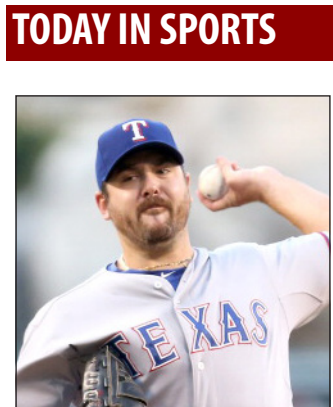


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## WATER GARDEN TOUR STARTS TOMORROW

STAFF REPORT

This Saturday the 17th Annual Water & Garden Tour, sponsored by the Las Pampas Koi & Water Garden Society, will kick off as members of the community will open their back yards for the public to come and take a look at their gardens and ponds. This year, the Water and Garden Tour will begin its feature home of the year, Loyd and Thelma Waters' house. Though there is a featured home, the tour is a come-and-go event. Guests are free to start at any point and visit the homes in the tour in any order. The daylight tour will be from 10:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. and the twilight portion of the tour will be held from 7:30 p.m. to 11 p.m.

### Loyd and Thelma Waters 1939 Evergreen

Loyd and Thelma have an amazingly beautiful backyard. They have three ponds of various sizes and features. Their yard is unique in so many aspects. Whether it be to enjoy the beautiful landscaping, Momma Thelma's antiques, Poppy Loyd's ponds and koi or the many things hidden about, guests of the tour will want to visit this pond. Something new is seen in the Waters' yard every visit.

Be sure to look beside the trees and next to rocks to find all the curious and interesting things that make this yard so special. Come and enjoy this wonderful yard and see why Loyd and Thelma spend as much time as they can spare enjoying their yard and ponds. All are welcome to come and enjoy during the daylight tour.

### Johnny and Cindi Platt 2600 Cherokee

Johnny and Cindi live in their backyard in the summertime. Sitting by the pond listening to the sounds of the waterfall makes a hot day seem just a bit cooler. It reflects the sky and leaves in the trees. The soothing sounds drown out the neighborhood noise and tranquility sets in. Johnny is a pond enthusiast and welcomes all to his backyard. All are welcome to come and enjoy during the

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File photos

The 17th Annual Water & Garden Tour, sponsored by the Las Pampas Koi & Water Garden Society, kicks off Saturday. Many pond and garden owners will be opening their backyards for the public to see. Admission is free and donations are welcome. Above, the DeFever's and the Noble's, below, are just two gardens on the tour.

## DPS Increasing DWI Patrols for July 4 Holiday



SUBMITTED BY TEXAS DPS

AUSTIN – The Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) will increase DWI patrols for an 11-day period that includes the July 4th holiday. From June 27-July 7, DPS troopers will focus DWI patrols in high-risk locations at times when alcohol-related crashes are most frequent.

"As we prepare to celebrate the Fourth of July, DPS urges Texans to do their part to help keep our roadways safe during the holiday," said DPS Director Steven McCraw. "Individuals should always designate a sober driver or find other means of transportation if they plan to drink alcohol. During the holiday, DPS troopers will be performing increased patrols aimed at protecting all travelers and removing dangerous drivers from the road."

The increased patrols that target impaired driving are funded through a grant from the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT). During the 2013 July 4th enforcement effort, DPS troopers made 1,124 DWI arrests, and 173 of those arrests were the direct result of the increased patrols. DPS enforcement also resulted in 720 fugitive arrests, 602 felony arrests, more than 15,700 speeding citations and more than 2,400 seat belt/child safety seat citations during this period.

According to state statistics, approximately every 20 minutes in Texas, someone is hurt or killed in an alcohol-related crash. For some alternative transportation options, visit [www.SoberRides.org](http://www.SoberRides.org).

## FUTURE LADY HARVESTERS



Submitted photo

The Pampa Optimist Club 14U Babe Ruth Softball All Stars begin post season play this Friday in Littlefield, TX at 3 p.m. against Brownfield. Front row, Halie West and Mikaela Clark. Middle, Maddie Yates, Samantha McCullar, Megan Dickinson, Calista Bolin and Allison Armendariz. Back row, Coach Scott Larue, Kylan LaRue, Tynna Mojica, Tya Mojica, Skyler Anderson, Rae Darrow, Manager/Coach Billy West, Madison Roby and Coach Mistie West.

## Registration for Giddy Up and Run 5K now open

SUBMITTED BY  
 PAMPA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Registration for the Giddy Up and Run 5K is now open. Discounted prices are only valid until Aug. 1.

The cost does include a T-shirt and a goody bag.

There will also be a pancake and sausage breakfast for a cost.

This is a fundraiser for Pampa Rotary Club.

Right after the run the Top O' Texas Rodeo Parade will start at 10:30 a.m.

Registration will start at 7 a.m. with a pre-run warm up by Jazzercise at 7:30 a.m. The race will start at 8 a.m.

Cost is \$20 a person until Aug. 1, then it will be \$25 a person.

The event will take place outside of the DFB at 117 E. Kingsmill.

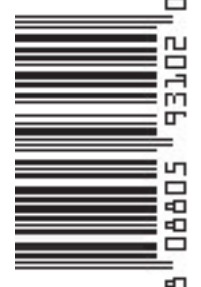
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# Tour

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daylight tour.

**Wesley and Kathryn Green**  
2319 Chateau Rue

The garden project began initially after building the home in 1992. The land was completely barren except for scrub bush and weeds. The only trees were in the Red Deer creek behind the home. The usual flower beds, shrubs and trees were planted. Several years later, a dry stack sandstone wall of Shepherd's fence was built by Mr. Billy Like of Clarendon. He drove back and forth from Oklahoma hauling hard sandstone rock amounting to 170 tons.

The fence took four months to complete, and it was hand chiseled. The total amount of rock on the property is between two to three million pounds of rock. Some time later, an addition was began on the home and at this time, Mr. C. Turner, III, ASLA Landscape Architect of Amarillo was consulted and plans were drawn for an adjacent park area, vegetable garden and lower sunken patio with an outdoor fire pit. Billy Like hand dug the lower patio

and laid the foundation of the patio in sandstone rock from Colorado.

A pump house was constructed of sandstone in a "D" shape and an adjacent water tank was surrounded by sandstone rock and constructed perfectly round. It holds 12,500 gallons of water. This well house is so sturdy that it could support 200,000 pounds of weight. The water tank has the capability of adding liquid fertilizer to easily fertilize the yard and beds at timed watering. The sprinkling system throughout the five acres was installed by Mr. Dwight Fiveash. The kidney-shaped planter was constructed in the park area by the gazebo and planted with bush roses, perennial ornamental grasses, daylilies, daisies, larkspur, fire pokers and various spring blooming bulbs. In that same area there is a huge bird bath consisting of two moss rocks. There are also two rock tables on the property and a rose garden.

Both patios, one behind the home and the other in the lower patio area have fossilized rock found in Kim, Colo. In the front flowerbed by the driveway, there is a fossilized dinosaur print. The trees on the property consist of pinion robe locust, crabapple, chitalpa, catalpa,

golden locust, shademaister locust, Mimosa, bald cypress, cedar elm, live oak, red oak, Hawthorne, cottonwoods, Austrian Pine, red bud, sycamore and pecan. The orchard to the south of the home has apple, peach, two types of pears, cherry trees and plum thickets. To the northeast, there is a vegetable garden plot lined in sandstone and a composite pile made of sandstone rock. Trying to outwit the raccoons and possums, an electrified fence-in garden of corn, tomatoes, gourds, pumpkin and sunflower are east of the composite pile. What was once viewed as a daunting challenge has turned out to be a sanctuary for birds and wildlife (as well as an occasional bobcat and mountain lion) and a place for family and friends to relax and have fun. All are welcome to come and enjoy during the daylight tour.

**Gene and Esther McAdoo**  
915 North Gray

This is the thirteenth year for the McAdoos to be on the Pond Tour. The first year it was just a pond with a waterfall stocked with goldfish in the side yard. It now covers most of the front, back and side yard. Year after year it has been changed, added to

and taken from in one way or another.

The main highlight is the small stream where the waterfall flows into a small pond and on down into another pond. All of the ponds have water plants in them. Two decks were added throughout the years. The stream has two bridges to cross to different areas along the walkways in the backyard. After accumulating so many tropical plants, a green house was added to hold the plants during the winter months and also overflowing into most rooms inside the house. The greatest highlights to the pond tour for the McAdoos is seeing the enthusiasm from first-time visitors and also from returning visitors looking for the changes from the years past. They appreciate the interest their guests show and comments they receive on their yard. All are welcome to come and enjoy during both the daylight and twilight tour.

