weapon, any firearm muffler or suppressor, or any destructive device.

MC trustees approve salary increases

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Salary increases totaling $1.586 million — 5 percent for all instructional staff and 4 percent for classified staff — were tentatively approved by Midland College trustees Tuesday.

In addition to across-the-board salary increases, the board also tentatively approved MC's 2013-14 unrestricted, auxiliary and debt service budgets. Trustees customarily provide tentative approval of the budgets in June before issuing final approval in August.

In addition to full-time raises, the board also approved increasing part-time clerical positions from $8-9 to $10-11 an hour and increasing work-study student wages from $7.75 to $8.75 an hour.

Trustees also approved tentative salary schedules for the 2013-14 school year — the move was a first for the college.

"In hiring new employees, they often want to know what they will be paid and this will allow us to be firm when we make offers to employees, rather than telling them of a potential percentage raise," said Rick Bender, vice president of Administrative Services.

Staff salaries and benefits will account for 68 percent of MC's 2013-14 unrestricted budget, which is about 2-3 percent less than the average for community colleges, Bender said.

New expenses in the 2013-14 budget include $452,000 for new administrative positions, $90,000 for the establishment of a manikin replacement fund for the SimLife Center, $70,000 for the purchase of two new vehicles and $24,000 to expand the emergency alert system to the Advanced Technology Center and Cogdell Learning Center.

Based on budget projections, Midland College expects its 2013-14 combined tax rate to be 0.14310 per $100 valuation, down from 0.14418 this year. The maintenance and operations tax rate is estimated to be 0.12470 and debt service rate 0.01840.

CHANGES

From 1A

"You just see so much traffic in the peak hours, in the morning and in rush hour," Deffenbaugh said. "It needs to be improved just a little bit to handle the additional oilfield traffic."

One businessman who operates in the area of proposed changes, K.D.'s Bar-B-Q owner Dwight Freeman, also appeared at Tuesday's public meeting. He said traffic near his restaurant on SH 158 near I-20 in the past four to five years has been unbelievable. He welcomes the changes that TxDOT is proposing.

"What they're talking about doing is nothing but good," Freeman said. "I don't know how anybody could complain about that."

SHOOTING

From 1A

weapon, the report states.

Conway was transported to Midland Memorial Hospital, where he died at 1:44 a.m. from complications from a gunshot wound.

His death would be the first homicide inside Midland County since April of last year. There were six homicides inside Midland County in 2011 and four in 2012, according to Reporter-Telegram and FBI records.

During Easterling's arrest, a small-caliber revolver was located at the residence and has been seized as evidence in the homicide case, Painter said.

If convicted, Easterling faces five to 99 years in prison.

MISD names new principals for Coleman, Scharbauer and Milam

From staff reports

Midland ISD Superintendent Ryder Warren announced three principal assignments Tuesday.

Current Milam Elementary Principal Jill Arthur will be moved to Scharbauer Elementary, where she will serve as principal, following Kim Lee's resignation.

Carlton Johnson, Milam's current assistant principal, has been promoted to serve as Milam's principal.

Midland High School Assistant Principal David Moore will be the principal of Coleman High School, following Mike Seerey's retirement.

MISD's remaining principal vacancy is at Early College High School @ Midland College, following former principal Jeanette McNeely's appointment as Lee High School's new principal.

2013-2014 principal assignments

Bonham Elementary: Ludi Navarro (formerly Parker principal)
Bowie Elementary: Laurie Sherrod (formerly Bowie assistant principal)
Burnet Elementary: Alex Salazar (formerly Hart ISD superintendent)
Bush Elementary: Bonnie Smith
Carver Center: Amanda Magallan (formerly Carver Center principal)
Crockett Elementary: Jennifer Ruiz
DeZavala Elementary: Ray Portillo (formerly Travis assistant principal)
Emerson Elementary: Lina Baiza
Fannin Elementary: Terri Matthews (formerly DeZavala principal)
Greathouse Elementary: Jennifer Galloway (formerly Bonham principal)
Henderson Elementary: Tanya Bell (formerly Crockett assistant principal)
Houston Elementary: Dolores Cano (formerly district parent engagement coordinator)
Jones Elementary: Sharla Butler (formerly Houston principal)
Lamar Elementary: Diane Lopez
Long Elementary: Patrick Poe (formerly Souper Salad general manager, ECISD assistant principal)
Milam Elementary: Carlton Johnson (formerly Milam Elementary assistant principal)
Parker Elementary: Angela Aron (formerly Jones principal)
Pease Elementary: Holly Roberts (formerly Rusk principal)
Rusk Elementary: Leslie Goodrum (formerly Jones assistant principal)
Santa Rita Elementary: Debra Alba (formerly Burnet principal)
Scharbauer Elementary: Jill Arthur (formerly Milam Elementary principal)
South Elementary: J.R. Silva
Travis Elementary: Sha Burdsal
Washington Elementary: Jennifer Seybert
Abell Junior High: Melissa Horner
Alamo Junior High: Leann Maxwell
Goddard Junior High: Shelley King (formerly Midland High instructional services director)
San Jacinto Junior High: Deborah Kendricks
Lee Freshman: Bobby Stults
Midland Freshman: Robert Cedillo (formerly Lee High associate principal)
Lee High School: Jeanette McNeely (formerly ECHS@MC principal)
Midland High School: Jeff Horner
Early College High School @ MC: Vacant (former principal Jeanette McNeely moved to Lee)
Coleman High School: David Moore (formerly Midland High assistant principal)
Midland Alternative Program: Angelina Buck

City: Heart attack leads to crash on FM 1788

From staff reports

A heart attack caused a North Richland Hills man to lose control of a vehicle along Farm-to-Market Road 1788 and crash his vehicle, according to a press release from the city's public information officer.

Midland police and fire departments responded to the crash at about 4:30 p.m. in the 1100 block of South FM 1788, where 57-year-old William Goode was pronounced dead at the scene.

Goode was travelling northbound on FM 1788 in a four-door Cadillac when he suffered a heart attack and lost control of the vehicle, said public information officer Sara Higgins.

The car veered across the median into oncoming traffic and hit a pole, causing serious damage, before crashing through a fence. The vehicle came to a sliding stop in a nearby parking lot, Higgins said.

Two passengers were transported to Midland Memorial Hospital as a precaution, and an autopsy was ordered to determine the cause of Goode's death, she said.

It has not been determined if the heart attack or the crash itself caused the man's death.

P&Z approve zones for townhomes, 'windowpane' area

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More housing may be coming to northeast Midland as the city's Planning and Zoning Commission approved zoning for townhomes on North Lamesa Road on Monday.

The commission approved zoning for a townhouse dwelling district on a 10.32-acre area on the west side of North Lamesa Road a half mile north of Loop 250.

The applicant, Innovative Land Development, is planning to put about 8 units per acre for an estimated 80 townhomes, said Ken Van Dyne, the city's acting planning division manager. He said the townhomes may increase the housing density in an area where there is little inventory.

Even though the zoning was approved, the design plans have not yet been submitted, Van Dyne said.

COMMISSION APPROVES REQUEST FOR 'WINDOWPANE' REZONE

The commission also approved a city of Midland request to zone planned district for housing development south of East Gist Avenue between South Main Street and South Terrell Street.

The city made the zoning request for this area, commonly referred to as the "windowpane" zone, because there was "non-conforming use," Van Dyne said, meaning people were abandoning their mobile homes and leaving discarded items outdoors.

This area, a mix of single-family homes and mobile homes, was annexed by the city in 2009. Some mobile homes were already in place before the annexation, Van Dyne said.

To help "clean up" the area, the new zoning requires that mobile homes must be less than 10 model years old.

This new requirement comes after City Council approved a 30-day warning for two property owners to clean up the debris outside their homes.

House passes bill restricting abortions after 20 weeks

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The Republican-led House on Tuesday passed an anti-abortion bill that conservatives saw as a milestone in their 40-year campaign against legalized abortion and Democrats condemned as yet another example of the GOP war on women.

The legislation, sparked by the murder conviction of a Philadelphia late-term abortion provider, would restrict almost all abortions to the first 20 weeks after conception, defying laws in most states that allow abortions up to when the fetus becomes viable, usually considered to be around 24 weeks.

It mirrors 20-week abortion ban laws passed by some states, and lays further groundwork for the ongoing legal battle that abortion foes hope will eventually result in forcing the Supreme Court to reconsider the 1973 Supreme Court decision, Roe v. Wade, that made abortion legal.

It passed 228-196, with 6 Democrats voting for it and 6 Republicans voting against it.

In the short term, the bill likely will go nowhere. The Democratic-controlled Senate likely will ignore it, and the White House said the president would veto it if it ever reached his desk. The White House said the measure was "an assault on a woman's right to choose" and "a direct challenge to Roe v. Wade."

But it was a banner day for social conservatives who have generally seen their priorities overshadowed by economic and budgetary issues since Republicans recaptured the House in 2010.

Penny Nance, president of Concerned Women for America, called it "the most important pro-life bill to be considered by the U.S. Congress in the last 10 years."

Marjorie Dannenfelser, president of the Susan B. Anthony List — a group that seeks to eliminate abortion — said the legislation differed significantly from past abortion measures in that it restricts, rather than merely controls, the abortion procedure.

US, Taliban to start talks on ending war in Afghanistan

Associated Press

KABUL — The Taliban and the U.S. said Tuesday they will hold talks on finding a political solution to ending nearly 12 years of war in Afghanistan, as the international coalition formally handed over control of the country's security to the Afghan army and police.

The Taliban met a key U.S. demand by pledging not to use Afghanistan as a base to threaten other countries, although the Americans said they must also denounce al-Qaida.

But President Barack Obama cautioned that the process won't be quick or easy. He described the opening of a Taliban political office in the Gulf nation of Qatar as an "important first step toward reconciliation" between the Islamic militants and the government of Afghanistan, and predicted there will be bumps along the way.

Obama, who was attending the G-8 summit in Northern Ireland, praised Afghan President Hamid Karzai for taking a courageous step by sending representatives to discuss peace with the Taliban.

"It's good news. We're very pleased with what has taken place," U.S. Secretary of State John Kerry said in Washington. British Prime Minister David Cameron, whose country has the second-largest contingent of troops in Afghanistan after the U.S., called opening the office "the right thing to do."

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OPINION

Palin would be wise to dial down the fertility rites

■ The former governor of Alaska should show she can do better than play a trump card or deliver a one-liner.

KATHLEEN PARKER
Washington Post Writers Group

Distilled to a slogan, politics of late goes something like this: "I'm more fertile than you are."

It seems fecundity is emerging as the best argument for public office, policy or even citizenship. What was once an unconscious appraisal -- Is this person strong, healthy and vital? -- has morphed into the sort of explicit review one usually associates with an X rating.

While male politicians have always strutted their stuff as a demonstration of virility and strength, most women until recently have had no such comparable public measures. Managing a household wasn't viewed as favorably as, say, the ability to pitch a ball over home plate.

Lately, a strange shift has occurred among female politicians as they have resorted to flexing their womb-manhood. Rather than try to out-man the men, women have begun to celebrate — or exploit in some cases — their higher purpose.

This brings us unavoidably to Sarah Palin, who reminded us recently that fertility is the ultimate trump card.

To be fair, Jeb Bush started it. He was attempting to explain the need for immigration reform as an economic argument. That is, we need an influx of immigrants — WHO TEND TO HAVE LARGER FAMILIES — to counter native-born Americans' low birthrates. Our current rate isn't sufficient to keep our nation's economic engine running competitively.

This is a legitimate argument, most forcefully advanced by Douglas Holtz-Eakin, Republican economic adviser and former director of the Congressional Budget Office under George W. Bush. Alas, Jeb Bush inartfully said we need immigrants because they are more "fertile," which sounds an awful lot like, "Hotahmighty, those people can't tie their shoes without getting pregnant."

One is permitted a certain number of verbal pratfalls in public life, a bit of latitude Palin should appreciate. But Mama Grizzly came roaring out at Bush during a speech at one of those confabs where faith-and-freedom lovers assemble to flex their moral superiority. She not only scolded the third Bush for speaking in such terms but reminded the audience of her own bona fides in the matter.

"I say this as someone who's kind of fertile herself."

As though anyone could forget.

In an earlier speech in May at the Conservative Political Action Conference, Palin drew applause with a quip about her marital virtuosity. For Christmas, she gave husband Todd a gun, and he gave her a gun case for the four-wheeler, and ...

"He's got the rifle; I got the rack."

Oh, chortle chortle.

Palin is nothing if not fertile. Or perhaps more accurately, she is nothing if she isn't fertile.

The most flauntingly fecund female politician in American history, Palin made the most of men's imaginations as John McCain's running mate -- even winning over the fantasies of the politically opposed. Most memorable of these was Christopher Hitchens, who, though no Palin fan, once confessed to me: "Even I have wondered what it would be like to change her expression."

Hitchens knew how to be provocative and/or insulting while still seeming courtly, a gentleman's art nearly lost with his passing. Only the other Christopher — Buckley — does the same as well.

In this era of low art, one finds comfort at least in the knowledge that fertility passes, and so, one hopes, do those who insist on attention to their procreative histories. Which, I hasten to add, recently includes former House Speaker Nancy Pelosi.

When challenged about the difference between late-term abortion and the killing of babies who survived late-term abortions at the hands of the convicted murderer Dr. Kermit Gosnell, Pelosi hid behind the skirt of her own bassinet.

Rather than answer the question, she invoked her five children and declared any discussion of abortion "sacred ground" to her Catholic sensibilities.

Fecundity, apparently, triumphs over moral reasoning.

Most likely, Pelosi is deeply troubled by what her politics requires and what her Catholic mother-heart tells her is true. The real reason she avoided the question is because there is no good answer. The atrocity of late-term abortion and post-abortion murder is a matter of moments.

And though Palin's pro-life position is more palatable in the harsh light of Gosnell's killing chamber, her coquettish reminders that her field is still tillable diminishes her credibility as anything other than a one-liner comedienne.

Perhaps Palin recognizes this herself and is auditioning for her own show. She may have a fertile future as an entertainer, though Honey Boo Boo will give her a run for her money.

OUR VIEW

Poll shows Cruz, not Perry, is favorite of Texas GOP voters

It's certainly no secret that Gov. Rick Perry is currently entertaining thoughts of another run for president of these United States, so it must be a bit disconcerting for Perry to learn he's not even the favorite in that race in his own state.

In a recent University of Texas/Texas Tribune Poll, Texans would actually prefer U.S. Sen. Ted Cruz over Perry in a presidential race.

Cruz was virtually unknown just 18 months ago, but he has become the pre-eminent rising conservative in Texas. Despite his freshman status in the Senate, Cruz has already become the media go-to guy when conservative ideas are broached.

It's been a meteoric rise for Cruz, who tops a pretty impressive list of potential presidential candidates.

A quarter of Texans polled chose Cruz, who was followed by U.S. Sens. Rand Paul of Kentucky, at 13 percent, and Marco Rubio of Florida, at 11 percent. Perry was next at 10 percent, followed by New Jersey Gov. Chris Christie and U.S. Rep. and 2012 GOP vice presidential candidate Paul Ryan of Wisconsin, who were tied at 8 percent. Former U.S. Sen. Rick Santorum of Pennsylvania and Louisiana Gov. Bobby Jindal each won the support of 2 percent.

Let's clear the air a little here, however. Cruz is not now even considering a run for the presidency and Perry's status in the actual workings of state politics is still on pretty sound ground. For instance, in a potential and realistic head-to-head matchup for re-election in 2014 against Attorney General Greg Abbott, Perry is a clear favorite in that race by a 45-19 percent margin in this same poll reflecting the race for governor.

The booming Texas economy keeps Perry's status among voters very strong and Texas remains as a strong bastion for business and drilling.

What certainly goes against the governor is his long exposure to the Texas public, suggesting that Perry's better days are behind him. In that regard, this poll speaks volumes, not about Cruz's opportunity to run for president — we don't he is quite there, yet - but about a tired Perry that is close to overstaying his welcome.

For Cruz, his star is rising, but he is also quickly gaining enemies.

The Democrats are wildly critical of all that fall even close to the far right and Cruz isn't even straddling this fence, he's clearly clear of the center line.

It remains interesting, however, to follow just how true Texas voters will remain to the state's current standard bearer. This poll does show the beginnings of wear and tear.

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Immigration promise is nothing new

■ When needing a new immigration bill, demand amnesty, make fake promises about border security and then repeat steps A and B.

RICH LOWRY
King Features Syndicate

Congress is boring. It can't even make new false promises.

On border security, it keeps making the same assurances. The Gang of Eight immigration bill, which could well be the signature legislative accomplishment of President Barack Obama's second term, travels in the well-worn ruts of past immigration promises. The Gang of Eight is offering this basic deal: "We will pretend to enforce the law, if you pretend to believe us."

The Gang of Eight bill purports to create an exit-entry visa system that Congress has been mandating since 1996. Back then, only the most cynical of observers would have believed that 17 years later, Congress would seek to pass a new amnesty for roughly 11 million illegal aliens partly in exchange for the very same entry-exit system. But in the immigration debate, cynicism always pays.

In 2006, Congress passed a law calling for about 700 miles of double-layer fencing on the border. We've built about 36 miles, or a good, solid 5 percent. At this rate, we'll have all the double fencing in another 130 years. The rest of the mileage is various forms of inferior fencing, in keeping with a loophole Congress passed the very next year giving the Department of Homeland Security discretion in how it would go about building the fence.

Executive discretion is where border enforcement goes to die, and as it happens, the Gang of Eight enforcement provisions are entirely at the mercy of the executive. The secretary of homeland security merely submits a plan to do the things the executive branch has been mandated to do, but failed to do in the past. Who decides whether it is working? The secretary of homeland security.

This is so self-evidently ridiculous, even the Gang of Eight apparently realizes it needs to make some gesture toward toughening the bill. For his part, Florida Sen. Marco Rubio is doing the best Hamlet since John Gielgud. He is refusing to say whether he will vote "yes" on his own Gang of Eight bill after spending months drafting, defending and helping shepherd it to the floor. He has supposedly discovered that the enforcement provisions are inadequate, although he has done countless interviews insisting the bill contains the "toughest immigration-enforcement measures in the history of the United States."

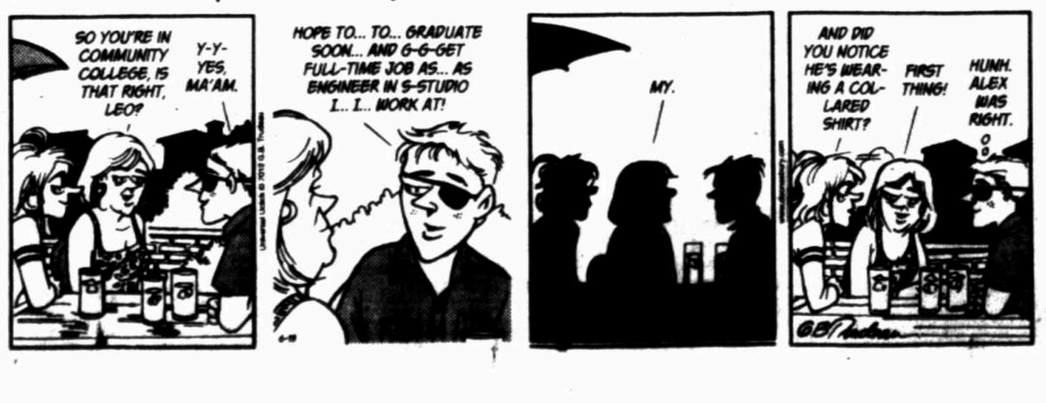
Another basic problem in the architecture of the bill is that the amnesty comes before anything else, giving the Obama administration, ethnic interest groups and the business lobby every incentive to resist any enforcement measures after they pass.

Rubio is loath to admit that the amnesty comes first, although in a recent interview on Univision, he indeed admitted it: "First comes the legalization. Then come the measures to secure the border. And then comes the process of permanent residence." In a subsequent interview, he said he was inartful, which in Washington is a synonym for "frank." When he's speaking more artfully, he is careful to blur the difference between the initial amnesty and the process of getting a green card to give the misimpression that enforcement has to happen before anything else does.

Not that he'll use the word "amnesty." A hallmark of Republican supporters of the Gang of Eight bill is stating their earnest opposition to amnesty at the same time they support amnesty. They call the status quo a "de facto" amnesty, but refuse to make the basic concession to logic that codifying the "de facto" amnesty makes it a "de jure" amnesty. They readily call the 1986 immigration reform "amnesty," even though the essential features of the Gang of Eight bill — legalization with a few symbolic hoops for the newly legal immigrants — are exactly the same.

The Gang of Eight bill is powered, in large part, by pretense and word games. If this bill passes, and then a decade or so from now we need another amnesty, the road map to passage will be easy: Congress can promise to follow up on the Gang of Eight's enforcement measures — yet again.

From the Left | Doonesbury



From the Right | Mallard Fillmore

CBO says 8 million to gain legal status in Senate bill

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — About 8 million immigrants living unlawfully in the United States would initially gain legal status under sweeping legislation moving toward a vote in the Senate, the Congressional Budget Office said Tuesday, adding the bill would push federal deficits lower in each of the next two decades.

The eagerly awaited report by Congress' non-partisan scorekeeping agency said the legislation would increase federal spending in the form of benefits for those gaining legal status, but those expenses would be more than offset by a rise in the labor force, increasing revenues.

Supporters of the legislation said the report would add to the momentum behind a measure that toughens border security at the same time it holds out the hope of citizenship to millions who came to the United States illegally or overstayed their visas.

The CBO said deficits would fall by $197 billion across a decade, and by $700 billion in the following 10 years if the bill became law. The assessment came as the pace of activity increased at both ends of the Capitol on an issue that President Barack Obama has placed at the top of his domestic agenda.

Challenged by protesters chanting "shame, shame," House Republicans advanced legislation to crack down on immigrants living illegally in the United States, at the same time the Senate lurched ahead on a dramatically different approach offering the hope of citizenship to the same millions.

Republican Rep. Trey Gowdy of South Carolina said the bill moving through the House Judiciary Committee was part of a "step by step, increment by increment" approach to immigration, an issue that can pit Republican against Republican as much if not more than it divides the two political parties.

California Democratic Rep. Zoe Lofgren predicted there would be "millions of American citizens taking to the street" in protest if Republicans pressed ahead with the bill. The measure permits state and local authorities to enforce federal immigration laws and requires mandatory detention for anyone in the country illegally who is convicted of drunk driving.

Despite the protests, approval by the committee was a foregone conclusion. The panel's chairman, Rep. Robert Goodlatte, R-Va., said future bills would require companies to make sure their employees are living in the United States legally, create a program for foreign farm workers who labor in the United States and enhance the ability of American firms to hire highly skilled workers from overseas.

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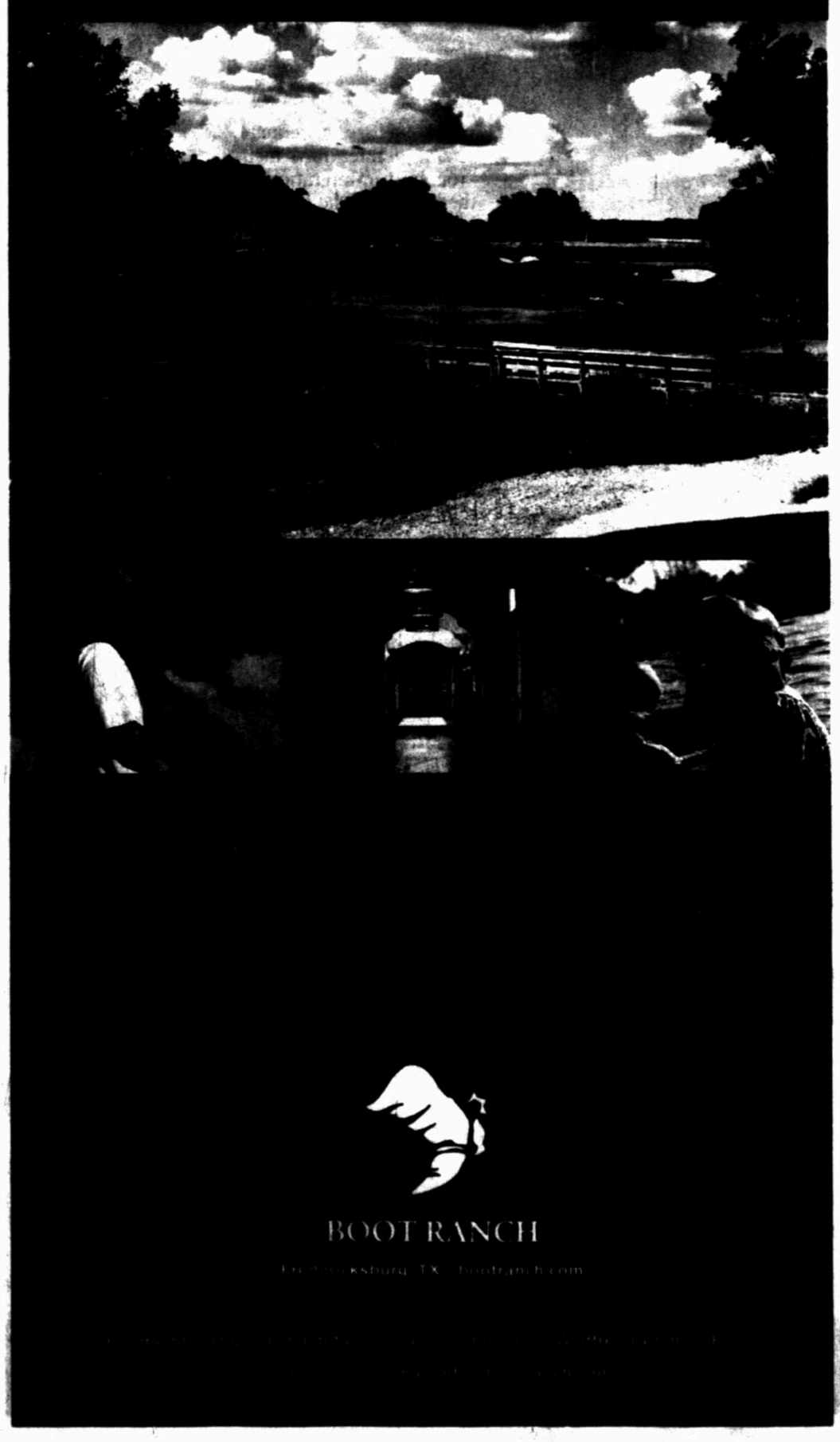

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NSA director says plot against Wall Street foiled

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Rep. Mike Conaway, R-Texas, questions Deputy Attorney General James Cole; Chris Inglis, deputy director of the National Security Agency; Gen. Keith B. Alexander, director of the National Security Agency; Deputy Director of the FBI Sean Joyce; and Robert Litt, general counsel to the Office of the Director of National Intelligence, as they testify before the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence regarding NSA surveillance in Washington on Tuesday.

WASHINGTON — The U.S. foiled a plot to bomb the New York Stock Exchange because of the sweeping surveillance programs at the heart of a debate over national security and personal privacy, officials said Tuesday at a rare open hearing on intelligence led by lawmakers sympathetic to the spying.

The House Intelligence Committee hearing provided a venue for officials to defend the once-secret programs and did little probing of claims that the collection of people's phone records and Internet usage has disrupted dozens of terrorist plots. Few details were volunteered.

Army Gen. Keith Alexander, director of the National Security Agency, said the two recently disclosed programs — one that gathers U.S. phone records and another that is designed to track the use of U.S.-based Internet servers by foreigners with possible links to terrorism — are critical. But details about them were not closely held within the secretive agency. Alexander said after the hearing that most of the documents accessed by Edward Snowden, a 29-year-old former systems analyst on contract to the NSA, were on a web forum available to many NSA employees. Others were on a site that required a special credential to access. Alexander said investigators are studying how Snowden did that.

He told lawmakers Snowden's leaks have caused "irreversible and significant damage to this nation" and undermined the U.S. relationship with allies.

When Deputy FBI Director Sean Joyce was asked what is next for Snowden, he said, simply, "justice." Snowden fled to Hong Kong and is hiding.

In the days after the leaks, House Intelligence committee Chairman Mike Rogers cited one attack that he said was thwarted by the programs. In the comments of other intelligence officials, that number grew to two, then 10, then dozens. On Tuesday, Alexander said more than 50 attacks were averted because of the surveillance. These included plots against the New York subway system and a Danish newspaper office that had published cartoon depictions of Muhammad.

In a new example, Joyce said the NSA was able to identify an extremist in Yemen who was in touch with Khalid Ouazzani in Kansas City, Mo., enabling authorities to identify co-conspirators and thwart a plot to bomb the New York Stock Exchange.

Ouazzani pleaded guilty in May 2010 in federal court in Missouri to charges of conspiracy to provide material support to a terrorist organization, bank fraud and money laundering. Ouazzani was not charged with the alleged plot against the stock exchange. Joyce said the arrest was made possible by the Internet surveillance program disclosed by Snowden.

Joyce also said a terrorist financier in San Diego was identified and arrested in October 2007 because of a phone record provided by the NSA.

The individual was making phone calls to a known designated terrorist group overseas, Joyce said. He confirmed under questioning that the calls were to Somalia.

Alexander said the Internet program had helped stop 90 percent of the 50-plus plots he cited. He said just over 10 of the plots thwarted had a connection inside the U.S., and most were helped by the review of phone records.

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Food bank to host singles mixer

■ Malibu Speed Dating Events partners with West Texas Food Bank for Friday event

By Megan Lea Buck
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An Odessa warehouse used to store boxes of salvaged food will become a party venue when West Texas Food Bank and Malibu Speed Dating Events team up Friday for a singles mixer.

The mixer, open to all age groups, starts at 7 p.m. Friday at 202 S. Lincoln St. in Odessa. Admission is $5. Music will be provided by a DJ from radio station KXWT (FM 91.3), and Carino's will provide appetizers. All proceeds will benefit West Texas Food Bank.

Looking for a way to attract more volunteers to the food bank, Director of Public Policy and Communications Paige Phelps thought about the people who recently moved into the Permian Basin and may not know many Midlanders.

"I've been reading all these stories about how this is the fastest growing metroplex — one of the fastest in the nation — and you see all of these license plates from all over the country and I just thought, how do we get their attention?" she said.

Remembering single friends in other fast-growing cities who would meet people while volunteering at nonprofits, Phelps thought about hosting an event for singles.

