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LET'S RODEO!



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The 82nd Big Spring Cowboy Reunion and Rodeo begins tonight and runs through Saturday at the Encana Big Spring Rodeo Bowl.

82nd Big Spring Cowboy Reunion & Rodeo begins tonight

By **STEVE REAGAN**
 Staff Writer

One of the nation's longest running rodeos returns for its 82nd edition starting tonight. The Big Spring Cowboy Reunion and Rodeo, begins

tonight and runs through Saturday at the Encana Big Spring Rodeo Bowl. Gates open at 7 p.m. each night, with the grand entry scheduled for 8 p.m. Tickets at the gate are \$12 for adults and \$8

for children. The rodeo is one of the longest-running events of its kind in the country. Since its inception in the 1930s, only gas rationing imposed during World War II has prevented

cowboys and cowgirls from displaying their talents in Big Spring. Carr Pro Rodeo returns as the event producer. Specialty acts include famed rodeo clown Wild Child, spon-

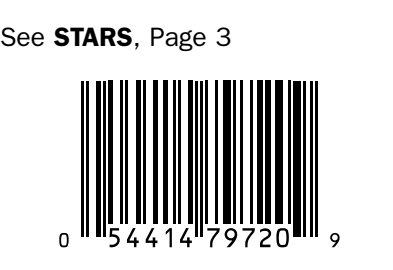
sored by Southwest Tool and Cathey Construction, and the All-American Cowgirl Chicks, sponsored by Partee Drilling. See **RODEO**, Page 3

Look to the stars

Stargazing party slated Saturday at state park

By **LYNDEL MOODY**
 Staff Writer

If the weather forecast by the National Weather Service proves true, Saturday night should be a good time for some stargazing off the Big Spring State Park. The Big Spring State Park along with the West Texas



UBS/City blood drive scheduled for Friday

By **JULIE BASS**
 Staff Writer

We need your blood. United Blood Services (UBS) officials have announced that the local blood supply is running low. "To help save the lives of trauma patients at Scenic Mounting Medical Center,

O Negative is the go-to blood type as anyone can safely receive this blood in an emergency situation. Currently, we have less than half a day's supply - well below the needed level of three days," said a press release from United Blood Services. According to the press release, summer is the hardest

time of the year for UBS to maintain an adequate supply of blood. Schools are out (20 percent of donated blood is given at schools), people are on vacation and businesses can't coordinate blood drives as they are short-staffed. UBS is asking for everyone who is able to come donate blood on Friday. Staff will

be at City Council Chambers located next to City Hall, 310 Nolan, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. "Only blood donated by volunteer donors can be transfused to save the lives of patients at Scenic Mountain Medical Center," states the See **BLOOD**, Page 3

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Obituaries

Vanessa Renteria



Vanessa Renee Renteria, 16 of Midland passed away on June 14, 2015. A Rosary will be held on Thursday, June 18, 2015, at 7 p.m. at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home in Midland. Funeral services will be held on Friday, June 19, 2015, at 1 p.m. at St. Stephen's Catholic Church in Midland. Interment will be held at Resthaven Memorial Park.

Pallbearers will be John Renteria Jr., Michael Renteria, Nicholas DeHoyos, Bryan Galaviz, Abel Matthew Hinojos, John Geis and Eugene Geis.

Vanessa was born on Jan. 14, 1999, to Leticia Renteria in Big Spring, Texas. She was very independent and feisty at a young age until a surgery at the age of two took away her ability to be independent. Vanessa enjoyed her music, stuffed animals, being with her family and friends, being the big sister of her brother Bryan, spending time with her grandparents and especially hearing her grandpa's voice. Her biggest joy was being with her mommy

and brother.

She is survived by her mother and step-father, Leticia Renteria and Eusvio Galaviz of Midland, Texas; brother, Bryan Galaviz of Midland, Texas; maternal grandparents, John and Yolanda Renteria of Big Spring, Texas; her pee paw, Ysidoro Gonzales of Eaton, Colo.; aunt, Debra DeHoyos of Big Spring, Texas; great-grandparents, Jose and Clara Renteria of Big Spring, Texas; uncle and aunt, Michael and Laray Renteria of Cresson, Texas; John Renteria of San Marcos, Texas; numerous cousins; and her very close and special cousin, Nicholas DeHoyos.

She is preceded in death by her great-grandparents, Tom and Felisita Arista.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to Dr. Nabulsi and Dr. Castillo and their staff, Angel Of Care Homehealth, and the special and dedicated nurses throughout the years, Mike Sparks, Natasha Turner, Anita Maddox, Evelyn Swartz and Billie Dean.

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

Paid obituary

Margaret 'Kay' Parkan



Margaret Katharyn "Kay" Parkan, 70, of Big Spring, died Wednesday, June 17, 2015, at her residence. No services are planned at this time.

The family will receive friends from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. Friday, June 19, 2015, at their home.

Kay was born Oct. 10, 1944 in Big Spring and married Rusty Parkan Dec. 19, 1989, in Bullhead City, Ariz.

She was a longtime resident of Big Spring and

was a homemaker. Kay enjoyed fishing and family get-togethers.

Margaret is survived by her husband, Rusty Parkan of Big Spring; three daughters, Tanya Shuttleworth and husband, Billy of Fort Stockton, Tammy Schatt and husband, Steve of North Hollywood, Calif. and Kelly Rieser and husband, Archie of Apple Valley, Calif.; one son, Wesley Boren and wife, Tricia of Big Spring; 18 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; and a sister, Vivian Glickman, of Big Spring.

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

Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity between 7 a.m. Wednesday and today:

- **GILBERT BUSTAMANTE GONZALES III**, 25, of 607 W. 9th St. was arrested on warrants for expired driver's license, operate unregistered vehicle, two counts of fail to appear and a warrant from another agency.
- **JOE DAVID NEFF**, 49, of 2301 E. Hwy 350 was arrested on charges of evading arrest/detention with vehicle or watercraft, driving while license is invalid, two warrants from another agency and driving while intoxicated 2nd offense.
- **STOLEN VEHICLE** was reported in the 2600 block of Old Colorado City Road.

• **THEFT** was reported in the 1100 block of N. Ayelsford St, 2300 block of Wasson Road, 1100 block of Hilltop Road and the 2500 block of S. Gregg St.

• **ASSAULT** was reported in the 3600 block of W. Hwy 80.

• **BURGLARY OF A HABITATION** was reported in the 1600 block of Donley St.

• **DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE** was reported at the intersection of 6th St. and Union St.

• **CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** was reported in the 500 block of Scott Dr.

• **DISTURBANCE** was reported in the 1000 block of N. Lamesa Hwy.

• **MINOR ACCIDENT** was reported in the 500 block of N. Birdwell Lane.

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following activity between 7 a.m. Wednesday and today:

Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 75 inmates at the time of this report.

• **GILBERT CONZALES III**, 25, was booked by the BSPD on warrants for false report to police, expired driver's license, operating an unregistered motor vehicle and two counts of failure to appear.

• **JOE DAVID NEFF**, 49, was booked by the BSPD on charges of evading arrest/detention with motor vehicle/watercraft, driving while license is suspended and a warrant for driving while intoxicated 2nd offense.

Support Groups

MONDAY
• VA Alcoholics Anonymous support group, 7:30-8:30 p.m., Veterans Healing Center.

• Reformers Anonymous International is a faith-based addictions program helping people find freedom from addiction.

Meetings begin at 7 p.m. Mondays at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Enter at the main entrance of the church.

• Stepping Stone Group of Narcotics Anonymous meets at Spring Town Plaza (inside the mall, next to Attitudes Hair Salon, down by Bealls).

Open meeting at 7 p.m.

TUESDAY
• Big Spring and Snyder Parkinsons Support Group meeting at the Big Spring Senior Center at 10:30 a.m. the second Tuesday of the month.

This is a group for all Parkinson's disease patients, spouses and caregivers.

For more information about the support group or about Parkinson's Disease, contact Jo Bidwell at the Lubbock APDA office at 806-785-0942

• VA Alcoholics Anonymous support group, 7:30-8:30 p.m., Veterans Healing Center.

• Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; closed discussion meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

• Al-Anon, 615 Settles for family members and friends of alcoholics meets at 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

• RSD (Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy) a chronic pain disease, a support and informative group, meets at 213 Circle.

Call Lucy at (432) 517-9207 for more information.

• Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; open 12 & 12 study meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

THURSDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, open discussion noon to 1 p.m.; women's meeting; 6:30 until 7:30 p.m. Non-smoking closed discussion meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

• Spring Tabernacle Ministries has a faith-based support group for those who need help finding and continuing to walk down the path

God has for each of us. Meetings are at 11 a.m. until noon and again at 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. The classes take place at Spring Tabernacle Ministries, located at 1209 Wright St.

• Weight Watchers meets at 6 p.m. at St. Paul Lutheran Church. Weigh-in is at 5:30 p.m. Weigh-in is confidential and you don't have to talk if you don't want to. Flexible payment options.

• Stepping Stone Group of Narcotics Anonymous meets at Spring Town Plaza (inside the mall, next to Attitudes Hair Salon, down by Bealls).

Open meeting at 7 p.m.

• A Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder support group meeting is at 6:30 p.m. at the VA Medical Center Veteran's Healing Center.

FRIDAY

• Stepping Stone Group of Narcotics Anonymous meets at Spring Town Plaza (inside the mall, next to Attitudes Hair Salon, down by Bealls).

Open meeting at 7 p.m.

• AA open discussion meeting from noon until 1 p.m. at 605 Settles. Open Big Book study meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

SATURDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous open discussion meeting, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. Open podium/speakers meeting 8 p.m. until 9 p.m. Open birthday night, no smoking meeting the last Saturday of each month at 8 p.m.

Covered dish supper at 7 p.m.

SUNDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous closed meeting from 11 a.m. to noon at 615 Settles.

Open meeting 7 p.m. until 8 p.m.

