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H-E-B Feast of Sharing feeds more than 2,200

By **ROGER CLINE**
 Staff Writer

A big part of Big Spring gathered at Howard College's Dorothy Garrett Coliseum Sunday to sup on ham, mashed potatoes, green beans, and apple pie at the fourth annual H-E-B Feast of Sharing.

"It's going great. People are getting out of church right now, people are really coming out. We've got a lot of volunteers. It's just a good event for our community to come together," said H-E-B's Big Spring

Store Leader Ricardo Serato. "At H-E-B, part of our promise...we believe in giving back to the communities that we serve. We believe in coming together to make our communities better. We do this throughout the state of Texas and Mexico. We're up to 33 Feasts of Sharing now."

Throughout the day, H-E-B, with the help of hundreds of volunteers the community, served around 2,200 plates of food, and made 75 meals-on-wheels deliveries, said

store manager Jerry Bills.

During this year's feast of sharing, diners were treated to live entertainment from the stage. David Fisher, Lawrence Thibeault, Micayla and Noah, Natasha Azdar, Adrian Calvio, and Jonathan Smith provided the entertainment. In addition, the Big Spring Police and Fire Departments posted the colors; Gloria Pierce sang the nation anthem; Mayor Larry McLellan issued a

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HERALD photo/Roger Cline

David Fisher performs Christmas songs and country music from the stage at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum on Sunday as hundreds of hungry diners took part in the fourth annual Big Spring H-E-B Feast of Sharing. More than 2,200 plates were served during the event.

Toys for Joy Truck Drive



Courtesy photo

The photo above shows a brand new Ford located inside the showroom of Big Spring Ford with an empty bed waiting to be filled with donated toys. Big Spring Ford, along with BAD Events, LLC, is asking the community to come together and fill these empty truck beds with new unwrapped toys as part of their first-ever Toys for Joy Truck Drive.

By **AMBER MANSFIELD**
 Staff Writer

In the spirit of the season, Big Spring Ford along with BAD Events LLC has a goal to give back to others this during the holidays in the Big Spring Toys for Joy Truck Drive. The two businesses are partnering up for this first-ever fundraising event, and are asking the community to come together and help some local boys and girls have a Merry Christmas.

"Big Spring Ford and BAD

Events are sponsoring the Big Spring Toys for Joy Truck Drive," said Barney Dodd, owner of BAD Events, LLC. "All of this will go back to Big Spring locals by benefiting the Salvation Army and the Boys and Girls club."

The non-profit organization, The Salvation Army Boys and Girls Club is a place created by the Salvation Army that offers programs and services that exemplify and create an

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Away in a manger

HERALD photo/Amber Mansfield

The photo above shows one of the 14 scenes, the manger scene, that was featured in the drive-through nativity scene on Sunday, Dec. 9. This event was put on by NazFamily Youth of First Church of the Nazarene, and was a weekend only event which took place Dec. 7 through 9. This scene is from Luke 2:16-20 and reads, "They left running and found Mary and Joseph, and the baby lying in the manger. Seeing was believing. They told everyone they met what the angels had said about this child. All who heard the sheep herders were impressed. Mary kept all these things to herself, holding them dear, deep within herself. The sheep herders returned and let loose, glorifying and praise God for everything they had heard and seen. It turned out exactly the way they'd been told!"



In remembrance...

HERALD photo/Roger Cline

Local residents attended the Candlelight Remembrance Service at Nalley-Pickle and Welch Funeral Home on Sunday. The ceremony, a tradition of

more than 20 years at the funeral home's Big Spring and Midland locations, is held each year in memory and honor of loved ones who have passed away. The Big Spring event also included a reception at Welch Reception Center following the service.



Big Spring Herald's Christmas Countdown



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 (Judy Teselesky, Inserter)

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2019 2nd annual Song Swap at the Spring

Special to the Herald

The Big Spring Convention and Visitors Bureau and BAD Events, LLC are excited to announce the 2nd Annual FMH Foundation's Song Swap at the Spring. This will be held on June 6, 2019 at the Historic Spring Marie Hall Plaza and Performance

Stage and SM Energy Pavilion. The concert will take place on Thursday, June 6th with gates opening at 5:00PM.