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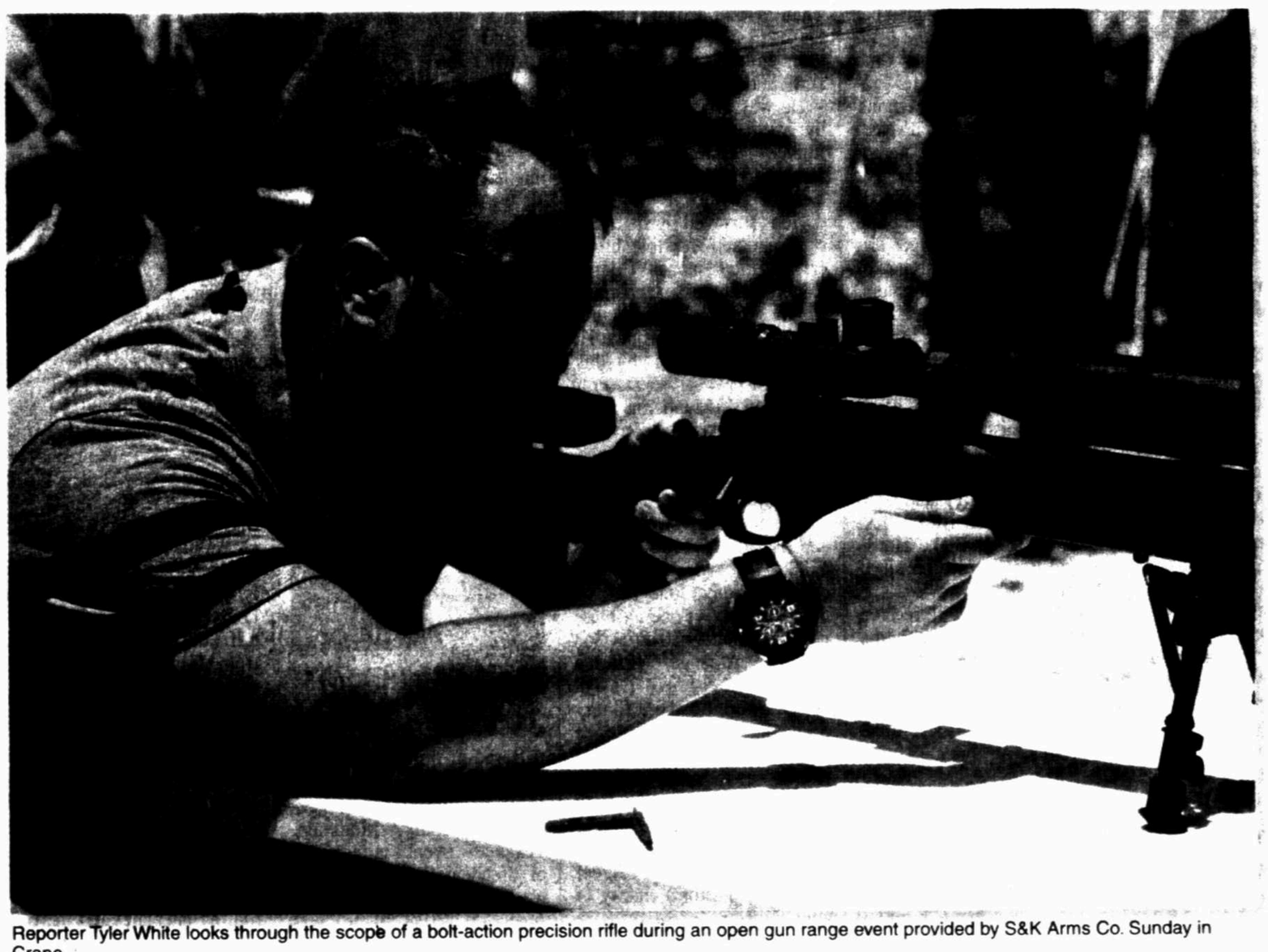
Volunteers sort and sack food for Food 2 Kids at the West Texas Food Bank warehouse

Photos courtesy of West Texas Food Bank



Reporter Tyler White looks through the scope of a bolt-action precision rifle during an open gun range event provided by S&K Arms Co. Sunday in Crane.

TARGET PRACTICE

Gun newbie aims for enlightenment at open range

I've shot a few rounds from a friend's shotgun and my grandfather's bolt-action hunting rifle, but my experience with firearms is minimal at best.

I hopped into a car with some friends on Sunday and traveled to Crane for an open gun range day, sponsored by S&K Arms Company LL. The event offered patrons a chance to fire fully automatic, semi-automatic and suppressed guns after paying for the ammunition.

The event seemed like as good a time as any to get firsthand experience with AR-15s and firearm suppressors, both surrounded in controversy for different reasons. With my limited knowledge and experience, I was a bit nervous to give these guns a test run. Luckily the environment felt safe and my instructors, Scott Lucas and Kane Colisek, were informative and patient as they showed me the process of safely handling, loading and firing a semi-automatic rifle and bolt-action precision rifle.

The chance to use suppressors was a part of the event's appeal because the additional firearm equipment piece, while legal in 39 states including Texas, is heavily regulated through extensive registration and taxes.

Colisek and Lucas wanted to make sure I realized the differences between suppressed and unsuppressed gunfire in order to recognize the benefits of owning a suppressor.

As Colisek loaded a magazine into an AR-15, I plugged in some earplugs in preparation for unsuppressed gunfire.

Grabbing the rifle with a firm grip, I took off the safety and fired 30 rounds into a metal target several yards away. The kickback on the AR-15 was a slight jolt, as it is with all the guns I've fired, but it wasn't overwhelming. I felt in control of the weapon the entire time.

After emptying the clip, Colisek reloaded the rifle and equipped it with a Silencerco suppressor, which he said would cut down on the noise and recoil of the rifle.

While the noise level was significantly reduced and lingered for only a couple seconds per shot, the recoil was dramati-

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FOOD ETC.

Email Joan Huff at foodetcmrt@aol.com. See more recipes at mywesttexas.com.

Use bountiful summer fruit in jellies, jams

If you have been to our local farmer's market, you have seen delicious fresh fruits for sale. Perhaps you have fruit trees at home that are overflowing and you are not sure to do with the bounty. Save your summer fruit to enjoy throughout the year by making jelly, jam or preserves.

All that is required is a little bit of time and a few kitchen utensils. First, you need a round metal rack that will fit in the bottom of a large pot. The pot is for boiling the water when you sterilize your jars and utensils and the jars will stand on the rack. The pot needs to be at least three inches taller than your jars.

Glass canning jars come in all sizes. If you are reusing jars, make sure they do not have chips or cracks. Preserving or canning jars are usually topped with a two-piece lid. This type is best for canning because they vacuum seal when processed. You also will need another large, heavy bottomed nonreactive pot, canning tongs, a plastic spoon and a ladle.

Of course, always follow any canning and processing instructions that are included on your recipe or in the canning jars. Before starting, you might want to refer to the USDA guidelines about the sterilization of canned products at the National Center for Home Food Preservation website.

PEPPER JELLY

From "The Farmer's Daughters"

1 cup ground bell pepper
2 Tablespoons ground hot peppers
1 1/2 cups cider vinegar
6 1/2 cups sugar
1 (6-ounce) bottle liquid fruit pectin
Green food coloring

Mix everything except fruit pectin in saucepan and bring to a boil. Let boil for 5 minutes, remove from heat and add fruit pectin, stirring until mixture starts to jell. Pour into sterile jelly jars and seal. (This is good spooned over a brick of cream cheese and served with ginger snaps).

PEACH PRESERVES

From "Country Living Recipes"

3 1/2 cups sugar
2 cups water
5 cups sliced peaches (about 5 large)

Combine sugar and water in a large Dutch oven; cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, until sugar dissolves. Add peaches; bring to a boil and cook 20 minutes or until peaches are clear, stirring occasionally. Remove from heat; cover and let stand 12 to 18 hours in a cool place.

Drain peaches, reserving liquid in pan. Spoon peaches into hot sterilized jars; set aside. Bring liquid to a boil and cook 2 to

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Outdoor adventurer finds heart, solace, thrills, risks in wilderness

ED TODD'S PROFILES

If ever a fellow, West Texan or not, was born to roam the outdoors, from exploring caves and navigating rivers to backpacking into the wilderness and climbing summits, the adventurer would be a romantic named Richard Galle.

His romance is adventure into the wilds, ranging from serene and reflective to rigorous and foreboding.

"Peter Pan is my patron saint," Galle said of the mythical youth of Never Land. "I am not going to grow up. You have to be responsible and everything."

However, the good-humored attention to detail, reveling in camaraderie and, all alone in the wilderness, enjoying the company of self.

"I love anything about the outdoors," declared Galle, the 6-foot-2 multi-task director of operations of Sibley Nature Center at Midland's Hogan Park. "I don't care what the weather is." Genetics or what, "I just have to be outdoors."

Galle is delighted in his mostly indoor day job that gives him opportunity to get out into the wilds.

After he gets "caught up" in

Galle appears well-suited on both fronts, being "responsible and everything," especially after surviving trials. The "everything" would be his pursuit of bliss in venturing into the outdoors, taking on risks, smart risks, that require meticulous planning,

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Richard Galle, director of operations of Sibley Nature Center, shows some of his caving gear.

Tim Fleetwood Reporter-Telegram

Obituaries

Dena Rae Perez-Ledbetter

Dena Rae Perez-Ledbetter, 39, of Greenwood, died Saturday, June 15, 2013, in an Odessa hospital. Memorial services will be held at 2:00 PM, Thursday, June 20, 2013 at the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel.

She was born September 22, 1973, in Midland, Texas and married Ron Ledbetter April 25, 1992 in Big Spring, Texas.

Dena was raised in Big Spring and graduated from Big Spring High School in 1992. She attended Howard College and Midland College. She moved to Greenwood in 2003 after living in several places with her husband who served in the military. She enjoyed crafts, volunteering and helping people and Facebooking.

Survivors include her husband, Ron Ledbetter of Greenwood; a daughter, Elizabeth Marie Alvarado and husband, Leonel of Lubbock; her parents, Ramiro and Sandra Perez of Greenwood; two brothers, Robert Perez of Houston and Richard Perez and wife, Shawna of Little Elm; two nieces, Ashli Perez and Brittany Perez; two nephews, Brandon Perez and Corbyn Ledbetter; her father-in-law and mother-in-law, Gary and Norma Ledbetter of Greenwood; a sister-in-law, Jennifer Ledbetter of Greenwood; and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.

The family suggests memorials be made to Lupus Foundation of America, Inc., 2000 L Street, N.W., Suite 410, Washington, DC 20036 or to American Cancer Society, Relay For Life, % Sandy Griffin, 1217 E. 17th, Big Spring, Texas 79720.

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

Jo Anne S. Daugherty

Jo Anne S. Daugherty of Midland, Texas passed away on Monday June 17, 2013.

Jo Anne was born on March 2, 1929 in Walters, Oklahoma to Jim and Sarah Jane Stevenson. She married Don Eugene Daugherty on December 26, 1949. They were married for 64 years. In her early years Jo Anne worked for the R.E.A., Texas Electric Company, and Atlantic Richfield Oil Company. After raising her children, Jo Anne cherished the time she spent caring for the health and well being of her extended family. She was a long time member of St. Luke's United Methodist Church. Jo Anne was a loving wife, mother, daughter, and sister.

Jo Anne was preceded in death by her parents, her brothers Gilbert Eugene Stevenson, Bill Stevenson and wife Wilma, her sister Fern Stone and husband Al.

Left to cherish her memory is her husband of 64 years Don Eugene Daugherty, her son Tracy Daugherty and wife Marjorie Sandor of Corvalis, Oregon, her daughter Debra Vetter and husband Charles of Midland, grandchildren Joseph Vetter and Hannah Crumb of Corvalis, Oregon and her extended family; Noel Gene and Doris Ann Rogers & family of San Antonio, Texas, J.C. Daugherty and wife Lois of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

A visitation will be held on Wednesday June 19, 2013 from 6pm-8pm at Ellis Funeral Home. A graveside service will be held at Walters Cemetery in Walters, Oklahoma on Friday June 21, 2013 at 10am.

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Mary Cravens Casey

Mary Cravens Casey of Commerce passed away Saturday, June 15, 2013 in McKinney, Texas following an illness.

Mary was born on June 20, 1928 to Brooksey and Charley Cravens in the Mount Zion community. She attended school at Branom and graduated from Commerce High School. In 1950 she graduated from East Texas State Teachers College (Texas A&M University Commerce) with a Bachelors degree and later a Masters. She married Leland Casey on January 25, 1946 and they had one daughter, Judy Hadaway.

She was preceded in death by her parents and Leland, her husband of 60 years, her sister Georgia Davis and brother Dewitt Cravens. She is survived by her daughter, Judy and husband Jerry Hadaway of Prosper, Texas, grandchildren, Michael Foulds and wife, Teri of Midland, Texas, and Casey Foulds of Denton, Texas, great grandchildren, Sutton, Sawyer and Sloan Foulds all of Midland, Texas. She is also survived by her dear sister, Nita Herman of Cumby, Texas, and a host of nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday at 1:30 pm at the First Baptist Church Commerce, officiated by Reverend Valerie Englert. Interment will follow at Mt. Zion Cemetery in Cumby, Texas. Visitation will be from 5:30 to 7:00 on Tuesday at the Commerce Funeral Home. Pallbearers for the service will be Sutton Foulds, Sawyer Foulds, Benny Herman, Roger Herman, Don Stringer, Jim Ainsworth, and Mickey Cravens.

Memorials may be directed to the Mary and Leland Casey Scholarship fund c/o First United Methodist Church Foundation of Commerce, Texas, the Mount Zion Cemetery Association, Cumby, Texas or a charity of choice.

Arrangements by the Commerce Funeral Home.

William Chapman Southerland

William Chapman Southerland was born in Rush Springs, OK on December 10, 1933 to Mellie Mae Ethel Chapman and William Henry Southerland. He graduated from Chickasha High School in 1951 in Chickasha, OK.

He served in the US Army from 1954 until 1956. He met the love of his life and wife of 54 years while on a church choir hayride in Chickasha in 1958. He and Patricia Ann Kennedy were married on January 24, 1959 in Waurika, OK at the First Baptist Church. William received his degree in Chemical Engineering from the University of Oklahoma in 1959 and then began working for Getty Oil in Venice, Louisiana that same year. He transferred to Hobbs, NM, Midland, TX, Pampa, TX and then back to Midland, TX where he retired from TEXACO (Getty).

Throughout his lifetime he was always involved in church and he loved music, especially singing and playing the piano. He loved telling jokes, was an avid reader, enjoyed playing games and spending time with family. He was a lifelong active member of the Baptist Church where he served in many roles including singing in the worship choir and serving as a deacon. William was a loving and faithful husband, father, and grandfather. Everyone loved his stories and his jokes.

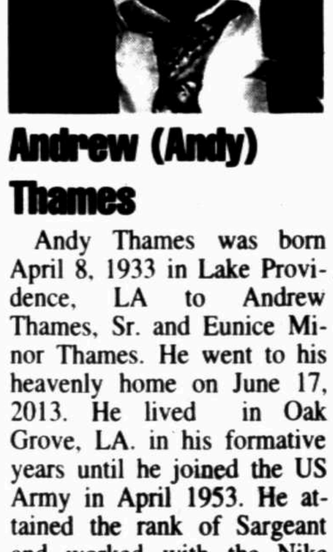
In the 1970's, he joined a local chapter of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America (S.P.E.B.S.Q.S.A.) and was active in his quartet, 'The Mayor's Forum' and 'The Sun Country Gentlemen' chorus. He was a long time member and past director of the Midland Downtown Lions Club and looked forward to flipping pancakes at the Lions' Pancake Jamboree each year.

Left to cherish his memories are his wife Patricia 'Pat Southerland; brother, Woodrow 'Woody' Southerland and wife Sandy of Irving, TX; son, Kennedy Southerland of Euless, TX; daughters, Marsha Coffee and husband Clyde of Pampa, TX, Nancy Houston and husband Brian of Levelland, TX; granddaughters, Tara Thornton and husband Luke of Amarillo, TX and Heather Coffee of Pampa, TX; grandsons, James Coffee and wife Nicole of Amarillo, TX, Heath Houston, Blake Houston and Brady Houston all of Levelland, TX.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 6:00 - 8:00 pm on Wednesday, June 19, 2013. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 pm on Thursday, June 20, 2013 at First Baptist Church with George Koehl officiating and David Johnson assisting. The family will also receive friends at the Dudley Funeral Home in Waurika, OK on Saturday, June 22, 2013 from 10:00 - 12:00 pm. A graveside service will be held at 2:00 pm at the Waurika Cemetery on Saturday, June 22, 2013.

Memorials may be directed to the Harmony Foundation at www.barbershop.org, or the Michael J Fox Foundation for Parkinsons Research at www.michaeljfox.org.

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



Andrew (Andy) Thames

Andy Thames was born April 8, 1933 in Lake Providence, LA to Andrew Thames, Sr. and Eunice Minor Thames. He went to his heavenly home on June 17, 2013. He lived in Oak Grove, LA. in his formative years until he joined the US Army in April 1953. He attained the rank of Sargeant and worked with the Nike Defense Program- maintaining the Nike guns for Homeland Security. He was stationed in Alaska for 3 and a half years and transferred to Chicago, IL where he maintained the Nike Program on the shore of Lake Michigan downtown until he was discharge on October 31, 1957.

He met and married Florence (Flo) Zdziarski the love of his life on November 16, 1957. As they started their lives together, they became the proud parents of three children: Sandra Childers Dunlap (Kurt), John Thames (Jana), Jerry Thames (Gracie). In August 1982, they moved from Chicago to Midland, TX where they lived until the current time.

Andy was employed by Rogers Ford and later was employed by Fedex where he was in charge of the maintenance of their fleet of trucks. He retired from Fedex in 1998.

In raising his family in Chicago, he was very involved in their activities. His children were in the Scouting programs. He was a Cub Scout master and also took part in his daughters scouting activities, serving as adult chaperone and driver. The family enjoyed many camping and fishing trips in Illinois, Michigan, and Wisconsin.

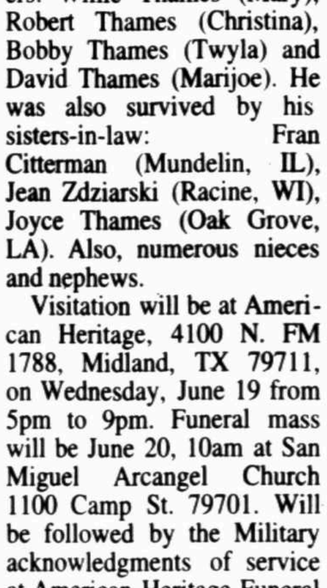
After moving to Texas Andy joined the Silver Bullet Bass Club and enjoyed going to monthly fishing trips with the club. He served as an officer for the club for many years and was the proud receipent of the Big Bass of the Year (10.72lbs.) for the year of 1999. He was the doting grandfather of 8 grandchildren: Mary Thames Norris (James), Melissa Thames Gann (Kevin), Janice Childers, Drew Childers, Casey Carrasco (Cindy), Kyla Thames, Stephanie Thames and Chani Childers Duke (Ryan) and two great grandchildren: Ryder Gann and Landon Carrasco.

He was proceeded in death by his parents, Andrew and Eunice Thames, brothers James Thames, JW and Vernice Thames.

He is survived by sister Rosa Grant and multiple brothers: Willie Thames (Mary), Robert Thames (Christina), Bobby Thames (Twyla) and David Thames (Marijoe). He was also survived by his sisters-in-law: Fran Citterman (Mundelin, IL), Jean Zdziarski (Racine, WI), Joyce Thames (Oak Grove, LA). Also, numerous nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be at American Heritage, 4100 N. FM 1788, Midland, TX 79711, on Wednesday, June 19 from 5pm to 9pm. Funeral mass will be June 20, 10am at San Miguel Arcangel Church 1100 Camp St. 79701. Will be followed by the Military acknowledgments of service at American Heritage Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, you may do memorials to Helping Hands 131 Brinson, Midland, Tx 79703 or the San Miguel Building Fund or a charity of your choice.



Caden Aaron "Cade" Boyle

Caden Aaron "Cade" Boyle, age 9, of Early, went to be with the Lord on Sunday evening at his home surrounded by his family and friends.

A celebration of his life will be held at 10:30 am Thursday at the Abundant Life Church in Brownwood with burial to follow in the Eastlawn Memorial Park under the direction of Heartland Funeral Home of Early. Visitation will be held from 6 - 8 PM on Wednesday at the funeral home.

Caden was born May 25, 2004 in Brownwood, Texas. According to Cade, it was a good day for Early. Cade was a student at the Early Elementary School. He was a member of the Abundant Life Church.

Caden was a very courageous boy and was an inspiration to many as he bravely fought his illness. He was diagnosed with Ewings Sarcoma Cancer earlier. He lite up a room with his wit and smile. He demonstrated a faith that inspired many and always remained strong no matter what obstacles were before him. He became a "big game hunter" when the obstacles became heavy. His hobbies were going on bug hunts, playing video games with his cousin Logan, having I-pad time with his sisters London and Hadley and playing with dinosaurs. He also enjoyed dancing and making funny family videos. Cade's favorite animal was a honey badger, because the one thing they had in common was that they were tough and could handle anything in their path, He was a big football fan. He loved the outdoors and animals of all kinds.

The last paper Cade wrote in school he wrote "I love my life, my family is aswome and blest, now you know all about (my) life".

He will be dearly missed by those who knew him.

He is survived by his parents, Peyton and Heather Johnson of Early. His father, Matt Boyle and wife Jonna of Euless. 5 sisters - London Chapman of Early, Hadley Johnson of Early, Taylor Lehman of Euless, Mattie Boyle of Euless and Baylee Etheredge of Euless. Grandparents - Kam and Robert Gibson of Conroe, Beth and Jerry McCoy of Fort Worth, Cindy and Daryl Boyle of Bangs, Wes Johnson of El Paso. Great Grandparents - Jan and Bud Higginbotham of Bangs, Edna Hector of Midland, Augusta McCoy of Eastland, Jo Nell Boyle of Burkett, Ed Hartman of Santa Anna. Several Aunts, Uncles, and Cousins also survive.

Memorials are requested to be made to A Wish With Wings Organization, 3817 Alamo Ave. Fort Worth 76107, Jesse's Story, Christopher and Dana Reeves Foundation, or Give Kids the World of Florida.

Friends and family are invited to sign the guestbook at www.heartlandfuneralhome.net

Donald Ray (Don) Jackson

Born on July 1, 1927 to William Guy Jackson and Mary Bernice Lummus Jackson in Chalk Mountain, Texas just twenty miles south of Stephenville, Texas. Don went to be with the Lord on June 15, 2013. Don was saved at a brush arbor revival in Chalk Mountain.

Memorial services to held on June 21,2013 at 1:00 pm at Kelview Heights Baptist Church, Midland, Texas.

He attended school in a one room school house in Chalk Mountain, and then went to high school in Stephenville, Texas.

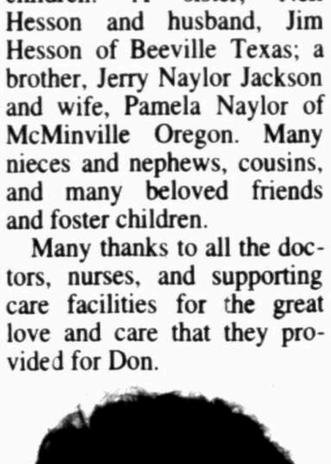
Moved to Carlsbad, Texas in 1945, and finished school there at Water Valley High School.

Was drafted into the army in 1945, Don took his basics in San Antonio, Texas. Don went to Wichita Falls, Texas; Frisco, California; Kerns Utah at Salt Lake City, Utah; and on to Seattle, Washington, then to Ladd Field, Alaska.

Don worked at the Sanatorium Hosp. before moving to Ft. Worth, then to Breckenridge, TX. Where he met Jeanne Getts and they were married in Ft. Worth Texas on August 12, 1961 .Moved to San Angelo and went to collage to become an accountant. Don moved to Midland in 1967 to work for West Texas Vending, which later became Coca-Cola. Don retired after twenty five years in the vending, then he want to work for Jeanne in her gift shop for five years, then went to work for Midland Memorial Hospital for nearly six years, he went to work in security at the hospital. Don loved to work in his yard as everyone knows and work around the house building things for Jeanne and anyone who needed his handy work. Don loved doing for others, he was a Godley man, Don loved the Lord and everyone knew it. He was always lifting the Lord up on high.

Proceeded in death by his parents, and leaving behind his wife, Jeanne of 52 years and four children, Larry Don Jackson, Janet Lee Wiggins, Donna Jeanne Stevenson and husband, David Stevenson, Karren Lanel Roland and husband, Jeff Roland, and adopted daughter, Monique Wilson and husband, Brian; twenty grandchildren, Larry Scott Jackson Rosentretter, Krissey Wiggens, Tracey Wiggens, Daniel Wiggens, Danielle Ragsdale, Shawn Cox and wife, Lacey, Justin Roland and wife, Whitney, Logan Roland, and wife, Jenny, Angela Benson and husband, Charlie, Clancy Roland and wife, Marckey, Morgan Roland and wife, Kambri, Alex Roland, Camron Roland, Dustie Roland, Daniel Roland, Brian Stevenson and wife, Amanda, Brent Stevenson and wife, Brittany, Shane Stevenson and wife, Laura, Kara Stevenson and Caleb Stevenson; many great-grand children. A sister, Nell Hesson and husband, Jim Hesson of Beeville Texas; a brother, Jerry Naylor Jackson and wife, Pamela Naylor of McMinville Oregon. Many nieces and nephews, cousins, and many beloved friends and foster children.

Many thanks to all the doctors, nurses, and supporting care facilities for the great love and care that they provided for Don.



Martha Wood Lyle

Martha Louise Wood Wilmeth Lyle went to be with our Lord and Savior on Saturday, June 15, 2013 at the precious age of 94. Surrounded by her family, Lyle passed away peacefully at her home in Midland, Texas.

Martha Louise was born on February 26, 1919 in Warren, Indiana to Amy Bailey Wood and Harvey Britton Wood. She was the third of seven children. After the 1929 stock market crash, her family moved to Seminole, Oklahoma to find work in the oilfield. Martha graduated from Bowlegs High School in 1937 and married Tom T. Wilmeth on June 3, 1939. The couple had three children, Karolyn, Tom and Donna, before Tom T. was tragically killed in World War II. Times were not easy for the young widow with the three children but she persevered the only way she knew how. Martha later met and married Clifford Thomas Lyle. They had two children, Roger and Terry. The couple moved to Midland in 1972 to live for the remainder of their lives.

Martha was a dedicated wife and mother, cherishing family above all. She was an artist and a homemaker. She led a life of quiet faith. Martha was a true survivor of the greatest generation.

Martha is survived by her four children: Karolyn Rogers and son-in-law Jerry, Tom Wilmeth and daughter-in-law Mary Jane, Donna McLaren and son-in-law Craig, Roger Lyle and daughter-in-law Candy, all of Midland. She is also survived by her fourteen grandchildren: Leslie Wood, Kristen Hayes, Karmen Bryant, Fawn Duval, Connie Barnes, Leslie Moore, Christi Sockwell, Steven Feris and Anna Busick, Paige McLaren, Brian McLaren, David Lyle, Stephen Lyle and John Thomas Lyle; her twenty-six great grandchildren and one great-great grandson, Cameron Freeman. She deeply loved all of her many, many nieces, nephews and cousins.

Martha is predeceased by Amy and Harvey Wood, Tom T. Wilmeth and Clifford Lyle, her son Terry Lyle, and siblings Leslie Wood, Delmar Wood, Mary Ellen Janiszewski, Dorothy Asher and Jimmy Wood.

Martha's family will receive visitors on Tuesday, June 18, 2013 from 5-6pm at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home. Services for Martha will take place at the funeral home on Wednesday, June 19, 2013 at 2p.m. Pallbearers will be David Lyle, Stephen Lyle, John Thomas Lyle, Steven Feris, Charlie Grissom and Charlie Mcgaff.

We are forever thankful for Dr. Summer Merritt for her continued love and support.

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

Death Notices

Glenn (Pappy) Parrott

Glenn (Pappy) Parrott, of Midland, TX, passed away June 16, 2013.

A visitation will be Sat-

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urday June 22, 2013 at Ellis Funeral Home from 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. A memorial service will follow at 2:30 p.m. at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel.

Juanita R. Marquez

Juanita R. Marquez, 76, of Big Spring passed away on Monday June 17, 2013.

Vigil service will be Wednesday at 7:00p.m. at Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral services will be Thursday 10:00a.m. at Holy Trinity Catholic Church with burial at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

She is survived by one daughter: Mary Arguello and husband David; one son: Marcelino Chavez and wife Norma; twelve grandchildren; six great grandchildren; six brothers: Cosme Ramirez; Julian Ramirez, Joe Ramirez, Gilbert Ramirez, Emilio Ramirez and Elido Ramirez and a number of nieces and nephews.

Richard Gilmore

Richard Gilmore, 77, of Coahoma passed away on Sunday, June 16, 2013.

Visitation will be Tuesday from 6:00p.m. until 8:00p.m. at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Funeral services will be Wednesday at 1:00p.m. at Midway Baptist Church with burial at Coahoma Cemetery.

He is survived by one daughter: Jana Smith and husband Earnie; one son: Leslie Gilmore and wife Judy; five grandchildren: Shane Gilmore, Cody Gilmore and Kelsey Gilmore, Steven Smith and wife Heather, Keith Smith and wife Kendra and Maurry Powe and wife Jeton; eight great grandchildren.

Wilson, Nobel winner for physics, dies in Maine

Associated Press

PORTLAND, Maine — Physicist Kenneth Wilson, who earned a Nobel prize for pioneering work that changed the way physicists think about phase transitions, has died in Maine, where he retired to enjoy kayaking with his wife. He was 77.

Wilson, who died from complications of lymphoma, was in the physics department at Cornell University in Ithaca, N.Y., when he won the Nobel Prize in 1982 for applying his research in quantum physics to phase transitions, the transformation that occurs when a substance goes from, say, liquid to gas. Wilson created a mathematical tool called the renormalization group that is still widely used in physics.

The son of a Harvard University chemist, the Waltham, Mass., native joined Cornell University in 1963 and later retired from Ohio State University, where he founded the Physics Education Research Group.

Wilson loved to talk physics, his wife, Alison Brown, said.

"He was very patient and willing to explain things to people. He never talked down to people and made them feel like they were dumb," Brown said. "He was a kind person. He had a good way of wanting to explain what he was doing, because he always loved what he was doing."

Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

Saltgrass Steak House opened for business Tuesday afternoon.

Saltgrass opens first Midland location

From staff reports

The Saltgrass Steak House location at 4511 West Loop 250 North is open for business.

According to the parent company Landry's Inc., Saltgrass, which opened Tuesday, is the 49th Saltgrass Steak House location.

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The menu, according to a press release, features Saltgrass Steak House favorites including certified Angus beef steaks, barbecue baby back ribs and a dynamic seafood selection. Steaks are char-grilled on an open flame.

Each steak is topped with fresh garlic butter and seasoned with Saltgrass-7 steak spice. All breads, dressings, soups and desserts are made from scratch daily.

Saltgrass Steak House is open seven days a week serving lunch and dinner. Happy Hour is offered every Monday through Friday from 3-6 p.m. in the bar area and features special priced select appetizers, beer, margaritas and wines by the glass.

Hours of operation are 11 a.m.-10 p.m. and 11 a.m.-11 p.m. Friday and Saturday.

For more information, please contact the restaurant at 699-0476, visit www.saltgrass.com or www.facebook.com/saltgrass.

Guns

From 1B

cally reduced as I continued squeezing the trigger. The click and clack sound of bullets deflecting off of the metal target acted as my metronome as I emptied a second clip.

With the intimidation of an AR-15 in my rear view mirror, Colisek suggested I try firing a bolt-action precision rifle — similar in look to what would be deemed a "sniper rifle" in modern video games.

Already familiar with this type of rifle, I sat behind it and slid a .330-caliber Win Mag bullet into the chamber, pressed the bolt forward and took a peek through the scope.

Now this was a challenge.

With each tick of my hand and exhale of my lungs, the scope shook back and forth as I tried to balance my unsuppressed shot. The rifle jumped back and smoke puffed from the gun's tip after I gently pulled the trigger. I managed to somehow hit my target.

My next shot came equipped with a suppressor, which made the experience of firing the rifle more comfortable.

After firing these advanced firearms, I had a greater sense of confidence in them. While I still believe an AR-15 is a potentially dangerous weapon if placed in the wrong hands, I don't see a reason why others should be denied the right to use them for casual shooting, hunting or personal protection. A steady hand is key in firing at the gun range, but education and firsthand experience make all the difference in handling hot political targets.

Lakota language supporter dies

Associated Press

SIOUX FALLS, S.D. — Lakota language preservationists and tribal members say the Lakota language lost one of its greatest supporters with the death of Albert White Hat last week.

White Hat, a member of the Rosebud Sioux Tribe, was instrumental in teaching the Lakota language to new generations for nearly four decades.

White Hat died June 11, at age 74.

Mixer

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She called Midlander Joanna Machuca, owner of Malibu Speed Dating Events.

Machuca started the speed dating business in September after seeing a need in Midland for an alternative to the bar scene.

"The divorce rate is too high and it happens in the 30s and 40s and people that age don't want to do the bar scene anymore," she said. "We've been there done that."