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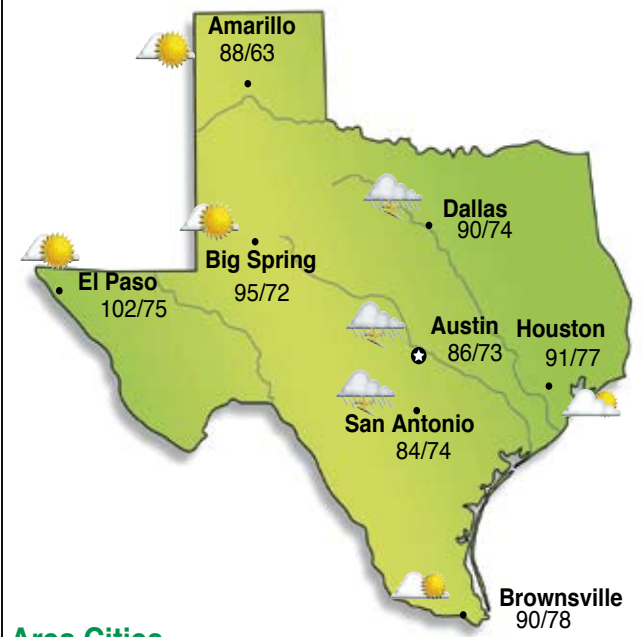
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Local 5-Day Forecast

Fri 6/19	Sat 6/20	Sun 6/21	Mon 6/22	Tue 6/23
95/72 Sunny along with a few clouds. A stray thunderstorm is possible.	94/70 Partly cloudy. Highs in the mid 90s and lows in the low 70s.	94/72 Abundant sunshine. Highs in the mid 90s and lows in the low 70s.	94/72 Partly cloudy. Highs in the mid 90s and lows in the low 70s.	93/71 Mix of sun and clouds. Highs in the low 90s and lows in the low 70s.
Sunrise: 6:39 AM Sunset: 8:55 PM	Sunrise: 6:39 AM Sunset: 8:55 PM	Sunrise: 6:39 AM Sunset: 8:55 PM	Sunrise: 6:40 AM Sunset: 8:55 PM	Sunrise: 6:40 AM Sunset: 8:56 PM

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Texas At A Glance



Area Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Abilene	92	71	pt sunny	Kingsville	90	77	cloudy
Amarillo	88	63	mst sunny	Livingston	89	75	cloudy
Austin	86	73	t-storm	Longview	86	73	t-storm
Beaumont	88	75	cloudy	Lubbock	91	67	mst sunny
Brownsville	90	78	pt sunny	Lufkin	92	76	pt sunny
Brownwood	92	69	mst sunny	Midland	96	72	mst sunny
Corpus Christi	90	80	t-storm	Raymondville	93	77	t-storm
Corsicana	87	74	t-storm	Rosenberg	89	76	pt sunny
Dallas	90	74	t-storm	San Antonio	84	74	t-storm
Del Rio	91	74	pt sunny	San Marcos	85	73	t-storm
El Paso	102	75	mst sunny	Sulphur Springs	85	75	t-storm
Fort Stockton	94	68	mst sunny	Sweetwater	91	70	pt sunny
Gainesville	88	71	t-storm	Tyler	86	74	t-storm
Greenville	85	73	t-storm	Weatherford	92	71	sunny
Houston	91	77	cloudy	Wichita Falls	89	70	pt sunny

National Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Atlanta	96	74	t-storm	Minneapolis	79	58	pt sunny
Boston	75	61	pt sunny	New York	70	65	rain
Chicago	81	55	cloudy	Phoenix	111	79	sunny
Dallas	90	74	t-storm	San Francisco	63	53	foggy
Denver	90	61	mst sunny	Seattle	74	56	pt sunny
Houston	91	77	cloudy	St. Louis	82	71	t-storm
Los Angeles	84	63	pt sunny	Washington, DC	90	76	t-storm
Miami	90	79	pt sunny				

Moon Phases



UV Index

Fri 6/19	Sat 6/20	Sun 6/21	Mon 6/22	Tue 6/23
11	11	11	10	10
Extreme	Extreme	Extreme	Very High	Very High

The UV Index is measured on a 0 - 11 number scale, 0 is lowest and 11 is highest. A higher UV Index showing the need for greater skin protection.

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Class reunion

The Big Spring High School Class of 1965 is asking for help in locating these missing classmates in advance of its 50th reunion, scheduled for October 9-10, 2015. Please contact Margaret Davidson at 432-213-5372 or email madavidson@basin-net.net.

Anderson, Max
Arnold, Janice
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Cole, Norreen
Collins, Dennis
Cruz, Humberto
Daniels, Robert
Davidson Evans, Lynda
Day, Jesse Lee
Deel, Darrell
Dennis, Carol
Doporto, Roy
Drinkard, Jane
Dyer, Kay
Edwards, Linda
Englert Sherrod, Sherri
Farris, Arthur
Feddell, Suzette
Fiveash, Jo Ellen
Fleischner, Hilary
Flewellen, Curtis

Fletcher, Woody
Foresyth, June
Foster, Joy
Fern, Foster
Frazier, Barbara
Frazier, Loretta
Fulbright Coppedge, Lynda
Gilliland, Ronald
Green Vincent, Beverly
Green, James
Grimes, Hazel
Grisham, Virginia
Hall, Charles
Hamilton, Jan
Harper, Larry
Harper, Margaret
Hartfield, Jo
Hansenbank, Jack
Harkrider Hattenback, Linda
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Kenning, Paul
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King, Cecilia
King Webb, Sara Jane
Knowlton, Fern
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Landrum, David
Lane, Darrel
Lavender, Robert
Lecroy, June
Leifeste, Darlene
Leonard, Larry
Leonard Duncan, Paula
Limbacher, Klaus
Lopez, Henry
Lopez, Robert
Love, Linda

Loveless Beddingfield, Cheryl
Lynch, Nancy
Magee, Susan
Marino Kaiser, Sharon
McClinton, Alan
McDade, Patricia
McDonald, Charlene
McNallen, Mary Kay
McNery, Jill
McPherson, Horace
Meredith, La Nell
Metcalf, Sharon
Murphy, Pat
Munden, Shirley
Nuttall, Annie
Olson, Greg
Owens, Stanley
Parker, Linda
Perron, David
Pope, Hank
Redman, Justin
Richardson, Rita
Riggin, Ramona
Roberts, Ben
Ryan, Dana Paul
Sanchez Licon, Eldermira
Simmons, Gary
Smedley, Larry
Smith, Gary
Smith, Keith
Smith, Linda
Smith, Vicki
Smith, Yvonne
Sneed, Bob
Stallcup, Roger
Stanfield, Alan
Stevenson, Janice
Thomas, Elaine
Thomas Laura
Thompson, Carole
Thomson, Tommy
Thurman, Jerry
Torres, Alicia
Trantham, Jake
Trantham, Shirley
Trevino, Eulalia
Turner, Pat
Voight, Walter
Waits Piper, Cheryl
Walker, Carolyn
Weaver, Cheryl
Weidel, James
Woolverton, Martha

Take note

American Legion Post 506, 3203 W. Highway 80, will host a fish fry from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday. Plates are \$12 apiece. Delivery is available from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Scenic Mountain Medical Center Healthy YOU! program is partnering up with the Big Spring YMCA to bring a free, two-day work out session. The work out session will take place at 6 p.m. Tuesday, June 23 and Thursday, June 25 with Occupational Therapist Becky Carter. To find out more information, call Amanda Duforat at 432-268-4699.

An account has been set up at Western Bank (account number 1017623) for Blantyn Gusman and Zachary Duncan, who were seriously injured in an accident this past weekend.

The Big Spring Chapter No. 67 Order of the Eastern Star will hold a Grand Installation Ceremony at 7 p.m. June 19 to install Samantha Ruth as Worthy Matron Elect and Randy Ruth as Worthy Patron Elect. The Installation is open to the public. A meal will be held at 6 p.m. before the ceremony. The Masonic Temple is located at 219 Main St. For more information, contact Jimmy Ruth at 271-2176.

The mission of CASA of West Texas is to promote and support quality volunteers who speak for the best interest of

abused and neglected children in court in an effort to find each child a safe, nurturing and permanent home. We need your help. If you're interested in volunteering, contact Sara Basaldua at 1-877-316-8346 or visit www.BecomeaCASA.org or www.casawtx.org.

The Big Spring Symphony Board of Directors meets every second Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the symphony office, 808 Scurry Street.

Big Spring High School Student Council still has several #Stand-withBriana t-shirts available for purchase at the high school main office for \$20. Sizes are youth large to 4X. Wristbands for \$3 in youth and adult sizes are also available. They can be purchased at high school main office during the month of June.

Order of the Eastern Star Big Spring Chapter 67 meets the third Tuesday of each month at 219 Main St. Dinner begins at 6:30 p.m. Lodge meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

For more information, contact Jimmy Ruth at 271-2176.

Home Hospice is in need of volunteers of all ages. The organization is requesting volunteers to sit with patients, make items for patients and help with office work. Volunteers set their own hours. For more information, contact Sherry Hodnett at 264-7911 or 432-213-0150.

Crossroads Hospice needs volunteers for patient care. Contact Eva at 263-5300.

Mobile meals is in need of volunteer delivery drivers. If you donate one hour per week to help deliver meals to the elderly, call Kim Plew at 263-4016 or 213-7960.

Spring Tabernacle Ministries, 1209 Wright St., has a brief, inspirational message before giving away food and clothing on Thursday mornings. It's a great way to work off community service and get help, too. Be there at 9-11 a.m. and get two for one, plus a rehab meeting.

STARS

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Amateur Astronomy Club from Midland will host its annual Stargazing Party on top of the state park beginning at 8:30 p.m. Sunset is expected about 9 p.m. The moon is expected to set at 11:58 p.m. The party will be held at the top of the park overlooking the 200-foot bluff. Astronomy club

members will have powerful telescopes available for astronomy or just plain star-gazing fans a chance to see the heaven up close

For an added treat, Park Ranger Ron Alton said the International Space Station and the Hubble Space Telescope are expected to pass over the area about 10:27 p.m. Viewers will need to be quick as the two man-made space objects are only expected to stay in

sight for about five minutes and then mostly look as a streak of light.