This year, we will have three amazing Texas Country artists performing instead of two. We will start announcing the artists in January,

so stay tuned to find out which artists are coming to Big Spring.

According to City Ordinance, no alcohol is allowed in the Historic Spring Plaza but we will be setting up speakers along with TVs with live feed of the concert all around the SM Energy

Pavilion so you will have live access to the concert. We are very excited about this new improvement to the Song Swap! Stay tuned for more information in January. For more information, please call Hayley Herrera or Barney Dodd at 432-264-2516 or 432-755-9529.



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Obituaries

Socorro A. Correa



Socorro A. Correa, 96, of Big Spring died Friday Dec. 7, 2018. A vigil service will be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday Dec. 11, 2018, at Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral services will be 10 a.m. Wednesday Dec. 12, 2018, at Holy Trinity Catholic Church, with burial at Mt. Olive Memorial Park.

Socorro was born May 13, 1922, in Colorado City to Julia Mendez Alvarez and Gonzalo Alvarez. She married Celestino Correa on 1940 in Big Spring; he

preceded her in death on 1994.

Socorro is survived by two sons, Celestino Correa, Jr. (Sherry), Manuel Correa, all of Big Spring; four daughters; Lupe Penzi of Shore Acres, Texas; Dominga Shockley, Frances Puentes, Celia Redding all of Big Spring; 16 grandchildren; 39 great grandchildren, several great great grandchildren.

In addition to husband and parents, she was preceded in death by two brothers; Juan Alvarez, Robert Alvarez; two sisters; Eustolia Moncada; Isabel Garza

Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Pay your respects online at www.myersandsmith.com

Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- **JOEL GAUDALUPE CHACON**, 23, of 707 Willia St., was arrested on a charge of driving with license invalid with previous conviction.

- **YAROVIS GARCIA**, 24, of 2607 Dow St., was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.

- **ETHAN COTERILL**, 31, of 1826 E Belt Line Rd., was arrested on a warrant of possession of dangerous drug.

- **ALYSSA LUERA**, 25, of 1317 Mesquite St., was arrested on charges on two counts of man

delivery controlled substance in between 4 to 200 grams, unlawful carrying weapon, tamper with identification numbers.

- **PETER MANUEL CANDELARIA**, 31, of 1600 S Nolan St., was arrested on a warrant of bail jumping and failure to appear, and on a charge of possession of controlled substance in between.

- **UNATTENDED DEATH** was reported in the 1600 block of Martin Luther King.

- **ROBBERY** was reported in the 400 block of Birdwell Lane.

- **ASSAULT** was reported in the 1600 block of Martin Luther King.

- **FOLLOW UP REPORT** was reported in the 3600 block of W Hwy 80.

- **THEFT** was reported in the 700 block of E FM 700, and in the 200 block of W FM 700.

- **DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE** was reported in the 2600 block of Dow Dr.

- **DISTURBANCE** was reported in the 700 block of Ohio St.,

- **ACCIDENT MINOR** was reported in the 400 block of E FM 700.

- **CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** was reported on HWY 350.

Take Note

- The Big Spring Art Association will have its Christmas Party Saturday, Dec. 15th at 6 p.m. We will be at Ben and Sandee Lockhart's home. Anyone interested in art of any kind is welcome to come. Come see what we are all about.

- 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.BecomeCASA.org or www.casawtx.org.

- Big Spring and surrounding counties are in need of foster families. Foster parents are the caretakers for the children in the community who have been abused or neglected. For more information on becoming foster parents or adoptive families, call the Children's Protective Services office at 432-263-9669.

- Maranatha Baptist Academy, 903 Johnson Big Spring, Texas 432-213-1046, Call today for educational needs. In School, High School graduation, Tutoring, homeschool. We are qualified to help you with your child's education, kindergarten through twelfth grade. Come by or give us a call. Open enrollment.