The company hosts speed dating events at local restaurants. Ten men and 10 women sign up to attend the date where each couple has seven minutes to get to know each other before moving on to the next person.

Machuca organizes the events and serves as a go-between for people who aren't comfortable giving out their contact information. She said she does not conduct background checks on people who sign up for the events.

While timed speed dating events are open to only 20 people in the same age groups, Friday's mixer is open to all singles.

"I'm hoping to pack the place," Machuca said.

While Phelps hopes everyone has fun at Friday's event, she is more focused on connecting people with a volunteer opportunity than a romantic opportunity.

"Maybe we can grab some people's attention. If they meet another person to date, that's great, but this is more about introducing them to the food bank," she said.

While the most recent data shows hunger in the area is slightly decreasing, Phelps said West Texas still has high numbers of hungry children.

"Child food insecurity is still appallingly high," she said. "One in four children in Ector County and one in five children in Midland County are still considered food insecure."

Singles will be sorting and boxing food during the mixer.

"There's lots and lots of salvaged food there, so they're going to be helping us sort that out and get it ready for families," Phelps said.

To RSVP for the singles mixer with West Texas Food Bank and Malibu Speed Dating Events, call 425-5448.

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Food

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3 minutes, stirring often. Pour over peaches, leaving 1/4-inch headspace. Cover at once with metal lids, and screw bands tight. Process in boiling water bath for 15 minutes. Yield: about 2 1/2 pints.

Marion's Fig Preserves

From "Mitford Cookbook & Kitchen Reader"

5 pounds whole figs, stemmed
5 pounds granulated sugar
3 large lemons, sliced thin

Place the figs in a large pot, pour the sugar over the figs, cover and let the figs sit overnight. Place the pot over medium heat and cook until the sugar is dissolved. Reduce the heat to low, add the lemon slices and cook for 2 hours or until the syrup is thick. Pack the figs and syrup in hot, sterilized jars and sterilize for 15 minutes according to the instructions included with the box of canning jars.

Skillet Strawberry Plum Jam

From Food Network Magazine

1 pound red plums
1 pound quartered strawberries
3/4 cup sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
Juice of 1 lemon
1/3 cup honey

Combine plums, strawberries, sugar, vanilla, cinnamon and lemon juice in a bowl. Cover and let stand 2 to 6 hours. Transfer to a large skillet. Add honey; cook over medium-high heat, stirring occasionally until the mixture is thick and registers 220 degrees F on a candy thermometer, about 30 minutes. Fill sterilized jars, leaving a 1/2-inch headspace, then seal and process for 15 minutes. Delicious on crusty baguettes or drizzled over vanilla ice cream.

Blueberry Jalapeno Jelly

From www.blueberriesandblessings.com

5 cups blueberries
1/2 cup lemon juice, divided into two 1/4 cup portions
1 1/2 cups water
1 cup jalapeno pepper, seeded and chopped fine
1/2 cup bell pepper, chopped fine
1/2 cup vinegar
5 cups sugar
1 box Pectin (low to no sugar formula)

In one saucepan, place blueberries, 1/4 cup lemon juice and 1/2 cup water and cook on medium high for 20 minutes. Strain with a cheesecloth or jelly bag.

In another saucepan, combine the peppers, vinegar, 1/4 cup lemon juice and 1 cup water. Cook on medium high for 20 minutes, then using a sieve, remove all the peppers from the liquid and set aside.

Combine both liquids into one of the pans, adding sugar. Cook on medium low until the sugar dissolves. Skim off any foam from the surface. Bring mix to a boil and add 1 box pectin and bring to a rolling boil for one minute. Remove from heat, skim off any foam and ladle into sterilized jelly jars and place lids tightly on the jars.

Boil in a hot water bath (with 1-2 inches of water over the lids) for 5 minutes. Set on counter to cool and to set. Listen for the lids to pop, anywhere from 2 minutes to 2 hours afterward. If they do not pop, they are not sealed and will need to be refrigerated and used immediately.

Pear Preserves

From "Tea-Time at the Masters"

8 pounds pears
1 lemon, thinly sliced
5 pounds sugar

Peel pears. Chip into pieces about the size of a large pecan half. Scatter lemon slices over pears and cover with sugar. Let stand overnight stirring occasionally. Next day, bring pears to a boil stirring often. Cook over medium heat, stirring often until syrup drips in 2 parallel drops from the side of a spoon. Ladle into hot sterilized jars and seal. Yields: 6 to 8 pints.

Show Me Preserves

From "Best of the Best of Missouri"

3 pints fresh strawberries, hulled, or 1 quart frozen unsweetened strawberries
3 cups sugar
1/2 cup fresh lemon juice
2 Tablespoons kirsch or Curacao
3/4 cup black walnut pieces

Combine strawberries, sugar, lemon juice, and kirsch in a large heavy saucepan. Cook over low heat 5 minutes or until sugar dissolves. Increase the heat and boil 30 minutes, stirring frequently. Remove from heat and stir in walnuts. Pour immediately into hot sterilized 1/2-pint jars leaving 1/2-inch head space. Seal jars and process in boiling water bath 10 minutes. Makes eight 1/2-pint jars.

Todd

From 1B

his office work, Galle may step outside and "reward myself by getting out and working on the trail, digging fence posts or whatever I need to do."

"I actually love it out here at Sibley," Galle said of the 49-acre mix of museum, library, art work, headquarters for planning adventures into the wilds and prairie land ripe with life, wildflowers and mesquite to bugs and lizards, representative of the flora and fauna of Llano Estacado, the Staked Plains of West Texas.

"I take my job very seriously," Galle said. "I don't take my life very seriously."

Not a grave soul, Galle lives on life's sunny side and welcomes risks for the rewards.

By his reckoning, "we've got so many heartbeats. We need to enjoy our life while we can."

Growing up in Midland in the 1950s and 1960s with his "forever" friend, spirited bicyclist-businessman David Ham, Galle recalled their youthful hiking outings over rangeland, pasture to pasture, "crossing over the fences" while friendly ranchers waved. The young adventurers would savor servings of peach pie baked by Galle's mother, Pauline Galle Beauchamp, now almost 100 and "still going strong," with peaches from the Ham orchard.

Ham figured those growing-up ventures may have contributed to Galle's passion for the outdoors.

Galle, a Midland High School drum major, baritone player and occasional football quarterback, studied pre-med at Texas Tech University before switching over to physical education and psychology only to surmise that the hybrid degree was "kind of useless because nobody is looking for an athletic shrink."

Then along came the "most fun job" of his career, a National Park Service (NPS) enforcement ranger at Big Bend National Park, "getting paid for what I do on vacation," climbing, rappelling, taking on search-and-rescue missions, fighting fires by helicopter, and the beauty of "watching the sun go down on the mountains" at Green Gulch and beyond.

After he left the NPS, Galle landed in Odessa where he in 1974 founded the Permian Basin Outing Club, which throughout the years has enrolled more than 5,000 adventurers, about the same number of folks, adults and children, whom Galle has taught rappelling.

Galle brought the PBOC and a legacy of 13 four-wheel-drive Jeeps into the Sibley fold in 2006. He now drives a pickup, while longing for another Jeep. "Four-wheel drive is kind of necessary for the places I go."

In the intervening years, Galle took on work as superintendent of Odessa Parks and Recreation Department, Ski Skeller Sports hand in Midland, executive director of YMCAs in Midland (Alamo YMCA) and Plainview, American Red Cross executive director in Odessa and Volunteer Center director in Lubbock.

Galle said that his older brother, John, a retired American Airlines captain, figured his brother played well the cards that he was dealt in life and that Richard Galle perhaps had a "bigger impact on people," especially children, "than he did." But they "didn't agree on that," Richard Galle said. As an airline pilot, John Galle "brought families together" and provided a "very valuable service to the public, too," Richard Galle said.

Richard Galle noted that his son, John David, named after his brother and David Ham, serves in law enforcement as a tactical officer in Fort Worth and, like his father, is blessed with "a great sense of humor."

Of preparing for risks, Galle recalled a solo caving trip and a kayaking incident on the Llano River that threatened his safety.

On the Llano River, he and the kayak were trapped in the current by a strainer, a large tree limb, until he, exhausted, finally figured out how to sink the kayak and to go under the strainer with the kayak and to freedom and life.

In spelunking some years back, Galle violated basic caving rules, such as entering a cave with a "dying flashlight battery since spelunking's most vital tool is light." Furthermore, he violated other rules: told no one of his caving venture, took only one light source and entered the cave alone.

"What scared me the most wasn't dying but the idea of having to wait for it," he said. He rejoiced when he emerged from the cave alone and free. "I was in the clear. It was a beautiful night."

"So far, I have been able to pull myself out of fixes," Galle said. Of the tipping point, "Everybody's time is coming ... if you do it often enough ... I haven't done anything that hasn't been done by somebody before."

In taking on adventures into the outdoors and especially into the wilderness, Galle said, "There's nothing more life-confirming than going out and doing something exciting or dangerous and coming back home."

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THURSDAY: Mostly sunny High: 97 Low: 73

FRIDAY: Sunny High: 97 Low: 73

Local forecast

Expect mostly sunny skies today with a high around 98 and south winds between 10 and 20 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph. Tonight's forecast calls for partly cloudy conditions with a low around 75 and south winds between 15 and 20 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph.

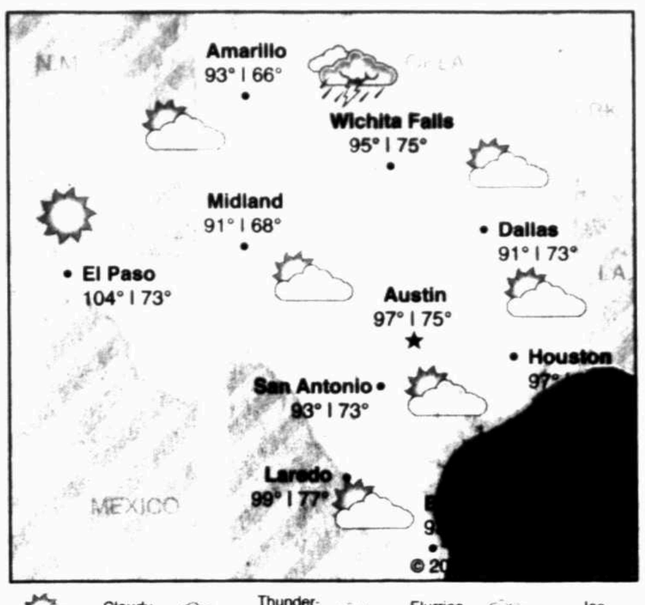
Thursday, look for mostly sunny skies with a high around 97 and south winds between 15 and 20 mph. Expect partly cloudy conditions at night, a low around 73 and south winds between 15 and 20 mph.

Friday, the forecast calls for mostly sunny skies during the day, partly cloudy skies at night, a high around 97 and a low around 73.

The high on Tuesday reached 93, while the low dropped to 66. The record high for June 18 is 107 set in 1951 and 2011. The record low is 52 set in 1945.

National forecast

In the West, much of the area from western Colorado and western New Mexico to the interior of California has a dry, windy and hot day in store. The conditions will increase the risk of wildfires. Farther north, a potent storm system will bring areas of drenching rain to Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana.



Precipitation

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Month total	0.81 in.
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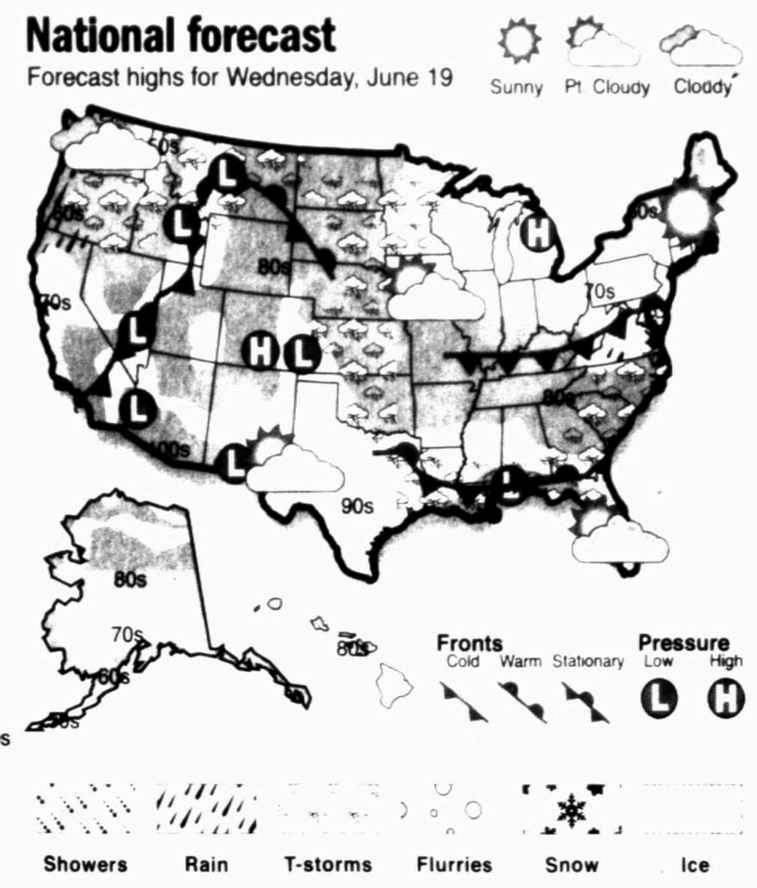
Tuesday's temperatures

High	93
Low	66
Normal high	94
Normal low	68
Sunrise	6:43 a.m.
Sunset	8:57 p.m.

National forecast

Forecast highs for Wednesday, June 19



Grandma on the sidelines would like to join the game

DEAR ABBY

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

DEAR ABBY: My son married a sweet girl three years ago, and I thought we would become a close family. I haven't bothered them at all. Since then, she has become cold and distant to me. My son rarely calls or comes around.

They are expecting their first child soon. I have been left out of all the excitement of the baby. She has not invited me to the baby showers or to see the nursery, etc. I know it's not all about me, but I would like to be included.

My side of the family doesn't seem to matter to her or my son. Because he doesn't stand up for me, I fear I will never get to be close to my grandchild. I don't want to upset them, but how do I handle this? — SAD GRANDMA-TO-BE

DEAR SAD: Talk to your son about your feelings, and ask if there is a reason for his wife's behavior. Then ask if he WANTS you to be a part of his child's life, because the way things are going, it doesn't appear to be the case. That you haven't been invited to the baby showers is terrible, but nothing will change until you bring your concerns out into the open.

I'm sad to say your problem isn't unusual, and it usually happens in marriages where the husband is afraid or unwilling to talk about uncomfortable subjects and prefers to avoid confrontation.

DEAR ABBY: I have been a widower for 15 years. I had kids at home, so restarting romantic life wasn't a priority after my wife died. Ten years later, I realized I was no longer interested in women, and my love life since then has been with men. While I have never been vocal about it with family and friends, I assume they all probably know.

A couple of months ago, one of my male friends — much younger than I and from my poker group — came to my home to take me to lunch. I had always assumed he was gay. I made a pass and ended up seducing him. He was a great sex partner, but he changed his mind about going to lunch afterward. He has never shown up for poker since and no one has heard from him.

I feel bad, but I am not ashamed, and I would never say anything that would lead anyone to know what happened. Should I contact my former friend and reassure him? He's a good man and I worry about him. — MISSING A FRIEND IN MIAMI

DEAR MISSING: The man you seduced may not have been as comfortable with gay sex as you assumed he was. Try to contact him once, but if he wanted to see you again, he wouldn't have disappeared. My advice is to leave it at that because it appears he isn't interested in another round of poker — or anything else — with you.

DEAR ABBY: I have discovered that the man I have been seeing for several years has been stealing money from me. There is no question in my mind that it's him. What is the best way to confront him? It breaks my heart, but I need to give him a chance to be honest about this.

I care for him as a person but no longer trust him. I know he's going through a lot right now, but so are a lot of us. Please guide me. I don't do confrontations well. — USED IN INDIANA

DEAR USED: If you have proof of what he has done, a way to approach it would be to discuss with him IN A PUBLIC PLACE that money has disappeared — and you would like his "help" in figuring out where it went. Depending upon his response, you may have to take specific action by involving your lawyer, your CPA or the police.

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

Go west, young man

North-South vulnerable. West deals.

NORTH
♠ A K 5 2
♡ 7 6 4
◇ K 8 6
♣ A J 5

WEST
♠ J 8 3
♡ A J 9 5 2
◇ A J 4
♣ Q 7

EAST
♠ 10
♡ Q 10 3
◇ 10 7 5 3 2
♣ 9 8 6 2

SOUTH
♠ Q 9 7 6 4
♡ K 8
◇ Q 9
♣ K 10 4 3

The bidding:

WEST	NORTH	EAST	SOUTH
1♡	Dbl	2♡	3♠
Pass	4♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Opening lead: Three of ♠

The sun sets in the West, but this contract sinks in the East should that defender gain the lead. South avoided the problem neatly, but gained nothing for exemplary technique on this deal from a team match.

We are in favor of North's double despite the flat distribution. It is safer to act on the first round than to back in later with this sort of hand. South made an invitational jump to three spades and North, knowing there was heart shortness in South's hand and that all his high cards were working, raised to game.

At both tables West led a trump. At one table declarer drew another two rounds of trumps, ending in hand, and then finessed the jack of clubs. When that worked, declarer lost only one diamond and two hearts.

With both red aces marked in the West hand, the other South was not prepared to risk East gaining the lead. Declarer won the first trick with the ace of spades, cashed the king and then ran the jack of clubs to West's queen. When West returned the suit, dummy's ace won, a spade extracted the defenders' last fang and the nine of diamonds was led. Since West could not gain by rising with the ace, the table's king won. Two more rounds of clubs enabled declarer to discard a diamond from dummy, and the queen of diamonds endplayed West.

A diamond return would permit declarer to ruff in dummy and discard a heart from hand, while a heart would run up to the king. Either way, declarer would lose only one heart trick to go with the diamond and club tricks already conceded.

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JACQUELINE BIGAR'S STARS

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

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Wednesday, June 19, 2013:

This year expect to experience some adjustments and also some discomfort. You will enjoy people a lot. You'll swap jokes and exude charm. You will learn how to balance your different needs. Your daily routine becomes even more important. Take good care of your health: Get a flu shot, see the dentist regularly and see the doctor if need be. If you are single, you could meet someone special in the next few months; however, note that there could be an element of instability connected to this bond. SCORPIO has a similar curiosity as you do.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★★ Once more you'll encounter a depressed person in your life. You might not know what to do next. Investigate, and remain sure of yourself. A caring gesture could make all the difference to this individual; you understand what he or she is experiencing. Tonight: Dinner out.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★ You might be projecting your frustration more than you realize. Certain situations could draw in a new level of understanding. Reflect more — not to prove that you are right, but rather to gain a greater perspective. Seriousness is in the air. Tonight: Let there be music.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★ You'll want to get a better understanding of a situation. Your sense of direction might not be realistic right now. You have great ideas; however, making them work could be a challenge. Be clear and direct in your dealings. Visualize more of what you want. Tonight: Dream on.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★★ Your resourcefulness comes to the rescue. A very unhappy child or loved one sees no way out of an emotional maze. You will help bring this person back to reality. You instinctively understand where he or she is coming from. Tonight: Remain sensitive to others.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★ You are very confident and optimistic. Listen to feedback from an important person in your life. You'll discover the importance of change, as unexpected plans could be tossed your way. Remember that you like excitement. Tonight: Choose to go along with the moment.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★ A discussion might be serious, but it will provoke an exchange of ideas and solutions. A partner or close associate could react in a most unexpected manner. Stay sure of yourself and realize how much excitement will be triggered by an event. Tonight: Togetherness is the theme.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★ Be aware of the costs of proceeding as you have. You just might be a little tired of playing the same old games. Switch gears or simply refuse to partake, if you want to change. Reach out to someone at a distance who means the world to you. Tonight: Balance your budget.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★★ You might come off too strong, as if you're pushing others away. Know that they might not understand where you are coming from. A loved one gives you the benefit of the doubt. Discuss the ever-changing dynamic of this particular relationship. Tonight: As you like it.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★ Understand what is going on with a family member who might be sending you mixed messages. You would like to have more clarity. Understand what is motivating you as well. A financial decision could feel like extra pressure. Know your options. Tonight: Keep it quiet.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★ Recognize what is happening with a child or loved one. Laughter surrounds a potentially difficult decision. Make an effort to explain to a friend what you are feeling; you might get some interesting feedback as a result. Acknowledge a change. Tonight: Where the action is.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★★ Listen to a suggestion, but know that it might be something that goes against your nature. You are quite clear as to what you want and expect. Communication could have a surprising tone, especially if it involves feelings. It might be hard to root out the issue. Tonight: Out late.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★ Your great ideas might fall on deaf ears right now. Others won't know what to say, even if they do hear one or two of them. Do what you need to do in order to pursue a goal. It could be starting to plan your vacation or making a special request. Tonight: Relax with a friend.

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BORN TODAY

Baseball player Lou Gehrig (1903), painter Edgar Degas (1834), singer/songwriter Paula Abdul (1962)

DAILY CROSSWORD

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1 Fictional circumnavigator Phileas
5 Like weather that makes hair frizz
10 European auto
14 Beach bird
15 Cool place to live?
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17 Get closer to home?
19 Kitten's plaything
20 Fortuneteller's card
21 Near-failing grades
23 Lo mein additive
24 Less valid, excusewise
25 Electrical device named for its inventor
27 "South Park" baby brother
28 __-wop
30 With 38-Down, "People's Court" rival
31 Sacred Hindu work
33 Space station for about 15 years
35 Approaches evening
36 Chestnut
39 Spreading Indian tree
42 Puddle gunk
43 Teen safety org.
47 Great Lakes natives
48 Brief swim
50 Scand. land
51 Dress pants shade
55 Like Oreos dropped in milk
57 Eldest March sister, in a 19th-century novel
58 Wonka's creator
59 Big cheese
60 Big cheese in Holland
62 Classic horror magazine, and a literal hint to the beginning of 17-, 25-, 36-, and 51-Across
65 Taj Mahal city
66 Cousin of "ish"
67 Artist Chagall
68 Use a sickle
69 One going behind your back
70 Naysayer

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2 DVD extra
3 Shone brightly
4 Blinding light
5 Item in a dugout
6 "Disgusting!"
7 Soar effortlessly
8 Gets with a tusk
9 High-range song, in more ways than one
10 "Incidentally ..."
11 Pie order
12 Libra, for one
13 "Manic Monday" band
18 Fauntleroy's title
22 White co-worker
24 Actress Tyler
25 Work up a sweat
26 Affected preciousness, with "the"
29 Muscat's sultanate
32 Hitherto
34 Sleep stage letters
35 Wine city near Sacramento
37 Used a stun gun on
38 See 30-Across
39 Sully
40 TV news exec Roone
41 Horseshoe Falls river
44 Luanda native
45 Bespectacled cartoon canine who was once a CEO
46 Oenophile's "sec"
49 Test for jrs.
52 Rubbernecks
53 Deutschland river
54 Flared dress
56 "The Audacity of Hope" author
59 Third-least populous U.S. state
61 "Do I have to draw you a __?"
63 Old vitamin bottle no.
64 Poli __

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

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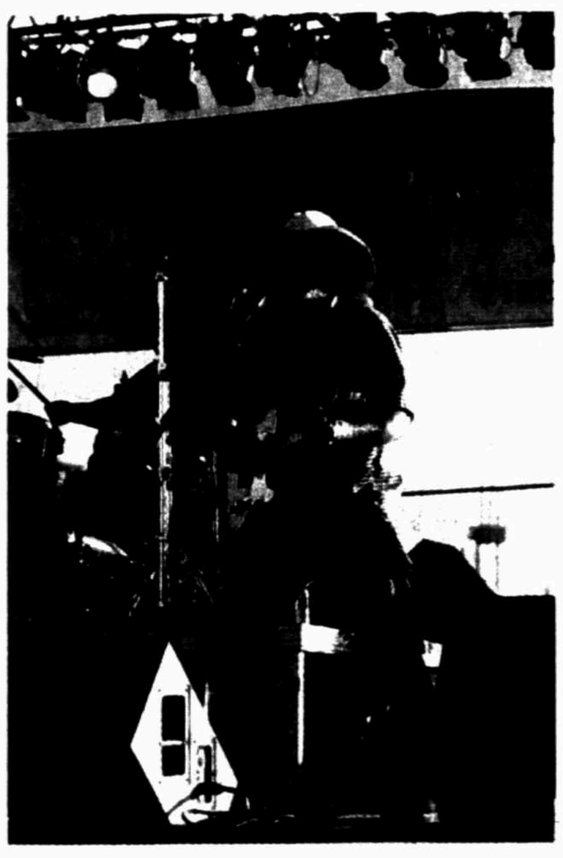
BAR JAM



Cooder Graw, Chute Nine, Noel Olivas and other bands performed Saturday at the Bar for the first Bar Jam in several years.

Photos by James Cannon

NEIL SPERRY

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Variation in soil water levels causes blossom-end rot on tomatoes

Dear Neil: Almost all of our tomatoes are experiencing this browning. I've just been throwing them away. Ladies at church say it's a disease that tomatoes get. What can I do for it, or is the crop lost?

Answer: This looks like a disease, but it's blossom-end rot. It's almost always caused by too much variation in soil water levels. When we let a tomato plant wilt, the blossom end is the point farthest from the roots, so it gets water last and dries out first. Try to maintain more uniformly moist soil. This is very common with tomatoes we grow in pots, because they tend to dry out even more quickly. (It's worth noting that sometimes, in rather rare occasions, this can also be due to calcium shortages. Adding lime would help in those instances, but only in sandy, acidic soils.)

Dear Neil: We bought property in January that has gardenia bushes growing in the landscape. It's heavily shaded, and because gardenias need full sun, their leaf count is sparse. Would trimming them back help them thicken up? If so, when should we do it?

Answer: The old axiom is "if nothing changes, nothing changes." True, you'd be pruning them back, but the shade would still be there. Gardenias actually do fine if they have morning sun and protection from the hottest afternoon sun. Are there any extra low-hanging branches you could remove to get a little more light to them? If not, you might consider moving them out into a brighter location when they're dormant late next January. In that case, you would want to prune and reshape them to compensate for root loss. If you decide to remove a tree branch or two and leave the gardenias where they are, pruning could very well stimulate fuller regrowth.

Dear Neil: What might be wrong with our Bradford pear?

Answer: This is iron deficiency. While it can be caused by highly alkaline soil, it can also be due to Bradford pears' very weak branch pattern. Internal branches get pinched into the trunk growth, and nutrients don't flow freely. Isolated branches show the deficiency. I saw this on my own Bradford pear for the last year or two before its trunk split right down the middle. Iron additives will help, but probably only in the short term. The brown spots are among the progressive symptoms of iron chlorosis, but again, the poor branch structure and weak branch unions are the real issues here.

Dear Neil: What is the proper mowing height for lawngrasses in Texas? Several of my neighbors are cutting their grass too high, it seems to me.

Answer: That depends totally on the type of grass. Common bermuda: 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 inches. Hybrid bermudas: depending on the variety, between 1/4 and 3/4 inch. St. Augustine at 2 to 2 1/2 inches. Zoysias 2 to 3 inches. Fescue and buffalograss at 3 to 4 inches. Almost as important as the mowing height is the frequency of mowing. Aim never to remove more than one-third of the leaf growth at any given mowing. Don't be surprised if you have to mow on 5- or 6-day intervals during peak growth times.

Dear Neil: I'm beginning to plan for my fall bulb plantings. We've lived here for four years, and our daffodils were great the first year, but they haven't rebloomed well since. Lots of leaves, but almost no flowers. Should I try another type of daffodil when I order?

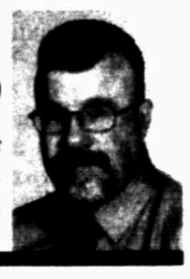
Answer: Yes. You probably bought some of the large-flowering hybrids that are so popular in colder climates. Names like King Alfred, Unsurpassable and Mount Hood are the ones we all try first. In reality, we ought to be using the dependable repeat bloomers like Carlton and Ice Follies (the two best-selling daffodils in the world), also Cheerfulness, Yellow Cheerfulness, Geranium and other long-proven repeaters. Do a little research online for repeating daffodils and you'll find a lot of the same names keep coming up as being highly recommended.

Dear Neil: I'm seeing oblong pods on a juniper shrub. I've sprayed with Neem oil and the browning seems to have stopped. Can I save this shrub?

Answer: Oh, my. Without a photo it's going to be hard to know. You're almost assuredly seeing bagworm damage. They strip branches bare and leave big parts of juniper plants browned in the process. Normally I would suggest B.t. (Bacillus thuringiensis) biological worm spray or one of the general-purpose insecticides. They may have finished feeding. Time will tell on its recovery. Hopefully the damage wasn't too severe.

Beware of soft rot on garden squash

JEFF FLOYD



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Be on the lookout for soft rot at the blossom end of your garden squash. Soft rot is a fungal disease that affects first the blossoms and later progresses into the fruit.

Also called wet rot or Choanephora rot, soft rot is caused by the fungus Choanephora cucurbitarum, named after the family of vegetables it most commonly attacks. Cucurbits such as cucumber, yellow squash and pumpkins readily host the disease.

Symptoms of soft rot on yellow squash include a fuzzy white fungus that develops black or purple fruiting bodies easily seen with the aid of a magnifying glass. The disease begins at the blossom end of the vegetable and progresses toward the stem. The fruit usually appears wet or feels slimy to the touch.

Early summer provides the perfect conditions for the pathogen to develop. The fungus thrives in a wet environment when temperatures are above 75 degrees. Even during drought, hot humid conditions are not uncommon in a well-tended West Texas garden.

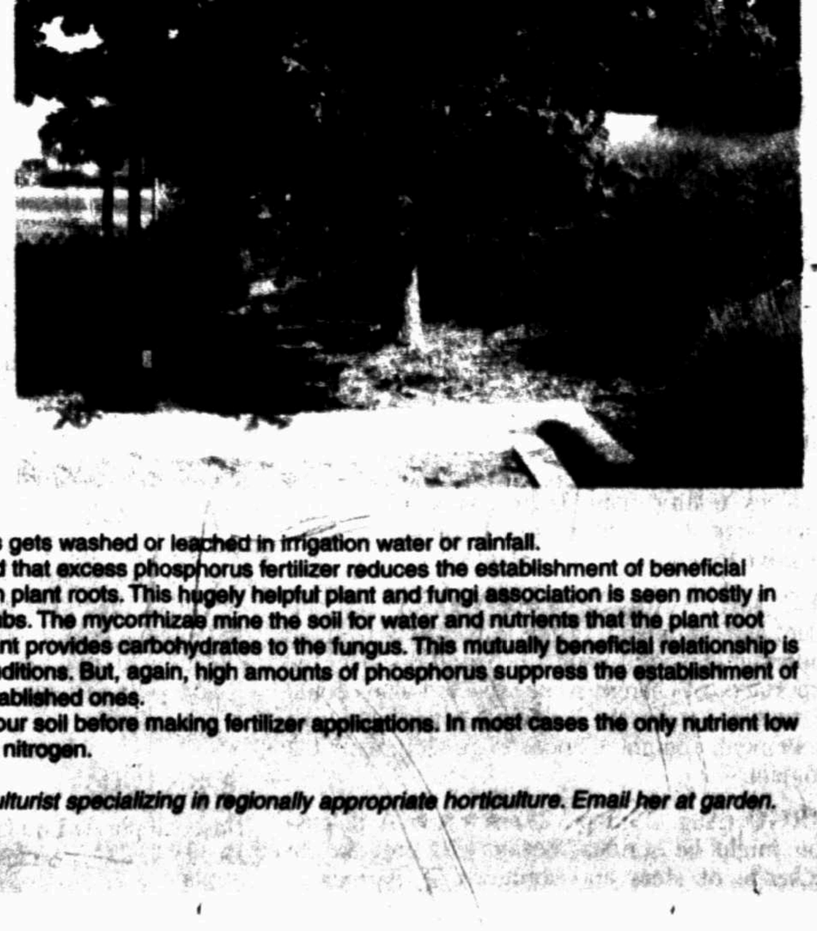
The decay is most likely to attack squash nearest the ground where the fruit may come in contact with the soil-borne pathogen. Water may splash the fungal spores onto the young fruit while the garden is being irrigated. Wind and insects may also transport the disease-causing spores.