In the eastern sky, participants should be able to view Saturn, M13 the Hercules Globular Star Cluster and Albireo, a double star known as the cub scout double, Alton said. Also star-gazers may have a chance to view a few other objects at the center of Milky Way galaxy — a system of bound stars, interstellar gas, dust, and other

space bodies located in our solar system — in the constellations of Scorpius and Sagittarius.

The Big Spring State Park is located off of FM 700 near the Wasson Road intersection and is a 382-acre park created by the Civilian Conservation Corp and run by the Texas Parks and Wildlife.

Lyndel Moody can be contacted at citydesk@bigspringherald.com or 263-7331, ext. 234.

RODEO

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The rodeo will feature traditional events such as bull riding, saddle bronc and bareback bronc riding, steer wrestling, barrel racing and team roping, but special

events for younger folks include mutton busting and Shetland bronc riding.

The rodeo also features musical entertainment Friday and Saturday — Jake Hooker and the Outsiders will perform at 9:30 p.m. Friday (tickets are \$10 apiece), while Charlie Robinson,

along with local opening act A.C. and the Heaters, take the stage at 9:30 p.m. Saturday (tickets are \$20 per person).

The Quail Dobbs Memorial Rodeo Parade will begin at 10 a.m. Saturday in the downtown area (the exact route has not yet been announced).

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press release.

Donors will receive two movie passes (1,000 Hero Points that can be instantly redeemed online for 2 movie passes), free cholesterol check and Hero in Me Points. HEB is providing a sandwich tray for donors, along with snacks, water and juice.

Donors with appointments will be seen prior

to walk-ins. To make an appointment, call Stacy King at 264-2387.

Donors must be at least 16 years old, weigh at least 110 pounds and be in good health to donate. Sixteen-year-old donors must present a Minor Donor Permit Form signed by a parent or guardian. The permit can be found online at www.unitedboodservices.org.

Contact Staff Writer Julie Bass at 263-7331 ext. 232.

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—FIRST AMENDMENT

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DAILY PRAYER

May we remain diligent about reading Your word, Lord, for our life.

Amen

San Francisco vs. soft drinks

The San Francisco Board of Supervisors has something it wants to say:

Fizzy sugar water can make you fat and rot your teeth. I'll pause while you pick yourself off the floor, where you landed in shock at this blinding revelation. Until now, you have probably been pouring Mountain Dew on your organic hemp granola in the belief that it contains only nutrients that are vital to your health. So processing the news may take a minute.

Actually, the supervisors don't so much want to say that as they want to make someone else say it — namely, the companies that make these products. Under an ordinance approved by the board and awaiting action by the mayor, billboards and other ads for most beverages with added sugar would have to carry a large, ominous message: “WARNING: Drinking beverages with added sugar(s) contributes to obesity, diabetes and tooth decay.” Skull and crossbones to follow.

There are several things wrong with the warning. One is that it ought to be delivered by Captain Obvious. In theory, there could be people who regard high-calorie carbonated drinks as a fountain of youth or a cancer cure, but good luck finding one. Anyone with the intellectual capacity to operate a vending machine probably understands that Dr Pepper is not actually prescribed by doctors.

Another flaw in the warning is that it's misleading. Beverages with added sugar can cause weight gain and dental problems. But the same can be said of beverages without added sugar.

Josh Bloom, director of chemical and pharmaceutical sciences at the American Council on Science and Health, says: “Twelve ounces of orange juice contains 36 grams of sugar, which is equivalent to 144 calo-

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ries. If somehow, there was such a thing as an orange without sugar, if you took the juice from it and added 36 grams of sugar, you would have a drink that is identical to orange juice that you now buy. Yet, under this law, the latter drink would have to be labeled and the former would not.”

There is also not much reason to believe that barraging consumers with information leads to better choices. A survey found that when New York City compelled fast-food restaurants to post the calorie content of menu items, just 28 percent of consumers said the new data influenced what they ordered.

And those people may be fooling themselves.

The study, published in the journal Health Affairs, found that the average diner's calorie tally stayed the same after the law came into being.

A study of Starbucks outlets in New York concluded that posting calories did reduce the average number of calories ingested, but only slightly — from 247 to 232. In a country where the average person scarfs more than 2,000 calories a day, the change is monumentally inconsequential.

“There are very few cases where social scientists have documented that giving people information has changed their behavior very much,” Carnegie Mellon University economist George Loewenstein told *The*

New York Times last year. “Changing prices and changing convenience have big impact. Providing information doesn't.” The San Francisco measure holds even less promise. The menu labels in New York provide information that most people wouldn't have — how many calories they would ingest with a particular item. But the sugary-drink warning would tell consumers only what they already know: Guzzling sweet liquids can have regrettable side effects over time.

That knowledge may explain why, as a study in *The American Journal of Clinical Nutrition* found, “the consumption of added sugars in the United States decreased between 1999-2000 and 2007-2008, primarily because of a reduction in soda consumption.” Those who resist the trend are acting not out of ignorance but out of preference. They aren't likely to suddenly change their ways just because the city expresses disapproval.

Expressing disapproval seems to be the main point. After the vote, Supervisor Scott Wiener, the author of the bill, needed an extension ladder to mount his high horse.

“Today, San Francisco has sent a very clear message that we need to do more to protect our community's health,” he proclaimed. “Requiring health warnings on soda ads also makes clear that these drinks aren't harmless — indeed, quite the opposite — and that the puppies, unicorns and rainbows depicted in soda ads aren't reality.”

Yes, San Franciscans, an elected official is trying to protect you from unsavory hucksters peddling empty illusions to profit from your gullibility. Maybe it takes one to know one.

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Why we still need public libraries

Younger Americans can hardly imagine a time when you had to visit a library to research the population of Phoenix in 1980. Google now does that in seconds.

Entire books are downloaded to tablets in minutes. Classics from “Moby-Dick” to Shakespeare's tragedies come virtually free. A project called the Digital Public Library of America now seeks to digitalize the entire Library of Congress and university collections.

And less of what we consider information comes in word form. Videos now explain everything from bicycle repair to how the Federal Reserve works.

So let's ask: Do we still need public libraries, with their miles of dusty bookshelves, decimated reference departments and rules of decorum? Yes.

We still want to read, study and communicate in a non-distracting environment. And we still need what urbanologists call “third places” — that is, public spaces other than work and home. Public libraries are third places, along with cafes and old-fashioned bookstores.

It was predicted that the move to online communication would enable us to make a living on an isolated farm or private mountaintop. Many can, but the human need to mix with others of the species remains strong.

Herein lies the paradox: The more we can work at home the more we need third places for getting out in the world. That's why many of the most digitally connected Americans are mov-

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ing into downtowns. That's why Starbucks is so crowded, even in the suburbs.

And that's why public libraries are taking on a new importance in economic development. Older public libraries in sad urban cores are seeing tables once dominated by those with no other place to go being occupied by 20- and 30-year-olds who've just moved downtown.

Gloversville, New York, has suffered hard times since the glove business collapsed in the 1950s.

But it still has a glorious Beaux Arts library, built in 1904 with Andrew Carnegie's money. The town is now renovating this grand building as a magnet for downtown revival.

One thing that made public libraries of your less-than-ideal third places was they discouraged lively conversation. Today's libraries have loosened up on that considerably.

“When my kids were little, I would not have even thought to bring them to the library,” one librarian told me.

Now there are cellphones going off and children running around.

Does anything go these days?

“Yes and no,” she responded.

“We don't want to stifle people too much when they're talking and communicating,” she said, “but there have been times when I've had to stop someone using bad language close to the youth department.”

Libraries have expanded their offerings well beyond the printed word. Many offer computer and literacy training, meeting rooms and much more.

The spectacular Topeka & Shawnee County Public Library in Kansas features an art gallery, cafe and “booktique” selling used books, jewelry and various gift items. I could have spent a week there.

Many older Americans miss the starchy grandeur of the old library experience — the venerable wood tables, mosaic floors and hushed stacks. Should they just get over it?

John Palfrey, a founder of the Digital Public Library of America, warns against nostalgia for the public libraries of yesteryear. “Libraries must create a new nostalgia,” he wrote.

I don't know. What's wrong with nostalgia the way it used to be? The library's retro feel fits right in with the downtown vibe. In any case, libraries can offer both old-fashioned reading rooms for traditionalists and (enclosed) rooms for video gamers.

Public libraries are evolving with the times. One hopes that they will keep what's nice while searching for the new.

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News in brief

Pastor, 8 others, fatally shot at black church in Charleston; police call it a hate crime

CHARLESTON, S.C. (AP) — A white man opened fire during a prayer meeting inside a historic black church in downtown Charleston on Wednesday night, killing nine people, including the pastor, in an assault that authorities described as a hate crime. The shooter remained at large Thursday morning.

Police Chief Greg Mullen said he believed the attack at the Emanuel AME Church was a hate crime, and police were looking for a white male in his early 20s. Mullen said the scene was chaotic when police arrived, and the officers thought they had the suspect tracked with a police dog, but he got away.

“We will put all effort, we will put all resources and we will put all of our energy into finding this individual who committed this crime tonight,” he said.

The FBI will aid the investigation, Mullen told a news conference that was attended by FBI Special Agent in Charge David A. Thomas.

Charleston Mayor Joseph P. Riley called the shooting “the most unspeakable and heartbreaking tragedy.”

A year after its blitz across Iraq and Syria, Islamic State group creates nation of fear

ESKI MOSUL, Iraq (AP) — When the Islamic State fighters burst into the Iraqi village of Eski Mosul, Sheikh Abdullah Ibrahim knew his wife was in trouble.

Buthaina Ibrahim was an outspoken human rights advocate who had once run for the provincial council in Mosul. The IS fighters demanded she apply for a “repentance card.” Under the rule of the extremist group, all former police officers, soldiers and

people whose activities are deemed “heretical” must sign the card and carry it with them at all times.

“She said she’d never stoop so low,” her husband said.

Buthaina Ibrahim was an outlier in her defiance of the Islamic State. It would cost her dearly.

The “caliphate,” declared a year ago, demands obedience. Untold numbers have been killed because they were deemed dangerous to the IS, or insufficiently pious; 5-8 million endure a regime that has swiftly turned their world upside down, extending its control into every corner of life to enforce its own radical interpretation of Islamic law, or Shariah.