**Butch and Theresa Noble**  
1605 N. Christy

The Nobles have had a pond for eight years now. They enlarged the pond a couple of years ago and added about a four-foot stream going into the pond. The pond has many fish

including koi and goldfish, some of which are babies that have emerged in the past year.

This year they have added a cedar pergola to the yard. It is made out of East Texas cedar trees that Butch cut down. Theresa's dad hand-milled the cedar and built the pergola in East Texas. Butch and Theresa brought it home and assembled it for their daughter's outdoor wedding ceremony, which was held at the end of May. They were so pleased that she chose the yard to create her special time.

Butch and Theresa enjoy having friends over sitting on the patio listening to the waterfall and relaxing. They also love sharing their yard and pond with everyone who takes the tour. All are welcome to come and enjoy during both the daylight and twilight tour.

**Russ and Susan Alexander**  
1901 Lea

When Russ and Susan Alexander first saw their house 15 years ago, they were drawn to the screened in porch and raised flower beds in the backyard. Over the years, the beds have grown and changed.

Last year, the waterfall and pond they had talked about for years became a

reality.

The original pond had a waterfall, which spilled into a small collecting pool. By midsummer, fish found a home in the small pond. This past spring, Russ tripled the size of the pond and added an extra tier to the waterfall.

All are welcome to come and enjoy during both the daylight and twilight tour.

**Greg and Donna Turner**  
1909 Lea

This is the Turners' first year to be on the Pond and Garden Tour. With encouragement from Jack and Dorothy Chisum, they decided to give it their best shot.

Their garden is fairly new, but is moving along. Both enjoy working and spending time outside. Greg's fondness for woodworking is seen in the wood shop, covered patio area, furniture, trellises and the grill area with a proud Texas theme.

Donna's love for flowers has been challenging this year with the panhandle wind and weather changes. Something new to the patio this year is a miniature garden.

Hopefully, in time to come, the Turner's want to add a water feature. All are welcome to come and enjoy during both the daylight and twilight tour.

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## Pilot in deadly Texas crash not instrument rated

AMARILLO (AP) — Investigators say the pilot who died in a 2013 Texas Panhandle crash during heavy fog was not certified to fly in such weather.

The National Transportation Safety Board has released a preliminary report on the crash that killed pilot William Michael Capt, his wife and their 19-year-old son. All were from Canyon.

The wreckage of the Beechcraft Bonanza was located Nov. 11 in a lakebed near Amarillo during a flight

from Lubbock. Investigators found no mechanical trouble with the single-engine plane, which Capt purchased just weeks earlier.

The report released Monday says the pilot did not have a Federal Aviation Administration flight instrument rating. Investigators say Capt likely experienced spatial disorientation.

The NTSB also says Capt had two types of sedative prescription drugs in his system not allowed before flying.

### Case dropped in 1987 Amarillo cold-case

AMARILLO (AP) — A Texas prosecutor has cited witness issues in dropping the case against a divorced couple charged in the 1987 shooting death of a family friend in Amarillo.

A Potter County grand jury on Tuesday dismissed murder charges against Rosie Green and Horace Green.

The body of 23-year-old Arthur Campbell was found in January 1987 at an Amarillo home.

An indictment was un-

sealed in 2012 after authorities arrested Rosie Green at her Henderson, Ky., home. Records indicate she was a beneficiary on Campbell's life insurance policy.

Prosecutor Randall Sims says three witnesses are no longer available.

He says one witness has not been located, another has memory issues and a third declined to cooperate.

No publicly listed phone numbers for the Greens could immediately be located Wednesday.

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**Tonight:** Partly cloudy with a low of 68. Chance of rain: 10 percent. Winds south at 23 mph. Sunset at 9:03 p.m.

**Saturday:** Partly cloudy and windy with a high of 93. Chance of rain: 10 percent. Winds south at 24 mph. Sunrise at 6:30 a.m.

**Saturday night:** Partly cloudy with a low of 68. Chance of rain: 10 percent. Winds south at 23 mph. Sunset at 9:03 p.m.

**Sunday:** Sunny and windy with a high of 96. Winds south at 21 mph. Sunrise at 6:31 a.m.

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# Obituaries

## Susie Cooper Trout

Susie Cooper Trout, 107, of McLean, died Friday, June 20, 2014, in Pampa.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, June 24, 2014, at McLean Cowboy Church with Pastor Ronnie Ferguson, her grandson, officiating. Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery in McLean under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.



**Susie Trout**

Mrs. Trout was born Aug. 22, 1906 in Indian Territory, Okla. to William Robert and Julia Elizabeth Hale Cooper. She came to the Panhandle area in 1929 in covered wagon. She married James Wesley Trout on March 17, 1929 near Bellevue, Texas. He preceded her in death in 1950. Susie was a longtime resident of McLean before moving to Pampa in 2011. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in McLean. She was a caregiver for her family and friends for many years. Susie loved flowers, gardening, and cooking.

Survivors include five daughters, Maudie Alexander of Lefors, Joyce Ortega and husband Julian and Bonnie Baker and husband A.J., all of Amarillo, Donna Fulton and husband James and Susie Ferguson and husband Cecil, all of Pampa; a stepdaughter, Vada Matthews of McLean; two daughters-in-law, Jennie Trout of Amarillo and Anna Trout of Burkburnett; two brothers, Archie Cooper of McLean and Clarence Cooper of Amarillo; 41 grandchildren, numerous great, great-great and great-great-great-grandchildren.

Susie was also preceded in death by her parents, two sons, Wesley Trout and Thomas Trout, two stepdaughters, Birtie Lee Smith and Myrtle Holloway, four sisters, and three brothers.

Memorials may be made to McLean Cowboy Church, P. O. Box 89, McLean, TX 79057, First Baptist Church of McLean, P. O. Box 690, McLean, TX 79057, or Hospice Care of the Southwest, 1301 S. Coulter, Suite 404, Amarillo, TX 79106.

Sign the online register book at [www.carmichael-whatley.com](http://www.carmichael-whatley.com).

## Franklin D. Roosevelt Angton

Franklin D. Roosevelt Angton, 81, died June 24, 2014 in Pampa.

There are no services scheduled at this time. Cremation arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mr. Angton was born March 20, 1933. He will be greatly missed.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Walter and Nellie Angton; a daughter, Frankie M. Angton, a granddaughter, Denise Angton and a grandson, Willie Angton.

Survivors include two daughters, Eva J. Angton Morgan and Kathaleen Holmes; 11 grandchildren, Evangeline Angton of Louisiana, Felicia G. Bell, George Morgan, Jr., Rodney Holmes, La Shiela Holmes and La

Shanna Holmes, all of Dallas, James F. Morgan, Gregory A. Morgan and Robby Holmes, all of Shamrock, La Shonda Holmes of Pampa, and Bobby Holmes, Jr., of Amarillo; several great-grandchildren; nieces, nephews and many friends.

Send cards and condolences to Eva Morgan and family, 206 W. 6th, Shamrock, Texas 79079.

Sign the online guest register at [www.carmichael-whatley.com](http://www.carmichael-whatley.com).

## Wallace Joe "Pappy" Jouett

Wallace Joe "Pappy" Jouett, 81, died June 24, 2014 in Amarillo.

Services are pending with Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mr. Jouett was born Dec. 18, 1932 in Estelline. He was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force, serving honorably during the Korean Conflict. Wallace was married to his high school sweetheart for 61 years, and had been a resident of Pampa for 51 years. He was a member of Hobart Baptist Church.

Wallace was preceded in death by his parents, Joe and Clessie Jouett; his daughter, Vickie Maxey; his daughter-in-law, Terry Jouett; a grandson, Zachary Jouett and two sisters, Sibbie Saunders and Juanita Luster.

Survivors include his wife, Jacque Jouett of the home; his son, Ronnie Jouett of Pampa; a brother, Gene Jouett of Estelline; a sister, Louise Mills of Amarillo; seven grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren and one great-great-granddaughter.

The family will receive friends from 6-7:30 p.m., Monday, June 30, 2014, at the funeral home.

Sign the online guest register at [www.carmichael-whatley.com](http://www.carmichael-whatley.com).

## Mary Pearson Smith

Mary Pearson Smith, 74, died June 25, 2014 in Amarillo.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, June 28, 2014 at First Christian Church, with Dr. Jeff Knighton, officiating. Burial will follow at Miami Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Smith was born April 13, 1940 in Spearman. She was a 1958 graduate of Spearman High School and attended the University of Oklahoma and the University of Colorado. She married Doyle Smith on Jan. 19, 1961 in Raton, N.M. Mary had been a resident of Pampa since 1969, moving from Miami. She was a member of First Christian Church and was a Life Master Bridge player. Mary enjoyed cooking and sewing. She was preceded in death by her parents, Ira Pearson in 1953 and Lois Pearson Megert in 1997.