Fungicides are of little value in controlling the disease. To control soft rot, you will need to minimize the conditions that favor its development. Keep the fruit away from the soil. Do not overwater or allow water to splash onto the fruit while you are irrigating the garden. Remove infected fruit as soon as you notice it.

Fortunately, the disease does not become systemic within the plant. There is no need to remove your squash plant from the garden out of fear that all of its fruit will rot. New fruit is not affected when control measures are taken.

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension is hosting a rainwater harvesting workshop taught by Permian Basin Master Gardeners from 9 a.m.-noon June 29 at the Commemorative Air Force Museum, 9600 Wright Drive. Cost is $50 and includes a rainwater collection barrel and instruction on guttering and how to assemble and use the barrel. For more information, call the Midland County Texas A&M AgriLife Extension office at 686-4700 or email me at jeff.floyd@ag.tamu.edu.

RE-LEAF BY DEBBIE FROST



Fertilizer is not a cure all. If done improperly, it can be harmful on several levels. Here's a look at too much of a good thing.

It is well documented that phosphorous, an important plant nutrient, is overly abundant in most of our landscape soils. It is also documented through research that excessively high soil phosphorus content can cause problems. Before you apply a fertilizer, consider sending soil samples to the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service Soil, Water, and Forage Testing Laboratory Lab. A report will be provided indicating what nutrients are low, adequate and too high in your soil. A recommendation will accompany the results, which takes the guess work out of fertilizing. It can help you avoid compounding a high phosphorus problem.

- The use of complete fertilizers (those containing nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium) or phosphorus fertilizers can cause problems such as the imbalance of plant nutrients in the soil. This imbalance can actually cause some of the nutrients to be unavailable such as iron and zinc. Iron and zinc deficiencies are common in landscapes with too much phosphorus. Another problem is the contamination of surface water, streams and other bodies of water. Excess phosphorus gets washed or leached in irrigation water or rainfall.

Recent research has revealed that excess phosphorus fertilizer reduces the establishment of beneficial fungi called mycorrhizae on or in plant roots. This hugely helpful plant and fungi association is seen mostly in woody plants like trees and shrubs. The mycorrhizals mine the soil for water and nutrients that the plant root system can't grasp while the plant provides carbohydrates to the fungus. This mutually beneficial relationship is especially helpful in drought conditions. But, again, high amounts of phosphorus suppress the establishment of mycorrhizal colonies and kill established ones.

Get some re-leaf by testing your soil before making fertilizer applications. In most cases the only nutrient low or deficient in our landscapes is nitrogen.

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AL West-leading A's beat Texas, Darvish

Associated Press

ARLINGTON — Brandon Moss and John Jaso homered off Yu Darvish and the AL West-leading Oakland Athletics beat Texas 6-2 on Tuesday night.

Jarrod Parker (6-6) limited the Rangers to two runs and three hits over seven innings to improve to 4-0 his last five starts.

Darvish (7-3) struck out 10, increasing his majors-best total to 137, but still hasn't won in more than a month. The ace from Japan is 0-2 in his last six starts, a stretch that began with a 1-0 loss to the Athletics on May 21, five days after his last win.

Moss put the A's ahead to stay when his 13th homer led off the second. Jaso led off the next inning with his third homer and a 3-0 lead.

Athletics	**6**
Rangers	2

The Rangers got within 3-2 in the third when Ian Kinsler scored on a vicious collision at the plate, his face slamming into the mask of catcher Jaso while sliding feet-first. Kinsler needed three stitches near his left jaw and had blood on his jersey when he finally returned to the field to play second base.

But that was it for the Rangers a night after they snapped a six-game losing streak by winning the opener of the four-game set 8-7, and matching their run total during the skid.

Oakland (43-30) has a three-game division lead, and will leave Texas later this week still in first place.

After the start of the fourth was delayed while Kinsler got treatment, Josh Donaldson singled and Seth Smith doubled for the A's. Donaldson scored on a wild pitch and Smith came home on first baseman Lance Berkman's error.

Moss had a leadoff triple in the eighth, and scored on Donaldson's sacrifice fly.

The only 1-2-3 inning for Darvish was the sixth, his last. He allowed five runs, four earned, and six hits. There were also two walks, a balk and that wild pitch and he fell to 1-4 in his career against Oakland, the only team that has beat him four times.

Darvish had a 2.08 ERA his previous five starts, including four consecutive no-decisions after that 1-0 loss to Oakland. His last win was

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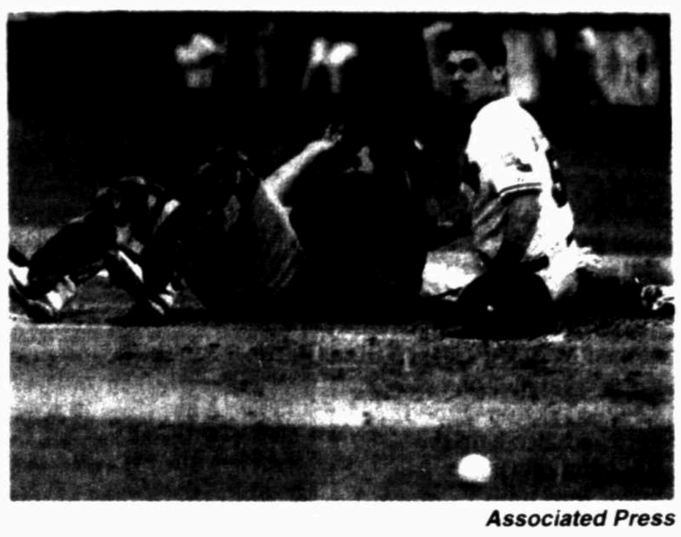

Associated Press

Texas Rangers' Ian Kinsler looks back to see the ball as Oakland Athletics catcher John Jaso recovers from a collision with Kinsler in the third inning of a baseball game Tuesday in Arlington.

Spurs can't seal the deal

Associated Press

San Antonio Spurs point guard Tony Parker (9) reacts during overtime of Game 6 of the NBA Finals basketball game, against the Miami Heat Wednesday in Miami. The Miami Heat won 103-100 in overtime.

James helps Heat stave off elimination

Associated Press

MIAMI — LeBron James led a title-saving charge, and now his crown will be on the line one more time in Game 7.

James powered Miami to a frantic fourth-quarter rally and overtime escape as the Heat beat the San Antonio Spurs 103-100 on Tuesday night to extend the NBA Finals as far as they can go and keep Miami's repeat chances alive.

Losing his headband but keeping his cool while playing the entire second half and overtime, James finished with 32 points, 10 rebounds and 11 assists, making the go-ahead basket with 1:43 remaining in the extra period.

"If we were going to go down tonight, we're going to go down with me leaving every little bit of energy that I had on the floor," James said.

Tim Duncan scored 30 points for the Spurs, his most in an NBA Finals game since Game 1 in 2003, but was shut out after the third quarter. He added 17 rebounds.

Game 7 will be here Thursday, the NBA's first do-or-die game to determine its champion since the Lakers beat the Celtics in 2010.

Heat	**103**
Spurs	100 (OT)

"They're the best two words in sports: Game 7," Heat coach Erik Spoelstra said.

The Spurs looked headed to a fifth title in five chances when they built a 13-point lead with under 4 minutes left in the third quarter, then grabbed a five-point edge late in regulation after blowing the lead.

But James hit a 3-pointer and Ray Allen tied it with another. Just 5.2 seconds remained in regulation. The Heat were that close to the edge.

James was just 3 of 12 after three quarters, the Heat trailing by 10 and frustration apparent among the players and panic setting in among the fans.

Nothing to worry. Not with James playing like this.

He finished 11 of 26, even making a steal after his basket had given Miami a 101-100 edge in the OT.

Before that, he was 12 minutes from hearing the familiar criticisms about not being able to get it done, from having to watch a team celebrate on his home floor again.

Then he changed the game and erased that story.

The Heat, who haven't lost consecutive games since Jan. 8 and 10, had too much defense and way too much James for the Spurs in the final 17 minutes. They are trying to become fourth team to win the final two games at home since the NBA went to the 2-3-2 format for the finals in 1985.

James came in averaging 31.5 points in elimination games, highest in NBA history, according to a stat provided through the NBA by the Elias Sports Bureau.

This wasn't quite the 45-point performance in Game 6 of last year's Eastern Conference finals in Boston, but given the higher stakes may go down as more important — if the Heat follow it with another victory Thursday.

The Heat were in the same place as

Please see **SPURS**/4C

MLB sued over proposed A's move to San Jose

Associated Press

SAN FRANCISCO — Major League Baseball is dragging its feet on having team owners vote on the Oakland Athletics' proposed move to a new ballpark 40 miles south in San Jose, San Jose city officials said in a lawsuit filed Tuesday.

The lawsuit — filed in federal court in San Jose — is disputing MLB's exemption from federal antitrust law, which MLB has used as a "guise" to control the location of teams, according to the suit.

"It's time for someone to take on this supposed baseball exemption from antitrust laws," said attorney Phil Gregory of Cotchett, Pitre & McCarthy, the law firm representing the city. "The City of San Jose is a perfect candidate to make that challenge."

The San Francisco Giants have objected to the A's potential move on grounds they relied on territorial rights to the San Jose-area market when they built their ballpark, AT&T Park.

The A's say those rights were only meant to support the Giants' failed efforts in the early 1990s to build a San Jose-area ballpark themselves.

The lawsuit contends that such territorial rights, regardless of the team, reduce competition and harm consumers.

Giants spokeswoman Staci Slaughter declined to comment.

MLB Commissioner Bud Selig appointed a committee more than four years ago to study the A's potential move.

He rejected a proposal earlier this year from San Jose Mayor Chuck Reed to sit down and talk about the A's plans and said Reed's reference to additional litigation at the time was "neither productive nor consistent with process that the Athletics have initiated under our rules."

Rob Manfred, an MLB executive vice president, said in a statement Tuesday that "Major League Baseball has acted in the best interests of our fans, our communities and the league" when considering the issues related to the Athletics.

"The lawsuit is an unfounded attack on the fundamental structures of a professional sports league," Manfred said. "It is regrettable that the city has resorted to litigation that has no basis in law or in fact."

Wolff, the A's owner, released a brief statement. Gregory said he is not involved in the lawsuit.

"I have no details," Wolff said. "However, I am not in favor of legal action or legal threats to solve business issues."

Wolff has said he is focused on a new stadium in San Jose rather than a move outside the Bay area. Wolff is allowed to

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Altidore's goal gives US win over Honduras

Associated Press

SANDY, Utah — Jozy Altidore scored a goal in his fourth consecutive international match, enough for the United States to edge Honduras 1-0 in a World Cup qualifying game Tuesday night.

Before 20,250 fans at Rio Tinto Stadium, the Americans remained atop the six-team CONCACAF group. The United States (4-1-1) won three straight games this month, all since a 0-0 draw at Mexico gave it a boost toward the top.

It has also shut out its last two opponents, Panama and Honduras.

Honduras (2-3-1) was the last team to win at the United States in a World Cup qualifying match, back in 2001. The Americans have won or drawn 25 straight at home since then.

The visitors made it difficult on the Americans for much of the game by slowing the pace before Altidore broke through.

After several second-half near misses, the U.S. got its goal in the 73rd minute. Altidore took a cross from Fabian Johnson from near the end line and put it past goalkeeper Noel Valladares across the goal-mouth inside the right post.

It was Altidore's ninth goal in a qualifier as he finally develops into the scoring threat the United States has hoped for.

Both teams played physical soccer in the first half, leading to an emphasis on defense and a limited number of scoring chances on either side of the field. Just before the first period ended, though, Tim Howard was forced to make a difficult save when Andy Najar launched a running right footer from the right side of the box. Howard met the ball in the center of the box and deflected it outside the right post.

Eddie Johnson had a chance in the 17th minute when he latched onto a cross from Fabian Johnson. His left-footed shot from the center of the box was knocked away by Valladares.

When the U.S. stepped up the offensive pressure early in the second half, it put Honduras on its heels.

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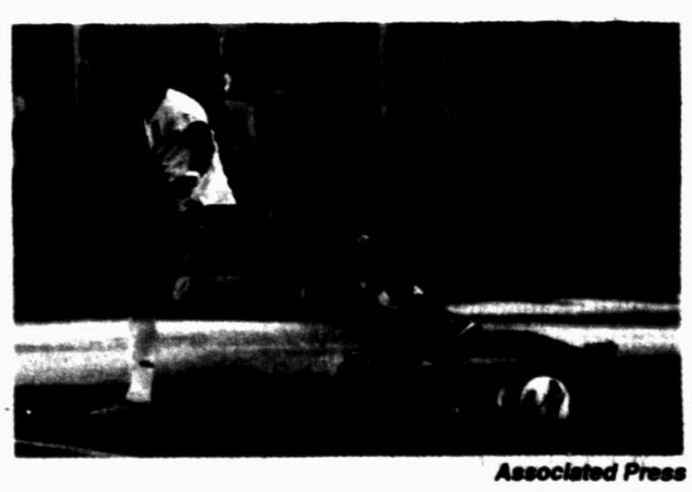

Associated Press

Honduras' Roger Espinoza (15) falls as United States' Jermaine Jones (13) defends in the first half during a World Cup qualifying soccer match at Rio Tinto Stadium on Tuesday.

'Hounds edge out 'Riders

RockHounds **9**
RoughRiders.......................... 4

From staff reports

FRISCO — Jake Goebbert drove in five runs and Murphy Smith pitched seven strong innings to help the Midland RockHounds to a 9-4 victory over Frisco at Dr. Pepper Ballpark on Tuesday.

Their efforts by the Texas League All-Stars helped Midland kick off the second half of Texas League play on a good note and also help the RockHounds take a 2-1 series lead with a chance for the series victory at 11 a.m. today.

Frisco took a 2-0 lead in the first inning against Smith (6-7) but the RockHounds responded with a six-run fifth inning. The RockHounds loaded the bases against Frisco starter Carlos Pimentel (7-4), then Darwin Perez drew a walk and then D'Arby Myers singled to tie the game at 2. The big blow then came in the form of a Goebbert grand slam to right-center field for a 6-2 advantage.

Frisco cut it to 7-4 with two runs in the eighth but the RockHounds put the game out of reach with a two-run ninth, which included a bases-loaded walk by Goebbert.

Smith allowed three runs on eight hits with one walk and three strikeouts through seven innings.

ROCKHOUNDS 9, ROUGHRIDERS 4

Midland	ab	r	h	bi	Frisco	ab	r	h	bi
Crumbliss lf	5	1	1	0	Martinez lf	5	1	3	0
Myers cf	4	1	1	1	Rodriguez ss	4	2	1	0
Goebbert 1b	4	1	2	5	Moreland 1b	4	1	3	1
Catricala 3b	4	1	1	1	Nicholas dh	4	0	0	0
Freitas c	4	1	0	0	Bucholz 3b	4	0	1	1
Oberacker rf	3	0	0	0	Telis c	4	0	2	2
Coleman 2b	3	1	1	0	Herrera 2b	4	0	0	0
Taylor dh	3	1	0	0	Straugborgr cf	4	0	0	0
Perez ss	3	2	1	1	Chiang rf	4	0	1	0
Totals	33	9	7	9	Totals	37	4	11	4

Midland ....000 060 012 —9
Frisco ....200 000 020 —4

E— Crumbliss (3). DP — Midland 1. LOB — Midland 5, Frisco 7. 2B — Goebbert (12), Catricala (1), Moreland 2 (2). HR — Goebbert (13).SB — Catricala (1), Perez (15), Crumbliss (4), Martinez (15). SF — Oberacker

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Midland						
Smith W, 6-7	7.0	7	2	2	1	3
Viola	1.0	2	1	1	0	2
Hunter	1.0	1	0	0	0	3
Frisco						
Pimentel	4.2	4	6	6	3	3
Bleier	2.1	1	0	0	0	0
Miller	1.1	2	3	3	2	2
Rowen	0.2	0	0	0	0	0

HBP — by Pimentel (Freitas), by Miller (Catricala). WP — Miller
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TL standings

Second Half

North Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Northwest Arkansas	1	0	1.000	—
Springfield	1	0	1.000	—
Arkansas	0	1	.000	1
x-Tulsa	0	1	.000	1

South Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Midland	1	0	1.000	—
x-Corpus Christi	0	0	.000	½
San Antonio	0	0	.000	½
Frisco	0	1	.000	1

Wednesday's Scores
San Antonio at Corpus Christi, 7:05 p.m.
Midland at Frisco, 7:05 p.m.
Springfield 3, Tulsa 0
Northwest Arkansas 4, Arkansas 0

Today's Games
Midland at Frisco, 11:05 a.m.
San Antonio at Corpus Christi, 7:05 p.m.
Tulsa at Springfield, 7:09 p.m.
Northwest Arkansas at Arkansas, 7:10 p.m.

Rangers

From 1C

10-4 over Detroit and Justin Verlander on May 16.

The six-game stretch without a victory matches Darvish's longest such streak during his seven seasons in Japan before coming to the major leagues last year.

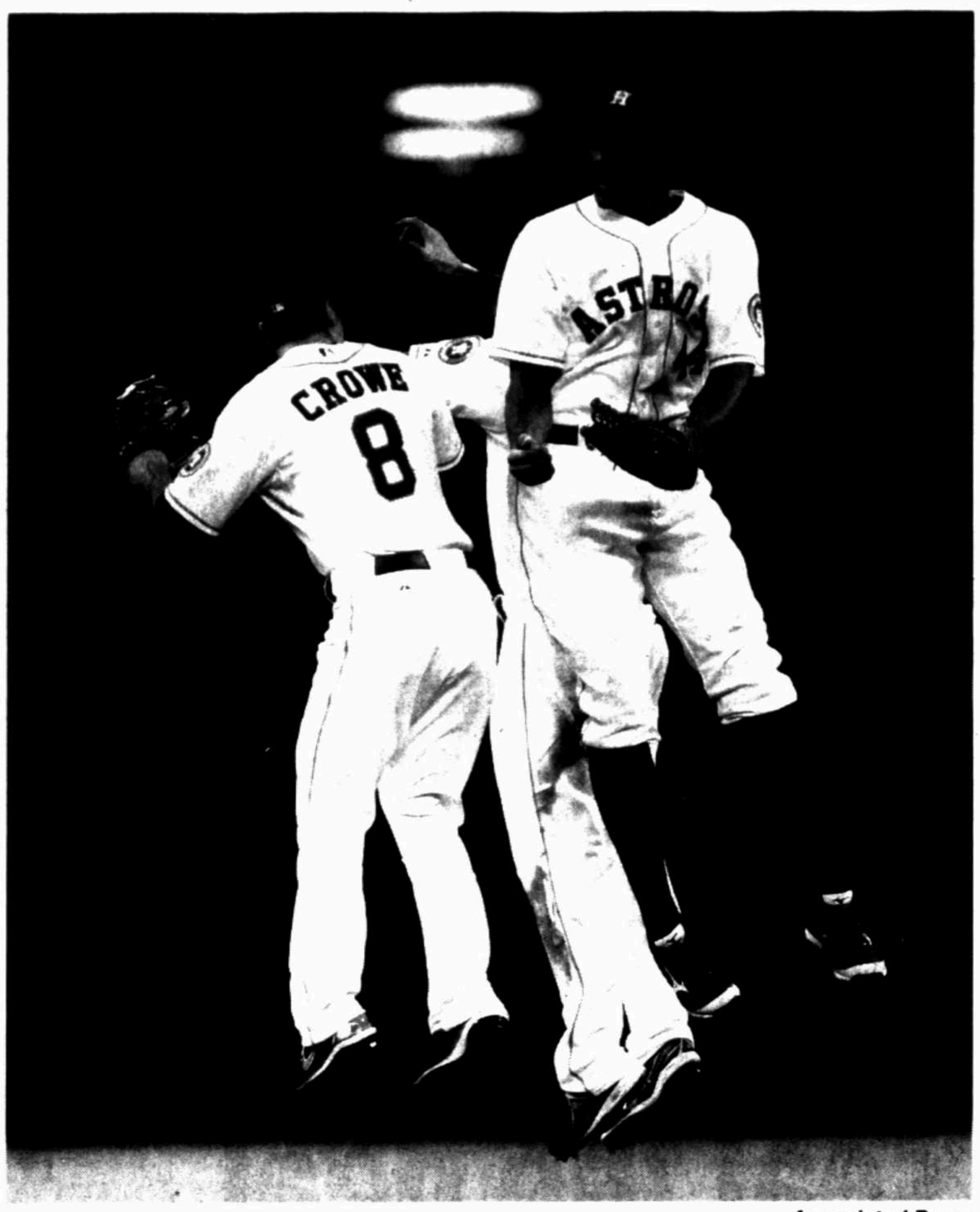
Parker, 4-1 against Texas, struck out four and walked two.

Kinsler scored on a two-run single by A.J. Pierzynski. Kinsler was at second base and had to hold up momentarily to make sure the ball dropped before running and then was waved home by third base coach Gary Pettis.

The jarring hit jerked Kinsler's head backward, but he reached over with his foot to touch the plate, picked up his helmet and got up to go back to the dugout. Home plate umpire Paul Nauert appeared to tell Kinsler about the cut, and rookie teammate Jurickson Profar cringed when he saw it.

While getting stitches, Rangers team physician Dr. Keith Meister also screened Kinsler for any concussion symptoms.

When Kinsler ran back onto the field, he had a bandage on his face and there were several spots of blood on the front of his jersey.



Associated Press

Houston Astros' Justin Maxwell (44), Trevor Crowe (8) and Brandon Barnes, rear, celebrate after beating the Milwaukee Brewers in a baseball game Tuesday in Houston. The Astros beat the Brewers 10-1.

MLBROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

American League

RED SOX 5
RAYS 1 (GAME 1)

RED SOX 3
RAYS 1 (GAME 2)

BOSTON — Jonny Gomes hit a two-run homer in the ninth inning to lift the Boston Red Sox to a 3-1 win over the Tampa Bay Rays on Tuesday night, completing a doubleheader sweep.

Daniel Nava was aboard on a leadoff walk when Gomes followed with a towering shot off Joel Peralta (1-3) that cleared the Green Monster and bounced off the sign just to the right of the foul pole.

It was a dramatic ending to a very long day, which started at 1 p.m. with Boston's 5-1 win in the opener, which was delayed almost three hours by rain.

Nava also homered in the second and Felix Doubront pitched eight shutout innings for Boston in the night game. Doubront struck out six and held the Rays to three singles.

Andrew Bailey (3-0) gave up Kelly Johnson's tying homer in the ninth, but was bailed out by Gomes' fifth homer.

David Ortiz drove in three runs in the doubleheader opener, and Alfredo Aceves (4-1) pitched five solid innings for his third straight win.

The first game was marked by a rain delay in the fifth inning of 2 hours, 59 minutes, extending the makeup of an April 12 rainout.

Highly touted Rays prospect Wil Myers made his major league debut and picked up his first career hit in the second game. He went 1 for 7 on the day.

Tampa Bay's Chris Archer (1-3) was charged with four runs, three earned, and five hits in 4 2-3 innings in the first game.

ORIOLES 5
TIGERS 2

DETROIT — J.J. Hardy and Adam Jones homered off Justin Verlander, and Manny Machado added a double and two sparkling plays at third base for Baltimore.

Hardy hit his third homer off Verlander (8-5) this month, connecting for a two-run shot in the fourth inning, and Jones added a three-run drive in the fifth.

Orioles starter Zach Britton (1-1) allowed a run and five hits in 5 1-3 innings after being called up earlier in the day from the minors.

Four Baltimore relievers finished. Detroit put two on in the ninth for Miguel Cabrera, but the Triple Crown winner bounced into a game-ending double play on the first pitch from Jim Johnson, who got his 26th save in 30 chances.

Verlander gave up five runs and seven hits in five innings. Matt Tuiasosopo homered for the Tigers.

INDIANS 4
ROYALS 3

CLEVELAND — Michael Brantley's sacrifice fly capped Cleveland's three-run eighth inning, rallying the Indians to the victory.

Held to one run and three hits over seven innings by Ervin Santana, the Indians finally strung something together in the eighth off Kelvin Herrera (3-5) and Tim Collins. Michael Bourn and Jason Kipnis delivered RBI hits before Brantley drove in Mike Aviles with the go-ahead run.

Cody Allen (2-0), whose throwing error in the eighth helped the Royals take a 3-1 lead, got the win. Vinnie Pestano gave up three singles and a walk in the ninth but held on for his second save.

The Royals lost for just the third time in 14 games and missed a chance to move over .500 for the first time since May 18.

TWINS 7
WHITE SOX 5

MINNEAPOLIS — Ryan Doumit hit a go-ahead double in the eighth inning, leading Minnesota to the win.

Joe Mauer homered and Trevor Plouffe had an RBI single in Minnesota's four-run first inning off Dylan Axelrod.

The White Sox came back to tie it at 5 in the eighth when Alex Rios worked a leadoff walk against Jared Burton (1-4), stole second and scored on Paul Konerko's single that bounced off the pitcher's mound and into center field.

Clete Thomas walked with two outs against Ramon Troncoso (0-2) in the eighth. Mauer followed with a single — his third hit of the game — and Doumit drove a double to left center that gave the Twins the lead.

Glen Perkins pitched the ninth for his 17th save.

National League

METS 4
BRAVES 3 (GAME 1)

METS 6
BRAVES 1 (GAME 2)

ATLANTA — Zack Wheeler lived up the hype in his major league debut, pitching six scoreless innings to lead the New York Mets to a 6-1 victory over the first-place Atlanta Braves and a doubleheader sweep on Tuesday.

Wheeler gave up only four hits and struck out seven while consistently reaching the upper 90s on the radar gun. He struggled a bit with his control, walking five, but got out of every jam.

It was a long day that gave New York's long-suffering NL fans hope for a brighter future, led by two of baseball's most dynamic young pitchers. In Game 1 of the doubleheader, 24-year-old Matt Harvey (6-1) struck out a career-high 13 to lead the Mets past the Braves 4-3.

John Buck homered for the Mets in the first game, and Anthony Recker went deep in the second game. Bobby Parnell got four outs in the opener for his 10th save.

Recker, hitting just .158 coming into the game, broke up the scoreless duel between Wheeler and Paul Maholm (7-6) in the seventh, crushing his second homer of the season.

Atlanta rookie Alex Wood (0-1) lost his first career start in the doubleheader opener, lasting only three innings.

PIRATES 4
REDS 0

CINCINNATI — Pedro Alvarez singled home a pair of runs in the first inning, and Pittsburgh ended Mat Latos' streak of 21 regular-season starts without a loss.

Latos (6-1) hadn't lost a regular-season game since last August, setting a club-record streak of avoiding defeat. He couldn't overcome Pittsburgh's three-run first inning.

Charlie Morton (1-1) was better during his second start since returning from elbow surgery. He gave up three singles and threw 61 pitches in 5 1-3 innings, starting the Pirates toward their NL-leading 12th shutout.

Latos had nine of Cincinnati's 17 strikeouts, which matched the club's nine-inning record. The Reds also had 17 strikeouts on opening day, but that came in a 13-inning loss against the Los Angeles Angels.

Cincinnati's lineup managed four hits while getting shut out for the second time in their last four games.

PHILLIES 4
NATIONALS 2

PHILADELPHIA — Cliff Lee struck out nine in eight impressive innings for Philadelphia, and Michael Young tied a career high with three doubles.

Lee (9-2) allowed two runs and five hits to win his fifth straight decision. The three-time All-Star left-hander lowered his ERA to 2.53 and helped the Phillies move into a second-place tie with the defending NL East champion Nationals.

Jayson Werth and Jeff Kobernus hit homered for Washington.

Ross Detwiler (2-5) took the loss in a game that started one hour, 10 minutes late because of rain. He allowed four runs and seven hits in six innings.

Jonathan Papelbon worked the ninth for his 14th save a night after blowing his first of the season and then getting the win.

CUBS 4
CARDINALS 2

ST. LOUIS — Ryan Sweeney and Cody Ransom hit back-to-back homers in a four-run first inning and that was plenty for Jeff Samardzija, who pitched the Cubs to the victory.

Chicago started fast against Adam Wainwright (10-4) and broke a five-game losing streak in St. Louis.

Pinch-runner Shane Robinson was called out for interference while trying to break up a double play to end the game.

Carlos Beltran hit his team-high 17th homer for the Cardinals, who lost for the third time in five games but still lead the majors with a 45-26 record.

Samardzija (4-7) gave up two runs and seven hits in 8 1-3 innings. Kevin Gregg got David Freese to ground into a game-ending double play for his 10th save.

Interleague

ASTROS 10
BREWERS 1

HOUSTON — Matt Dominguez hit a grand slam and drove in a career-high five runs to back another solid performance by Jordan Lyles, and Houston rolled to the victory.

Carlos Pena had a three-run homer and Chris Carter had two hits and drove in a run as the Astros won for the fifth time in six games.

The 22-year-old Lyles (4-1) yielded seven hits and one run over seven innings.

The Astros were up by one in the fifth when Pena launched his home run to chase Milwaukee starter Alfredo Figaro (1-1) and extend the lead to 5-1. Dominguez's first career grand slam came in Houston's five-run seventh.

BLUE JAYS 8
ROCKIES 3

TORONTO — Edwin Encarnacion hit a two-run homer, J.P. Arencibia and Maicer Izturis added back-to-back shots and the Blue Jays won their seventh straight game.

It's the longest winning streak for Toronto since a 10-game run in late 2008.

Esmil Rogers (3-2) worked 6 2-3 innings to beat his former team and win his second straight start. Rogers didn't allow a hit until Jonathan Herrera singled with one out in the sixth.

The Rockies lost for the fifth time in seven games and dropped to 0-8 at Rogers Centre.

Jeff Francis (2-5) allowed season highs of eight runs and 10 hits in six innings, losing for the first time in four career starts against Toronto.

MLB

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consider other sites within the A's territory — such as downtown Oakland — but approval from MLB would be needed for a move outside the territory.

Oakland Mayor Jean Quan said during a quick briefing Tuesday that she's confident that the A's will remain in Oakland.

"We're ready to negotiate any time the A's want to come to the table," Quan said. "I've been saying to Lew Wolff we're ready to go. So, let's play ball."

She said Oakland is focused on building a new stadium in town and has two sites under consideration, including one along the waterfront and another where the A's currently play.

The A's current ballpark is run down. A sewage problem forced the A's and Seattle Mariners to use the same locker room after Sunday's game.

The pipes backed up on the lower levels of the stadium, creating a stink of raw sewage and pools of water in the clubhouses used by both teams and the umpires.

Baseball's antitrust exemption was granted by the U.S. Supreme Court in 1922, with the court ruling that baseball is not interstate commerce.

The lawsuit contends that while baseball may have started as a local affair, it is "squarely in the realm of interstate commerce."

"MLB clubs ply their wares nationwide, games are broadcast throughout the country on satellite TV and radio, as well as cable channels and MLB clubs have fan bases that span from coast to coast," the lawsuit says.

The lawsuit alleges San Jose's failure to obtain the stadium would result in a loss of $1.8 billion in direct spending over 30 years. It calls on the court to find MLB in violation of antitrust laws and to prevent it from blocking the A's move. It also seeks damages.

Don Mattingly's return to Yankee Stadium must wait

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Joe Girardi predicted the cheers for Dodgers manager Don Mattingly could outdo the cheers for Mariano Rivera on Tuesday at Yankee Stadium.

The former Yankee player and coach never did get to hear his name announced. A consistent rain shower led to the postponement of the Yankees' game against the Dodgers. Mattingly will have to wait until Wednesday's day-night doubleheader, which will mark the Yankees' first-ever regular-season home game against the Dodgers and Mattingly's official return to the Bronx.