Mass held for victims of Berkeley balcony tragedy; some relatives arrive from Ireland

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP) — Hundreds attended a Mass for victims of a deadly Berkeley balcony collapse, with the Catholic priest calling on people to offer support for the families of the six young people killed and the seven injured.

Father Aidan McAleenan said Wednesday evening at Oakland’s Cathedral that family members right now are focused on their loved ones rather than on the cause of the tragedy.

“We may well wonder and want to lash out and talk about the balcony and who built it,” said Father Aidan McAleenan, who rushed to hospitals after hearing of the disaster. “But at the end of the day what (families) want the most is to see their loved ones. They want to touch them, they want to hold them and they want to kiss them.”

Some families arrived from Ireland and were met by representatives from the Irish Consulate.

None of them apparently attended the Mass, which drew some 300 people from around the San Francisco Bay Area.

A candlelight vigil for the victims was also in Berkeley Wednesday night.

Hong Kong government’s controversial Beijing-backed election blueprint defeated by lawmakers

HONG KONG (AP) — The Hong Kong government’s controversial Beijing-backed election blueprint was defeated in the legislature Thursday but the crucial vote came to a confusing anticlimax as pro-establishment lawmakers walked out just before it began.

After a lengthy debate stretching over two days, 28 lawmakers voted against the proposals, which sparked huge street protests in the southern Chinese city last year.

Eight others voted in favor. However, in a bizarre scene moments before the vote, most of the pro-establishment lawmakers walked out of the legislature chamber and ended up not casting their votes.

Lawmaker Jeffrey Lam later blamed a “communication gap,” explaining that they were waiting for a fellow lawmaker who was ill to return to the chamber.

They left even after their request for a 15-minute break was rejected by the legislature president.

FBI to Congress: Surveillance flights over US cities by the book, rarely track cellphones

WASHINGTON (AP) — The FBI assured Congress in an unusual, confidential briefing that its plane surveillance program is a by-the-books operation short on high-definition

cameras — with some planes equipped with binoculars — and said only five times in five years has it tracked cellphones from the sky.

The FBI would not openly answer some questions about its planes, which routinely orbit major U.S. cities and rural areas. Although the FBI has described the program as unclassified and not secret, it declined to disclose during an unclassified portion of a Capitol Hill briefing any details about how many planes it flies or how much the program costs. In a 2009 budget document, the FBI said it had 115 planes in its fleet.

The briefing Wednesday to Senate staff was the first effort in recent years — if ever — to impose oversight for the FBI’s 30-year aerial surveillance program that gives support to specific, ongoing investigations into counterterrorism, espionage and criminal cases and ground surveillance operations. While it withheld some details, it offered assurances that the planes are not intended to perform mass surveillance or bulk intelligence collection. However, there is still no formal oversight regimen for the program.

The briefing came two weeks after the FBI confirmed to The Associated Press for the first time its wide-scale use of the aircraft, after the AP traced at least 50 planes registered to fake companies back to the FBI. The AP investigation identified more than 100 flights in 11 states over a 30-day period this spring.

The planes since June 1 have flown more than two-dozen times over at least seven states, including parts of Texas, Georgia and the Pacific Northwest.

The ubiquity of the flights, combined with few details about the surveillance equipment aboard the planes, raised civil liberties concerns over Americans’ privacy.

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Local sports

Forsan's Munoz named all-state

Forsan High School's Rosario Munoz was named to the Texas Girls' Coaches Association all-state softball team.

Munoz was selected to the Class 2A all-state team after helping to lead the Lady Buffaloes to the state playoffs this season.

Lady Steers hoops camp June 22-25

The Big Spring High School Lady Steers Basketball Camp will be held June 22-25 at the junior high school gymnasium.

The camp is open to girls in grades 3 through 5, and 7 through 9. Cost is \$25 per camper.

Registration must be received by 8:30 a.m. the first day of camp.

For more information, e-mail coach Smalley at ss-mally@bsisd.esc18.net

Volleyball skills camps scheduled

Two volleyball skills camps will be held July 27-30 at the junior high school gymnasiums.

The first camp, open to players in grades 3 through 9, will be held between 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Cost is \$25; campers may purchase a T-shirt for \$10.

The second camp, supervised by former BSHS players Cerbi Ritchey, Taylor Seaton and Kinsey Wash, will be held from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. and is open for players in grades 9-12. Cost is \$35; campers may purchase a T-shirt for \$10.

For more information on either camp, contact Lynn Osborne at 254-246-2148.

Crossroads Classic set for country club

Registrations are now being accepted for the Crossroads of West Texas Golf Classic.

The two-man team scramble, which will be held June 20-21 at Big Spring Country Club, is sponsored by the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce, Atmos Energy and Culligan Water.

Registration is \$200 per team and includes lunch on Saturday and Sunday, free beverages and a shootout event June 19. Cart fees are extra, and private carts are welcome.

Registration is limited to the first 100 teams.

The format will be a two-man scramble, with pre-flighting done by the tournament committee and local golf pro. Prizes in cash and/or merchandise are offered.

For more information, contact the Chamber of Commerce at 432-263-7641 or the country club at 432-267-5354.

ACES basketball camp June 26-28

Big Spring native Roy Green has partnered with ACES Nation to host its fifth annual basketball camp in Big Spring June 26-28. The camp will be held at Howard College and Big Spring Jr High School. The on-court schedule will be 3 days of intense basketball skills development and basketball IQ events.

Cost of the camp is \$75. For more information and to register, go to: <https://aces-rewards.launchtrack.com/events/register/aces-hidden-gems-of-west-texas-2015>.

Softball tourney set for San Angelo

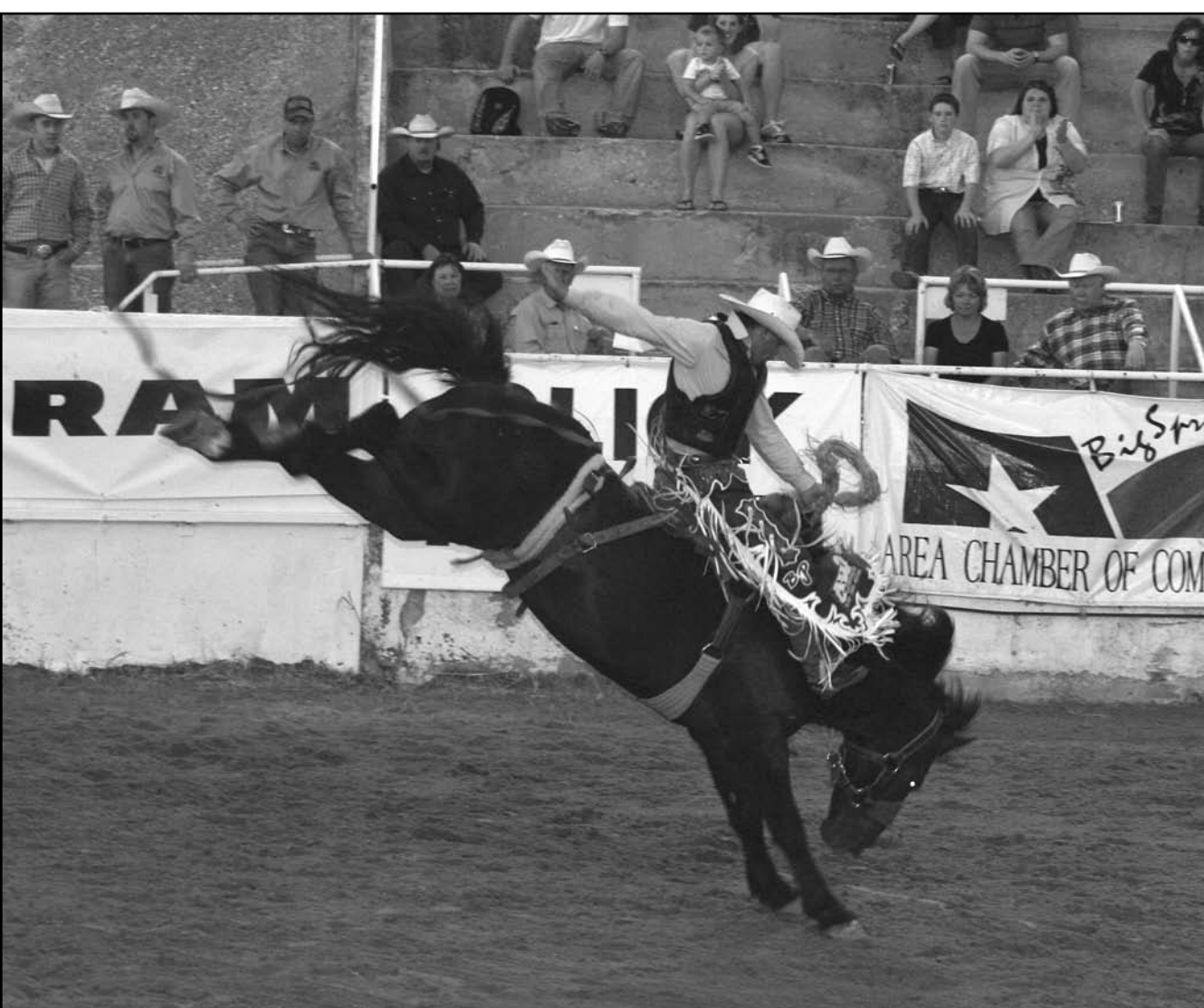
The Concho Valley Summer Bash girls' fastpitch softball tournament will be held July 11-12 in San Angelo.

Entry fee is \$250 per team.

There will be three divisions — 12 and under, 14 and under and 18 and under. Three pool games will be played, with the top two teams per pool advancing to a single-elimination bracket.

Games will be played at the Central High School softball field the Rio Concho Complex.

Entry deadline is July 7. For more information, call Chris Cardenas at 325-374-2910.



File photo

Bronc riding will be one of many events on tap when the 82nd Big Spring Cowboy Reunion and Rodeo begins at 8 p.m.