Survivors include her husband, Doyle Smith of the home; two sons, Stephen Smith and wife Paula of Pampa, and Sherman Smith and wife Diana of Fort Worth; two brothers, Ira Pearson of St. Petersburg, Fla. and Russell Megert of Amarillo; two sisters, Gwen Reed of Hot Springs, Ark., and Melinda Hopper of St. Petersburg, Fla.; four grandchildren, Miles Smith, Marissa Mackay, Ashleigh Seideman, and Shelby Patton and three great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to BSA Hospice, c/o Don & Sybil Harrington Cancer Foundation, 1600 Wallace Blvd., Amarillo, Texas 79106.

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## Bereavement and Healing The "ex" factor

As a funeral director, I often experience unique situations with survivors, and this past week was no exception.



**TRACY LEE**

The family I served was one of humble means. The decedent had experienced interaction with the judicial system on multiple occasions. Drugs had played a part in his life. There was an indication of slowness of mind, and he was potentially murdered.

He was a parent with dependent children, and he had an "ex" wife. Other issues existed as well, but the details are too gruesome to mention, and out of respect to this family, they are better left unwritten.

My motivation for this article is the existence of his "ex" wife and the discrepancy between her perception of herself, and her legal standing within his estate. My experience and knowledge are based on Texas law and may differ from other states.

Due to the decedent's lifestyle, he did not have an estate, yet his "ex" wife was very interested in any dependency funds available for her upon his death, and desired to be recognized and respected as his wife. As I left the cemetery and reflected back upon the week's experience, I thought to myself, how very odd that this woman did not understand her severance from this man, as stipulated through the courts in their divorce decree. Interestingly, this woman is not unique in her misconception of her legal standing within the "ex" husband's estate. I meet women almost weekly who are under one or more misconceptions regarding their legal

status within the estate of a particular male decedent.

It seems as though the popular phrase of the 1960's "It's only a piece of paper," has diluted the legal importance of the marital contract within the minds of many couples. This mere piece of paper is a legal and binding contract, issued through the state which establishes, combines and protects one's legal next of kinship within an estate. If a couple is married, each party is legally recognized as the other's next of kin. As such, each has power, rights and responsibilities within the combined marital estate. Their legal document (marriage certificate) places them in this important position. Individuals who choose to reside together without this legal contract, are not in the next of kinship position, and, therefore, have no legal standing within the estate.

In such a case, a woman who has never been the decedent's legal wife, or who has given up her place as his legal wife, forgoes her rights and considerations as kinship, along with anything else she may consider as combined property and estate. She may therefore find herself evicted from her residence without legal rights to any insurance funds or estate properties. A man however faces far graver consequences. In addition to the previously stated losses, a man who has not married the mother of his children, and has failed to secure his name on their birth certificates, may find that on the dreadful day of losing his pseudo wife, he stands without parental rights. Not only might he lose what he thought was community property, without expensive testing and court battles, he will most likely see the guardianship of his children

fall to their maternal grandparents.

The "ex" wife this weekend wanted the decedent's social security benefits and payouts for her children, as well as for herself. Although her dependent children are possibly eligible for social security funds, she most likely is not. When the marital contract was severed, her privileges and rights were severed too. One hopes she listed her "ex" husband as the father of her children on their birth certificates; otherwise, they as their mother may be without support.

The key to understanding your position in an estate as spousal next of kin is to understand that there must be a legal and binding contract, a.k.a. a marriage certificate, in effect. If you are an "ex" spouse, you have been legally removed and displaced as the decedents next of kin. Not only will you have lost all legal claims to the decedent's estate; most probably, you will not be mentioned in the obituary, nor asked to sit with the family at the services. Moreover, if you have forgone the marriage contract altogether, you are not, nor will you ever be, the spousal next of kin.

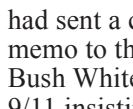
### Developing New Skills

Many survivors resent having to develop new skills that were once performed by their deceased love one.

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## Media helpers for White House summits

In November of 2002, Washington Post reporter-editor Bob Woodward unveiled excerpts of his latest book, "Bush at War," and caused a big stir by revealing that Fox News boss Roger Ailes



**BRENT BOZELL**

had sent a confidential memo to the George W. Bush White House after 9/11 insisting the president stay tough against the terrorists. NBC "Meet The Press" host Tim Russert, who revolved into TV news from Mario Cuomo's office, spoke for his industry when he asserted, "I would not recommend that behavior for any practicing journalist." One can only imagine the furor had Fox News hosts actually entered the White House gates to participate in a Bush administration publicity event designed to promote public policy.

Today, this is a routine occurrence. The liberal media routinely swarm the Obama administration. The Ailes-bashing ethicists have long forgotten all that outrage.

On Monday, the Obama White House held a "Working Families Summit" sponsored by the liberal Center for American Progress, the Labor Department and the White House Council on Women and Girls. Look at how cozy the networks were with this.

Claire Shipman of ABC News co-moderated a panel with Katty Kay of the BBC on "A 21st Century Economy that Works for Business and Workers." Shipman hasn't been as present on the air at ABC since her husband Jay Carney became President Barack Obama's press secretary three years ago. No matter. Before Obama (and somewhat Bill Clinton, too) it was considered too close for comfort. A reporter married to the White House press secretary would just recuse herself from going to that venue.

Robin Roberts of ABC News also appeared on the program, alongside First Lady Michelle Obama. ABC News claimed Roberts is interviewing the first lady in a session that has "no parameters, no restrictions." Nonsense. We cannot recall an

interview that Roberts has given the Obamas that sounded anything but docile.

This is the typical Roberts-to-first-lady no-parameters question ABC put on the air the next morning: "One thing that really touched a lot of people is when he (the president) said, yes, you are a strong woman, a strong mother, a strong wife." But that early in the marriage, to see you break down in tears — because you were trying to juggle so much."

MSNBC host Mika Brzezinski moderated a panel titled, "Career Ladders and Leadership."

An MSNBC source told the Washington Post that "Mika's participation in the WH Summit on Working Families summit was approved by MSNBC. It's in line with her 'Knowing Your Value' platform, and she's been transparent with viewers about her involvement."

This isn't Brzezinski first rodeo with the Obamas. She also appeared at a White House women's event in April of 2012. This April, she sat next to top aide Valerie Jarrett in the East Room and helped Obama sell a "Paycheck Fairness Act" for women. The next day on MSNBC, she said it was "like a church revival," and every time the president touted equal pay for women, "there'd be clapping, and like almost 'praise Jesus!' It was fun."

NBC doubled down on its non-independence by airing a positive news story on the Obama "working families summit" from new White House reporter Chris Jansing — without any mention of MSNBC's moderator. It happened again the next morning, as NBC newsreader Natalie Morales hailed "a lot of good talk at the White House yesterday." How is this not a crystal-clear conflict of interest?

Ailes can only watch this whole Obama parade/charade and shake his head. So many ethicists who thought his note to Karl Rove was amazingly unethical seemed to retire from judging the media's independence.

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## Hispanics sour on Obama as young illegals surge across border

What should Republican lawmakers do about immigration? That's been a



**MICHAEL BARONE**

simmering source of controversy ever since George W. Bush's push for so-called comprehensive immigration legislation, with legal-

ization and enforcement provisions, in 2006. Most liberals and many economic conservatives argued that support for such legislation was a political imperative for Republicans. Otherwise, they would continue to lose Hispanic voters, an inevitably increasing segment of the electorate, by 2-1 margins.

That argument was bolstered by the 2004 exit poll, which showed comprehensive immigration supporter George W. Bush getting 44 percent of the Hispanic vote. That percentage may have been inflated, but if Bush had

received the percentages of John McCain (31) or Mitt Romney (27), he would probably not have been re-elected.

Republican opponents of comprehensive immigration respond that granting citizenship to illegals would enfranchise millions of Hispanics who would vote heavily Democratic on economic issues.

And they argued that a nation based on the rule of law should not reward lawbreakers. On that basis most Republicans voted against the comprehensive bill co-sponsored by Chuck Schumer and Marco Rubio that passed the Senate in June 2013.

Meanwhile, as the politicians debated, the facts on the ground changed. Net migration from Mexico, the source of more than one-third of all immigrants and about 60 percent of illegals from 1982 to 2007, fell to zero after that.

And polls showed that most Americans favored legalization of the so-called Dreamers, young adults whose parents had

brought them illegally across the border when they were children.

Barack Obama, who didn't push immigration legislation when Democrats had Congressional supermajorities in 2009-10, announced he would no longer deport Dreamers who met certain conditions. As on many other issues, he was not troubled by the fact that the Constitution gives the task of passing laws to Congress and requires the president only to faithfully execute them.