Some warm applause Tuesday night may have been a welcome change for Mattingly, though. He has been on the managerial hot seat due to the Dodgers' 29-39 start to the season. The team's frustration boiled over June 11 during an intense brawl with the Diamondbacks in Los Angeles.

Mattingly, who was fired up during that brawl, was much mellower before Tuesday's rained-out contest as he settled into the new home of his old club.

"It's always good coming into the city when you fly in," Mattingly said. "If it's going to Citi Field, obviously not the same as coming here. Came from a small town, loved playing, I came here and just played. It's a simple as that."

Mattingly left for Los Angeles after the Yankees selected Girardi to succeed Joe Torre as manager following the 2007 season. The Yankees had Mattingly on their short list for the job.

Girardi, the Yankees' bench coach in 2005, worked with Mattingly for that one season. The Yankee skipper said their mutual pursuit of New York's managing gig didn't create any tension between them.

"Obviously I was a big fan of his," Girardi said. "He's been such a big part of Yankee history, in the way he played the game."

Mattingly hit a .307 with 222 home runs over his 14-year career with New York. Nicknamed "Donnie Baseball," Mattingly saw his No. 23 retired by the Yankees.

Where: Scharbauer Sports Complex
When: Saturday, June 22nd
Check-in: Citibank Ballpark 7:00 am
Run/Walk starts at: 8:00 am

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NBA Finals

(Best-of-7; x-if necessary)
San Antonio 3, Miami 3

Thursday, June 6: San Antonio 92, Miami 88
Sunday, June 9: Miami 103, San Antonio 84
Tuesday, June 11: San Antonio 113, Miami 77
Thursday, June 13: Miami 109, San Antonio 93
Sunday, June 16: San Antonio 114, Miami 104
Tuesday's Score: Miami 103, San Antonio 100, OT
Thursday: San Antonio at Miami, 8 p.m.

TUESDAY'S BOX
HEAT 103, SPURS 100

SAN ANTONIO (100): Ginobili 2-5 4-6 9, Leonard 9-14 3-4 22, Duncan 13-21 4-5 30, Parker 6-23 6-7 19, Green 1-7 0-0 3, Neal 2-7 0-0 5, Diaw 2-6 3-4 7, Splitter 2-2 1-2 5, Bonner 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 37-85 21-28 100.

MIAMI (103): Miller 3-4 0-0 8, James 11-26 9-12 32, Bosh 5-12 0-1 10, Chalmers 7-11 2-2 20, Wade 6-15 2-2 14, Allen 3-8 2-2 9, Battier 3-4 0-0 9, Andersen 0-1 1-2 1. Totals 38-81 16-21 103.

San Antonio	25	25	25	20	5	— 100
Miami	27	17	21	30	8	— 103

3-Point Goals—San Antonio 5-18 (Ginobili 1-3, Parker 1-3, Leonard 1-3, Neal 1-3, Green 1-5, Diaw 0-1), Miami 11-19 (Chalmers 4-5, Battier 3-4, Miller 2-2, Allen 1-3, James 1-5). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—San Antonio 58 (Duncan 17), Miami 45 (Bosh 11). Assists—San Antonio 13 (Parker 8), Miami 23 (James 11). Total Fouls—San Antonio 21, Miami 26. A—19,900 (19,600).

NBA Draft Early Entries
Draft: Thursday, June 27
At The Barclays Center, Brooklyn, N.Y.
Players may withdraw by Monday, June 17:

Steven Adams, Pittsburgh, 7-0, freshman
C.J. Aiken, Saint Joseph's, 6-9, junior
Anthony Bennett, UNLV, 6-8, freshman
Vander Blue, Marquette, 6-4, junior
Lorenzo Brown, N.C. State, 6-5, junior
Reggie Bullock, North Carolina, 6-7, junior
Trey Burke, Michigan, 6-0, sophomore
Kentavious Caldwell-Pope, Georgia, 6-5, sophomore
Michael Carter-Williams, Syracuse, 6-5, sophomore
Adrien Coleman, Bethune-Cookman, 6-5, junior
Allen Crabbe, California, 6-6, junior
Dewayne Dedmon, Southern Cal, 7-0, junior
Gorgui Dieng, Louisville, 6-11, junior
Jamaal Franklin, San Diego State, 6-5, junior
Keyondrei "Kiwi" Gardner, Midland College, 5-7, freshman
Archie Goodwin, Kentucky, 6-4, freshman
Tim Hardaway Jr., Michigan, 6-6, junior
Grant Jerrett, Arizona, 6-10, freshman
Christian Kabongo, New Mexico State, 6-4, sophomore
Myck Kabongo, Texas, 6-1, sophomore
Shane Larkin, Miami, 5-11, sophomore
Ricky Ledo, Providence, 6-7, freshman
Alex Len, Maryland, 7-1, sophomore
C.J. Leslie, N.C. State, 6-9, junior
Nurideen Lindsey, Rider, 6-3, junior
Amath M'Baye, Oklahoma, 6-9, junior
Ray McCallum, Detroit, 6-3, junior
Ben McLemore, Kansas, 6-5, freshman
Tony Mitchell, North Texas, 6-8, sophomore
Shabazz Muhammad, UCLA, 6-6, freshman
Nerlens Noel, Kentucky, 6-10, freshman
Victor Oladipo, Indiana, 6-5, junior
Kelly Olynyk, Gonzaga, 7-0, junior
Otto Porter Jr., Georgetown, 6-8, sophomore
Marshawn Powell, Arkansas, 6-7, junior
Phil Pressey, Missouri, 5-11, junior
Andre Roberson, Colorado, 6-7, junior
Trevis Simpson, UNC-Greensboro, 6-4, junior
Tony Snell, New Mexico, 6-7, junior
Tahj Tate, Delaware State, 6-4, sophomore
John Taylor, Fresno Pacific, 6-1, junior
Adonis Thomas, Memphis, 6-7, sophomore
Deshaun Thomas, Ohio State, 6-7, junior
B.J. Young, Arkansas, 6-3, sophomore
Cody Zeller, Indiana, 6-11, sophomore

International

Alejandro Abrines, Barcelona (Spain), 6-6, 1993 (birth year)
Giannis Antetokounmpo, Filathlitikos (Greece), 6-9, 1994
Laszlo Dobos, Zaragoza (Spain), 7-3, 1993
Rudy Gobert, Cholet (France), 7-0, 1992
Livio Jean-Charles, ASVEL (France), 6-8, 1993
Sergey Karasev, Triumph (Russia), 6-7, 1993
Raul Neto, Lagun Aro GBC (Spain), 6-1, 1992
Lucas Riva Nogueira, Estudiantes (Spain), 7-0, 1992
Alexandre Paranhos, Flamengo (Brazil), 6-8, 1992
Bogdan Radosavljevic, Bayern Munich (Germany), 6-11, 1993
Dennis Schroder, New Yorker Phantoms (Germany), 6-1, 1993
Strahinja Stojacic, Smederevo (Serbia), 6-5, 1992
Daniel Theis, Ratiopharm (Germany), 6-8, 1992
Janis Timma, Ventspils (Latvia), 6-7, 1992
Marko Todorovic, Barcelona (Spain), 6-10, 1992

Note: Country indicates where team plays, not country of nationality.

NHL Stanley Cup

(Best-of-7; x-if necessary)
Boston 2, Chicago 1

Wednesday, June 12: Chicago 4, Boston 3, 3OT
Saturday, June 15: Boston 2, Chicago 1, OT
Monday, June 17: Boston 2, Chicago 0
Today: Chicago at Boston, 7 p.m.
Saturday: Boston at Chicago, 7 p.m.
x-Monday, June 24: Chicago at Boston, 7 p.m.
x-Wednesday, June 26: Boston at Chicago, 7 p.m.

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Central Division	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Chicago	7	6	0	.538	726	701
San Antonio	6	6	0	.500	516	588
Iowa	6	7	0	.462	636	630
West Division	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
Arizona	12	1	0	.923	872	588
Spokane	9	4	0	.692	855	693
San Jose	8	4	0	.667	656	626
Utah	5	7	0	.417	615	632

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South Division	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Jacksonville	8	5	0	.615	686	632
Tampa Bay	7	6	0	.538	738	699
Orlando	4	8	0	.333	616	703
New Orleans	3	9	0	.250	525	702
Eastern Division	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
Philadelphia	7	5	0	.583	712	602
Pittsburgh	3	9	0	.250	468	658
Cleveland	2	10	0	.167	535	702

Friday's Game
Utah at Spokane, 9 p.m.
Saturday's Games
Iowa at Philadelphia, 5:05 p.m.
Cleveland at Jacksonville, 6 p.m.
Pittsburgh at Orlando, 6 p.m.
Chicago at Tampa Bay, 6:30 p.m.
San Antonio at New Orleans, 7 p.m.
Arizona at San Jose, 9:30 p.m.

WNBA

EASTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	Pct	GB
Atlanta	6	1	.857	—
Washington	4	1	.800	1
Chicago	4	2	.667	1 1/2
New York	4	2	.667	1 1/2
Connecticut	2	5	.286	4
Indiana	1	5	.167	4 1/2

WESTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	Pct	GB
Minnesota	4	1	.800	—
Los Angeles	3	2	.600	1
Phoenix	3	3	.500	1 1/2
Seattle	2	3	.400	2
San Antonio	2	4	.333	2 1/2
Tulsa	1	7	.125	4 1/2

Tuesday's Score
Washington at Seattle, late
Today's Game
Minnesota at Phoenix, 9 p.m.

Soccer

WORLD CUP QUALIFYING
Home countries listed first
NORTH AND CENTRAL AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN
FINAL ROUND
Top three qualify
Fourth-place team advances to playoff vs. Oceania winner

	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
United States	6	4	1	1	7	3	13
Costa Rica	5	2	2	1	5	3	8
Mexico	6	1	5	0	3	2	8
Honduras	6	2	1	3	6	7	7
Panama	5	1	3	0	5	5	6
Jamaica	6	0	2	4	2	8	2

Tuesday's Scores
At Sandy, Utah
United States 1, Honduras 0
At San Jose, Costa Rica
Costa Rica vs. Panama, late
Friday, Sept. 6
Costa Rica vs. United States
Mexico vs. Honduras
Panama vs. Jamaica

TUESDAY'S US SUMMARY
US 1, Honduras 1
At Sandy, Utah

Honduras	0	0	—	0
United States	0	1	—	1

First half—None.
Second half—1, United States, Altidore (F. Johnson), 73rd minute.
Yellow Cards—Honduras, Peralta, 34th, Velasquez (81st); United States, Jones 10. Red Cards—None.
A—20,250.

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	44	29	.603	—
Baltimore	41	31	.569	2 1/2
New York	38	31	.551	4
Tampa Bay	36	35	.507	7
Toronto	34	36	.486	8 1/2
Central Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
Detroit	39	30	.565	—
Cleveland	35	35	.500	4 1/2
Kansas City	34	35	.493	5
Minnesota	31	36	.463	7
Chicago	29	39	.426	9 1/2
West Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
Oakland	43	30	.589	—
Texas	39	32	.549	3
Los Angeles	31	39	.443	10 1/2
Seattle	31	40	.437	11
Houston	27	45	.375	15 1/2

Tuesday's Scores
Boston 5, Tampa Bay 1, 1st game
Cleveland 4, Kansas City 3
L.A. Dodgers at New York, ppd., rain
Toronto 8, Colorado 3
Baltimore 5, Detroit 2
Boston 3, Tampa Bay 1, 2nd game
Oakland 6, Texas 2
Minnesota 7, Chicago White Sox 5
Houston 10, Milwaukee 1
Seattle at L.A. Angels, late

Today's Games
L.A. Dodgers (Ryu 6-2) at N.Y. Yankees (Kuroda 6-5), 12:05 p.m., 1st game
Baltimore (Tillman 7-2) at Detroit (Porcello 4-3), 12:08 p.m.
Kansas City (Mendoza 2-3) at Cleveland (Masterson 8-5), 6:05 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (Capuano 1-4) at N.Y. Yankees (P.Hughes 3-5), 6:05 p.m., 2nd game
Colorado (Nicasio 4-2) at Toronto (Buehrle 3-4), 6:07 p.m.
Tampa Bay (Hellickson 4-3) at Boston (Dempster 4-7), 6:10 p.m.
Oakland (Milone 6-6) at Texas (Grimm 5-5), 7:05 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Sale 5-5) at Minnesota (Correia 5-4), 7:10 p.m.
Milwaukee (Lohse 2-6) at Houston (Bedard 2-3), 7:10 p.m.
Seattle (J.Saunders 5-6) at L.A. Angels (C.Wilson 5-5), 9:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Atlanta	42	30	.583	—
Philadelphia	35	37	.486	7
Washington	34	36	.486	7
New York	27	40	.403	12 1/2
Miami	22	47	.319	18 1/2
Central Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
St. Louis	45	26	.634	—
Cincinnati	43	29	.597	2 1/2
Pittsburgh	42	29	.592	3
Chicago	29	40	.420	15
Milwaukee	28	41	.406	16
West Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
Arizona	37	33	.529	—
San Diego	36	34	.514	1
Colorado	37	35	.514	1
San Francisco	35	34	.507	1 1/2
Los Angeles	29	39	.426	7

Tuesday's Scores
N.Y. Mets 4, Atlanta 3, 1st game
Philadelphia 4, Washington 2
L.A. Dodgers at New York, ppd., rain
Toronto 8, Colorado 3
N.Y. Mets 6, Atlanta 1, 2nd game
Pittsburgh 4, Cincinnati 0
Houston 10, Milwaukee 1
Chicago Cubs 4, St. Louis 2
Miami at Arizona, late
San Diego at San Francisco, late

Today's Games
L.A. Dodgers (Ryu 6-2) at N.Y. Yankees (Kuroda 6-5), 12:05 p.m., 1st game
Miami (Fernandez 4-3) at Arizona (Cahill 3-8), 2:40 p.m.
San Diego (Stults 6-5) at San Francisco (Bumgarner 6-4), 2:45 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (Capuano 1-4) at N.Y. Yankees (P.Hughes 3-5), 6:05 p.m., 2nd game
Washington (G.Gonzalez 3-3) at Philadelphia (K.Kendrick 6-4), 7:05 p.m.
Colorado (Nicasio 4-2) at Toronto (Buehrle 3-4), 6:07 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Marcum 0-8) at Atlanta (Medlen 3-7), 6:10 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Locke 6-1) at Cincinnati (Arroyo 6-5), 6:10 p.m.
Milwaukee (Lohse 2-6) at Houston (Bedard 2-3), 7:10 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (E.Jackson 3-8) at St. Louis (Westbrook 2-2), 7:15 p.m.

TUESDAY'S AL WEST BOX SCORES
ATHLETICS 6, RANGERS 2

Oakland	ab	r	h	bi	Texas	ab	r	h	bi
Crisp cf	5	0	0	0	Kinsler 2b	3	1	1	0
Jaso c	4	1	1	1	Profar ss	2	0	0	0
Lowrie ss	3	0	0	0	Przyns c	4	0	1	2
Cespds dh	3	0	0	0	Beltre 3b	4	0	0	0
Moss 1b	4	2	2	1	Brkmn 1b	4	0	0	0
Dnldsn 3b	3	1	1	1	N.Cruz dh	3	0	0	0
S.Smith lf	4	1	1	0	DvMrp lf	3	0	0	0
Reddck rf	4	1	1	0	Gentry cf	2	0	0	0
Sogard 2b	4	0	1	1	LMartn rf	3	1	1	0
Totals	34	6	7	4	**Totals**	28	2	3	2

Oakland ....021 200 010 — 6
Texas ....002 000 000 — 2

E—Lowrie (10), Berkman (1). LOB—Oakland 5, Texas 4. 2B—S.Smith (18). 3B—Moss (3). HR—Jaso (2), Moss (13). SB—Reddick (6), Gentry (8). L.Martin (11). S—Profar 2. SF—Donaldson.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Oakland						
J.Parker W,6-6	7	3	2	2	2	4
Cook	1	0	0	0	0	0
Balfour	1	0	0	0	0	0
Texas						
Darvish L,7-3	6	6	5	4	2	10
R.Ross	1	0	0	0	0	1
J.Ortiz	2	1	1	1	0	1

HBP—by J.Parker (Gentry), by R.Ross (Jaso). WP—Darvish. Balk—Darvish.
T—2:53. A—37,769 (48,114).

ASTROS 10, BREWERS 1

Milwaukee	ab	r	h	bi	Houston	ab	r	h	bi
Aoki rf	4	0	0	0	BBarns cf	4	0	0	0
Segura ss	3	0	1	0	Altuve 2b	5	0	0	0
CGomz cf	4	0	2	0	JCastro c	5	1	1	0
ArRmr dh	4	0	0	0	JMrtnz lf	3	1	1	0
Lucroy c	4	0	0	0	Crowe pr-lf	1	1	1	0
LSchfr lf	4	0	0	0	Carter dh	5	2	2	1
YBtncr 3b	3	0	1	0	C.Pena 1b	3	2	1	3
Gindl ph	1	0	0	0	Maxwll rf	2	2	0	0
JFrncs 1b	4	1	3	0	Dmngz 3b	3	1	2	5
Gennett 2b	4	0	1	1	MGnzlz ss	3	0	0	1
Totals	35	1	8	1	**Totals**	34	10	8	10

Milwaukee ....001 000 000 — 1
Houston ....010 130 50x — 10

E—Y.Betancourt 2 (6), Lucroy (3). LOB—Milwaukee 8, Houston 7. 2B—C.Gomez (17), Carter (7). 3B—J.Francisco (1). HR—C.Pena (7), Dominguez (10). SB—Segura (20). S—Ma.Gonzalez. SF—Dominguez.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Milwaukee						
Figaro L,1-1	4 1-3	5	5	4	2	3
Kintzler	2-3	0	0	0	0	1
Badenhop	1 1-3	1	2	1	0	2
Gorzelanny	2-3	1	3	3	1	1
Fr.Rodriguez	1	1	0	0	0	1
Houston						
Lyles W,4-1	7	7	1	1	0	5
Clemens	2	1	0	0	0	2

HBP—by Gorzelanny (C.Pena), by Lyles (Segura). WP—Figaro.
T—3:05. A—13,330 (42,060).

TUESDAY'S LINESCORES
AMERICAN LEAGUE
FIRST GAME
RED SOX 5, RAYS 1

Tampa Bay ....010 000 000 —1 6 1
Boston ....102 011 00x —5 8 0

Archer, Lueke (5), C.Ramos (7) and J.Molina; Aceves, Tazawa (6), A.Miller (7), Uehara (8), Breslow (9) and Saltalamacchia. W—Aceves 4-1. L—Archer 1-3.

SECOND GAME
RED SOX 3, RAYS 1

Tampa Bay ....000 000 001 —1 4 0
Boston ....010 000 002 —3 7 0

Odorizzi, Al.Torres (6), Jo.Peralta (9) and Lobaton, J.Molina; Doubront, A.Bailey (9) and Saltalamacchia. W—A.Bailey 3-0. L—Jo.Peralta 1-3. HRs—Tampa Bay, K.Johnson (11). Boston, Nava (10), J.Gomes (5).

INDIANS 4, ROYALS 3

Kansas City ....002 000 010 —3 7 0
Cleveland ....000 001 03x —4 6 1

E.Santana, K.Herrera (8), Collins (8) and S.Perez; U.Jimenez, Hagadone (6), Allen (8), Pestano (9) and C.Santana. W—Allen 2-0. L—K.Herrera 3-5. Sv—Pestano (2).

ORIOLES 5, TIGERS 2

Baltimore ....000 230 000 —5 9 1
Detroit ....000 010 100 —2 9 0

Britton, O'Day (6), Matusz (7), Tom.Hunter (8), Ji.Johnson (9) and Wieters; Verlander, D.Downs (6), Putkonen (7), Coke (9) and B.Pena. W—Britton 1-1. L—Verlander 8-5. Sv—Ji.Johnson (26). HRs—Baltimore, Hardy (14), A.Jones (15). Detroit, Tuiasosopo (3).

TWINS 7, WHITE SOX 5

Chicago ....020 010 110 —5 11 1
Minnesota ....400 001 02x —7 13 1

Axelrod, Thornton (7), Troncoso (7) and Flowers; Pelfrey, Fien (7), Burton (8), Perkins (9) and Doumit. W—Burton 1-4. L—Troncoso 0-2. Sv—Perkins (17). HRs—Chicago, Gillaspie (5). Minnesota, Mauer (7).

INTERLEAGUE
BLUE JAYS 8, ROCKIES 3

Colorado ....000 000 300 —3 4 2
Toronto ....400 022 00x —8 11 2

Francis, Corpas (7), W.Lopez (8) and W.Rosario; E.Rogers, Loup (7), Oliver (8), Delabar (9) and Arencibia. W—E.Rogers 3-2. L—Francis 2-5. HRs—Toronto, Encarnacion (19), Arencibia (15), M.Izturis (4).

NATIONAL LEAGUE
FIRST GAME
METS 7, BRAVES 3

New York ....001 100 020 —4 7 0
Atlanta ....000 000 030 —3 6 1

Harvey, Hawkins (8), Rice (8), Parnell (8) and Buck; A.Wood, Cor.Rasmus (4), Gearrin (7), D.Carpenter (8), Walden (9) and G.Laird. W—Harvey 6-1. L—A.Wood 0-1. Sv—Parnell (10). HRs—New York, Buck (12).

SECOND GAME
METS 6, BRAVES 1

New York ....000 000 240 —6 14 1
Atlanta ....000 000 100 —1 7 2

Z.Wheeler, Atchison (7), Lyon (7), Aardsma (8), Edgin (9) and Recker; Maholm, Varvaro (8), Gearrin (9) and McCann. W—Z.Wheeler 1-0. L—Maholm 7-6. HRs—New York, Recker (2).

PIRATES 4, REDS 0

Pittsburgh ....300 000 100 —4 4 0
Cincinnati ....000 000 000 —0 4 0

Morton, Watson (6), Melancon (8), Grilli (9) and R.Martin; Latos, M.Parra (6), Partch (7), Hoover (9) and Mesoraco. W—Morton 1-1. L—Latos 6-1.

PHILLIES 4, NATIONALS 2

Washington ....000 100 010 —2 6 0
Philadelphia ....000 103 00x —4 9 0

Detwiler, Stammen (7), Storen (8) and K.Suzuki; Lee, Papelbon (9) and Ruiz. W—Lee 9-2. L—Detwiler 2-5. Sv—Papelbon (14). HRs—Washington, Werth (7), Kobernus (1).

CUBS 4, CARDINALS 2

Chicago ....400 000 000 —4 8 0
St. Louis ....000 001 001 —2 8 0

Samardzija, Gregg (9) and Castillo; Wainwright, K.Butler (8), J.Kelly (9) and Y.Molina. W—Samardzija 4-7. L—Wainwright 10-4. Sv—Gregg (10). HRs—Chicago, Sweeney (2), Ransom (8). St. Louis, Beltran (17).

LEADERS
AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING—MiCabrera, Detroit, .359; HKendrick, Los Angeles, .335; CDavis, Baltimore, .332; JhPeralta, Detroit, .331; Mauer, Minnesota, .327; Machado, Baltimore, .324; Pedroia, Boston, .317.

RUNS—MiCabrera, Detroit, 55; Trout, Los Angeles, 51; AJones, Baltimore, 50; CDavis, Baltimore, 49; Longoria, Tampa Bay, 47; Machado, Baltimore, 46; Pedroia, Boston, 46.

RBI—MiCabrera, Detroit, 71; CDavis, Baltimore, 61; Encarnacion, Toronto, 58; Fielder, Detroit, 54; DOrtiz, Boston, 52; AJones, Baltimore, 51; Napoli, Boston, 49.

HITS—Machado, Baltimore, 101; MiCabrera, Detroit, 98; AJones, Baltimore, 91; HKendrick, Los Angeles, 89; Pedroia, Boston, 88; CDavis, Baltimore, 86; Trout, Los Angeles, 86.

DOUBLES—Machado, Baltimore, 33; CDavis, Baltimore, 22; AJones, Baltimore, 21; Mauer, Minnesota, 21; Napoli, Boston, 21; Trout, Los Angeles, 21; 6 tied at 20.

TRIPLES—Ellsbury, Boston, 7; Trout, Los Angeles, 6; Gardner, New York, 5; LMartin, Texas, 4; Andrus, Texas, 3; Drew, Boston, 3; DeJennings, Tampa Bay, 3; Kawasaki, Toronto, 3; Moss, Oakland, 3.

HOME RUNS—CDavis, Baltimore, 24; MiCabrera, Detroit, 19; Encarnacion, Toronto, 19; NCruz, Texas, 18; ADunn, Chicago, 18; Cano, New York, 16; Arencibia, Toronto, 15; Bautista, Toronto, 15; AJones, Baltimore, 15; Trumbo, Los Angeles, 15.

STOLEN BASES—Ellsbury, Boston, 31; McLouth, Baltimore, 23; Andrus, Texas, 16; Kipnis, Cleveland, 15; Trout, Los Angeles, 15; AlRamirez, Chicago, 14; Altuve, Houston, 13; Crisp, Oakland, 13.

PITCHING—Scherzer, Detroit, 10-0; Buchholz, Boston, 9-0; Colon, Oakland, 9-2; MMoore, Tampa Bay, 8-3; FHernandez, Seattle, 8-4; Verlander, Detroit, 8-5; Masterson, Cleveland, 8-5.

STRIKEOUTS—Darvish, Texas, 137; Scherzer, Detroit, 116; FHernandez, Seattle, 110; Verlander, Detroit, 106; Masterson, Cleveland, 102; AniSanchez, Detroit, 101; Shields, Kansas City, 95.

SAVES—JiJohnson, Baltimore, 26; Rivera, New York, 24; Nathan, Texas, 21; AReed, Chicago, 20; Balfour, Oakland, 17; Perkins, Minnesota, 17; Wilhelmsen, Seattle, 16.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

BATTING—YMolina, St. Louis, .367; Tulowitzki, Colorado, .347; Scutaro, San Francisco, .332; Segura, Milwaukee, .330; Votto, Cincinnati, .323; CGomez, Milwaukee, .320; FFreeman, Atlanta, .320.

RUNS—CGonzalez, Colorado, 58; Holliday, St. Louis, 54; Votto, Cincinnati, 53; MCarpenter, St. Louis, 52; Choo, Cincinnati, 49; Fowler, Colorado, 47; Goldschmidt, Arizona, 46; JUpton, Atlanta, 46.

RBI—Goldschmidt, Arizona, 61; CGonzalez, Colorado, 56; Phillips, Cincinnati, 56; Craig, St. Louis, 52; Tulowitzki, Colorado, 51; DBrown, Philadelphia, 49; Bruce, Cincinnati, 48; FFreeman, Atlanta, 48.

HITS—YMolina, St. Louis, 92; Segura, Milwaukee, 90; GParra, Arizona, 87; Votto, Cincinnati, 87; ECabrera, San Diego, 84; CGonzalez, Colorado, 84; MCarpenter, St. Louis, 83; Craig, St. Louis, 83.

DOUBLES—YMolina, St. Louis, 23; GParra, Arizona, 23; Bruce, Cincinnati, 22; Pence, San Francisco, 21; McCutchen, Pittsburgh, 20; DanMurphy, New York, 20; Posey, San Francisco, 20.

TRIPLES—CGomez, Milwaukee, 8; Segura, Milwaukee, 8; CGonzalez, Colorado, 6; Span, Washington, 6; Hechavarria, Miami, 5; ECabrera, San Diego, 4; Galvis, Philadelphia, 4; Lucroy, Milwaukee, 4; SMarte, Pittsburgh, 4; DWright, New York, 4.

HOME RUNS—CGonzalez, Colorado, 20; DBrown, Philadelphia, 19; Beltran, St. Louis, 17; Goldschmidt, Arizona, 16; Tulowitzki, Colorado, 16; PAlvarez, Pittsburgh, 15; JUpton, Atlanta, 15.

STOLEN BASES—ECabrera, San Diego, 31; SMarte, Pittsburgh, 21; Segura, Milwaukee, 20; Pierre, Miami, 18; Revere, Philadelphia, 17; McCutchen, Pittsburgh, 15; CGomez, Milwaukee, 13; CGonzalez, Colorado, 13; Pence, San Francisco, 13.

PITCHING—Wainwright, St. Louis, 10-4; Corbin, Arizona, 9-0; Lynn, St. Louis, 9-1; Lee, Philadelphia, 9-2; Marquis, San Diego, 9-2; Zimmermann, Washington, 9-3; Minor, Atlanta, 8-2; SMiller, St. Louis, 8-4.

STRIKEOUTS—Harvey, New York, 115; Samardzija, Chicago, 110; Kershaw, Los Angeles, 104; Wainwright, St. Louis, 100; AJBurnett, Pittsburgh, 99; Lee, Philadelphia, 98; SMiller, St. Louis, 96.

SAVES—Grilli, Pittsburgh, 25; Mujica, St. Louis, 20; Kimbrel, Atlanta, 19; Chapman, Cincinnati, 18; RSoriano, Washington, 18; Romo, San Francisco, 16; Street, San Diego, 14; Papelbon, Philadelphia, 14; League, Los Angeles, 14.

FIGHT SCHEDULE

June 21

At Moscow, Krzysztof Wlodarczyk vs. Rakhim Chakhkiev, 12, for Wlodarczyk's WBC cruiserweight title.

At the Minneapolis Convention Center (ESPN2), Rances Barthelemy vs. Fahsai Sakkreerin, Thailand, 12, IBF super featherweight title eliminator; Caleb Truax vs. Don George, 10, middleweights.

June 22

At Mendoza, Argentina, Juan Carlos Reveco vs. Ulises Lara, 12, for Reveco's WBA World flyweight title.

At Barclays Center, Brooklyn, N.Y. (SHO), Paul Malignaggi vs. Adrien Broner, 12, for Malignaggi's WBA World welterweight title; Johnathon Banks vs. Seth Mitchell, 12, for Banks NABO and WBC international heavyweight titles; Sakio Bika vs. Marco Antonio Periban, 12, for the vacant WBC super middleweight title; Julian Williams vs. Joachim Alcine, 10, junior middleweights.

June 28

At Dubai, United Arab Emirates, Xiong Zhao Zhong vs. Denver Cuello, 12, for Zhong's WBC strawweight title; Sofiane Sebihi vs. Sunday King Hammer, 10, cruiserweights.

At the Civic Center, Kissimmee, Fla., Joan Guzman vs. Vicente Mosquera, 12, for the interim WBA World light welterweight titles.

At Veteran's Memorial Arena, Jacksonville, Fla. (ESPN2), Gregorza Proska vs. Sergio Mora, 10, middleweights; Patrick Teixeira vs. Marcus Willis, 10, junior middleweights.

June 29

At The MGM Grand at Foxwoods Resort, Mashantucket, Conn. (HBO), Gennady Golovkin vs. Matthew Macklin, 12, for Golovkin's IBO and WBA World middleweight titles; Thomas Oosthuizen vs. Brandon Gonzales, 12, super middleweights; Willie Nelson vs. Luciano Leonel Cuello, 10, light middleweights.

July 5

At Connecticut Convention Center, Hartford (ESPN2), Eleider Alvarez vs. Allan Green, 10 rounds, light heavyweights; Billy Dib vs. Mike Oliver, 10 rounds, featherweights.

July 12

At Texas Station Casino, Las Vegas (ESPN2), Chris Avalos vs. Drian Francisco, 10, junior featherweights; Glen Tapia vs. Abie Han, 10, junior middleweights.

July 13

At The Casino, Monte Carlo, Monaco, Khabib Allakhverdiev vs. Souleymane M'baye, 12, for Allakhverdiev's WBA World-IBO junior welterweight titles; Max Bursak vs. Prince Arron, 12, for Bursak's European middleweight title; Ilunga Makabu vs. Dmytro Kucher, 12, cruiserweights; Denis Grachev vs. Edwin Rodriguez, 10, light heavyweights.