Gallo homers to pace Rangers

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Like many free-swinging sluggers, it's either feast or famine for Joey Gallo — home run or strikeout. In his first confrontation with Clayton Kershaw, the Texas Rangers' 21-year-old rookie fanned twice against the reigning NL MVP and hit a very long two-run homer in between.

Prince Fielder also went deep to help Texas beat the Los Angeles Dodgers 5-3 on Monday night as the teams switched venues following back-to-back home wins by the Rangers.

Kershaw gave up a leadoff sin-

gle in the third inning to opposing pitcher Wandy Rodriguez, then struck out his next two batters before Gallo drove a 1-1 pitch more than halfway up the right-field pavilion for a 3-0 lead.

The homer was the fifth for Gallo, who earlier this month became the first player in franchise history to homer in each of his first two big league games. This was his first one on the road.

"I didn't know what to expect. I was just looking for something I could just put any kind of barrel on," Gallo said. "He threw a slider the pitch before and I got

a pretty good look at it. Then he threw it over the plate and I was able to square it up, but it wasn't easy."

Rodriguez (4-2) shrugged off leadoff doubles by Yasiel Puig and Scott Van Slyke in each of the first two innings to win his third straight decision in a span of six starts. The left-hander is 4-0 with a 2.28 ERA in seven starts on the road.

Keone Kela pitched a hitless ninth for his first major league save. Closer Shawn Tolle-

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Correa, Astros clobber Colorado

DENVER (AP) — Carlos Correa and the slugging Houston Astros certainly enjoyed their visit to hitter-friendly Coors Field on Wednesday night.

Correa hit one of Houston's four home runs, Brett Oberholtzer pitched effectively into the seventh inning and the Astros continued their season-long power surge with an 8-4 win over the Colorado Rockies.

Chris Carter, Preston Tucker and Jake Marisnick also homered for the first-place Astros, who have won four straight and lead the majors with 95 home runs.

"It's fun. When we're on defense we're excited to get back in there

and get another at-bat," Tucker said. "Everyone felt confident today."

Correa and George Springer had three hits each, but All-Star second baseman Jose Altuve left in the third inning with more discomfort in his right hamstring.

"We've got to be so cautious with him, especially with altitude," manager A.J. Hinch said. "I want to err on the side of caution. We can't afford to mess around with Jose."

The Astros didn't need Altuve's slick defense thanks to another big night at the plate. Houston pounded out 13 hits, including seven for extra bases.

"We got hot tonight with extra-base hits," Hinch said. "It can be an

explosive offense when we get going."

Oberholtzer (2-1) followed up his eight shutout innings against Seattle on Friday with another strong outing. He allowed three runs and eight hits, struck out five and didn't walk a batter in 6 1-3 innings.

Oberholtzer worked around Charlie Blackmon's leadoff double in the sixth but left after allowing Nick Hundley's RBI single in the seventh.

"The offense came out hot and got some runs for me early," Oberholtzer said. "That gives me confidence to throw strikes and if I do miss, we're still up."

Carlos Gonzalez homered and Nolan Arenado and Troy Tulowitzki

had two hits apiece for the Rockies, who have lost seven of eight. Kyle Kendrick fell to 0-4 in six Coors Field starts.

Kendrick (2-9) fell behind during a 34-pitch first inning in which the Astros took control. Springer singled to lead off and Correa, the top pick in the 2012 draft, followed with his third home run since making his major league debut June 8.

"I knew they were going to be aggressive," Kendrick said. "I tried to be aggressive myself and fell behind in counts and threw a lot of pitches. I had to battle."

Springer made it 3-0 with an RBI single in the second. Colorado got

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Cowboys' Jones expects Dez will be at camp, all games

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — Dallas Cowboys owner Jerry Jones wants Dez Bryant to spend his entire career with the team, and anticipates that the disgruntled All-Pro receiver will be at training camp and the regular-season opener.

Bryant has not signed his franchise tender that will guarantee him \$12.8 million this season.

He has indicated his willingness to skip regular-season games without a new long-term deal.

"I have no doubt that when we play, if we're still in a franchise situation,

"I have no doubt that he'll be leading the way against the Giants," Jones said Wednesday.

"We just know how competitive Dez is and how much he wants to beat the Giants and how much he wants to support his teammates."

Without another deal in place by a July 15 deadline, Bryant would be locked into the \$12.8 million salary, and there could be no further negotiations until after the season.

Jones addressed several subjects while speaking to reporters for more than 35 minutes during the Cowboys'

minicamp practice at their home stadium. But the primary topic was the absence of Bryant three months before the Sept. 13 opener at home against their NFC East rivals.

A day after Bryant's agent Tom Condon told SiriusXM NFL Radio that there have been no talks recently with the team about a new deal, Jones responded, "that's a mistake to think there have not been areas that I could couch and define as negotiations." The Cowboys owner didn't elaborate.

In a tweet Wednesday on his verified account, Bryant

wrote, "Everybody voicing opinions...13 mil is cool but Where is my security? I'll wait ...5 years without complaining...So how am I selfish? #family1"

Asked about Bryant's tweet, Jones said it was very sympathetic and understands completely Bryant's monetary desires.

"I would like nothing more than to have long-term security with Dez. Now that's where you get right down to it. We've worked together great for five years," Jones said.

"The fact that Dez is where he is, the fact that he's as sub-

stantive as he is relatively speaking to the way he came into the league, with the criticism that he was taking, I was taking, is really rewarding. We've got more. There is more ahead. ... But we've got to get it all done to everybody's satisfaction."

Jones, who said he had spoken to the receiver as recently as 10 days earlier, added that Bryant has the chance to be even better in the future.

Bryant caught 89 passes for 1,350 yards and an NFL-high 16 touchdowns last season, the end of his rookie deal that paid him about \$11.8 million over five years.

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that
original Letters Testamentary
for the Estate of
CHARLES WINDELL LUSK,
Deceased were issued on the
27th day of May, 2015, un-
der Docket No. P-14409
pending in the County Court
of Howard County, Texas, to
CASSANDRA FILLINGIM.
Claims may be presented
in care of CASSANDRA
FILLINGIM to the estate ad-
dressed as follows:
Estate of Charles
Windell Lusk
c/o Cassandra
Fillingim
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79721-949

All persons having claims
against this estate which is

Legals

currently being administered
are required to present them
within the time and in the
manner prescribed by law.

DATED this 27th day of
May, 2015.

CASSANDRA FILLINGIM, In-
dependent
Executrix of Estate of Charles
Windell Lusk, Deceased
#8756 June 18, 2015

Notice of Application for a Commercial Disposal Facility

On April 29, 2014, Petro
Waste Environmental LP filed
an application with the Rail-
road Commission of Texas to
operate a Commercial Dis-
posal Facility to Treat and
Dispose of Non-Hazardous
Oil and Gas Waste at the
Howard County Disposal &
Reclamation Facility in mul-
tiple disposal pits.

on the T & P Railroad Co.
Survey, Abstract A-532, Sec-
tion 7, Block 34, Township 1
South in Howard County,
Texas. The site is located on
real property owned by Pyote
Well Service, LLC and is lo-
cated approximately 10 miles
southwest of Big Spring,
Texas. Wastes to be ac-
cepted for disposal include:

Water-based drilling fluid and
associated cuttings;
Oil-based drilling fluids and
associated cuttings;
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plants, crude oil reclamation
plants, and crude oil produc-
tion/separation facilities;
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duced water collecting pits;
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Affected persons may protest
this application. Protests
must be in writing and must
be received by the 15th day
after the last date of publica-
tion of this notice. The last
date of publication of this no-
tice is expected to be June
24, 2015, which means
protests should be received
by July 9, 2015. Protests
must be sent to the Techni-
cal Permits Section, Oil and
Gas Division, Railroad Com-
mission of Texas, P.O. Box
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(Telephone 512-463-3840).
#8755 June 18 & 24, 2015

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT

ConocoPhillips Company,
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of oil and gas. The applicant
proposes to inject fluid into
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and Clear Fork, formations of
the Chalk, G. O. -C- 40W
well. The proposed injection
well is located 5.1 miles East
of Forsan, Texas in the
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ated) Field in Howard
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injected into the subsurface
depth interval of 2,250 feet to
3,100 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY:
Chapter 27 of the Texas Wa-
ter Code, as amended, Title 3
of the Texas Natural Re-
sources Code, as amended,
and the Statewide Rules of
the Oil and Gas Division of
the Railroad Commission of
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By Steve Becker

Fortune Favors the Brave

North dealer. Both sides vulnerable. NORTH: ♠A J 10, ♥K Q 7 2, ♦A, ♣Q 7 6 5 3. WEST: ♠K Q 9 8 3, ♥8 4 3, ♦10 6 5 2, ♣9. EAST: ♠7 4, ♥6, ♦K Q 9 8 4 3, ♣A K 10 4. SOUTH: ♠6 5 2, ♥A J 10 9 5, ♦J 7, ♣J 8 2.

The bidding: North 1♣, East 1♦, South 1♥, West 1♠. Opening lead — nine of clubs. A defender must have the courage of his convictions if he is to succeed. He must do more than recognize that a certain play has a certain meaning — he must decide how best to apply that knowledge to the circumstances he faces. For example, take this deal where East allowed declarer to make four hearts. He won the club lead with the king and, after deducing that West's

lead was a singleton, continued with the ace and another club. West ruffed and returned the king of spades, but declarer won with the ace, drew trumps and discarded two spades on the Q-7 of clubs to finish with 10 tricks. Now let's go back to trick two and see what East should have done. It was certainly easy to recognize West's club lead as a singleton. Ordinarily, West would be expected to lead either his own suit, spades, or his partner's suit, diamonds, rather than dummy's suit, clubs. The only sensible reason for a club lead, therefore, was that the club was a singleton. So, acting on reasonable deduction, East should have returned a low club at trick two instead of the ace. Had he done that, the contract would have failed. After ruffing, West would return the king of spades, and South would eventually lose a spade, the A-K of clubs and a club ruff. It is true that it takes a certain degree of trust and self-discipline for East to return a low club at trick two. However, backing one's judgment is a basic part of the game, and a player should not shrink from doing what his instincts tell him to do.