That didn't seem to have any political downside. But the facts on the ground changed again. According to the Obama administration, only 4,000 unaccompanied minors approached the border in fiscal year 2011. That rose to 21,000 in fiscal year 2013 and to 47,000 in fiscal year 2014.

Almost all seem to have come overland through Mexico from the Central American republics of Guatemala, Honduras and El Salvador. Reports of this unanticipated surge

have been filling television screens.

Instead of being sent back across the border, they have been housed in jammed facilities under the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals policy. Some have been given bus tickets to relatives in the United States, according to CNN.

News of this unexpected surge of illegal immigration seems to have contributed to the surprise defeat of House Majority Leader Eric Cantor in the June 13 Virginia Republican primary.

And last Friday the administration dispatched Joe Biden on a previously unscheduled trip to Guatemala to tell people there that, "there is no light at the end of the tunnel."

Liberals have argued that these teenagers are fleeing the high rates of crime and violence in their native countries. The implication is that they should be admitted as refugees from oppression.

But there's good reason to believe that many have

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# Obits

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## Samuel Albert Haynes

Samuel Albert Haynes was born Jan. 29, 1929, in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo to John Cecil and Minnie Morse Haynes. When his parents were vacillating between two names, the nuns at the hospital suggested his name because it was the same initials as the hospital.



Samuel Albert Haynes

Services are at 3 p.m. Friday, June 27, at the First United Methodist Church in McLean with Rev. Mark Wilson, officiating.

Sam lived his early years in Pampa where he was active in all sports, inspired by his mother who was a gifted athlete, and who taught her sons to play tennis, and could outrun them until they were grown. Sam led the football team at his elementary school (Sam Houston) and later at Pampa Junior High. At Pampa High School, he was quarterback of the Gorillas (the Pampa JV football team) until the family moved to McLean to run his grandfather Morse's ranch. Sam graduated from McLean High School in 1947. He was the quarterback for the Tigers during high school, and remained an avid fan for the rest of his life, serving for more than 30 years as the Voice of the Tigers at all the home football games.

He continued his love of sports throughout his life, playing both golf and tennis until well into his seventies. Along with his brother, Johnny, his life-long friend Carl Dwyer and others, he won numerous city championships in doubles tennis.

On June 17, 1949, he married Billie Joyce Thacker. They had two children, Samuel Thacker and Jennifer Lynn. He and his brother John M. operated the Triangle Ranch, until his granddad, J.S. Morse's death, when the ranch was divided. He spent many hours playing softball with the Methodist Mudhens, and coaching a variety of Little League teams. He served more than 13 years on the McLean School Board, many as the president of the board.

After his first marriage ended, he married Linda Ann Raines, a teacher in McLean in 1967, becoming a dad to Linda's children, Kathy Lynne, Scott Curtis, and Sally Ann. In 1971, their daughter Dollie Lee was born. In 1972, the ranch house burned and he moved his family to town, where he became even more active in community affairs.

Sam served as Mayor of McLean, for a total of 18 years. He also served as the chairman of the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, the chairman of the Texas Municipal League, member of the Coronado Hospital board, and chairman of the Gray County Appraisal Board for 20 years. He was a member of the McLean Lions Club with more than 50 years of perfect attendance and a member of the Masonic Lodge for more than 60 years.

In his later years, he continued to serve, putting in more than 28 years as the local observer for the National Weather Service and many years as a member of the Lovett Memorial Library board of directors.

His church was a major part of his life. He served the United Methodist Church in McLean in every office, including lay leader and chairman of the board, taught Sunday School, led Methodist Youth, and sang tenor in the church choir for more than 60 years. He sang at funerals and community events as a member of the Men's Quartet for many years.

Second only to his church, his family was the center of his life. Watching his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren in all kinds of sporting events, performances or competitions was the joy of his life.

Sam was preceded in death by his parents, one grandchild, Brandon Scott Raines, one son-in-law, Marty Reece Duniven, and his sister-in-law, Glenda Joyce Haynes.

He is survived by his wife of 46 years, Linda; six children: Thacker and wife Sharon of McLean; Jennifer Evans and husband Rick of McLean; Kathy Duniven of Fort Worth; Scott Raines of Amarillo; Sally Carter and Jim Ball of Dallas; and Dollie Buckhaults and husband Tex of Clarendon; grandchildren J.T. Haynes and wife Jamie of Canyon, Chris Evans of Edmond, Okla.; Jack Evans and wife April of Lucas, Texas; Kristina Luna and husband Paul of Fort Worth; Charles Carter and wife Leslie of Mineral Wells, Sasha Maxwell and husband Jason of Amarillo, Shearaton and Alexandria Carter of Dallas, Xenia Andis and husband Jerad of Pampa, Minnie Caroline, Lee, Tessa, Albert, and Elinor Buckhaults of Clarendon and foster grandchildren Amanda Almanza and husband Chance, and Evonne and Evette Villareal; great-grandchildren Quinn and Cort Haynes; Aubrey and Raechel Evans, Jenna, Jaica, and Zane Evans; Emerson, Katie, Avery, and Ransom Carter, Tylie Jordan, Anhelica, Carter, and Bella Luna and Maudi Comacho, Gema, Zaidan, and Eli Venegas, Bella Carrillo and Cecilia Beraza, and Kennedy Almanza.

Sam is also survived by his brother, John Morse Haynes of McLean, nieces, Sheri Haynes, Lori Cunningham, Joni Golden, Sandra Barnes, Sharon Haynes, and Shawn Frische, and nephews, Mike Haynes, David Haynes, Morse Haynes, Sam Don Haynes, Tom Looper and a host of extended family members.

## City Commission meetings

The Pampa City Commission meets at 4 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesday of each month. The meetings are held on the third floor of City Hall.

## School board meetings

The Pampa Independent School District board meets at 5:45 p.m. on the fourth Monday of each month at the new administration building on North Hobart Street.

## Immunization clinic 3 times a month

The Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) hosts an immunization clinic in Pampa three times a month. The clinics are held from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and from 1 to 3 p.m. on the first three Wednesdays of each month. The first 10 people in line for the morning and first 10 in the afternoon will always receive shots. However, if there are more than 10, they still may be able to accommodate the patients, or ask them to come back at another time. For more information, call 665-4752 or 806-874-3211. The clinic is located at 736 S. Cuyler St.

## PAWS meets first Tuesdays

Pampa Animal Welfare Society meets the first Tuesday of each month at the Pampa Animal Shelter, 811 S. Hobart St. The meetings are at 6:30 p.m. and are open to the public.

There is a desperate need for more members. PAWS members are needed to work at the shelter from 3 to 5:30 p.m. each day and to work adoption days or take animals to the vets when needed, but mostly people are needed to love and work with the animals where they will be more adoptable.

For more information, call the shelter after 3 p.m. at 669-5775 and ask for the PAWS volunteer.

## County Commission meetings

The Gray County Commission meets at 9 a.m. on the first and 15th of each month. If the date falls on a Saturday, the meeting will be held on Friday. If the date falls on a Sunday, the meeting will be held on Monday. The meetings are held on the second floor of the Gray County Courthouse.

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Top O' Texas Republican Women's Club meets at noon on the third Wednesday of every month at the Pampa Senior Citizens Center, 500 W. Francis St. For more information call 806-669-1990.

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The Monday night dance club meets from 7 to 9 p.m., each Monday, in the Pampa Chamber of Commerce building on

the corner of Ballard and Kingsmill. Admission is \$3.50. Cold drinks and coffee are offered. The club plays country music. For more information, call Della at 806-663-1136.

## PPQG Meets fourth Thursdays

Panhandle Piecemakers Quilt Guild meets the fourth Thursday of each month, January through October, at the Pampa Senior Citizens Center at 500 W. Francis St.

The meetings are held at 6:30 p.m. and membership is open to adult quilters of all ages. Dues are \$15 annually. Meetings consist of a short business discussion followed by a program featuring quilting techniques. For more information, call 806-662-2909.

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come to believe that they have permisos to enter and remain in the United States. Once you announce you refuse to enforce one law, people may conclude you won't enforce others either.

The Cantor defeat and the surge of Central American teens make it unlikely that House Republican leaders will advance much in the way of immigration legislation.

Two trends in polling also point in this direction. One is that Hispanic voters don't seem hugely preoccupied with immigration. The Pew Research Center reports that many more focus on education, the economy and health than the one-third who say immigration is "extremely important" to them personally.

The other is that the president's job approval among Hispanics has been falling sharply. He got 71 percent of their votes in 2012, but fewer than half approve his performance today.

It's not hard to see why. The sluggish economy has hurt Hispanics more than most Americans. Obamacare and big government policies have not helped them as they apparently have hoped.