July 19

At The Joint at Hard Rock Hotel & Casino, Las Vegas, Ishe Smith vs. Carlos Molina, 12, for Smith's IBF junior middleweight title.

July 20

At Fantasy Springs Casino, Indio, Calif. (FSN), Frankie Gomez vs. Demarcus Corley, 10, junior welterweights; Randy Caballero vs. Miguel Robles, 10, junior featherweights.

July 21

At Areneta Coliseum, Quezon City, Philippines, John Riel Casimero vs. Mauricio Fuentes, 12, for Casimero's IBF junior flyweight title.

July 23

At Tokyo, Koki Kameda vs. John Mark Apolinario, 12, for Kameda's WBA World bantamweight title.

July 27

At Macau, China (HBO), Evgeny Gradovich vs. Mauricio Munoz, 12, for Gradovich's IBF featherweight title; Juan Francisco Estrada vs. Milan Melindo, 12, for Estrada's WBO and WBA Super World flyweight titles; Andy Ruiz Jr. vs. Joe Hanks, 10, heavyweights.

At San Antonio (SHO), Andre Berto vs. Jesus Soto Karass, 12, welterweights; Omar Figueroa vs. Nihito Arakawa, 12, for the interim WBC lightweight title; Diego Chaves vs. Keith Thurman, 12, for the interim WBA World welterweight title.

Aug. 3

At Uncasville, Conn. (NBCSN), Curtis Stevens vs. Saul Roman, 10, middleweights; Eddie Chambers vs. Thabiso Mchunu, 10, cruiserweights; Tomasz Adamek vs. Tony Grano, 10, heavyweights.

Aug. 10

At Panama City, Panama, Anselmo Moreno vs. William Urina, 12, for Moreno's WBA Super World bantamweight title.

Aug. 12

At Tokyo, Shinsuke Yamanaka vs. Jose Nieves, 12, for Yamanaka's WBC bantamweight title; Akira Yaegashi vs. Oscar Blanquet, 12, for Yaegashi's WBC flyweigh title.

Aug. 16

At U.S. Cellular Field, Chicago (ESPN), Andrzej Fonfara vs. Gabriel Campillo, 12, for the IBO light heavyweight title; Artur Szpilka vs. Mike Mollo, 10, heavyweights.

Aug. 17

At Revel Resort, Atlantic City, N.J. (HBO), Daniel Geale vs. Darren Barker, 12, for Geale's IBF middleweight title.

Sept. 14

At Las Vegas (PPV), Floyd Mayweather Jr. vs. Canelo Alvarez, 12, Mayweather's WBA Super World and Alvarez's WBC junior middleweight titles.

Sept. 28

At Barclays Center, Brooklyn, N.Y. (SHO), Miguel Cotto vs. Cornelius Bundrage, 12, junior middleweights.

Oct. 5

At Olimpiyskiy, Moscow, Russia, Wladimir Klitschko vs. Alexander Povetkin, 12, for Klitschko's IBF-WBA Super World-WBO-IBO heavyweight titles.

PRO RODEO LEADERS

All-around
1. Trevor Brazile, Decatur $66,111
2. Landon McClaugherty, Tilden $48,777
3. Rhen Richard, Roosevelt, Utah $41,812
4. JoJo LeMond, Andrews $39,081
5. Shane Proctor, Grand Coulee, Wash. $29,922
6. Ryan Jarrett, Comanche, Okla. $26,666
7. Josh Peek, Pueblo, Colo. $23,595
8. Caleb Smidt, Yorktown $23,175
9. Jake Cooper, Monument, N.M. $20,569
10. Curtis Cassidy, Donalda, Alberta $20,351
11. Justin Thigpen, Waycross, Ga. $19,370
12. Blake Hirdes, Turlock, Calif. $18,232
13. Pyle Smith, Oakdale, Calif. $17,839
14. Jordan Ketscher, Squaw Valley, Calif. $17,756
15. Morgan Grant, New Waverly $16,235

Bareback Riding
1. Kaycee Feild, Payson, Ariz. $55,781
2. J.R. Vezain, Cowley, Wyo. $49,138
3. Bobby Mote, Culver, Ore. $45,604
4. Wes Stevenson, Lubbock $36,868
5. Ty Breuer, Mandan, N.D. $34,348
6. Austin Foss, Terrebonne, Ore. $33,058
7. Ryan Gray, Cheney, Wash. $31,969
8. Jared Smith, Cross Plains $30,659
9. Winn Ratliff, Leesville, La. $28,355
10. Will Lowe, Canyon $26,878

Steer Wrestling
1. Casey Martin, Sulphur, La. $46,831
2. Luke Branquinho, Los Alamos, Calif. $34,419
3. Straws Milan, Cochrane, Alberta $29,746
4. Jason Miller, Lance Creek, Wyo. $27,236
5. Wade Sumpter, Fowler, Colo. $26,778
6. Jule Hazen, Ashland, Kan. $25,252
7. Trevor Knowles, Mount Vernon, Ore. $24,974
8. Tyler Pearson, Louisville, Miss. $22,870
9. Stan Branco, Chowchilla, Calif. $22,029
10. Les Shepperson, Midwest, Wyo. $20,989
11. Clayton Moore, Pouce Coupe, British Columbia $20,328
12. Billy Bugenig, Ferndale, Calif. $18,881
13. Lee Graves, Calgary, Alberta $18,073
14. Sean Mulligan, Coleman, Okla. $17,769
15. Jake Rinehart, Highmore, S.D. $15,828

Team Roping (header)
1. Kaleb Driggers, Albany, Ga. $41,043
2. Landon McClaugherty, Tilden $34,085
3. Drew Horner, Plano $33,660
4. Justin Davis, Madisonville $30,376
5. Clay Tryan, Billings, Mont. $27,778
6. Brock Hanson, Casa Grande, Ariz. $25,938
7. Erich Rogers, Round Rock, Ariz. $24,604
8. Dustin Bird, Cut Bank, Mont. $23,335
9. Luke Brown, Stephenville $22,714
10. Chace Thompson, Munday $22,675
11. Nick Sartain, Dover, Okla. $22,330
12. Charly Crawford, Prineville, Ore. $18,846
13. Logan Olson, Flandreau, S.D. $18,748
14. Calvin Brevik, Durango, Colo. $18,272
15. Ty Blasingame, Ramah, Colo. $17,933

Team Roping (heeler)
1. Travis Graves, Jay, Okla. $44,151
2. Tommy Zuniga, Centerville $34,085
3. Buddy Hawkins II, Columbus, Kan. $33,199
4. Kory Koontz, Sudan $31,107
5. Jade Corkill, Fallon, Nev. $27,450
6. Cory Petska, Marana, Ariz. $26,003
7. Paul Eaves, Lonedell, Mo. $24,377
8. Rich Skelton, Llano $23,898
9. Clay Cooper, Gardnerville, Nev. $23,740
10. Ryan Motes, Weatherford $22,126
11. Martin Lucero, Stephenville $21,082
12. Kollin VonAhn, Blanchard, Okla. $19,436
13. Matt Kasner, Cody, Neb. $18,748
14. Kinney Harrell, Marshall $18,064
15. Travis Woodard, Stockton, Calif. $17,906

Saddle Bronc Riding
1. Cody Wright, Milford, Utah $55,501
2. Tyler Corrington, Hastings, Minn. $46,206
3. Jesse Wright, Milford, Utah $36,365
4. Cort Scheer, Elsmere, Neb. $34,206
5. Cole Elshere, Faith, S.D. $28,973
6. Taos Muncy, Corona, N.M. $28,175
7. Wade Sundell, Boxholm, Iowa $25,990
8. Brad Rudolf, Winnemucca, Nev. $25,624
9. Sterling Crawley, Stephenville $24,162
10. Chet Johnson, Sheridan, Wyo. $22,150

Tie-down Roping
1. Sterling Smith, Stephenville $44,739
2. Tuf Cooper, Decatur $40,468
3. Justin Maass, Giddings $36,663
4. Tyson Durfey, Colbert, Wash. $35,180
5. Trevor Brazile, Decatur $30,263
6. Randall Carlisle, Castor, La. $27,740
7. Rhen Richard, Roosevelt, Utah $27,446
8. Cade Swor, Winnie $27,067
9. Timber Moore, Aubrey $25,284
10. Clint Robinson, Spanish Fork, Utah $24,755

Steer Roping
1. Cody Lee, Gatesville $33,396
2. JoJo LeMond, Andrews $30,064
3. Chet Herren, Pawhuska, Okla. $29,717
4. Rocky Patterson, Pratt, Kan. $28,653
5. Vin Fisher Jr., Andrews $25,391
6. Tony Reina, Wharton $23,936
7. Trevor Brazile, Decatur $23,389
8. J. Tom Fisher, Andrews $23,298
9. Scott Snedecor, Fredericksburg $21,372
10. Bryce Davis, Ovalo $16,882
11. Jarrett Blessing, Paradise $15,821
12. Mike Chase, McAlester, Okla. $15,199
13. J.P. Wickett, Sallisaw, Okla. $12,406
14. Shane Suggs, Granbury $12,001
15. Brent Lewis, Pinon, N.M. $11,893

Bull Riding
1. Tyler Smith, Fruita, Colo. $56,278
2. Josh Koschel, Nunn, Colo. $53,964
3. Trevor Kastner, Ardmore, Okla. $45,478
4. J.W. Harris, Mullin $41,416
5. Kanin Asay, Powell, Wyo. $40,596
6. Cody Teel, Kountze $37,986
7. Chandler Bownds, Lubbock $36,847
8. Cole Echols, Elm Grove, La. $36,055
9. Corey Navarre, Weatherford, Okla. $35,578
10. Cody Campbell, Summerville, Ore. $34,917

Barrel Racing
1. Fallon Taylor, Whitesboro $53,083
2. Mary Walker, Ennis $47,554
3. Lisa Lockhart, Oelrichs, S.D. $40,722
4. Taylor Jacob, Carmine $40,510
5. Brittany Pozzi, Victoria $39,921

HOUNDSWATCH

TUESDAY'S SCORE
Midland 9, Frisco 4
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Frisco 2, Midland 1	Midland 9, Frisco 4		San Antonio at Midland, 7 p.m.	San Antonio at Midland, 7 p.m.

DAILYRUNDOWN

ON THE AIR

WHAT'S ON TV
BASEBALL
COLLEGE BASEBALL
World Series, game 9, Oregon St. vs. Indiana, 7 p.m., ESPN
MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL
Baltimore at Detroit, noon, MLB
L.A. Dodgers at N.Y. Yankees, 6 p.m., ESPN2
Oakland at Texas, 7 p.m., FSS
NHL
Playoffs, finals, game 4, Chicago at Boston, 7 p.m., NBC
SOCCER
Confederations Cup, Group A, Mexico vs. Brazil, 1:30 p.m., ESPN
Confederations Cup, Group A, Italy vs. Japan, at Recife, Brazil, 4:30 p.m., ESPN

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
American League

BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Purchased the contract of INF Travis Ishikawa from Norfolk (IL). Placed RHP Miguel Gonzalez on the paternity list. Recalled LHP Zach Britton from Norfolk. Designated INF Yamaico Navarro for assignment.

BOSTON RED SOX—Placed RHP Clay Buchholz on the 15-day DL, retroactive to June 9. Recalled RHP Alfredo Aceves, RHP Alex Wilson and C Ryan Lavarnway from Pawtucket (IL). Placed C David Ross on the 7-day concussion DL.

CLEVELAND INDIANS—Recalled 3B Lonnie Chisenhall from Columbus (IL). Optioned RHP Matt Langwell to the Columbus.

NEW YORK YANKEES—Placed 1B Mark Teixeira on the 15-day DL.

TEXAS RANGERS—Recalled LHP Joseph Ortiz and C Robinson Chirinos from Round Rock (PCL). Placed INF OF Jeff Baker on 15-day DL retroactive to June 13. Optioned Chris McGuiness to Round Rock.

National League

ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS—Signed RHP Braden Shipley to a minor league contract.

ATLANTA BRAVES—Placed C Evan Gattis on the 15-day DL. Recalled INF Tyler Pastornicky from Gwinnett (IL).

CHICAGO CUBS—Signed LHP Rob Zastryzny, RHP Zachary Godley, C Cael Brockmeyer, SS Giuseppe Papaccio, 2B Zak Blair, LF Kevin Brown, LHP Tyler Ihrig and RHP Zak Hermans to minor league contracts.

MILWAUKEE BREWERS—Signed 1B Garrett Cooper, CF Omar Garcia, CF Brandon Diaz, LHP Tyler Linehan, RHP Andy Hillis, C Tanner Norton, RHP Brandon Moore, LHP Clint Terry, RHP Tristan Archer, CF Eric Williams, RHP Chris Razo, RHP Drew Ghelfi, RHP Alex Moore, RHP Tanner Poppe, RHP Dylan Brock, CF Charlie Markson, C John Cleary, RHP Sean Wardour, RHP Harvey Martin, UTL Nathan Orf and RHP Scott Harkin to minor league contracts.

NEW YORK METS—Reinstated RHP Scott Atchison from the 15-day DL. Placed INF Justin Turner on the 15-day DL, retroactive to June 17. Recalled RHP Zack Wheeler from Las Vegas (PCL).

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES—Activated C Carlos Ruiz from the 15-day DL. Optioned C Stephen Lerud to Lehigh Valley (IL).

PITTSBURGH PIRATES—Agreed to terms with C Reese McGuire on a minor league contract.

ST. LOUIS CARDINALS—Signed LHP Rob Kaminsky, RHP Andrew Pierce, INF Richy Pedroza, INF J.J. Altobelli, RHP Michael Holback, RHP Will Anderson, 1B Justin Ringo, INF Kyle Grieshaber, C Frankie Rodriguez.

SAN DIEGO PADRES—Announced OF Donavan Tate reported to extended spring training.

American Association

GRAND PRAIRIE AIR HOGS—Released RHP Jake Cowan.

LAREDO LEMURS—Signed RHP Manolo Mendoza. Released INF Jake Opitz and OF Marcos Rodriguez.

LINCOLN SALTDOGS—Signed INF Brian Embery. Sold the contract of RHP Joe Bisenius to Atlanta (IL).

ST. PAUL SAINTS—Signed RHP Dylan Thomas. Released LHP Connor Whalen.

SIOUX FALLS CANARIES—Signed INF Stephen King.

WICHITA WINGNUTS—Signed RHP Kyle Wahl and OF Brent Clevlen.

Can-Am League

QUEBEC CAPITALES—Signed RHP Eduardo Nunez.

TROIS-RIVIERES AIGLES—Signed DH Pete LaForest.

Frontier League

FRONTIER GREYS—Signed RHP Casey Delgado and OF Alvaro Ramirez.

JOLIET SLAMMERS—Signed RHP Matt Dillon, INF Matt Mercurio and UTL Kyle Robinson. Released RHP Brian Valente.

NORMAL CORNBELTERS—Signed OF Mike Mobbs.

RIVER CITY RASCALS—Signed 3B Sean Borman, C Danny Canela and RHP Andy Urban.

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS MINERS—Sold the contract of SS Tyler Stubblefield to San Diego (NL).

WASHINGTON WILD THINGS—Signed RHP Jordan Elliott. Released RHP Mike Hepple.

United League

EDINBURG ROADRUNNERS—Signed RHP Guadalupe Barrera.

BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association

MILWAUKEE BUCKS—Announced F Monta Ellis won't exercise his option for the upcoming season, making him an unrestricted free agent on July 1.

FOOTBALL
National Football League

ATLANTA FALCONS—Signed TE Colin Cloherty. Waived TE Anthony Miller.

JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS—Signed S Johnathan Cyprien and CB Dwayne Gratz.

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS—Waived WR Brandon Carswell.

Canadian Football League

EDMONTON ESKIMOS—Signed OL Nick Cody.

HOCKEY
National Hockey League

DETROIT RED WINGS—Agreed to terms with C Pavel Datsyuk on a three-year contract extension, through the 2014-15 season.

LOS ANGELES KINGS—Agreed to terms with D Slava Voynov on a six-year contract.

NASHVILLE PREDATORS—Signed F Kevin Henderson to a two-year contract.

PHOENIX COYOTES—Agreed to terms with Portland (AHL) coach Ray Edwards, assistant coaches John Slaney and Mike Minard, athletic trainer Mike Booi and equipment manager John Krouse on contract extensions.

SAN JOSE SHARKS—Agreed to terms on a contract extension with C Logan Couture.

American Hockey League

HERSHEY BEARS—Named Mike Haviland coach.

ECHL

STOCKTON THUNDER—Announced the resignation of coach Matt Thomas to become men's ice hockey coach at the University of Alaska Anchorage.

OLYMPIC SPORTS

JAMAICA ATHLETICS ADMINISTRATIVE ASSOCIATION—Announced Olympic sprinter Veronica Campbell Brown is serving a suspension while anti-doping officials rule on her recent positive drug test.

SOCCER
Major League Soccer

MLS—Suspended FC Dallas D Jair Benitez, Vancouver F Kekuta Manneh, Colorado D Hendry Thomas and Colorado coach Oscar Pareja, one game each for their actions in games on June 15.

FC DALLAS—Signed MF Danny Garcia.

SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES—Named Nick Dasovic assistant coach.

COLLEGE

GOLDEN STATE ATHLETIC CONFERENCE—Announced William Jessup will become the league's ninth member beginning with the 2014-15 season.

BRIDGEWATER (VA.)—Named Brian Crist assistant football coach.

CARROLL (WIS.)—Named Paul Combs men's basketball coach.

FAIRFIELD—Announced the men's lacrosse program will join the Colonial Athletic Association as an associate member, beginning in 2015.

NORTHWESTERN—Named Armon Gates men's assistant basketball coach.

RADFORD—Named Aaron Marshall director of men's basketball operations.

SAINT JOSEPH'S—Named Mike Glavin administrator of men's and women's track program and coach of men's cross country and track and field.

VIRGINIA—Named Blake Miller softball coach.

TENNIS

AEGON International Results
Tuesday
At Devonshire Park
Eastbourne, England
Purse: ATP, $701,700 (WT250); WTA, $690,000 (Premier)
Surface: Grass-Outdoor
Singles
Men
First Round

Bernard Tomic, Australia, def. James Ward, Britain, 6-3, 6-4.
Feliciano Lopez, Spain, def. Jarkko Nieminen, Finland, 7-6 (3), 7-6 (5).
Martin Klizan, Slovakia, def. Viktor Troicki, Serbia, 6-3, 6-2.
Julien Benneteau, France, def. Kevin Anderson (5), South Africa, 7-6 (4), 6-2.
Ivan Dodig, Croatia, def. Denis Istomin, Uzbekistan, 6-3, 6-4.
Radek Stepanek, Czech Republic, def. Marinko Matosevic, Australia, 6-3, 6-2.

Women
First Round

Caroline Wozniacki (5), Denmark, def. Tamira Paszek, Austria, 6-2, 2-2, retired.
Angelique Kerber (3), Germany, def. Sorana Cirstea, Romania, 6-4, 6-4.
Hsieh Su-wei, Taiwan, def. Johanna Konta, Britain, 6-4, 6-3.
Lucie Safarova, Czech Republic, def. Klara Zakopalova, Czech Republic, 6-4, 7-6 (2).
Li Na (2), China, def. Alize Cornet, France, 6-2, 6-4.
Petra Kvitova (4), Czech Republic, def. Monica Niculescu, Romania, 6-4, 6-1.
Elena Baltacha, Britain, def. Kristyna Pliskova, Czech Republic, 7-5, 7-6 (3).
Sam Stosur, Australia, def. Nadia Petrova (8), Russia, 6-2, 6-3.
Ekaterina Makarova, Russia, def. Olga Puchkova, Russia, 6-3, 6-0.
Laura Robson, Britain, def. Yuliya Beygelzimer, Ukraine, 6-3, 6-2.
Jamie Hampton, United States, def. Agnieszka Radwanska (1), Poland, 7-6 (2), 6-2.

Doubles
Men
First Round

Alexander Peya, Austria, and Bruno Soares (1), Brazil, def. Juan Sebastian Cabal and Robert Farah, Colombia, 6-3, 7-6 (5).
Eric Butorac, United States, and Andy Ram, Israel, def. Kyle Edmund and Sean Thornley, Britain, 4-6, 7-6 (7), 10-6.
Jamie Murray, Britain, and John Peers, Australia, def. Fabio Fognini, Italy, and Andreas Seppi, Italy, 6-3, 6-4.
Colin Fleming and Jonathan Marray (4), Britain, def. Jamie Delgado and James Ward, Britain, 7-6 (3), 6-4.

Women
First Round

Liezel Huber, United States, and Sania Mirza (2), India, def. Darija Jurak, Croatia, and Heather Watson, Britain, 7-6 (4), 7-6 (3).
Flavia Pennetta, Italy, and Elena Vesnina (4), Russia, def. Cara Black, Zimbabwe, and Marina Erakovic, New Zealand, 6-2, 7-5.
Chan Hao-ching, Taiwan, and Lucie Safarova, Czech Republic, def. Janette Husarova, Slovakia, and Varvara Lepchenko, United States, 2-6, 6-2, 10-7.
Oksana Kalashnikova, Georgia, and Alicja Rosolska, Poland, def. Natalie Grandin, South Africa, and Vladimira Uhlirova, Czech Republic, 7-5, 6-4.

Topshelf Open Results
Tuesday
At Autotron Rosmalen
Rosmalen, Netherlands
Purse: ATP, $624,000 (WT250); WTA, $235,000 (Intl.)
Surface: Grass-Outdoor
Singles
Men
First Round

Michael Llodra, France, def. Benoit Paire (4), France, 3-0, retired.
Yen-hsun Lu, Taiwan, def. Edouard Roger-Vasselin, France, 6-1, 7-6 (3).
Marius Copil, Romania, def. Rogerio Dutra Silva, Brazil, 6-7 (4), 6-4, 6-2.
Jeremy Chardy (5), France, def. Lucas Pouille, France, 7-5, 6-4.
Xavier Malisse, Belgium, def. David Ferrer (1), Spain, 7-6 (3), 6-3.
Jan Hernych, Czech Republic, def. David Goffin, Belgium, 6-3, 3-6, 7-6 (4).
Nicolas Mahut, France, def. Ricardas Berankis, Lithuania, 6-1, 6-4.
Stanislas Wawrinka (2), Switzerland, def. Steve Darcis, Belgium, 7-6 (5), 6-4.

Women
First Round

Roberta Vinci (1), Italy, def. Kaia Kanepi, Estonia, 6-3, 6-3.
Lesia Tsurenko, Ukraine, def. Daniela Hantuchova, Slovakia, 5-0, retired.
Kirsten Flipkens (4), Belgium, def. Francesca Schiavone, Italy, 3-6, 6-3, 6-0.

Second Round

Carla Suarez Navarro (3), Spain, def. Sofia Arvidsson, Sweden, 6-3, 6-4.
Tsvetana Pironkova, Bulgaria, def. Irina-Camelia Begu, Romania, 7-6 (7), 6-2.
Urszula Radwanska (7), Poland, def. Magdalena Rybarikova, Slovakia, 4-3, retired.

Doubles
Men
First Round

Andre Begemann and Martin Emmrich, Germany, def. Treat Huey, Philippines, and Dominic Inglot, Britain, 6-2, 7-6 (6).
Aisam-ul-Haq Qureshi, Pakistan, and Jean-Julien Rojer (1), Netherlands, def. Evgeny Donskoy and Andrey Kuznetsov, Russia, 6-4, 7-5.
Daniele Bracciali, Italy, and Jonathan Erlich, Israel, def. Frantisek Cermak, Czech Republic, and Michal Mertinak, Slovakia, 7-6 (3), 7-6 (5).
Thiemo De Bakker and Jesse Huta Galung, Netherlands, def. Santiago Gonzalez, Mexico, and Scott Lipsky (3), United States, 7-6 (4), 6-7 (4), 10-8.

Quarterfinals

Aisam-ul-Haq Qureshi, Pakistan, and Jean-Julien Rojer (1), Netherlands, def. Paolo Lorenzi, Italy, and Benoit Paire, France, walkover.

Women
First Round

Dominika Cibulkova, Slovakia, and Arantxa Parra Santonja, Spain, def. Nina Bratchikova, Russia, and Olga Govortsova (4), Belarus, 6-4, 6-3.
Lourdes Dominguez Lino and Garbine Muguruza, Spain, def. Silvia Soler-Espinosa and Carla Suarez Navarro, Spain, 7-5, 6-4.

Quarterfinals

Shuko Aoyama, Japan, and Megan Moulton-Levy (3), United States, def. Richel Hogenkamp and Arantxa Rus, Netherlands, 7-6 (1), 6-2.

ATP World Tour Schedule
H-hard, C-clay, G-grass

June 24-July 7 — The Championships, London, GO
July 8-14 — Campbell's Hall of Fame Championships, Newport, R.I., GO
July 8-14 — SkiStar Swedish Open, Bastad, Sweden, CO
July 8-14 — MercedesCup, Stuttgart, Germany, CO
July 15-21 — BB&T Atlanta Open, Norcross, Ga., HO
July 15-21 — Germany Open, Hamburg, Germany, CO

Spurs

From 1C

they were in 2011 at the end of their Big Three's first season together, coming home from Texas facing a 3-2 deficit in the finals.

This is a different team. And oh, what a different James.

They said they welcomed this challenge, a chance to show they how much mentally tougher they were than the team the Dallas Mavericks easily handled in Game 6 that night.

James made sure they did, looking nothing like the player who was so bad in the fourth quarters during that series.

He was simply unstoppable down the stretch of this one.

Kawhi Leonard had 22 points and 11 rebounds for the Spurs. Tony Parker had 19 points and eight assists, but shot just 6 of 23 from the field.

The Spurs had one final chance down 103-100, but Chris Bosh blocked Danny Green's 3-pointer from the corner as time expired.

Bosh had said Green wouldn't get open the way he has all series — and he didn't.

Green finished 1 of 5 from behind the arc after going 25 of 38 on 3-pointers (65.8 percent) in the first five games.

The Heat, the NBA's 66-win powerhouse during the regular season, will be playing a seventh game for the second straight round, having needed to go the distance to beat the Indiana Pacers in the Eastern Conference finals.

"See you in Game 7!" the public address announcer hollered as Heat fans either left with or tossed their usual white T-shirts that hang on chairs in the arena. These read "First to 16 Wins," meaning the number of victories it takes to win the championship.

The race will go down to a final day.

The Heat are 13-0 after losses over the last five months, though this was nothing like the previous 12 that had come by an average of nearly 20 points. Nor was it like the previous four games of this series, which had all been blowouts after the Spurs pulled out a four-point victory in Game 1.

San Antonio had an 11-0 run in the first half, then a 13-3 burst in the third quarter for a 71-58 lead, and a final flurry late in regulation that seemed to have them ready to walk off with another title.

Parker's 3-pointer over James tied it at 89 with 1:27 left. He then came up with a steal, spinning into the lane for a 91-89 lead with 58 seconds to go. Miami coughed it up again and Manu Ginobili made two free throws, and he made another after a third straight Miami turnover to put the Spurs ahead 94-89.

James nailed a 3-pointer with 20 seconds left, and the Heat had one more chance after Leonard made just one to give the Spurs a 95-92 edge. James missed but Bosh got the rebound out to Allen, the league's career leader in 3-pointers, who made another one from the corner to even it up.

The Spurs went ahead by three again in overtime, but James found a cutting Allen for a basket, then scored himself to put the Heat on top. They clinched it when Bosh blocked San Antonio's final two shot attempts.

Bosh finished with 10 points and 11 rebounds.

World Cup

From 1C

Altidore had the finishing touch.

He even appeared to score earlier in the half. Moments after Graham Zusi sent a free kick into a crowd of players just outside the 6-yard box in the 56th minute, only to see Brad Evans' header go right into Valladares' gloves, Altidore got behind the defense. Clint Dempsey sent a through ball ahead to Altidore, who was ruled offside and his score was negated.

Valladares came up with another clutch save in the 69th minute. Zusi, who was particularly active all night after sitting out the win over Panama because of yellow card accumulation, sent a ball into Dempsey in the center of the box and he leaned into a point-blank header. The ball bounced off of Valladares' hands and Michael Bradley sent a follow-up shot too high.

Olympic sprinter suspended amid doping investigation

Associated Press

KINGSTON, Jamaica — Veronica Campbell-Brown's agent insists one of the cornerstones of Jamaica's wide-ranging sprint success "is not a cheat," even though the test results read differently.

While her case is being decided, the three-time Olympic gold medalist will sit out and her country will try to make sense of one of its longest-held fears: a high-profile track star getting busted for doping.

Campbell-Brown, or "VCB" as she's simply known in sprinting circles, tested positive for a banned diuretic at a meef in May and will serve a suspension while anti-doping officials rule on the positive drug test, island track officials announced Tuesday.

After days of swirling rumors, the Jamaica Athletics Administrative Association said the 2004 and 2008 Olympic champion at 200 meters was suspended from competition while a disciplinary panel reviews the case.

They said the matter is being handled according to rules of track's international governing body, the IAAF.

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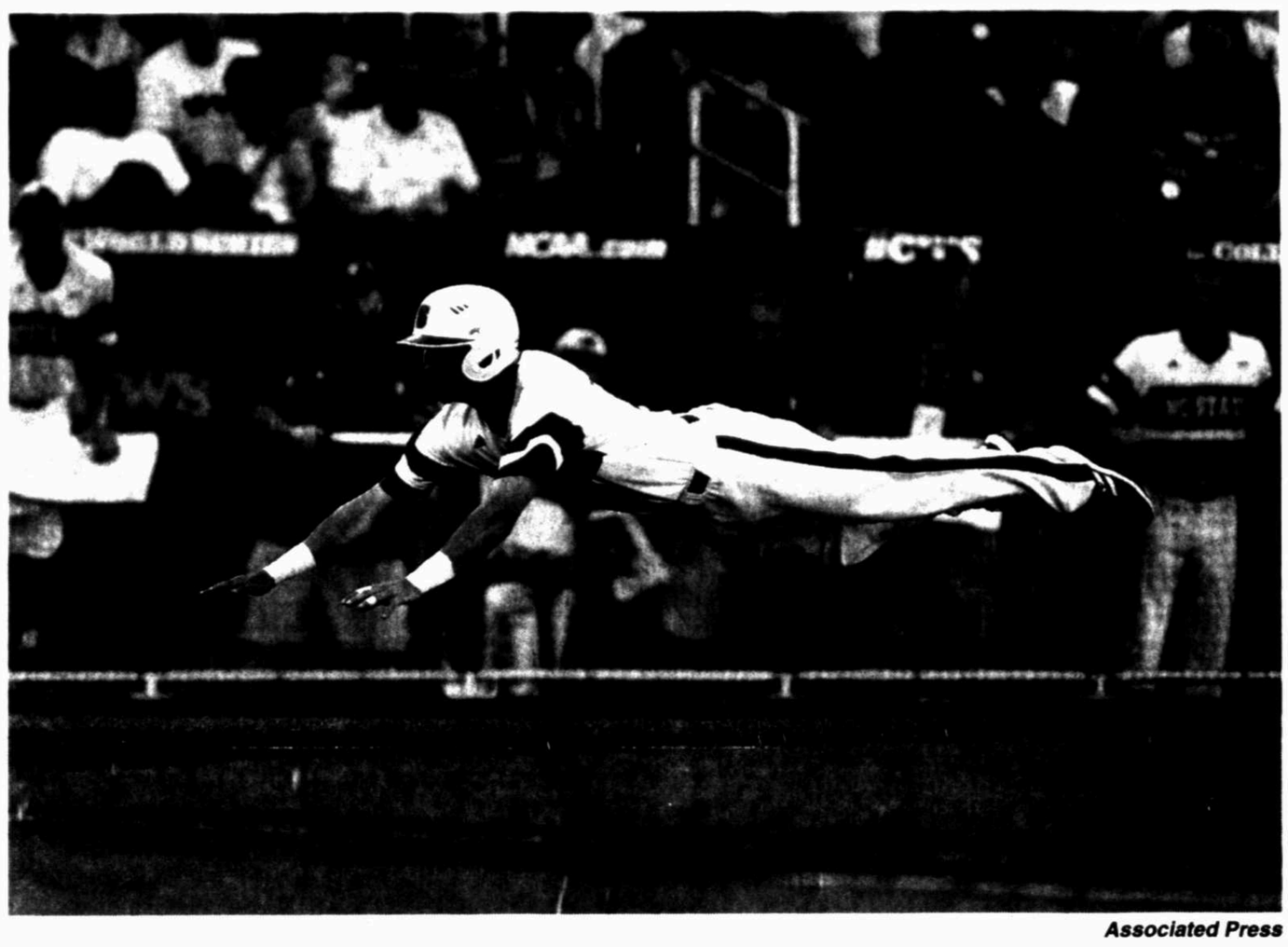

Associated Press

North Carolina State's Jake Armstrong leaps toward home plate before being tagged out by UCLA pitcher Nick Vander Tuig, following a single by Trea Turner in the third inning of an NCAA College World Series game in Omaha, Neb., Tuesday.

CWSROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

NORTH CAROLINA 4
LOUISIANA ST. 2

OMAHA, Neb. — An LSU team that came to the College World Series as one of the top offensive clubs in the nation left town wondering how it could have scored only three runs in two losses.

Cody Glenn gave up a first-inning home run to Brian Holberton and the Tigers left 13 runners on base in a 4-2 loss to No. 1 national seed North Carolina on Tuesday.

On only one other occasion this season did the Tigers record fewer runs in consecutive games. That was in April, when they managed two in losses to South Carolina.

The Tar Heels (58-11) play North Carolina State or UCLA in an elimination game Thursday. The No. 4-seeded Tigers (57-11) went 0-2 in their first CWS appearance since winning the 2009 national title.

National freshman of the year Alex Bregman, who was batting a team-leading .374, was hitless in eight at-bats at the CWS and his error at shortstop against UCLA on Sunday allowed the Bruins to score the go-ahead run.

"This is the first time he's been at the College World Series, first time as a freshman," Mainieri said. "He hasn't played like a freshman all year, and I don't think necessarily he played like a freshman today. The other night I thought he looked a little bit nervous on defense and some of his at-bats he was kind of flailing away. But today was different. I thought he was in there taking some good swings. He's better for this experience."

Raph Rhymes, whose .431 averaged led the nation last year, came in batting .337 Tuesday but was 0 for 9 in Omaha and stranded eight base runners against the Tar Heels.

"Raph's had just an up and down season," Mainieri said. "We've grown accustomed to him being so consistent. His year last year was off the charts. This year he just hasn't been able to able to repeat his swing on a regular basis. We've worked hard with him. We've tried our best. I just feel bad for him, knowing that the kid is going to blame himself."

Christian Ibarra, batting .311, finished the season hitless in his last 22 at-bats.

Holberton's 12th homer of the season staked the Tar Heels to a 2-0 lead in the first inning against LSU starter Cody Glenn (7-3), and Colin Moran singled to make it 3-0 in the third.

Trent Thornton (12-1) worked around two singles and three walks to hold the Tigers scoreless until the fifth. Leading 4-2, Thornton walked Ibarra to start the eighth and was relieved by Chris McCue.

McCue hit Sean McMullen in the arm with 2-2 pitch to load the bases with two out. That brought up Mark Laird, who had a double and four singles in his first eight CWS at-bats. But McCue got Laird to fly out to short left field and keep it a two-run game.

McCue worked a perfect ninth for his second save.

Carolina, which lost 8-1 to North Carolina State in its CWS opener, remains the only team in the country to not lose back-to-back games this season. The Tar Heels are outscoring opponents 85-30 after losses, and their 58 wins are a school record.

LSU lost consecutive games for only the second time.

UCLA 2
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OMAHA, Neb. — Nick Vander Tuig scattered four hits over seven-plus innings and UCLA produced just enough offense to defeat North Carolina State 2-1 in the College World Series on Tuesday night.

UCLA (46-17) moved within one victory of next week's best-of-three finals. The Wolfpack (50-15) will play an elimination game against North Carolina on Thursday.

UCLA used two walks, two singles and a wild pitch to scratch out a couple runs and go up 2-1 in the fifth. Two innings before, Vander Tuig tagged out a runner at the plate to keep the Wolfpack from adding to a 1-0 lead.

Vander Tuig (13-4) retired 13 of 14 batters heading into the eighth inning. David Berg came on after Vander Tuig gave up a leadoff single to Bryan Adametz. Berg worked out of trouble in the eighth and earned his NCAA record-tying 23rd save.

NC State starter Logan Jernigan (1-1) took the loss.

At TD Ameritrade Park Omaha
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Double Elimination
x-if necessary

Saturday, June 15
Mississippi State 5, Oregon State 4
Indiana 2, Louisville 0

Sunday
N.C. State 8, North Carolina 1
UCLA 2, LSU 1

Monday
Oregon State 11, Louisville 4, Louisville eliminated
Mississippi State 5, Indiana 4

Tuesday
North Carolina 4, LSU 2, LSU eliminated
UCLA 2, N.C. State 1

Today
Game 9 — Oregon State (51-12) vs. Indiana (49-19), 7 p.m.

Thursday
Game 10 — North Carolina (58-11) vs. N.C. State (50-15), 7 p.m.

Friday
Game 11 — Mississippi State (50-18) vs. Game 9 winner, 2 p.m.
Game 12 — UCLA (46-17) vs. Game 10 winner, 7 p.m.

Saturday
x-Game 13 — Game 6 winner vs. Game 9 winner, 4 p.m.
x-Game 14 — Game 8 winner vs. Game 10 winner, 7 p.m.
If only one game is necessary, it will start at 7:30 p.m.

Championship Series
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	G	S	R	C	W	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	The Middle	Family Tools (N)	Modern Family	Parents (N)	ABC's The Lookout		KMID News	(:35) Jimmy Kimmel Live		(:35) News Nightline
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	7 News	Ent. Tonight	The American Baking Competition		Criminal Minds "The Silencer"		CSI: Crime Scene "Dead Air"		CBS 7 News	(:35) D. Letterman Jeff Daniels, Jim James (N)		(:35) Late Late (N)
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	Sein. "The Checks"	Rules "A Big Bust"	Arrow "Damaged"		Supernatural "Blood Brother"		Cops	Seinfeld	Rules of Engage.	That '70s Show	King of Queens	'Til Death
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Masterchef "Top 15 Compete/ Top 14 Compete" (N)				The Simpsons	Met Your Mother	Met Your Mother	Loves Ray	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	
KMLM IND	11	11	12	11	11	Mani Erfan	Jean-Claude	Update News	Dollars & Sense	Light of the Southwest				Dr. Rik Wadge	R' Itzhak Shapira	Dr. Alewine	Dr. William
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	News-West 9	Be Millionaire	NHL Hockey Stanley Cup Playoffs Chicago Blackhawks vs. Boston Bruins Final Game 4 Site: TD Garden -- Boston, Mass. (L)						News-West 9	(:35) Tonight Show David Gregory (N)		(:35) LateNight
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	PBS NewsHour		Nature "Invasion of the Giant Pythons"		Nova "Extreme Cave Diving"		Cave People of the Himalaya		Charlie Rose (N)		Tavis Smiley (N)	Tavis Smiley
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	Corazon Indomable		Porque el Amor Manda		Amores Verdaderos		Que bonito amor		Noticias Tejas	Noticiero noctu.	Una familia con suerte	
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		Office	30 Rock	Numb3rs "Power"		Numb3 "Black Swan"		My News	Baggage	30 Rock	Sunny	Scrubs	Access H.
FLIX	340	65		165		(5:05) When the ...		★★★ Billy Elliot ('00, Dra) Jamie Bell.				★★★ Brassed Off			(:45) ★★★ The Proposition		
HBO	300	68	14	14		Movie	★★ American Reunion Jason Biggs.				Veep	True Blood		Bill Maher		Family	Movie
HBO2	302	69	15	101	23	(4:55) Jane Eyre		Love, Marilyn F. Murray Abraham.				Family	Behind the Candelabra Matt Damon.				(:35) Veep
HBOS	304	70	16	102		(5:15) Mrs. Hender...		True Blood		Vice	The Sopranos		Seeking a Friend for the En...			(:15) Garden State	
MAX	380	71	17	120	24	(4:50) Sherlock H...		Banshee		Banshee	(:50) Banshee		(:45) ★★ Deep Impact Elijah Wood.				Movie
MAX2	382	72	18	122		Movie	★ A Thousand Words			★★★ Tower Heist			(:45) Life on Top		(:25) Cowboys and Aliens		
PLEX			96			(:10) ★★★ Bruno Shirley MacLaine.				Look Who's Talking Now			(:40) She Gets What She W...			(:10) Gung Ho	
SHOW	320	66	19	140	25	(5:30) ★★★★ People Like Us			Richard Pryor: Omit the L...			Borgias "The Prince"		Gigolos	Big Money Rustlas Violent J.		
TMC	336	67	22	155	26	(5:00) Broken Flo...		2 Days in New York			(:40) How to Lose Friends & Alienate ...				Chicago "Inside the Windy City"		
A&E	27	32	28	35	47	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty "Aloha, Robertsons!"		Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty
AMC	40	21	23	42	51	CSI: Miami		★★★ Titanic Leonardo DiCaprio.				★★★ I Am Legend ('07, Sci-Fi) Will Smith.					Movie
BET	58	26		40		106&Park	Nominee	★★★ Gridiron Gang ('06, Spt) Xzibit, Dwayne 'The Rock' Johnson.						Husbands	Husbands	Wendy Williams (N)	
BRAVO	65	63		41		Housewives NJ		Housewives NJ		Million Dollar (N)		Chef Roblé & Co. (N)		Watch (N)	Million Dollar List		Wives NJ
CNBC	46	45		39	72	The Kudlow Report		Crime Inc.		CNBC Special		American Greed		Mad Money		CNBC Special	
CNN	43	24	51	30	56	OutFront		A. Cooper 360		Piers Morgan Live		A. Cooper 360		OutFront		Piers Morgan Live	
DISC	50	20	31	24	42	Big Brain Theory (N)		OutrageousScience		MythBusters		To Be Announced		MythBusters		To Be Announced	
DISNEY	56	27	36	25	36	Dog Blog	GoodLuck	Shake Up	Austin	Lemonade Mouth Bridgit Mendler.				Dog Blog	Austin	Sonny	Sonny
ESPN	32	29	48	31	30	(4:45) FIFA Soccer		NCAA Baseball Division I Tournament Site: TD Ameritrade Park (L)						SportsCenter		SportsCenter	
ESPN2	34	28	49	32	31	MLB Baseball (L)						Baseball Tonight (L)		SportNat	SportNat	Baseball Tonight (L)	
FAMILY	53	54	34	42	33	Melissa	Melissa	Melissa	Daddy (N)	Daddy	Melissa	Twisted		The 700 Club		Fresh P.	Fresh P.
FNC	45	58	53	23	55	FOX Report		The O'Reilly Factor		Hannity		On the Record		The O'Reilly Factor		Hannity	
FOOD	64	59	27	68	54	Rest. "Scrimmages"		Rest. "Sapori D'Italia"		Rest. "Sink or Swim"		Stakeout (N)		Diners	Diners	Rest. "Sink or Swim"	
FSSW	37	43	50	45	29	Big 12 Showcase	Pre-game (L)	MLB Baseball Oakland Athletics vs. Texas Rangers Site: Rangers Ballpark -- Arlington, Texas (L)						Rangers Live	Championship Spot. "Track & Field"		Ultimate Insider
FX	31	31	59	64	69	2½Men	Two 1/2...	★★★ Just Go With It ('11, Com) Adam Sandler.					★★★ Just Go With It ('11, Com) Adam Sandler.				
HALLMARK	54	49	58		34	L. House "The Rivals"		Little House Prairie		Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	G. Girls	G. Girls
HGTV	63	50	26	48	44	Cousins	Cousins	Elbow (N)	Elbow	Property Brothers		HouseH	House	Property Brothers		Property Brothers	
HISTORY	71	62	29	50	43	American Pickers		Pickers "Pinch Picker"		Only in America (N)		Top Shot (N)		Top Shot All-Stars		Pickers "Pinch Picker"	
LIFETIME	28	25	25	28	48	Unsolved Mysteries		Unsolved Mysteries		J. Walsh "Abduction in America"		To Be Announced		To Be Announced		Unsolved Mysteries	
MSNBC	47	51		49	73	Hardball		All in With C. Hayes		Rachel Maddow		The Last Word		All in With C. Hayes		Rachel Maddow	
NBCSN	38	39				NHL Live! (L)		NHL Hockey Stanley Cup Playoffs Chicago vs Boston (L)					NHL Live!	Crossover	FB Talk	FIVB Volleyball	
NICK	55	34	39	34	37	Sam, Cat	Figure (N)	F.House	F.House	F.House	F.House	Nanny	Nanny	Nanny	(:35) Nanny	(:05) Lopez	(:40) Lopez
SPIKE	30	22	55	53	58	Bellator 360		Bellator MMA				Fight Masters (N)		Fight Masters		Bellator MMA	
SYFY	66	64	41	57	67	Witness "The Lost Boy"		Ghost Hunters		Ghost Hunters		Paranormal Witness		Ghost Hunters		Paranormal Witness	
TBS	25	11	44	66	41	Sein. "The Pilot"	Seinf. "The Pilot" 2/2	Family Guy	Family Guy	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Conan Guests Darius Rucker, Steven Yeun		The Office	Conan
TCM	41	61	24	63	66	(5:30) The Sign of...		★★★★ Holiday Katharine Hepburn.				★★★ Keeper of the Flame				No More Ladies	
TELE	20	8	10	20		Caso cerrado		Pasion Prohibida		La patrona		El señor de los cielos		Al rojo	Decision	La patrona	
TLC	51	33	32	38	52	Good Buy Girls (N)	Good Buy Girls (N)	Breaking Amish "Forbidden Fruit"		Tiaras "Las Vegas: LalapaZOOza" (SP) (N)		To Be Announced		Toddlers/Tiara "Las Vegas: LalapaZOOza"		To Be Announced	
TNT	24	23	40	26	50	Castle "Fool Me Once"		Castle "When the Bough Breaks"		Franklin & Bash "Coffee and Cream"		Franklin & Bash "Dead and Alive"		Franklin & Bash "Coffee and Cream"		Franklin & Bash "Dead and Alive"	
TVLAND	49	48	35	54	35	MASH	M*A*S*H	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Hot In	The Exes	SoulMan	(:35) Hot In	The Exes	SoulMan
USA	26	30	42	27	49	NCIS "Stakeout"		NCIS "Enemies Foreign"		Royal Pains "Blythe Spirits" (N)		NecRough "Gimme Some Lovin'" (N)		NCIS: Los Angeles "Lock-Up"		Royal Pains "Blythe Spirits"	
WGN	19	18				America's Funniest Home Videos		Rules of Engage.	Rules of Engage.	Rules "Shy Dial"	Rules of Engage.	WGN News at Nine		America's Funniest Home Videos		Rules of Engage.	Rules of Engage.

Daytona frontstretch getting $400M facelift

Associated Press

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. — Daytona International Speedway is getting another facelift, this one considerably bigger than the last.

Three years after a complete repaving project, the famed track is overhauling the frontstretch to enhance the "fan experience."

International Speedway Corp., which owns Daytona and 12 other NASCAR tracks, announced funding approval Tuesday. ISC estimates the redesign with cost between $375 million and $400 million. Daytona had hoped to get some public funding, but the Florida House of Representatives declined to even vote on a bill that would have provided financial assistance to several sporting venues in the Sunshine State.

ISC pushed forward anyway, scheduling the project to begin July 5 and be completed by January 2016 — in time for the Rolex 24 At Daytona and the Daytona 500.

The redevelopment will give Daytona's aging grandstands a modern look and feel. It will include expanded entrances and a series of escalators and elevators to transport fans to three different concourse levels, each featuring spacious and strategically-placed social "neighborhoods" along the nearly mile-long frontstretch. Those 11 neighborhoods, each measuring the size of a football field, will allow fans to meet and socialize during events without ever missing any on-track action.

"We are truly creating history with this unprecedented endeavor," ISC CEO Lesa France Kennedy said. "I commend the board's decision to move forward on our plan to redevelop the company's signature motorsports facility, thereby shaping the vision of Daytona for the next 50 years.

"The decision was made with strong consideration of the current macroeconomic condition and a clear view for our long-term growth. This significant private investment is a strategic use of our capital that will ensure the long-term viability of the iconic speedway, and when completed, will contribute favorably to the company's revenues, as well as to our community and the sport as a whole."

Backstretch grandstands will be removed while wider and more comfortable seating will be installed throughout the frontstretch. When the project is complete, Daytona will have reduced its capacity by 46,000 seats to 101,000.

"The redevelopment of Daytona International Speedway reaffirms its status as the 'World Center of Racing' for years to come," France Kennedy said. "It is imperative that we build upon my grandfather's vision to create a world-class facility with premium amenities to provide unparalleled experiences for our guests and partners. Doing so will ensure that the Daytona 500 and all our other events continue to drive our business while serving as a significant economic engine for the region."

Animal Kingdom no factor at Royal Ascot in finale

Associated Press

ASCOT, England — Kentucky Derby champion Animal Kingdom was unable to go out a winner, fading quickly and finishing 11th in the Queen Anne Stakes on Tuesday in his last race before retirement.

Animal Kingdom, the 5-4 favorite, had a mediocre start and was no factor in the prestigious race — a straight mile on a humid opening day of the Royal Ascot meet.

Animal Kingdom won the Derby in 2011 and the $10 million Dubai World Cup this year. The previous time a Derby winner ran at Ascot was in 1936 when Omaha, the 1935 Triple Crown winner, finished second in the signature Gold Cup race.

Declaration of War won the Queen Anne by three-quarters of a length. The horse, ridden by Joseph O'Brien and trained by Aidan O'Brien, finished ahead of Aljamaaheer and Gregorian in the field of 13.

In the St James's Palace Stakes, Dawn Approach won in a photo finish with Toronado. Godolphin racing manager Simon Crisford said Dawn Approach's win will help restore the stable's image following a doping scandal that led to an eight-year ban in April for one of its trainers, Mahmood Al Zarooni.

"This is the biggest race of the whole week and it matters," he said. "It is massively important and massively important to Sheikh Mohammed and Godolphin. I can't describe how great this win feels right now. It's a great day in Godolphin's history."

In the Queen Anne, Animal Kingdom jockey Johnny Velazquez says his horse didn't relax.

"When I let him go, he didn't come up with any run at all," he said. "I rode him out to the wire, but there was no point. Everybody was getting away from him. He just didn't have anything. He didn't have it at all."

Animal Kingdom trainer Graham Motion says things didn't look good right from the start.

"It was an awkward post and Johnny had trouble getting him to settle," Motion said. "I don't want to offer too many excuses because he has trained perfectly for the race."

After the traditional procession down the course led by Queen Elizabeth II, a minute's silence was held for Henry Cecil, the renowned trainer who died last week at 70.

Knighted by the queen in 2011, Cecil was a champion trainer in Britain 10 times. He capped his career by training one of racing's great horses, Frankel, who was retired last year after winning all 14 of his races.

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Johnson still wows school kids

Associated Press

EL CAJON, Calif. — Ready to thrill a few hundred school kids, Jimmie Johnson hopped into a replica of his No. 48 car to fire up the engine.

The battery was dead.

He and some members of his group tried to bump start the car. That just bashed in the show car's bumper, led to some odd grinding noises and the car started leaking oil.

Undaunted, the NASCAR star jogged through the parking lot to the grass plot where the kids were gathered, chanting his name.

It was an appropriate entrance, considering that Johnson was at Chase Avenue Elementary in his hometown to check out a jogging track that was built with a Jimmie Johnson Foundation/Lowe's Toolbox for Education Champions Grant.

"I thought, 'Well, since we're running around the track, I'll just run on in,'" Johnson said.

Johnson, the Sprint Cup points leader, ran a lap with some of the kids and his young daughter, Evie.

The school received a grant in 2010 to build the jogging track and install a large grass plot that has baseball backstops on both ends.

Principal Sue Geller said the area had been a sloped dirt plot. "When the rains came, there were crevices that would be great for an archaeological dig but not for exercise," she said.

"That was the reality for Chase for 60 years," she said. "We never thought we'd get any grass. We just kind of accepted it."

The school not only got a grant from Johnson's foundation, but the school district added some funding, too.

Geller found out three months ago that Johnson wanted to visit the school in this blue-collar community on the eastern edge of San Diego's suburban sprawl.

Johnson, who won five straight Sprint Cup championships from 2006-10, congratulated the kids for their accomplishments in the school's running club.

"I'm so happy that all of you are running and focused on that because when you get old like us, it will make a difference, I promise," said Johnson, who was one of four drivers who ran a half marathon before pole qualifying for the Daytona 500, which he won for the second time.

Johnson said his foundation gives about $1 million a year, mostly to schools, in El Cajon; Muskogee, Okla., where his wife, Chandra, grew up; and in Charlotte, N.C., where they live.

"It's just always fit very well with us and I'm happy to be here in person today to see the track and run with the kids a little bit," Johnson said.

In 2010, he visited nearby Emerald STEM Magnet Middle School to visit an automation and robotics lab that was built with a grant from his foundation.

"It's so important, as we all know. As time goes on, physical education, the arts, these things start falling off the table due to budget constraints," Johnson said. "I'm happy to see that a lot of the grant requests that come in to us are around the arts and around physical education and we're trying to support those. There's such a void in public schools right now and we're just happy to make a difference. I love kids. It makes me smile from the inside out when I'm around kids, even at the race track or here at the school. They're so innocent, so honest, and I'm still a big kid at heart, too, so I really enjoy my time around kids."

Johnson had a modest upbringing in El Cajon and nearby Crest. His mother drove a school bus and his father operated heavy equipment. His dad worked in the racing community, which led to the son getting his start.

"It's nice to come back. I'm awfully close to home. I can kind of see the hill I grew up on just off there in the distance so it's really neat to come back," he said.

Johnson, who has a car dealership in San Diego, said he was a good student at Granite Hills High in El Cajon.

While in the San Diego area, Johnson will host the big fundraiser for his foundation, a dinner and auction on Wednesday night and his seventh-annual golf tournament on Thursday.

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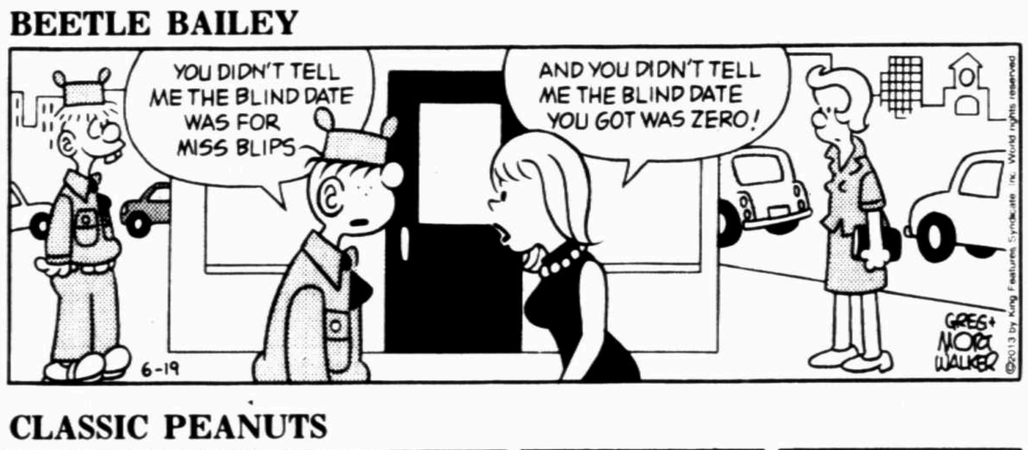

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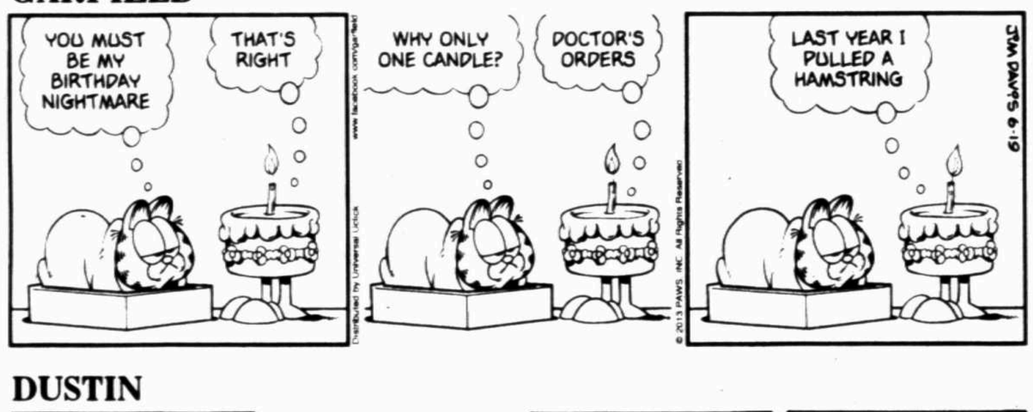

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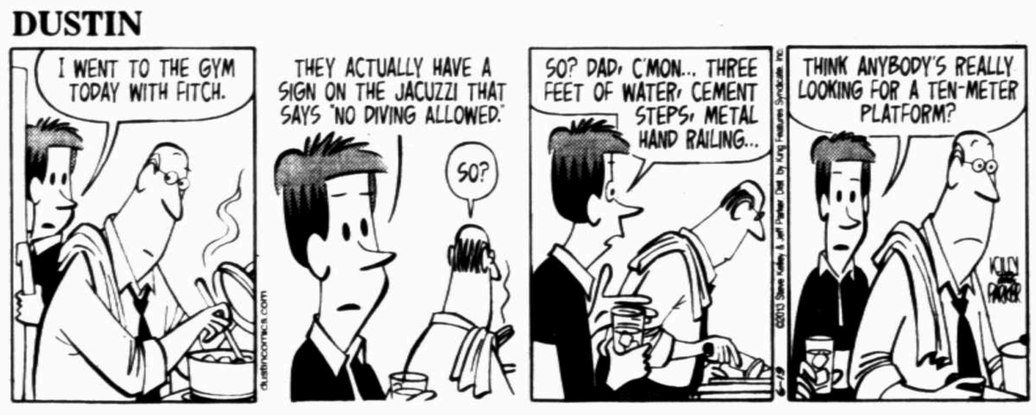

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ZITS

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MUTTS

CLOSE TO HOME

"Phil learned to golf on a cruise ship, so this is the only way he can hit the ball."

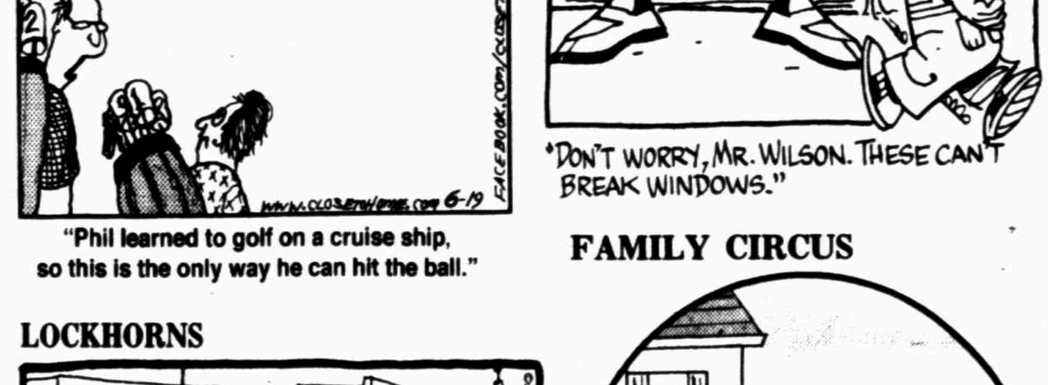
DENNIS THE MENACE

"DON'T WORRY, MR. WILSON. THESE CAN'T BREAK WINDOWS."

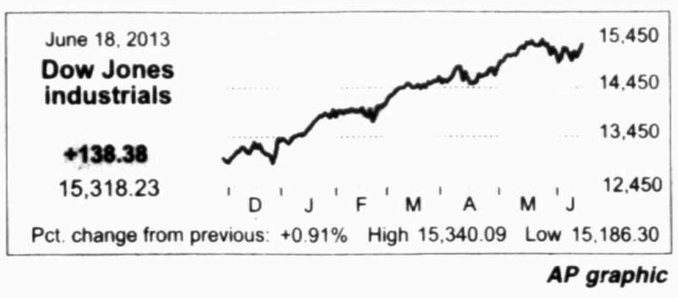
FAMILY CIRCUS

"I'm just seein' if my shadow still fits me."

LOCKHORNS



A DAY ON WALL STREET



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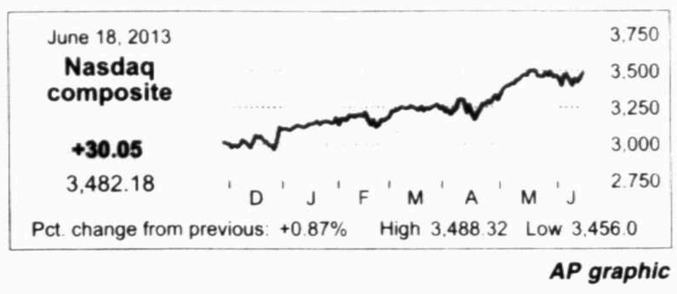

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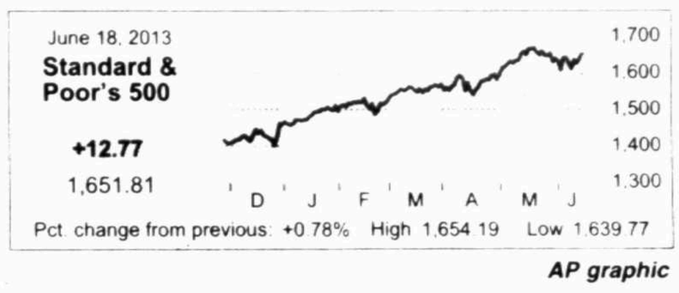

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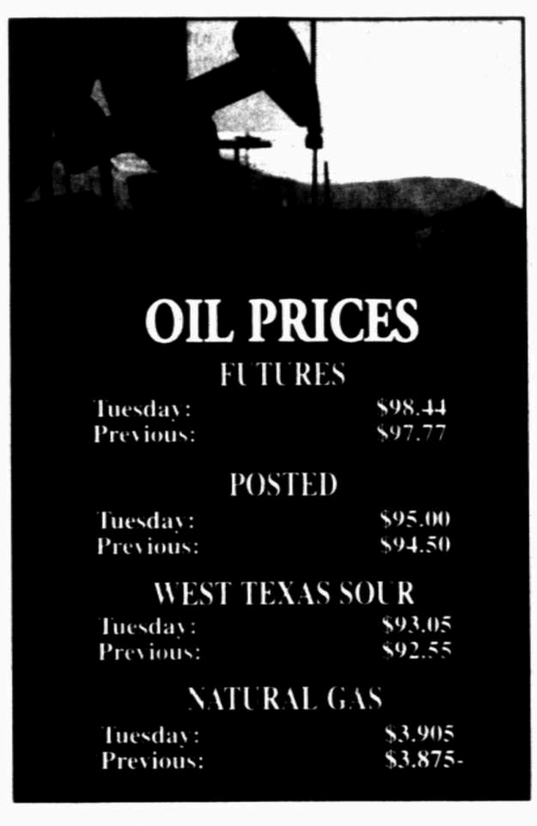

AP file photo

Rows of 2001 Jeep Grand Cherokees are lined up outside the Jefferson North Assembly Plant in Detroit. Chrysler says it has resolved its differences with the government and will recall older Jeep Grand Cherokee and Liberty SUVs that could be at risk of a fuel tank fire. In early June, the company refused the government's request to recall the Jeeps. The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration contended that the gas tanks could rupture if hit from the rear, causing fires. NHTSA said 51 people had died in fiery crashes.