Tomorrow: Bidding quiz. ©2015 King Features Syndicate Inc.



HOLIDAY MATHIS

The old world had more gatekeepers and quality-control managers. The new world can't afford them and doesn't need them. As a result, each individual is charged with taking control, keeping track and making decisions based on personal values and taste. The Cancer moon encourages everyone along this path, emphasizing the role of intuition.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). You don't need a reason to reach out to another person. You're a social creature. It's in your DNA to connect. Also, the reason always presents itself down the line.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Bending the rules will be fun for you, but not as fun as breaking them. Your brief stint as an outlaw will make you more appreciative of the structures you adhere to on a daily basis.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). When you want a change to happen in your life, you have to be willing to make a change in yourself. Today your inner power will surge. You're ready to do what it takes.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). You'll feel like you're just one person competing in a crowded market of similar people. But no one is you. When you're doing what only you can do, you will have no competition.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Your defi-

nition of success has changed throughout the years. Take a moment to stop and reassess. Imagine yourself winning. What does that look like to you?

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Don't underestimate your talents, but don't highlight them, either. You don't need to. People flock to you when you stop trying to sell what you do and start sharing who you are instead.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). What was true yesterday doesn't apply today. Also, what is true for you is not necessarily true for someone else. The stars will support you in getting comfortable with the relativity of truth.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). The reason James Bond is such a popular character is that he's unflappable. And so are you. To maintain your composure in the face of a threat is to achieve the higher levels of grace.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). You are in a position to say "yes" to a project or investment. Timing is key. Your winning answer will bring a small profit -- something to build on.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Your life is filled with fulfilling, quality pursuits because you give your attention to worthy aims. How you judge the worthiness of your goals will be key.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Family business is your business, whether you want it to be or not. You keep getting roped into duty. You

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won't mind the pickle they put you in today. PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). Just when you think you have it all figured out, experience will bring you something baffling and new. Tonight, counteract negativity by including and loving the one who offends you.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (June 18). It would be exhausting and unwise to react to everything. This year you gain strength, popularity and vitality because you are so choosy with your reactions. Your focus on successful actions and relationships will help you thrive. July and September bring exciting new relationships. November shows you the money. Aries and Cancer people adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 30, 23, 11, 27 and 18.

ASTROLOGICAL QUESTIONS: "What kind of relationship would result from a Gemini and Aquarius connection?" With Aquarius, Gemini's fascinations are encouraged and supported. The novel and new have incredible appeal for this brainy air-air combination. Aquarius has a talent for dropping lucky opportunities into Gemini's lap. And life with the water-bearer is like a trip to another very cool planet, a shimmery and dazzling planet full of shiny new toys and experiences, which Gemini, who lives to try to taste everything, digs. Gemini is the sign of youth, and the twins bring out the water-bearer's inner child so the more reserved

WB's can finally relax and breathe. Ah! Isn't it fun to play again? Stimulated by Gemini's seemingly endless interests and socializing, Gemini's vivacity is a pheromone for Aquarius, with the bonus of giving the water-bearer the confidence in love he sometimes lacks. They both have an erratic orbit: Gemini changes identities without warning, and Aquarius is famously unpredictable. So nothing about this love is staid -- it's pure excitement, just the way they like it. The romance sparkles, but even if they should part ways, it will have been a fabulous ride. CELEBRITY PROFILES: Isabella Rossellini was born in the sign of the twins, and she is a twin, too. Her sister, Isotta Ingrid Rossellini, is a distinguished professor of Italian literature and cinema. The Rossellini twins were born when the sun and Venus were in erudite Gemini, endowing them with intellectual prowess and a mischievous sense of humor. Their Mercury in Cancer indicates a strong psychic bond with their mother. If you would like to write to Holiday Mathis, please go to www.creators.com and click on "Write the Author" on the Holiday Mathis page, or you may send her a postcard in the mail. To find out more about Holiday Mathis and read her past columns, visit the Creators Syndicate Web page at www.creators.com. COPYRIGHT 2015 CREATORS.COM

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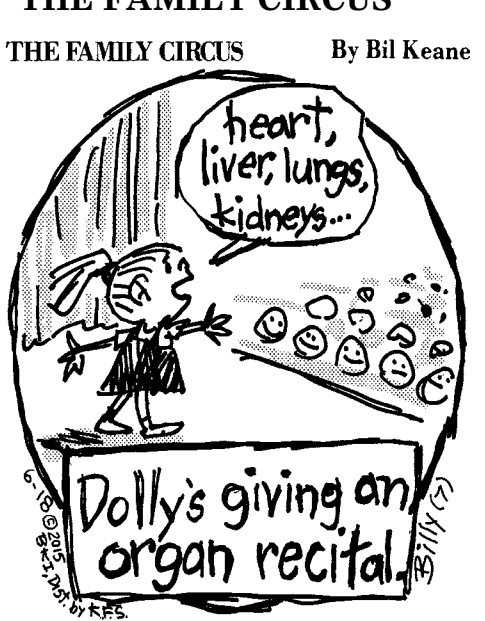
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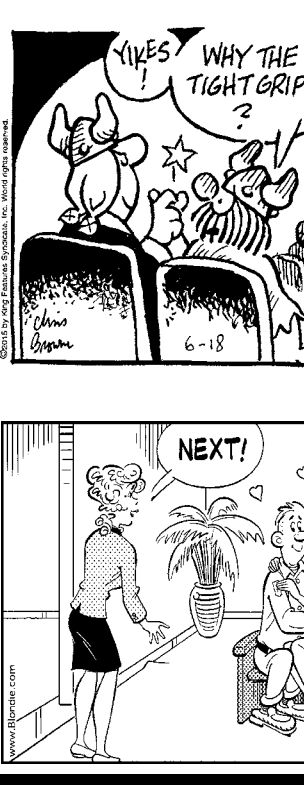


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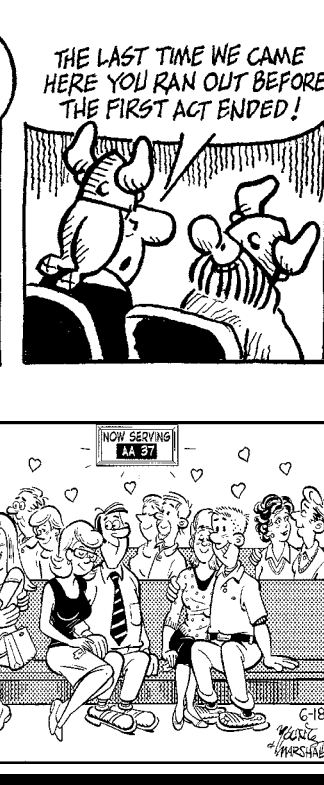
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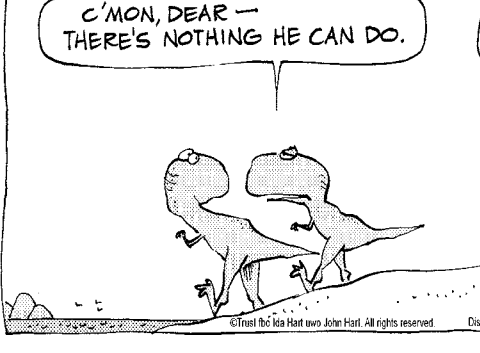
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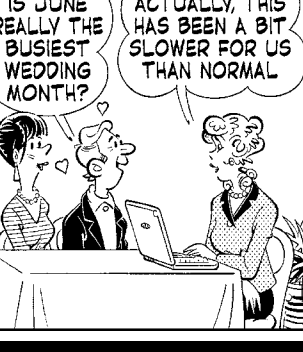
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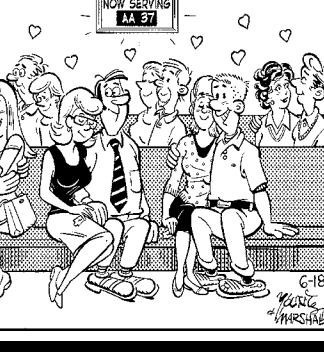
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This Date In History

Today is Thursday, June 18, the 169th day of 2015. There are 196 days left in the year.

In 1812, the War of 1812 began as the United States Congress approved, and President James Madison signed, a declaration of war against Britain.

In 1945, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower received a tumultuous welcome in Washington D.C., where he addressed a joint session of Congress.

Today's Highlight in History:

In 1873, suffragist Susan B. Anthony was found guilty by a judge in Canandaigua, New York, of breaking the law by casting a vote in the 1872 presidential election.

In 1964, President Lyndon B. Johnson signed the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

On June 18, 1815, Napoleon Bonaparte met his Waterloo as British and Prussian troops defeated the French in Belgium.

In 1908, William Howard Taft was nominated for president by the Republican National Convention in Chicago.

In 1953, a U.S. Air Force Douglas C-124 Globemaster II crashed near Tokyo, killing all 129 people on board.

On this date:

In 1778, American forces entered Philadelphia as the British withdrew during the Revolutionary War.

In 1940, during World War II, British Prime Minister Winston Churchill urged his countrymen to conduct themselves in a manner that would prompt future generations to say, "This was their finest hour."