This suggests that non-passage of comprehensive legislation won't hurt Republicans as much as predicted. And inaction, always the easier legislative course, would prevent a debate in which the cries of angry opponents, gleefully highlighted in mainstream media, could antagonize Hispanic voters.

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# Bill Clinton defends wife's commitment to poor

DENVER (AP) — Bill Clinton defended Hillary Rodham Clinton's commitment to the poor and working Americans on Tuesday, saying his family's post-presidential wealth had not prevented the former secretary of state from understanding the economic problems of

Americans. "She's not out of touch," the former president declared at his family's annual domestic policy summit. Clinton noted that in law school his future wife sought legal assistance for the poor and later advocated for paid leave for new mothers during the 1970s. The former president said during an interview with NBC News' David Gregory at the Clinton Global Initiative America meeting that his family's personal wealth was the "wrong de-

bate" and the focus should be on how political leaders address "the central challenge of our time, which is the demise of the American dream." The former first lady, who is considering a 2016 presidential campaign, told ABC News earlier this month that her family was saddled with legal bills and "dead broke" when they left the White House in early 2001. Republicans have pointed to the millions of dollars the family has earned since Clinton

left the presidency and suggested that Mrs. Clinton was out of touch with the daily demands of most working Americans. With the gap between the rich and poor on the minds of many Americans, Bill Clinton said most Americans do not resent someone doing well financially. "I think they resent it if they're not getting a fair deal," he said. He also said the couple visits their local grocery store on weekends like anyone else. "We talk to people in our town. We know what's going on."

Clinton's comments came on the opening day of the annual Clinton summit, which was focusing on economic issues like youth employment and child literacy. If she runs for president, Republicans say Mrs. Clinton could be vulnerable to charges of being a Washington insider insulated by private jets and six-figure speaking fees at a time when many Americans struggle. The tactic could represent a payback of sorts after Democrats portrayed Republican Mitt Romney as a plutocrat during the 2012 presidential campaign.

Clinton economic adviser Gene Sperling. An afternoon news conference put Mr. Clinton alongside longtime labor allies such as AFL-CIO President Richard Trumka and Randi Weingarten, president of the American Federation of Teachers union. Yet even in a room full of Clinton admirers, the debate got spirited at times. During a panel discussion on economic justice, Mr. Clinton and former Hewlett Packard CEO Carly Fiorina — an ex-adviser to Romney — tangled over the merits of raising the minimum wage and the role of government in the economy. When Fiorina suggested the Obama administration was crushing the coal industry in West Virginia, Clinton interjected. "Who had the smallest government workforce since Eisenhower? Me." Fiorina responded, "That's right. You declared the era of big government over."

"Yeah, but I didn't declare the era of weak government that had nobody at home at the SEC before the financial crisis," Clinton said to roars of approval, referencing complaints that the Securities and Exchange Commission failed to effectively police Wall Street.



Hillary Clinton

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## Texas man dies in east Ark. interstate wreck

PALESTINE, Ark. (AP) — Authorities say a Texas man was killed when his car crashed into a tractor-trailer that had stopped for traffic in a construction zone on Interstate 40 in eastern Arkansas. Arkansas State Police say the wreck happened Wednesday afternoon near Palestine. According to a preliminary report, 83-year-old Dale Bryan of Whitney, Texas, was a passenger in a car that collided with a semi. State police say Bryan's car failed to stop and crashed into the truck. Bryan was killed and the driver of his car, 82-year-old Anna Bryan of Whitney, Texas, was injured. The driver of the tractor-trailer wasn't injured in the collision.

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# Oklahoma residents seek answers on quakes

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — Oklahoma residents whose homes and nerves have been shaken by an upsurge in earthquakes want to know what's causing the tremors — and what can be done to stop them.

Hundreds of people are expected to turn out in Edmond, Oklahoma, on Thursday night for a town hall meeting on the issue.

Earthquakes used to be almost unheard of on the vast stretches of prairie that unfold across Texas, Kansas and Oklahoma, but they've become common in recent years.

Oklahoma recorded nearly 150 between January and the start of May. Though most have been too weak to cause serious damage or endanger lives, they've raised suspicions that the shaking might be connected to the oil and gas drilling method known as hydraulic fracturing, especially the wells in which the industry disposes of its wastewater.

Now after years of being harangued by anxious residents, governments in all three states are confronting the issue, reviewing scientific data, holding public discussions and considering new regulations. Thursday's meeting in Oklahoma will include the state agency that regulates oil and gas drilling and the Oklahoma Geological Survey.

States with historically few earthquakes are trying to reconcile the scientific data with the interests of their citizens and the oil and gas industry.

"This is all about managing risks," said Oklahoma Corporation Commission spokesman Matt Skinner. "It's a little more complicated than that because, of course, we're managing perceived risks. There's been no definitive answers, but we're not waiting for one. We have to go with what the data suggests."

Regulators from each state met for the first time in March in Oklahoma City to exchange information

on the quakes and discuss toughening standards on the lightly regulated business of fracking wastewater disposal.

In Texas, residents from Azle, a town northwest of Fort Worth, who have endured hundreds of small quakes, went to the state Capitol earlier this year to demand action by the state's chief oil and gas regulator, known as the Railroad Commission. The commission hired the first state seismologist, and lawmakers formed the House Subcommittee on Seismic Activity.

After Kansas recorded 56 earthquakes between last October and April, the governor appointed a three-member task force to address the issue.

Seismologists already know that hydraulic fracturing — which involves blasting water, sand and chemicals deep into underground rock formations to free oil and gas — can cause microquakes that are rarely strong enough to register on monitoring equipment.

However, fracking also generates vast amounts of wastewater, far more than traditional drilling methods. The water is pumped it into so-called injection wells, which send the waste thousands of feet underground. No one knows for certain exactly what happens to the liquids after that. Scientists wonder whether they could trigger quakes by increasing underground pressures and lubricating faults.

Another concern is whether injection well operators could be pumping either too much water into the ground or pumping it at exceedingly high pressures.

In recent weeks, nighttime shaking in Oklahoma City has been strong enough to wake residents. The state experienced 145 quakes of 3.0 magnitude or greater between January and May 2, 2014, according to the Oklahoma Geological Survey. That compares with an average of two such quakes from 1978 to 2008.

Oklahoma Gov. Mary Fallin approved new test-

ing and monitoring rules for injection wells that require well operators to collect daily information on well volume and pressure, instead of monthly. The rules take effect in September, Skinner said.

Southern Methodist University researchers have recorded more than 300 quakes around Azle since early December, with some days experiencing swarms of hundreds of microquakes and other days none. The geophysicists are measuring the earthquakes to plot out an ancient fault line and are developing models that look at how fluids flow through the layer of rock where the quakes are originating.

Still, seismologists — and the oil and gas industry — have taken pains to point out that a clear correlation has not yet been established. Nationwide, the United States has more than 150,000 injection wells, according to the Society of Petroleum Engineers, and only a handful have been proven to induce quakes.



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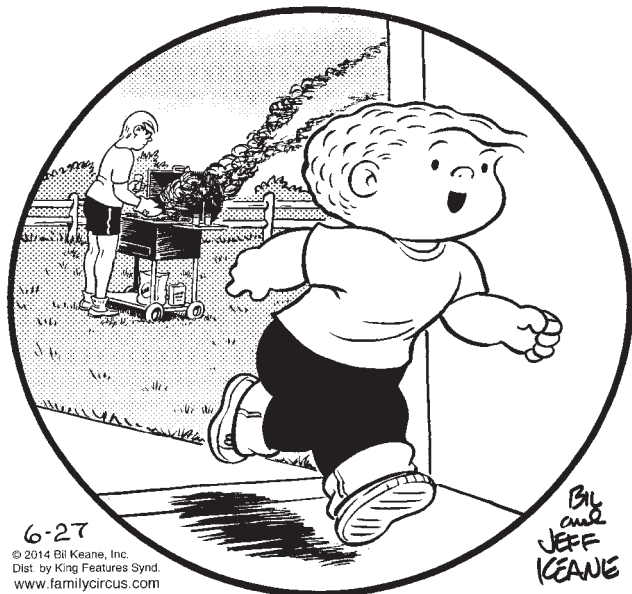