Chrysler agrees to recall of Jeeps at risk of fire

Associated Press

DETROIT — Chrysler abruptly agreed to recall 2.7 million older model Jeeps on Tuesday, reversing a defiant stance and avoiding a possible public relations nightmare over fuel tanks that can rupture and cause fires in rear-end collisions.

In deciding on the recall, Chrysler sidestepped a showdown with government safety regulators that could have led to public hearings with witnesses providing details of deadly crashes involving the Jeeps. The dispute ultimately could have landed in court and hurt Chrysler's image and its finances.

The company said calls from customers concerned about the safety of their Jeeps played a part in its going along with the government's request.

Earlier this month, the automaker publicly refused the government's request to recall Jeep Grand Cherokees from model years 1993 through 2004 and Jeep Libertys from 2002 through 2007.

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, the agency that monitors vehicle safety, contends that the Jeep gas tanks can rupture if hit from the rear, spilling gas and causing a fire. NHTSA said a three-year investigation showed that 51 people had died in fiery crashes in Jeeps with gas tanks positioned behind the rear axle.

Chrysler had until Tuesday to formally respond to NHTSA.

Two weeks ago, Chrysler said that the vehicles aren't defective, despite prior statements to the contrary from NHTSA. The company vouched for the vehicles' safety again Tuesday.

Chrysler said that dealers will inspect the vehicles and install trailer hitches to protect the gas tanks. The company said vehicles without hitches will get them, as will those with broken hitches or hitches that aren't from Chrysler.

Chrysler Group LLC, which is majority owned by Fiat SpA of Italy, wouldn't say how much the hitches would cost, although they sell for about $200 each on Internet sites.

Erik Gordon, a law and marketing professor at the University of Michigan, said Chrysler realized it was headed for a public relations disaster and decided to reverse course.

"What happened is they get surprised by how loud the hue and cry is. They didn't want to take the public relations hit," Gordon said.

Gordon said Chrysler's image will still get dinged a little "because it looks as if they have done the right thing only because they were forced to."

Chrysler executives probably realized that their chance for success was slim because courts have given wide latitude to government regulatory agencies, said David Kelly, former acting NHTSA administrator under President George W. Bush.

"They have some very smart people at Chrysler and probably looked into a crystal ball and didn't think this would end the way they wanted it to," said Kelly. The automaker, he said, historically has been very committed to safety.

NHTSA said in a statement that it's pleased with Chrysler's decision. The agency plans to keep investigating the issue as it reviews recall documentation from Chrysler.

NHTSA began investigating the Jeeps at the request of the Center for Auto Safety, a Washington, D.C., advocacy group.

Oil climbs above $98

The price of oil rose above $98 Tuesday as traders awaited the latest word on both the Federal Reserve's monetary policy and U.S. oil supplies.

Benchmark oil for July delivery rose 67 cents to close at $98.44 a barrel on the New York Mercantile Exchange.

The focus in oil markets, as in others, was on the Fed, as policymakers began a two-day meeting.

To help support the U.S. economic recovery, the Fed has been buying $85 billion in bonds every month in an attempt to keep long-term interest rates low and encourage lending. The new money generated has flowed into the financial system, helping many assets, including oil, to climb from the lows witnessed during the global recession following the 2008-2009 financial crisis.

After the meeting ends today, Fed chairman Ben Bernanke will hold a press conference. Investors want to hear if the Fed plans to reduce the amount of financial assets it is buying each month. Few expect a change in policy today as some recent economic data has been disappointing. The uncertainty though has rattled markets in recent weeks.

Metals fall

Metal prices fell as traders anticipate that the Federal Reserve may start easing its support for the economy.

The price of gold for August delivery fell $16.20, or 1.2 percent, to $1,366.90 an ounce. Palladium and silver also declined. Only platinum bucked the trend and edged higher.

Gold has fallen 18 percent this year.

NYSE

MOST ACTIVE ($1 OR MORE)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
Pfizer	1510080	29.40	+.24
NokiaCp	1317200	3.86	+.17
S&P500ETF	953791	165.74	+1.30
SprintNex	730130	7.32	+.10
BkofAm	650289	13.27	+.06

GAINERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
AmrRlty	5.17	+.77	+17.5
WalterEn	13.63	+1.93	+16.5
TrnsRty	7.50	+.91	+13.8
EndvrIntl	3.80	+.43	+12.8
ETrlntlRE	35.45	+3.92	+12.4

LOSERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
PwSBMetS	16.00	-3.00	-15.8
FrontLine	2.14	-.25	-10.5
Amrep	8.01	-.74	-8.5
DrGldBll rs	8.79	-.81	-8.4
JPM2x10yT	36.25	-2.95	-7.5

DIARY

Advanced	2,101
Declined	986
Unchanged	93
Total issues	3,180
New Highs	160
New Lows	60
Volume	3,013,692,444

AMEX

MOST ACTIVE ($1 OR MORE)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
CheniereEn	32701	27.93	+.35
AbdAsiPac	28401	6.60	+.01
Rentech	26460	2.15	-.01
NwGold g	25009	6.59	-.12
Nevsun g	24268	3.05	-.11

GAINERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
ParkCity	5.99	+.62	+11.5
Fibrocell rs	6.39	+.64	+11.1
EmrldO rs	6.87	+.48	+7.5
LGL Grp	6.68	+.33	+5.1
AdmRsc	68.60	+3.10	+4.7

LOSERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
ASpecRlty	2.39	-.37	-13.4
DGSE	3.19	-.33	-9.4
MAG Silv g	6.62	-.40	-5.7
NovaGld g	2.27	-.12	-5.0
BreezeE	8.85	-.45	-4.8

DIARY

Advanced	198
Declined	214
Unchanged	32
Total issues	444
New Highs	11
New Lows	25
Volume	77,608,766

NASDAQ

MOST ACTIVE ($1 OR MORE)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
MicronT	555377	13.75	+.51
SiriusXM	530842	3.40	+.06
MannKd	379367	6.61	-.94
Facebook	361005	24.21	+.19
NewsCpA	356103	31.56	+.28

GAINERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
USMD n	35.01	+7.27	+26.2
AMCC	9.72	+1.62	+20.0
Stemline n	24.34	+4.02	+19.8
Gevo	2.07	+.34	+19.7
VitesseS	2.75	+.45	+19.6

LOSERS ($2 OR MORE)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
GenMark	9.57	-1.40	-12.8
MannKd	6.61	-.94	-12.4
PingtanM h	7.61	-.88	-10.3
Linktone	3.09	-.34	-9.9
KandiTech	7.02	-.77	-9.9

DIARY

Advanced	1,726
Declined	741
Unchanged	118
Total issues	2,585
New Highs	177
New Lows	18
Volume	1,547,410,350

MIDLAND STOCKS

Midland-Headquartered Publicly Traded Companies

Clayton Williams Energy (CWEI)
Closing Price $43.13 Up 0.74

Concho Resources (CXO)
Closing Price $87.81 Up 0.46

Dawson Geophysical (DWSN)
Closing Price $38.07 Up 0.24

Diamondback Energy (FANG)
Closing Price $35.01 Up 0.56

Legacy Reserves (LGCY)
Closing Price $26.91 Down 0.03

Mexco Energy (MXC)
Closing Price $5.75 Unchanged

Natural Gas Services Group (NGS)
Closing Price $23.86 Up 0.65

Ring Energy (RNGE)
Closing Price $7.06 Down 0.39

HOW STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST FARED

Name	Div	PE	Last	Chg	YTD %Chg
AT&T Inc	1.80	27	36.17	+.41	+7.3
Abraxas	...	...	2.24	+.05	+2.3
AdamsEx	.67e	...	12.15	+.05	+14.7
AMD	...	...	4.09	+.04	+70.4
AlcatelLuc	...	...	1.87	-.03	+34.5
Alcoa	.12	41	8.21	+.10	-5.4
AlonUSA	.24f	7	16.69	-.04	-7.7
AlphaNRs	...	...	5.82	+.15	-40.2
AmIntlGrp	...	36	45.14	-.01	+27.9
Amgen	**1.88**	**17**	**101.50**	**+2.42**	**+17.7**
Anadarko	**.36**	**64**	**87.00**	**-.05**	**+17.1**
Apache	**.80**	**19**	**87.12**	**+.60**	**+11.0**
ApldMatl	**.40**	**...**	**15.97**	**+.19**	**+39.6**
ArchCoal	.12	...	4.25	+.16	-41.9
ATMOS	**1.40**	**16**	**41.10**	**+.36**	**+17.0**
AutoData	1.74	24	69.60	+.90	+22.3
BP PLC	**2.16**	**15**	**43.29**	**+.03**	**+4.0**
BabsCCInv	1.20a	...	16.22	+.01	+6.2
BakrHu	.60	17	46.75	+.32	+14.4
BcoBrad pf	.50e	...	13.68	-.28	-13.4
BkofAm	.04	31	13.27	+.06	+14.3
BarrPVix rs	...	...	20.08	-.30	-36.9
BarrickG	.80	6	18.90	-.52	-46.0
BasicEnSv	...	29	13.63	-.33	+19.5
BerkHa A	**...**	**1917258**	**1.00-129.00**	**+.98**	**+28.7**
BerryPet	**.32**	**13**	**42.36**	**+.19**	**+26.2**
BlkHillsCp	**1.52**	**18**	**49.19**	**+.98**	**+35.4**
BostonSci	...	...	9.54	-.10	+66.5
BrithSq	**1.40**	**50**	**46.85**	**+.41**	**+45.3**
BrownFA s	**1.02a**	**27**	**71.31**	**+.31**	**+16.0**
BrownFB s	**1.02a**	**26**	**70.84**	**+.06**	**+11.7**
CVS Care	.90	19	59.91	+.64	+23.9
Cameron	...	20	63.96	+.31	+13.3
Caterpillar	2.40f	12	84.55	+.63	-5.6
Celestic g	...	23	9.61	-.19	+17.9
CntryLink	2.16	26	36.24	+.25	-7.4
ChesEng	.35	...	21.25	+.21	+27.9
Chevron	**4.00f**	**9**	**121.82**	**+.39**	**+13.4**
Chicos	.22	16	17.04	-.02	-7.7
Cimarex	.56	18	72.38	-.46	+25.4
Cisco	.68	14	24.82	+.12	+26.3
Citigroup	.04	14	50.01	+.65	+26.4
CleyEng	**...**	**...**	**43.13**	**+.74**	**+7.8**
CliffsNRs	.60	...	18.59	+.90	-51.8
CocaCola s	**1.12**	**21**	**40.93**	**+.25**	**+12.9**
ColgPalm s	**1.36f**	**24**	**59.70**	**+.06**	**+14.2**
ConAgra	**1.00**	**24**	**34.50**	**-.09**	**+16.9**
ConchoRes	**...**	**21**	**87.81**	**+.46**	**+9.0**
ConocoPhil	**2.64**	**10**	**62.10**	**+.16**	**+7.1**
CrackerB	3.00f	19	95.44	+2.34	+48.5
CSVelIVSt	...	...	21.03	+.26	+26.7
CrosTim	**2.01e**	**12**	**27.12**	**+.38**	**+.7**
Cytokinetic	...	...	1.89	+.43	+186.4
DCP Mid	2.80f	42	53.68	+1.63	+28.6
DTE	2.62f	17	67.59	+.54	+12.6
Dataram rs	...	...	4.08	-.17	+108.1
Dawson	**...**	**27**	**38.07**	**+.24**	**+44.3**
Dell Inc	.32	13	13.48	+.07	+32.9
DevonE	**.88**	**...**	**55.30**	**+.30**	**+6.3**
DrSCBr rs	...	...	29.87	-1.15	-44.7
DrGldBll rs	...	...	8.79	-.81	-84.0
Disney	**.75f**	**20**	**65.29**	**+.80**	**+31.1**
DowChm	**1.28**	**42**	**34.62**	**+.48**	**+7.1**
EMC Cp	.40	20	24.99	+.16	-1.2
EOG Res	**.75**	**50**	**135.02**	**+1.69**	**+11.8**
Elan	...	...	13.78	+.29	+35.0
EmpDist	**1.00**	**16**	**22.38**	**+.37**	**+9.8**
Energen	.58	19	55.41	+.54	+22.9
EngyTsfr	3.58	11	49.77	-.37	+15.9
EnPro	**...**	**26**	**50.90**	**+.38**	**+24.4**
EntPrPt	2.68f	22	60.70	+.24	+21.2
Ericsson	.43e	...	12.18	+.21	+20.6
ExterranH	**...**	**...**	**29.79**	**+.62**	**+35.9**
ExxonMbl	**2.52f**	**9**	**91.93**	**+.42**	**+6.2**
Facebook	...	...	24.21	+.19	-9.1
FordM	.40	11	15.65	+.10	+20.8
ForestOil	...	13	4.30	-.07	-35.7
FrozenFd h	**...**	**...**	**1.75**	**...**	**+96.6**
GATX	**1.24**	**20**	**48.05**	**-.45**	**+11.0**
GoldNRT	**.80**	**...**	**9.57**	**+.09**	**+21.9**
GAInv	**2.00e**	**...**	**32.41**	**+.19**	**+16.5**
GenElec	**.76**	**18**	**24.33**	**+.56**	**+15.9**
GtPlainEn	**.87**	**15**	**23.11**	**+.19**	**+13.8**
HalconRes	...	...	5.77	+.07	-16.6
Hallibrtn	.50	16	44.07	+.45	+27.0
HewlettP	**.58f**	**...**	**25.44**	**+.28**	**+78.5**
HudsCity	.16m	19	8.57	+.20	+5.4
iShBraz	1.57e	...	47.09	-.29	-15.8
iShJapn	.19e	...	11.34	+.19	+16.3
iShChina25	.94e	...	34.56	+.08	-14.6
iShEMkts	.74e	...	39.84	+.17	-10.2
iS Eafe	1.76e	...	61.09	+.43	+7.4
iShR2K	1.70e	...	99.51	+1.16	+18.0
iShREst	2.43e	...	68.31	+.11	+5.6
IntegrysE	2.72	12	57.90	+.17	+10.9
Intel	**.90**	**13**	**25.47**	**+.37**	**+23.5**
InterDig	.40a	8	47.21	+1.13	+14.9
ItauUnibH	.37r	...	13.48	-.23	-9.9
JPMorgCh	1.52f	10	54.11	+.26	+23.9
JohnJn	**2.64f**	**23**	**86.36**	**+.73**	**+23.2**
KimbClk	**3.24**	**22**	**99.44**	**-.10**	**+17.8**
KindME	5.20f	48	84.30	+.19	+5.7
KindMM	5.20f	...	80.33	-.01	+6.5
LegacyRes	2.30f	23	26.91	-.03	+13.1
Lubys	**...**	**38**	**8.63**	**+.11**	**+29.0**
MannKd	...	...	6.61	-.94	+185.9
MktVGold	.46e	...	27.38	-.81	-41.0
McDnlds	3.08	19	99.75	+1.01	+13.1
Merck	1.72	23	47.75	-.05	+16.6
MerltMed	**...**	**34**	**11.49**	**+.28**	**-17.3**
MexcoEn	...	...	5.75	...	-10.7
MicronT	...	...	13.75	+.51	+116.9
Microsoft	.92	18	34.98	-.02	+31.0
MorgStan	.20	43	26.32	+.11	+37.7
Nabors	.16	...	16.80	+.24	+16.3
NatGrid	**3.16e**	**...**	**58.89**	**+.40**	**+2.5**
NOilVarco	1.04f	13	71.49	+1.05	+4.6
NwLead hlf	...	...	.22	-.07	-46.3
NewsCpA	.17	12	31.56	+.28	+23.7
NokiaCp	...	...	3.86	+.17	-2.3
NvtlAd	**.80a**	**...**	**13.43**	**-.21**	**-11.7**
NvPNII	**.88**	**...**	**13.32**	**-.19**	**-10.7**
NuvPI	**.95**	**...**	**13.37**	**-.16**	**-10.7**
NBTFI3	**.83a**	**...**	**13.63**	**-.03**	**-8.8**
NTXQI	**.70**	**...**	**13.93**	**-.06**	**-12.1**
Nvidia	.30	15	14.40	-.09	+17.5
OccilPet	**2.56**	**17**	**92.63**	**-.18**	**+20.7**
Oracle	.24	16	34.40	+.13	+3.2
PerTech	**...**	**...**	**4.06**	**-.05**	**-17.1**
PerkDrl	**...**	**43**	**5.12**	**+.10**	**+11.3**
PettUTI	**.20**	**12**	**21.04**	**-.36**	**+12.9**
PennaRE	**.72**	**...**	**19.58**	**+.15**	**+11.0**
Prmian	.77e	15	13.30	+.09	+8.5
Petrobras	.27e	...	15.38	-.26	-21.0
Pfizer	**.96**	**16**	**29.40**	**+.24**	**+17.2**
PioNtrl	.08	...	154.65	+2.33	+45.1
PlainsAA s	**2.30f**	**18**	**58.76**	**+.75**	**+25.5**
PwShs QQQ	.86e	...	73.58	+.60	+13.0
Praxair	**2.40**	**22**	**119.01**	**+.56**	**+8.7**
PrmEgy	**...**	**7**	**33.03**	**-.89**	**+43.6**
ProctGam	**2.41f**	**20**	**79.04**	**+.08**	**+16.4**
RangeRs	.16	...	79.46	+2.09	+26.5
RegonsFn	.12f	11	9.11	+.14	+27.8
RschMotn	...	15	14.84	+.54	+25.0
RiteAid	...	...	3.13	-.01	+130.1
Rowan	...	24	34.31	+.34	+9.7
RoyDShllA	3.60f	8	65.99	+.09	-4.3
SpdrDJIA	3.41e	...	153.10	+1.32	+17.2
S&P500ETF	3.18e	...	165.74	+1.30	+16.4
SabnR	3.59e	14	51.25	-.16	+28.8
SanderFm	**.68**	**28**	**67.53**	**-1.32**	**+42.0**
SandRdge	**...**	**...**	**4.97**	**-.06**	**-21.7**
Sapient	**...**	**30**	**13.16**	**+.18**	**+24.6**
Schlmbrg	1.25	17	74.16	+1.06	+7.0
SigmaAld	**.86**	**21**	**82.18**	**+.45**	**+11.7**
SiriusXM	.05e	7	3.40	+.06	+17.6
Smucker	2.08	21	103.66	+.42	+20.2
SprintNex	...	...	7.32	+.10	+29.1
SPDR Fncl	.27e	...	19.87	+.13	+21.2
SP Util	1.45e	...	38.38	+.26	+9.9
SunocoLog	2.29f	14	64.88	-.32	+30.5
Symantec	.60	21	22.73	+.40	+20.8
TelefEsp	**...**	**...**	**13.74**	**+.10**	**+1.9**
Tesoro	.80	10	57.11	-.50	+29.6
3M Co	2.54	18	112.97	+1.06	+21.7
Torchmark	**.58**	**12**	**65.27**	**-.12**	**+26.7**
TrtContl	**.71e**	**...**	**18.21**	**+.07**	**+13.5**
TylerTech	**...**	**65**	**70.04**	**+.15**	**+44.6**
UBWV	**1.24**	**16**	**25.72**	**+.38**	**+5.7**
Vale SA	.78e	...	14.31	+.15	-31.7
ValeroE	.80b	8	38.07	+.12	+11.6
VangEmg	1.05e	...	40.16	+.09	-9.8
VerizonCm	2.06	...	51.55	+.84	+19.1
VulcanM	**.04**	**...**	**54.15**	**-.37**	**+4.0**
Walgrn	**1.10**	**23**	**50.90**	**+.52**	**+37.5**
WalterEn	.50	...	13.63	+1.93	-62.0
WellsFargo	1.20f	12	40.84	+.23	+19.5
WstnRefin	.48	6	30.65	+.47	+8.7
Weyerhsr	.80f	31	28.24	-.42	+1.5
WhitngPet	...	14	48.66	-.17	+12.2
WmsCos	1.41f	37	33.24	-.40	+1.5
XcelEngy	**1.12f**	**15**	**29.36**	**+.16**	**+9.9**
Xerox	**.23**	**10**	**9.49**	**+.33**	**+39.1**
Zoetis n	.07p	...	31.18	+.22	+.5

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Surprise Hossa scratch part of NHL injury culture

Associated Press

BOSTON — Marian Hossa is one of the Chicago Blackhawks' top scorers, with three game-winning goals already this postseason.

And then, suddenly, he wasn't in the lineup for a team that needed all the scoring it can get.

Hossa's surprise scratch from Game 3 of the Stanley Cup finals — and the one-word explanation, "upper," for the part of his body that was injured — is part of a long-running cat-and-mouse game NHL teams play on the theory that any information about injuries is a competitive disadvantage.

"I think that's self-explanatory," said Blackhawks coach Joel Quenneville, declining to explain why he declined to explain the secrecy surrounding Hossa's injury.

Tuukka Rask stopped 28 shots from the depleted Blackhawks to help the Bruins win 2-0 on Monday night and move two wins from their second Stanley Cup title in three seasons. Game 4 is Wednesday night in Boston before the series returns to Chicago for a fifth game.

Hossa is expected to play in Game 4, Quenneville allowed, but only after making clear that "I'm not going to get exactly what the injury is or where it occurred."

"It's sort of a secret society in the hockey world and in the injury world," Blackhawks forward Dave Bolland said. "You don't want other teams having any injury information at all."

Asked if he had seen Hossa or had a chance to talk to him, Bolland said, "I don't know."

You don't know if you've seen him or talked to him?

"I don't know if I've seen him," Bolland repeated with a sly smile.

Hossa's mysterious injury may have been a turning point in Game 3, but it is hardly unusual in the secretive world of hockey injuries. Players and coaches say they just don't talk about what's hurting, partly because they don't want to seem weak in a sport where they hit each other for a living.

But mostly, they don't want let the other team know where to aim.

"If I'm going out to battle and I have an injury to any part of my body, I don't want the other side to know what it is," Bruins forward Shawn Thornton said.

Injury information can also help the opponent strategize. Quenneville was so concerned about giving the Bruins advance notice of even a few minutes that he didn't let substitute Ben Smith skate in the warmup even though there was a chance he would need to play.

"I just didn't want to tip our hand that there's something going on," the coach said.

"Ben was ready. I knew he was doing everything," Quenneville said. "We were hopeful that Hoss was playing, and Ben was doing everything to get ready. He was ready."

It worked.

"I'm still surprised," Thornton said. "I don't know what happened to him."

No hard feelings, Bruins coach Claude Julien said. After all, he would do — and has done — the same thing.

"I respect that from other teams. When you're playing against each other, you know exactly where everybody is coming from," Julien said.

"There's times where you have to protect your players, and I understand it. I know it's frustrating for you guys as media. You're trying to share that information. The most important thing for us, we can take the heat for that, is protecting your players."

So, how to tell if an injury is minor?

When a team actually admits it exists.

"I'll share one with you: Yesterday in a warmup, Zdeno Chara fell down, got a cut over the eye," Julien said, making light of the mishap in the way that only a coach two wins from an NHL title will do. "I'll let you know about that. That's not a hidden injury.

"If it's something that doesn't put your player in danger, I don't see why you shouldn't talk about it," he said.

Players say they don't have to be told not to discuss injuries; it's as much a part of the culture as Canadian accents and playoff beards. Blackhawks forward Patrick Sharp said he doesn't remember when he first learned the subject was off-limits, but it was long before he reached the NHL.

And hockey players are not alone.

"It's not just here," Thornton said. "I don't think Bill Belichick is (listing) all the injuries they have, either."

But even the notoriously uncommunicative New England Patriots coach is required by NFL rules to say what body part is injured. NHL coaches have to narrow it only to "upper body" or "lower body," which means a player with a concussion and one with a broken finger would have the same diagnosis.

"It's that time of year where everybody's kind of battling. I would say that not just injuries, strategy, all that kind of information we're not going to talk about," Sharp said. "It's all part of being this close to the ultimate goal."

And does he have any injuries he cares to mention?

"No comment."

Tyson Gay heading into nationals

Associated Press

DES MOINES, Iowa — For a little bit, Tyson Gay's first step tearing down the track made him wince and his next made him wonder: Would he ever be the same sprinter again?

The runner who captured three gold medals at the 2007 world championships. The runner who broke the American 100-meter record in 2009.

Each time Gay hustled down the lane last summer, he felt a hitch in his surgically repaired right hip. It was a constant source of concern, especially going into the Olympic trials. He was just hoping that his hip would hold up, which it did and he made the London team. But he wasn't the same sprinter as he finished a disappointing fourth.

These days, he doesn't give the hip a second thought. He just may be in his best shape in years heading into the U.S. championships this week — possibly even his best shape ever.

"He's in a good place right now," his coach, Lance Brauman, said. "He's doing a lot of really good things. He did some stuff the other day and we did a video analysis and he looked the best he's ever looked on film. Hopefully, this summer shows it."

For the first time in a long while, there are really no restrictions on Gay. He can run until his heart's content.

Only, he's slowing down to speed up. See, he's always prided himself on the philosophy of "one more" — one more curve to hone his technique, one more burst out of the blocks, one more rep in the weight room.

To conserve his hip, the 30-year-old is training wiser.

"Still training really hard, though," Gay said. "But the name of the game is to stay healthy."

In London, Gay wound up fourth, breaking into sobs after the race as he finished so close to a podium spot. He later earned a silver medal as part of the 400-meter relay.

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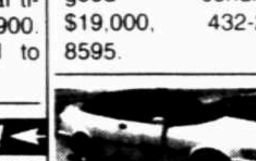

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO DISPOSE BY INJECTION PERMIT

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The proposed disposal well listed above is located at 1820' FSL & 660' FWL of Section 11, Block 41 T2S, T&P RR Co. Survey. Approximately 12.3 miles west from Midland in Midland County, Texas Spraberry (Trend Area) Field. The waste water will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 4935' to 5285'.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or request for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, PO Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711 Telephone 512-463-6792.

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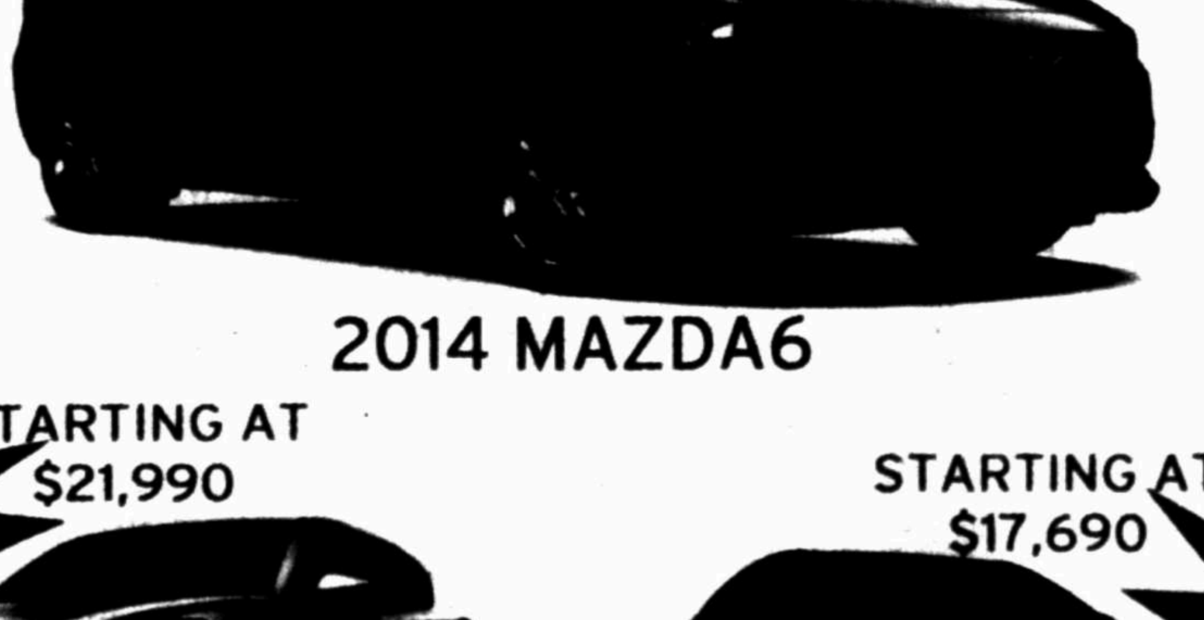

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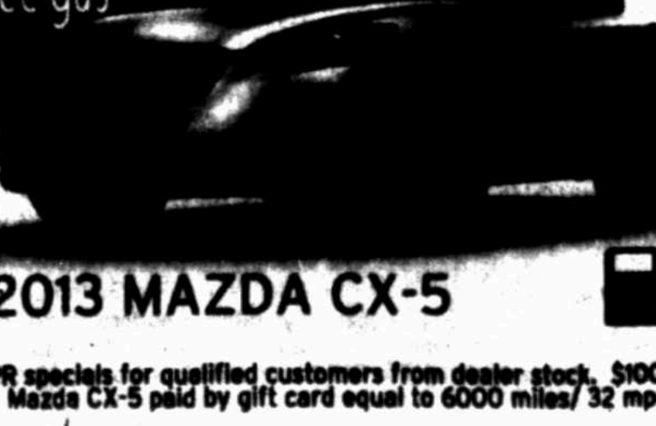

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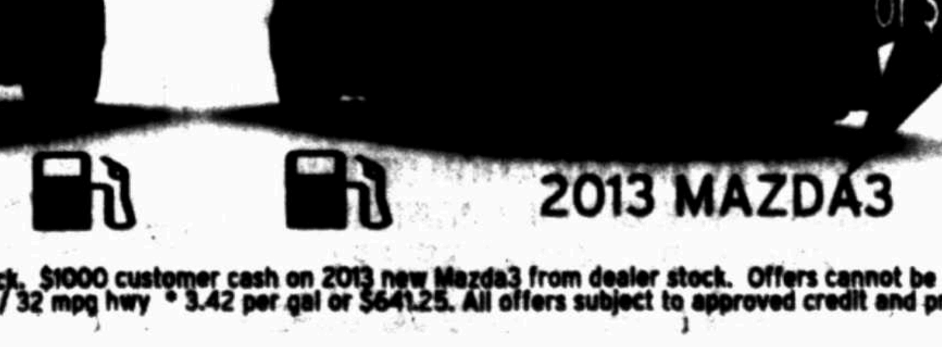

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The ideal candidate will have the following:

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- Great organizational skills, close attention to detail, excellent follow through and the ability to multi-task
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- Proficiency with Microsoft Office (Power Point, Excel, Word and Outlook)
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Midland, Texas
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Previous Downhole Motor Shop Management Experience Required.

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TRANSPORTATION & LOGISTICS

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TRANSPORTATION & LOGISTICS

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Must be able to work Monday thru Saturday from 8am-6pm. Tuesday, [illegible] later till about 8 or 9 pm. Need to be able to work on your feet thru 6-8 hours straight. Will work at night occasionally. We will train the right person.
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Dispatcher

Aveda Transportation and Energy Service
Oilfield Heavy Hauling Equipment Company

Aveda Transportation and Energy Services has an immediate need for a **Dispatcher** for the Midland TX location. Aveda Transportation and Energy Services is an oilfield heavy hauling equipment company specializing in moving drilling rigs in the United States.

The **Dispatcher** is responsible for coordinating the movements of trucks/equipment as well as personnel to sites and tasks. Must be able to resolve complex dispatch issues, assign drivers to vehicles, and ensure the drivers have the proper documentation. Must have a minimum of four (4) years of oilfield trucking/hauling experience, or logistic experience.

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Oilfield Heavy Hauling Equipment Company

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Complete the grid so each row, column and 3-by-3 box (in bold borders) contains every digit, 1 to 9. For strategies on how to solve Sudoku, visit **www.sudoku.org.uk**

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2	5	4	3	8	1	9	7	6
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6	7	2	9	5	4	1	3	8
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