Answer to previous puzzle

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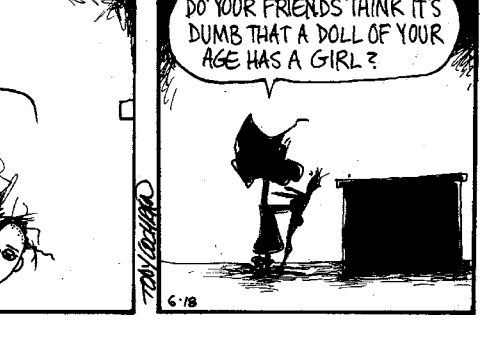
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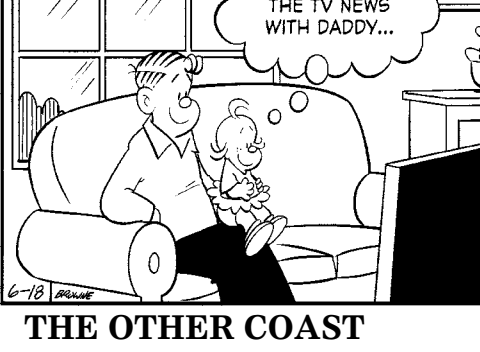
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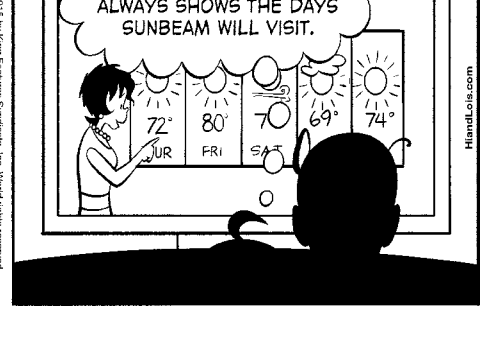
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DOUBLE DADDY by Billie Truitt

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- 1 Decked out
- 5 Delinquent
- 10 Car-ad letters
- 14 LP player
- 15 Daisy variety
- 16 Astonishes
- 17 Actor Epps
- 18 College group
- 19 Encyclopedic
- 20 A step toward settlement
- 23 Call out
- 24 Earth orbiter
- 25 Goldman's partner
- 28 Halloween costume
- 30 Nashville awards org.
- 33 Slender visitor
- 34 Blossom visitor
- 35 Redeem
- 37 Driving-test exercise
- 40 Fantasy world
- 41 Rev
- 42 Freezes over
- 43 Word before parrot or project
- 44 Cosmetic mishap
- 46 Big spender
- 47 High point
- 48 Portrayed
- 49 Kind of tie design
- 56 Shakes up
- 57 Carter Center cofounder
- 58 Its Spring edition has yellow filling
- 59 October birthstone
- 60 Watch covertly
- 61 Encircle
- 62 Paul Bunyan's ox
- 63 Legree's creator
- 64 Brooklyn NBA team
- DOWN
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- 2 Third-largest city in the Americas
- 3 Miles away
- 4 Bargain-basement
- 5 Currently
- 6 Ranker maneuver
- 7 Gamer
- 8 Real go-getter
- 9 Encouraging words
- 10 Font of knowledge
- 11 Graceful swimmer
- 12 Balance
- 13 SF setting
- 21 E-file recipient
- 22 Wisdom tooth, e.g.
- 25 Absorb
- 26 Drop off
- 27 French landscape painter
- 28 "Fancy that!"
- 29 Andrew Wyeth subject
- 30 Boy, in Bolivia
- 31 Dopey
- 32 Uneasiness
- 34 Not responsible
- 36 Scrams
- 38 Speaks like Sylvester
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- 46 Rested
- 47 Grocery section
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- 49 Theme of the puzzle
- 50 Sheik's subject
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- 52 Front of a ship
- 53 Quaker State city
- 54 Monopoly outlay
- 55 Drops (off)
- 56 Paragon of patience

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RANGERS

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son got the night off following three consecutive appearances.

Kershaw (5-4) allowed four runs and five hits through six innings and struck out 10 after going 3-0 with a 0.94 ERA over his previous four starts. It was the first career appearance against the Rangers for the three-time Cy Young Award winner, who was born in Dallas.

"This is probably the most frustrating game that I've pitched in a long time, all things considered," Kershaw said. "It was just a lot of frustration built up, for sure."

With outfielders Josh Hamilton and Delino DeShields both on the disabled list, Texas manager Jeff Banister gave Gallo his second start in left after 11 starts at third base and one as the designated hitter. Gallo had trouble tracking a flyball to the warning track by Adrian Gonzalez in the third, but turned himself around just in time to make the putout.

Fielder, originally scheduled to get the

night off against Kershaw with the Rangers playing without the benefit of a DH, made his 11th start at first base because Kyle Blanks had inflammation in both Achilles tendons.

Fielder led off the second with a double and scored from third on an unconventional fielder's choice. Rowned Odor's Texas Leaguer dropped in front of center fielder Chris Heisey, and Adam Rosales was forced at second base after playing it halfway.

Fielder led off the ninth with his 299th career homer on a 3-0 pitch from Josh Ravin, who one night earlier allowed a game-ending homer in the ninth to Robinson Chirinos in the Rangers' 3-2 victory.

It was the fifth time in his career that Fielder homered after getting the green light on 3-0.

"I think I have it pretty much anytime I want," he said.

The Rangers added a run in the fourth with the help of a wild pitch and a balk by Kershaw. Odor's RBI single made it 4-0.

Van Slyke, in his first game off the disabled list, hit a two-run homer during the Dodgers' three-run sixth.

Kike Hernandez followed with a double, and Rodriguez snared a line drive by A.J. Ellis before giving up an RBI single to pinch-hitter Alex Guerrero on his 92nd and final pitch.

TRAINER'S ROOM

Dodgers: Van Slyke had missed 17 games because of inflammation in his back. ... RHP Chris Hatcher was placed on the 15-day DL, retroactive to June 15, because of an oblique strain on his left side.

UP NEXT

Rangers: RHP Anthony Ranaudo (0-1) will be recalled from Triple-A Round Rock on Thursday to make his second spot start of the season, giving everyone in the regular rotation an extra day of rest.

On April 15, Ranaudo gave up six runs and six hits in 1 1-3 innings of a 10-2 home loss against the Angels.

Dodgers: RHP Zack Greinke (5-2) is 0-2 in his last seven starts despite a 2.28 ERA. The Dodgers scored fewer than three runs in five of those games, including last Saturday's 2-1 loss at San Diego, when the 2009 AL Cy Young Award winner went the distance for the first time this season.

ASTROS

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two back in the fourth on a sacrifice fly from Gonzalez and a single by Arenado.

Houston padded its lead after that. Tucker hit a solo home run in the fifth, Marisnick greeted reliever Christian Friedrich with a homer to lead off the sixth and Correa made it 6-2 with a ground-rule double that scored Jason Castro.

Carter hit a two-run homer, his 12th, off John Axford in the ninth.

YER OUT

Rockies manager Walt Weiss was ejected by second base umpire Jerry Layne for excessive arguing in the bottom of the third. Weiss was upset after the Astros were allowed to challenge a safe call on Blackmon's attempted steal of second base. The call was

overturned upon review, but Weiss argued the challenge by Hinch came too late.

Layne said Hinch had his foot on the top step of the dugout, which was enough to indicate he was challenging the play. The replay rule was modified before the season to allow a manager to challenge without approaching an umpire in order to speed up the replay process.

"Walt was not happy that he was allowed to challenge," Layne said. "But I don't think Walt understood when he actually initiated his challenge. You don't have to come out on the field anymore."

SIGNED AND SEALED

Brendan Rodgers signed with the Rockies, agreeing to a \$5.5 million bonus. Rodgers, a shortstop out of Lake Mary High School in Florida, was the third overall

pick in last week's draft. The value assigned to his slot was \$6,223,300.

TRAINER'S ROOM

Astros: Altuve missed three of the previous four games with the hamstring injury, but before the game Hinch said Altuve was doing better. Altuve will get a planned day off Thursday and said he is fine. "I feel the same. I didn't make it worse. I didn't re-injure it. (Hinch) just didn't like what he saw," Altuve said.

Rockies: OF Corey Dickerson (left plantar fasciitis) went back on the 15-day disabled list after being activated last week. Dickerson played in five games but the injury, which cost him 23 games from May 19 to June 11, flared up. He said the plantar fascia has a small tear and needs time to develop scar tissue over the injured area. There is no timetable for his return.

Scoreboard

BASEBALL AMERICAN LEAGUE East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Tampa Bay	37	30	.552	—
New York	35	30	.538	1
Baltimore	34	31	.523	2
Toronto	35	32	.522	2
Boston	28	39	.418	9

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Kansas City	37	25	.597	—
Minnesota	35	30	.538	3½
Detroit	34	32	.515	5
Cleveland	30	34	.469	8
Chicago	28	36	.438	10

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Houston	39	28	.582	—
Texas	36	30	.545	2½
Los Angeles	33	33	.500	5½
Seattle	30	36	.455	8½
Oakland	29	39	.426	10½

Wednesday's Games

Baltimore 6, Philadelphia 4
N.Y. Yankees 2, Miami 1
Tampa Bay 5, Washington 0
Toronto 8, N.Y. Mets 0
Chicago Cubs 17, Cleveland 0
Cincinnati 8, Detroit 4, 13 innings
Kansas City 10, Milwaukee 2
Pittsburgh 3, Chicago White Sox 2
Minnesota 3, St. Louis 1
Houston 8, Colorado 4
Arizona 3, L.A. Angels 2
Oakland 16, San Diego 2
Seattle 2, San Francisco 0
Texas 5, L.A. Dodgers 3

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Washington	34	32	.515	1½
Atlanta	32	34	.485	3½
Miami	29	38	.433	7
Philadelphia	22	45	.328	14

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
St. Louis	43	22	.662	—
Pittsburgh	38	27	.585	5
Chicago	35	28	.556	7
Cincinnati	30	35	.462	13
Milwaukee	24	43	.358	20

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Los Angeles	37	29	.561	—
San Francisco	35	32	.522	2½
Arizona	32	33	.492	4½
San Diego	32	36	.471	6

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Arizona Diamondbacks — Sent C Oscar Hernandez to Kane County (MWL) for a rehab assignment. Agreed to terms with 3B Nic Coffman on a minor league contract.
ATLANTA BRAVES — Optioned RHP Mike Folynewicz to Gwinnett (IL). Selected the contract of INF Daniel Castro from Gwinnett.
CHICAGO CUBS — Placed LHP Zac Rosscup on the 15-day DL. Recalled RHP Yoervis Medina from Iowa (PCL).
CINCINNATI REDS — Selected the contract of RHP Donovan Hand from Louisville (IL).
COLORADO ROCKIES — Agreed to terms with SS Brendan Rogers on a minor league contract. Selected the contract of RHP Justin Miller from Albuquerque (PCL). Placed OF Corey Dickerson on the 15-day DL. Transferred RHP Jordan Lyles from the 15- to the 60-day DL.
LOS ANGELES DODGERS — Reinstated OF Scott Van Slyke from the 15-day DL. Placed RHP Chris Hatcher on the 15-day DL, retroactive to June 15.
MIAMI MARLINS — Sent 1B Michael Morse to Jacksonville (SL) for a rehab assignment.
MILWAUKEE BREWERS — Designated LHP Wei-Chung Wang for assignment. Agreed to terms with OFs Trent Clark and Omar Cotto, RHPs Cody Ponce, Nate Griep, Karsen Lindell, Gentry Fortuno, David Lucroy, Jonathan Perrin, Cross Colton, Scott Grist, Jose Flores and Nash Walters, LHPs Drake Owenby and Quintin Torres-Costa, INFs Jose Cuas, Tyrone Perry, Steven Karkenny and C Mitch Gheff.
PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES — Placed RHP Jerome Williams on the 15-day DL. Recalled RHP Hector Neris from Lehigh Valley (IL). Signed SS Cornelius Randolph to a minor league contract.
PITTSBURGH PIRATES — Agreed to terms with RHPs Mike Wallace, Nicholas Economos and Tanner Anderson on minor league contracts.
SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS — Re-signed 2B Marco Scutaro and placed him on the 15-day DL.
WASHINGTON NATIONALS — Granted RHP Mitch Lively his unconditional release so he can join Hokkaido Nippon-Ham (Pacific League-Japan). Sent RHP Stephen Strasburg to Harrisburg (EL) for a rehab assignment.