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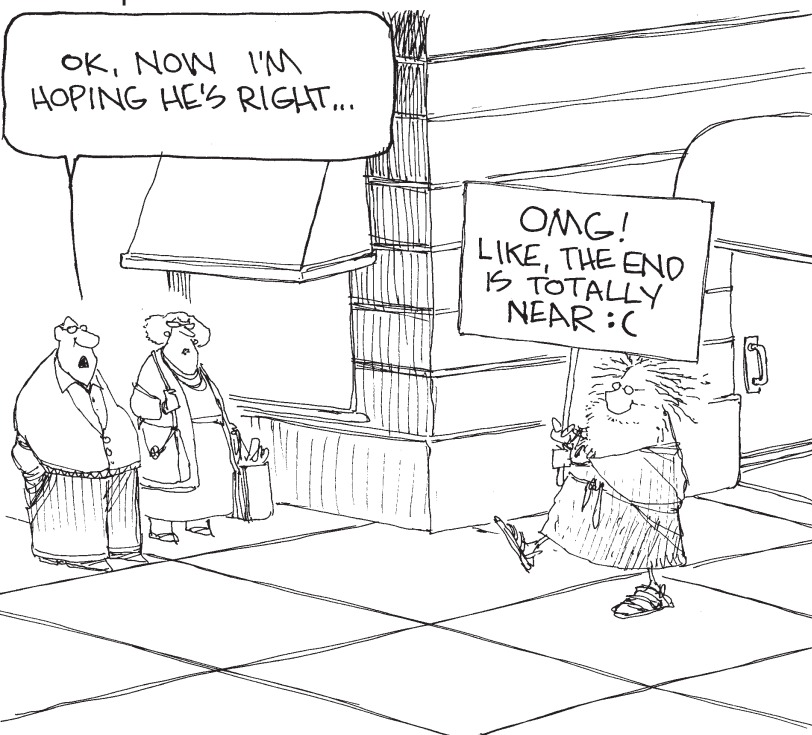


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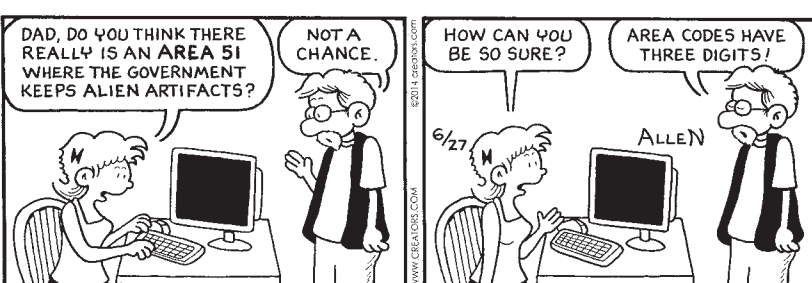
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## daily horoscope

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** for Saturday, June 28, 2014:

This year you will be more dynamic than you've been in the past. Your personal life will take priority. Some of you will be in a position to buy a new home after July. You are likely to see a pay raise head your way this year. If you are single, others find you to be extremely attractive. You have to sort out who you would enjoy relating to and who offers you what you need. If you are attached, the two of you enjoy your life together more and more if you remember to be more sensitive to each other. Re-enact one of your first dates together in order to add more romance to the mix. A fellow **CANCER** is as temperamental as you are!

**The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have:** 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19)

★★★★ You might want to understand more of what triggers excitement and unpredictability in your life. If you enjoy this element of the unexpected in your life, then do not worry about it. Your stability comes forth in these situations. Tonight: Happy at home.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20)

★★★★ If someone repeatedly seeks the same response, understand that he or she is testing you. You'll gain unexpected insights, though you could be quite frustrated by this situation. A new beginning becomes possible later on. Tonight: Catch up on a loved one's happenings.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20)

★★★★ You might consider an alternative approach to a situation, especially as you see what is happening on a different level. A child or new friend could become quite rebellious. Try to maintain a more centered, quiet approach with this person. Tonight: Ever playful.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22)

★★★★ You could feel tired and pushed to the max. Just the same, you seem to be more stable than you normally are. You have the ability to be direct in how you handle situations and people. A family member could be on the warpath. Tonight: Say "yes" to a pleasing offer.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★ Know when you need to move in a new direction; however, keep your thoughts to yourself for now. You might want to accomplish a lot on your own. If an irate friend or loved one shows up,

stay cool. Nothing will be gained by getting angry. Tonight: Choose personal and quiet.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★★ You could be more confused than you realize. You suddenly might be able to turn a situation around, no matter how unsure you are about your choices. You know what is acceptable, and you won't opt for anything less. Tonight: Where your friends are.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★ Tension builds to a new level, where you easily could feel like a fire-cracker. Be conservative with your funds, no matter how great an idea might seem. Remain optimistic about a decision you have yet to make. Just give yourself time. Tonight: All eyes turn to you.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★★ Take news with a grain of salt. You might feel very upbeat right now, and that will encourage a positive response. Check out the details and facts of a situation before you give the OK. Be as clear as possible with others. Tonight: Opt to be entertained.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★★ You might want to see a situation evolve to where you can relate on a one-on-one level with a friend. You could be low on energy, yet your intuition will tell you to act anyway. You might be amazed at how good you feel once you make a move. Tonight: All smiles.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

★★★★ Defer to others, and try to get a better sense of direction. The unexpected might occur with a partner, whether you like it or not. A disagreement could evolve out of the blue with someone who is essential to your community involvement. Tonight: Go with a loved one's suggestion.

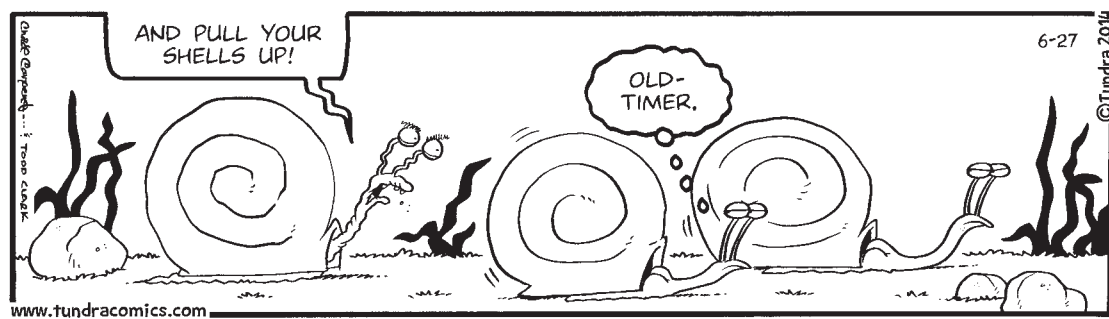
**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

★★★★ You might want to listen to feedback from someone who is far more serious than you are. You could disagree, but this person will enlighten you about other styles and ways of handling a situation. Consider a trip in the near future. Tonight: Invite friends over.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★★★ You could discover that someone has been holding back and not sharing some of his or her negative feelings. You might be the recipient of the sum total. Be diplomatic, and back away, for now. Have a discussion once the waters are calm. Tonight: Kick up your heels. Be a kid again.

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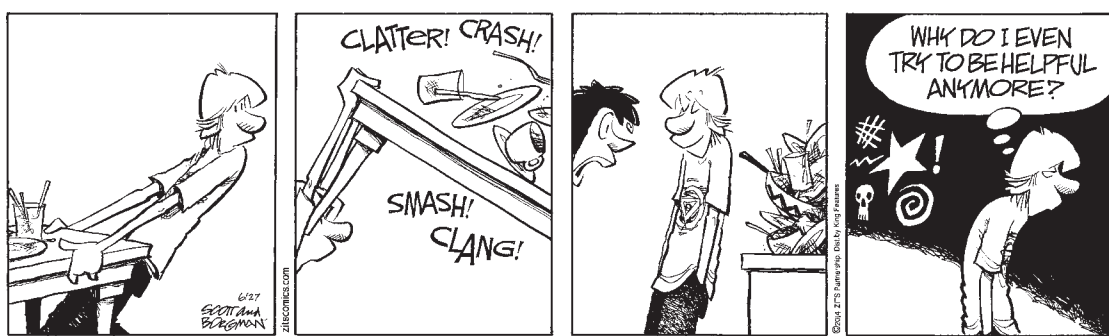
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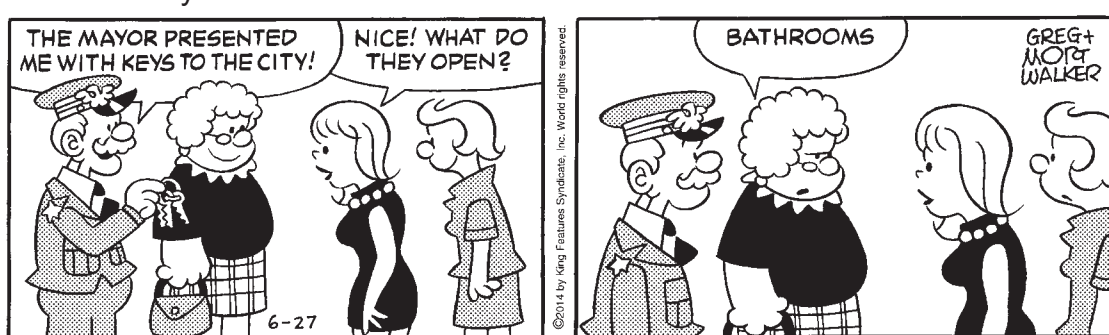
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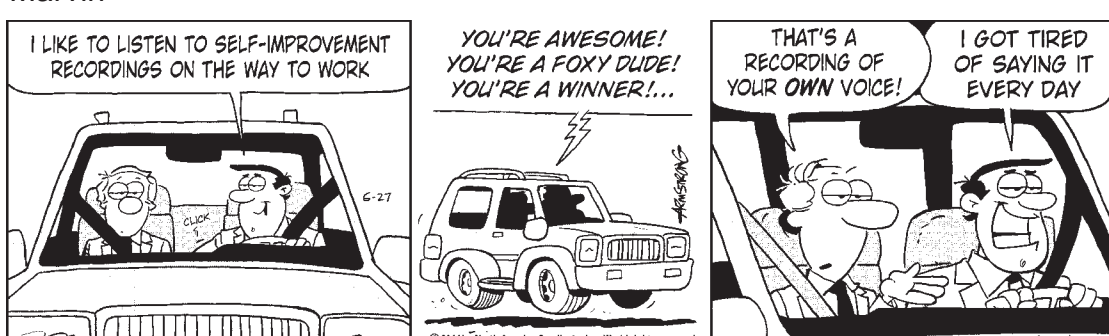
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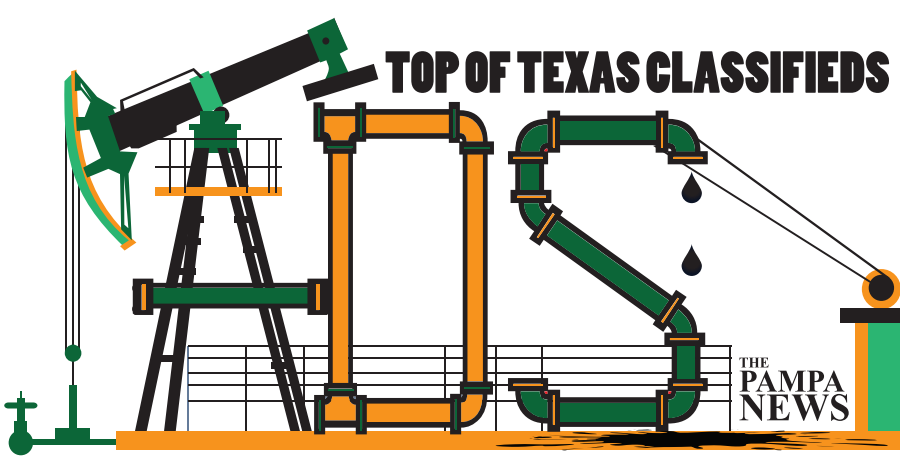
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## Vandy wins college world series

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) — Dansby Swanson and Rhett Wiseman came oh-so close to hitting home runs for Vanderbilt early in the College World Series.

John Norwood finally got a ball to clear the fence, and his timing was impeccable — in the third and deciding game of the CWS finals.

His tie-breaking homer into the left-field bullpen against Nick Howard in the eighth inning Wednesday night at TD Ameritrade Park delivered a 3-2 victory over Virginia that gave the Commodores' their first national championship in a men's sport.

"I just was hoping that it didn't have enough top spin that it would hit the fence," coach Tim Corbin said. "They had seen two already — Dansby's and Rhett's — and they were 6 inches away from being home runs.

"But Johnny's strength and bat speed, with the velocity of Howard, that doesn't happen to that kid.

A 97-mile-an-hour fastball, and for someone to turn it around like that, takes a great amount of ability."

TD Ameritrade Park had yielded only two homers in this CWS and a total of 24 in the four years the event has been played at the cavernous stadium.

"I thought it was gone, but you never know in this park," Norwood said. "I was just hoping it went out, and if it didn't, I knew

my teammates would pick me up. It's a home run, but it's also a team effort to get here. We were confident the whole entire year."

It was Norwood's third homer of the year, his first since April 19, and Vanderbilt's first since May 16. It also was only the third home run in 16 CWS games this year and the 22nd in 72 games by the Commodores (51-21).

"He put a heck of a swing on an elevated fastball, and he hit it and knew it was gone," Swanson said. "So I had a little trust in him that it would get out."

The Cavaliers (53-16) loaded the bases with one out in the eighth when Adam Ravenelle hit Kenny Towns. But Mike Papi was forced out at home on a chopper to Ravenelle, and Brandon Downes grounded out.

The title was secured when Ravenelle struck out Daniel Pinero. The school's only other title came in women's bowling in 2007.

"This dog pile was by far the best," first baseman Zander Wiel said. "These guys are my brothers and to celebrate this with them is just incredible. It's just so special to be a part of history. Everybody here represents Vanderbilt in the best way, and I'm glad to be a part of the first men's national championship in history."

Swanson, Vandy's second baseman, was chosen the CWS Most Out-

standing Player. Swanson batted .323 in the CWS, scored five runs, drove in two and stole three bases. He played flawlessly in the field.

"When you've got guys backing up each other like we do, anything is possible," Swanson said.

After the last out, Vanderbilt players grabbed the championship trophy and hoisted Corbin on their shoulders.

"Every coach, you immerse yourself in the kids and they become more than baseball players; they become your sons," Corbin said. "This is a nice feeling. It's good to watch them celebrate achievements."

Hayden Stone (4-0) relieved starter Carson Fulmer with one out in the sixth and allowed two hits before turning the game over to Ravenelle after Virginia's first two batters reached in the eighth. Ravenelle earned his third save of the CWS.

Howard (2-2) came on in the eighth after Artie Lewicki had pitched six innings of four-hit relief. He left a fastball up that Norwood put over the fence, just right of the 335-foot sign.

"You've got to credit John Norwood," Virginia coach Brian O'Connor said. "The pitch was up in the zone and he took an aggressive swing and hit the ball out."

Virginia broke through against Fulmer to tie it 2-2 in the sixth when Ken-

ny Towns' bases-loaded grounder hit shortstop Vince Conde's glove and bounced off for an error.

Vanderbilt led 1-0 in the first after Virginia catcher Robbie Coman sailed a throw into center field trying to catch Bryan Reynolds stealing. Swanson, who was going to third on the double steal, continued home.

Another error in the sixth set up Vanderbilt's second run. Norwood grounded to third for an infield single and wound up on second after Towns' throw in the dirt skipped past Papi at first base. Norwood later came home on Conde's deep grounder to shortstop.

"An outstanding final series between the two of us," O'Connor said. "Unfortunately in sports, somebody's going to come out on the wrong end, and we came out on the wrong end tonight. The University of Virginia baseball program will be back here in Omaha at some point, and maybe the next time we can win it all."

## USA advances to 2nd round

RECIFE, Brazil (AP) — The United States reached the knockout stage of the World Cup for the first time, just the way the Americans wanted.

Germany beat the U.S. 1-0 Thursday in soggy Recife on Thomas Mueller's 55th-minute goal to win Group G, but the Americans held onto second place when Portugal defeated Ghana 2-1 in a game played simultaneously in Brasilia.

"Obviously it's a huge achievement by our team to come through that group and qualify for the knockout stage," U.S. coach Jurgen Klinsmann said.

The Germans, three-time World Cup champions, finished with seven points, while the U.S. had four after allowing a 95th-minute goal against Portugal on Sunday in a 2-2 draw. Portugal also had four, but the Americans advanced from the so-called "Group of Death" because their goal difference was even and the Portuguese were minus three.

The Americans will play the Group H winner, likely Belgium put possibly Algeria, Tuesday in Salvador.

"Once the group is done, another tournament starts," Klinsmann said. "Whoever it is, we'll be prepared."

The Americans sprinted out onto the field at the fi-

nal whistle, about 30 seconds before the other game ended and made advancement official. Brad Davis raised both hands and led the applauding U.S. team to the side of the stadium where the majority of American supporters sat.

Just reaching Arena Pernambuco was an accomplishment. A tropical downpour flooded roads in a beach city known as the Brazilian Venice, and the U.S. bus had to make its way through ankle-to-thigh-high water that slowed traffic and left some cars stalled. Rain fell throughout much of the game, and there were scattered empty red seats.

The game marked meetings of several former international teammates facing each other, an unusual occurrence. American right back Fabian Johnson started for Germany in the 2009 European Under-21 Championship alongside three of Germany's starters Thursday: Mats Hummels, Jerome Boateng and goalkeeper Manuel Neuer.

Klinsmann starred for West Germany when it won the 1990 World Cup and coached his homeland to the 2006 World Cup semifinals. His top assistant that year was Joachim Loew, who succeeded him as Germany's coach after the tournament. The two exchange a hug after the final whistle.