Eastern League

TRENTON THUNDER — Activated INF Matt Snyder from the 7-day DL. Assigned RHP Conor Mullee to Tampa (FSL).
American Association
GRAND PRAIRIE AIRHOGS — Released INF Trevor Harden.
JOPLIN BLASTERS — Signed C Yenier Bello. Released INF TJ Bennett.
LAREDO LEMURS — Traded RHP Rett Varner to Winnipeg for cash.
WICHITA WINGNUTS — Released INF Kori Melo.
Atlantic League
LONG ISLAND DUCKS — Signed RHP Bobby Blevins.
SUGAR LAND SKETERS — Signed 1B/OF Johan Limonta.
Can-Am League
TROIS-RIVIERES AIGLES — Signed RHP Jerry Gil.
Frontier League
FLORENCE FREEDOM — Signed RHP Austin Delmotte.
GATEWAY GRIZZLIES — Signed LHP Justin Sprenger.

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DRIVE AND DISCOVER

Parent's Corner: Old phrases don't die, they evaporate with time

Remember when you used to hear the expression that 'life is swell'? Or maybe 'that's neat?' All I hear today is 'that's cool.'

A few years ago, well I will say a few years ago but in reality it's been a bunch of years ago, we would hear phrases that are totally unfamiliar to the general populous today. Some of our expressions have really become obsolete.



RYAN

Many of these expressions have been lost due to the change in things, such as 'don't touch that dial' or 'you sound like a broken record.' Remember those?

In the education business a very popular phrase was a 'carbon copy' of something. Gee, how times have changed.

As I was writing this article I began thinking of phrases or words that I used to say or hear very often that I haven't heard in years, maybe with the exception of listening to myself.

Think back with me and remember when the last time you heard these words: He really cut a rug at that party, now he looks like he's been hung out to dry; he'd better straighten up and fly right. Hubba-hubba look at her; she's on cloud nine; heavens to Betsy, she's living the life of Riley. Is that couple spooning or smooching or maybe necking. Gee whillikers, he is such a knucklehead, or Jumpin' Jiminy, she is quite a pill.

Holy moley, did you see what he just did. I wouldn't do that for all the tea in China. Jumpin' Jehoshaphat, I think he gave me a wooden nickel; he must be out to lunch!

If you do that you'll either get a knuckle sandwich or you'll be in like Flynn. Well, I'll be a monkey's uncle, that's a fine kettle of fish. Oh my aching back, did you see that girl in that poodle skirt? She would look better in a pair of pedal pushers. Hey Daddy-O, I think I'll fix my hair in a duck's tail; I hope it doesn't make you flip your lid!

There it is again, Kilroy was here and that gives me the big tickle; reminds me of an organ grinder's monkey with a hula hoop digging for the special gift in a box of Cracker Jacks, which might be a Mickey Mouse watch or

candy cigarettes, or little wax bottles of colored sugar water.

He should be after some Carter's little liver pills. Back in those days we were 'going like sixty,' but that was when you were knee high to a grasshopper; maybe it was 'bigger than Dallas' or 'banned in Boston,' but oh Pshaw, I'm gonna turn around and there won't be anyone left but me.

You've got bats in your belly, so I guess I'll see you in the movies, or I'll see you in the funny paper, or it's gonna happen at the turn of the century. Oh my stars and garters, I guess the milk man did it! He went ape and now he's crusin' for a bruisin.' Oh fiddlesticks, do those young uns really have cooties?

Well, poof, poof, poof go the words of our youth, and

where have all those phrases gone? Those words and phrases that were so much a part of yesterday have all gone down the drain with Drano, and some will say plop, plop, fizz, fizz, oh what a relief it is, but those of us from that earlier generation have the advantage of remembering that there was a time when there were words that strutted their stuff on this earthly stage, but are now nothing more than a memory.

Well, dad burn-it that durn persnickety political correctness has just taken the starch of things. Well, it's time to split, so I'm going to go sit on the corner and write myself a letter, but I don't think I remember how to read cursive. Don't that just wrinkle your feathers!

Darrell Ryan is the Big Spring ISD director of school safety.

Crowdfunding for kids' summer programs takes off

BY KAREN MATTHEWS
Associated Press

NEW YORK (AP) — This summer, thousands of young people will go to camp, attend prestigious academic programs and even study filmmaking in Paris thanks to online crowdfunding sites like Kickstarter and Indiegogo.

Donors can help middle schoolers learn computer programming in Pennsylvania, support a leadership academy for Virginia teens or send children of incarcerated California parents to sleepaway camp.

There are no statistics for the number of children and teens whose summer activities are being financed through crowdfunding, but Kelsea Little, a spokeswoman for GoFundMe, said fundraising for summer camps is skyrocketing on the site.

Little said more than \$4.3 million has been raised for campaigns that specifically mention "summer camp" since GoFundMe started in 2010 — and donations in the category more than tripled between 2013 and 2014. No 2015 numbers exist yet, she said.

There are crowdfunding campaigns for individual youngsters, for groups and for entire programs.

Reel Works, a Brooklyn nonprofit that teaches filmmaking to teens, is using Kickstarter to send five students to Paris, where they will work on a film with five French teens chosen by a Paris-based nonprofit.

The American teens met this month to make a short video about how they imagined life in Paris — it featured a

baguette and a fake cigarette — which they sent to their French counterparts in exchange for the French kids' video about their imagined Brooklyn.

"A lot of the time the thing that gets between kids and their dreams is the amount of money they have," said Justin Casquejo, 17, one of the filmmaking students. "And crowdfunding is a great way to get around that issue. It's something I'm really grateful for because I don't come from a background of a lot of money and I would never in a million years be able to afford a plane ticket to Paris."

A nonprofit called Wishbone, based in New York, the San Francisco Bay Area and Los Angeles, is using online fundraising to send 400 low-income high school students to summer programs including those at Brown University, Philips Exeter Academy and UCLA.

Wishbone Executive Director Beth Schmidt said the average donation is about \$25 and many people donate because the students remind them of themselves. "They say, 'I had an incredible summer opportunity that changed my life,'" she said.

Wishbone funded summer enrichment programs for 150 teens in 2014.

Alondra Perez, now 18, went to ballet school in Brooklyn.

"I was so grateful but I was also really inspired," Perez said. "I want to be in a position where I can help other people."

Camp Thunderbird in South Dakota raised \$5,375 on Indiegogo for this year's summer camp for children from the Rosebud and Pine Ridge reservations.

Kate Bartholomew, president of the Camp Thunderbird board, said Indiegogo works better as a fundraising tool than a simple "donate" button on the camp website because of the participatory aspect.

"They have that tracking mechanism, 'We're this close to the goal and this many people have funded,'" she said. "You feel like you're part of something."

Crowdfunding donors can be friends, mentors, friends of friends or strangers. Sites such as Kickstarter and Indiegogo require that the funds go toward the stated purpose.

Amy Sarisky contributed toward a \$7,000 GoFundMe campaign for New York City high school sophomore

Lissette Barretto to attend a summer program at Stanford University after being contacted by a graduate school friend who is one of Barretto's teachers.

"If I can make an impact on a young person's life, even if it is a relatively small one, I wanted to help out," said Sarisky, who works in public affairs at New York University.

John Robichaux, an assistant dean who directs pre-collegiate studies at Stanford, said crowdfunding for summer programs is something the university is aware of but does not participate in.

"What we hear anecdotally is that crowdfunding platforms have provided more students an opportunity to reach more people," he said. "We've had some success stories."

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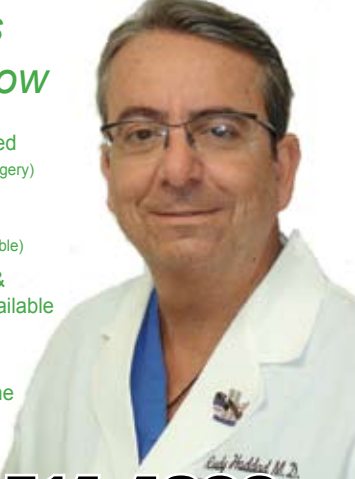
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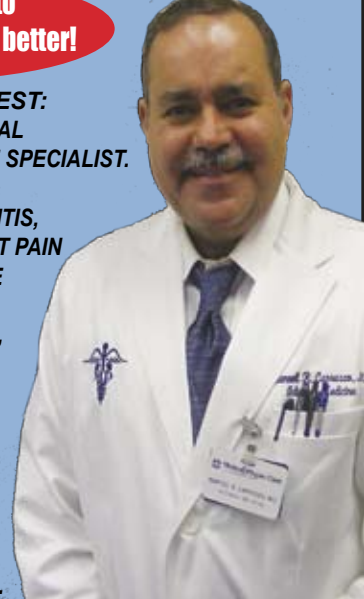
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