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## Dear Abby...

By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips



DEAR ABBY: I have been seeing my boyfriend for five months. He still has some of his ex-girlfriend's lingerie in his dresser. When we first got involved, he showed it to me and asked if I wanted any. I said no thanks.

Now that I'm more invested in the relationship, I'd like him to get rid of it. He is currently out of town, traveling for a month. Would it be inappropriate for me to throw away these "trinkets" without consulting him? — SETTING BOUNDARIES IN ARIZONA

DEAR SETTING BOUNDARIES: Yes, I think it would be inappropriate. Although your boyfriend will probably tell you to go ahead and get rid of it if it bothers you, it would be more respectful if you clear it with him first.

DEAR ABBY: I was recently told by a neighbor that if he wasn't married, he would make a pass at me. It made me feel kind of bad, especially the next day when I saw his wife.

My niece said I shouldn't feel bad because it was a compliment and I should be glad I still attract attention at 60. My feeling is, if you think about it — it's infidelity.

Am I wrong or too stringent in my thinking? — OLD-FASHIONED LADY IN OREGON

DEAR OLD-FASHIONED: I think what your neighbor said was less "infidelity" than "lust in his heart." But in a sense, he did make a pass because when he said what he did, he signaled to you that he could be interested.

Cut him some slack this time and chalk it up to having been paid a compliment. But if he says it again, tell him it bothers you because you like his

wife and think it's insulting to her.

DEAR ABBY: My fiancée, "Todd," and I just became engaged and are starting to plan our wedding. The problem is his father is remarried to a terrible woman. Todd grew up with her, but he can't stand her, and I feel the same way.

I gave her a chance, but she got drunk — something she does often — and insulted my mother. Obviously, my mother and Todd are my priorities.

Todd and I do not want her at our wedding because we're afraid she'll get drunk and make a scene, but how do we manage that? How do we make it clear that we love his dad and want him there, but his wife is not welcome? — NERVOUS BRIDE-TO-BE IN FLORIDA

DEAR NERVOUS: You and Todd should talk to his father and express your concerns that his wife's unpredictable behavior could ruin your wedding. Ask how

he thinks this should be handled. He may agree to attend alone or choose to skip the wedding. He could also promise you that if his wife gets loaded and becomes disruptive, he will escort her out of there immediately. (Suggest it to him if he's unwilling to come without her.) \*\*\*\*\*

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# PampaSports

## Directly from the Dugout

### ■ Rangers in another slump, look to rebound versus Twins.

By ZAC GREEN  
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A very rough weekend that looked promising during the preview is finally over for the Texas Rangers. However, they have lost 8 of their last 10 (including seven straight) heading into this weekend's series with the Minnesota Twins.

Joe Saunders imploded in the fourth and fifth innings in Friday's series opener against the Los Angeles Angels. Saunders gave up seven runs, four earned, in just four and two-thirds innings of work. Ben Rowen impressed from the bullpen in his three and a third innings, limiting the Angels to only one hit on three strikeouts. Unfortunately the Rangers offense couldn't dig themselves out of the hole left by Saunders. Elvis Andrus was 2-4 with an RBI. Alex Rios scored a run and Michael Choice hit a home run in the game. Texas was limited to only eight hits the entire way in the 7-3 Angel win.

Nick Martinez pitched a good game for the Rangers on Saturday, but once again the offense was still back in the hotel room. Martinez allowed two runs on three hits in seven innings. Neal Cotts was charged with the loss as he allowed a Josh Hamilton hit before Howie Kendrick hit a walk off double in the 10th inning. Kendrick was the only batter Jason Frasor faced in the game. Shin Soo-Choo's two run home run and Leonys Martin's double were the only offensive highlights. Final: Angels 3, Rangers 2.

Most Ranger fans as well as "experts" would have predicted that the Angels would fail to get the sweep going against Yu Darvish on Sunday. Unfortunately that was not the case as Darvish blew up for the second straight outing. Darvish allowed five runs, four earned, over six innings. He struck out nine batters. Shawn Tolleson and Aaron Poreda combined for two hits and two strikeouts in two innings of work. Martin was 3-4 with two doubles and a run scored. Andrus was 2-3. Adrian Beltre was 2-4 with a double. Brad Snyder had a home run. All the offense was for naught as the Rangers failed to capitalize on those hits. Final: Angels 5, Rangers 2. Angels finish the sweep of the Rangers.

Things didn't get any easier for Texas as the Tigers came to town for a three game set that started Tuesday. Colby Lewis gave up four runs in six and a third innings. Rowen and Poreda each allowed two runs from the bullpen in only one third of an inning each. Beltre was 4-4 with an RBI. Martin had a double and an RBI in the game. Dan Robertson and Rougned Odor scored the lone Ranger runs in the ballgame. Former Ranger Ian Kinsler homered in his first at bat as a visitor in Arlington. Final: Tigers 8, Rangers 2.

Joe Saunders did not pitch very well on Wednesday. He gave up six runs in four innings. Shawn Tolleson and Neal Cotts gave up a combined two runs from the bullpen that were the difference maker in the game. Beltre was 3-4 with two RBIs. Carlos Pena had a home run in the game. Chirinos, Beltre and Choo all doubled in the game. Final: Tigers 8, Rangers 6.

Game three of the series was on Thursday night

and after deadline. Check out next week's article for a write up about that game.

Now let's take a look at the AL West standings as of games through Wednesday night.

Oakland remains in first at 48-30. The Angels are in second with a 43-33 record. Seattle is third at 42-37. Texas is fourth with a 35-42 record. Houston brings up the rear again at 33-46.

The Rangers are 12.5 games back of the A's. Texas hasn't been this far out of first place since the season ended in 2008.

Now let's take a look at this weekend's action as the Minnesota Twins come to Globe Life Park for a three game set.

Friday's opener pits Nick Tepesch (2-3, 4.38 ERA) against Kevin Correia (4-8, 5.02 ERA). Correia has been very impressive in his last three starts. He allowed four runs in a previous start versus the Rangers this season. Tepesch has shown signs of brilliance; he just can't put it together for three and four games in a row. One of his good starts this year was against these Twins. I still think the Texas offense is going to have to prove to me they can be consistent just like the pitching. Prediction: Twins 5, Rangers 3.

Yu Darvish (7-4, 2.62 ERA) goes up against Phil Hughes (8-3, 3.40 ERA) on Saturday. Darvish will look to improve on his last two outings where he gave up a combined eight runs. Throughout his career thus far he has been impressive against the Twins. Hughes has been a little shaky recently and

he doesn't completely shut the Rangers down in his history. I think there is no way Darvish lets the Rangers down for a third straight outing. Prediction: Rangers 6, Twins 1.

If all goes as planned (really sorry about last week as I seem to have jinxed the Rangers and they did the opposite of what I was predicting!) then Sunday's game will be the rubber match to decide the series winner. Colby Lewis (5-4, 5.83 ERA) takes the hill against Kyle Gibson (6-5, 3.25 ERA). Gibson has allowed just four runs in his last 33 innings of work. He has also limited batters to 22 hits in that time period. Gibson has also struck out 21 batters to just five walks during his streak. Lewis on the other hand has been getting lit up like a Christmas tree in his outings. Since April 26th, Lewis has only allowed three runs or less in five starts out of 10. History does not bode well for Lewis either as the Twins own him. Unless both pitchers pull a 180 turn from how they are pitching right now, this could get ugly for Texas. Prediction: Twins 12, Rangers 1.

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Joe Saunders



Yu Darvish

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Tampa Bay Rays at Baltimore Orioles.....MLBN 12 p.m.  
Boston Red Sox at NY Yankees.....MLBN 6 p.m.

#### Tennis

Wimbledon.....ESPN 6 a.m.

#### Golf

BMW International Open.....GOLF 7:30 a.m.  
Senior Players Championship.....GOLF 11:30 a.m.  
PGA: Quicken Loans National.....GOLF 1:30 p.m.

#### Auto Racing

Nationwide Series in Sparta, Ky.....ESPN 6:30 p.m.

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The Top O' Texas Rodeo Association is now taking entries for the Queen Contest. They are excited to hold the contest this year and crown the TOTRA Queen for 2014-2015.

Entry forms are at the rodeo office at the Chamber of Commerce and can also be requested by emailing [TotRodeo@gmail.com](mailto:TotRodeo@gmail.com).

To enter you must be a female and between the ages of 14-19 years of age by August 1, 2014. Contestants will be judged on horsemanship, public speaking and the ability to properly represent the association.

The entry fee is \$125 per contestant and each contestant must find a local business sponsor.

Entries are due by July 7 at 4 pm. There will be an informal mandatory meeting for contestants on July 7th at 6 pm at the Chamber of Commerce.