- Scenic Mountain Medical Center Auxiliary is looking for new members. If you have a heart for serving people, have at least four hours a week to spare, SMMC Auxiliary might be the

fit for you. Duties include working in the gift shop, delivering newspapers to inpatients, hospitality services, popcorn and more. To find out more about opportunities available with the SMMC Auxiliary, contact Amy Miramontes at 268-4809 or April Arms at 268-4907.

- The Crossroads Young Marines is taking applications for another boot camp. For more information, call 432-517-4791. Young Marines welcomes boys and girls ages 8 to 18 who are still attending school.

- The Homeownership Preservation Foundation (HPF) is an independent national nonprofit dedicated to helping distressed homeowners navigate financial challenges and avoid mortgage foreclosure. If you want to stop mortgage foreclosure and are in need of help, the time to call 888-995-HOPE is now. HPF can provide counseling free of charge, in English and 170 other languages, 24 hours a day, seven days a week, 365 days a year. For free foreclosure help, call the hotline.
- The Howard County Democrats will meet the second and fourth Monday of each month at 5:30 pm. at the Howard County Democratic Headquarters, 1408 Scurry, behind Prosperity Bank.

- The Emergency Services Chaplains Corps is seeking volunteer chaplains. The corps provides spiritual services to Howard County residents and visitors in crisis situations. Prospective chaplains don't require any specific experience or education

to qualify for the position, just a calling from God and a willingness to devote time to the program, which requires a 24- to 30-week training program and dedication of one day per week for emergency call-outs. Those interested should contact Senior Chaplain Joel Miller at 432-213-1221.

- Big Spring's Centennial Lions Club is holding a drive to collect books for the Salvation Army Boys and Girls Club. Books for kids in kindergarten through about 10th grade will be accepted, with special preference for books for younger children in kindergarten through third grade. Cash donations to allow the Lions to purchase additional books are also appreciated. Books or donations can be taken to the Salvation Army, 811 W. Fifth St., or to the home of Lions member Ken Lawhon at 1707 E. 15th St. Contact Lawhon at 214-998-9716.

- Food 2 Kids Big Spring needs you! It is time to start sacking food for Big Spring elementary students who do not receive adequate food over the weekends. Members of the community can be a part by volunteering to sack the

food. It just takes a couple hours of your time and the work is very rewarding. To volunteer, just show up at the time and dates listed. For more information, call, 432-935-3998.

If you want additional information about getting your child on this program please contact your child's school.

- Each week Kindred offers free health checks from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. at the Corner House Coffee Shop, 1701 Scurry St.

- Seniors and mature adults are invited to a dance on the first, third and fifth Friday of each month at the Dora Roberts Community Center. Dances are from 7:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. with live bands. No alcohol or smoking permitted. There will be a pot luck as well so bring a dish if you want to eat. Cost has dropped to \$5 per person thanks to a sponsor Marcy House, 2301 Wasson Road.

- Howard County Republicans meet the second Monday of each month. Club members meet in the Cactus Room at Howard College at 11:30 a.m. for Dutch treat lunch and meeting at 12 p.m.

Sheriff

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following activity:

Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 81 inmates at the time of this report.

- **RAUL JOE AGUILAR**, 30, was arrested by DPS on a charge of driving while intoxicated, and unlawful carrying weapon.

- **PETER MANUEL CANDELARIA**, 31, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant of bail jumping and failure to appear, and on a charge of possession of controlled substance in between.

- **JOEL GAUDALUPE CHACON**, 23, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of driving with license invalid with previous conviction.

- **ETHAN COTERILL**, 31, was arrested by HCSO on a warrant of possession of dangerous drug.

- **YAROVIS GARCIA**, 24, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

- **ENRIQUE GARZA JR.**, 26, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of violation of occupational driver's license.

- **GILBERY BUSTAMANTA GONZALES**, 29, was arrested by BSPD on charges of possession of marijuana less than two ounces.

- **JOHN CHRISTOPHER HILARIO**, 19, was arrested by BSPD on warrants of no driver's license, fail to maintain financial responsibility, and expired registration.

- **ALYSSA LUERA**, 25, was arrested by BSPD on charges on two counts of man delivery controlled substance in between 4 to 200 grams, unlawful carrying weapon, tamper with identification numbers.

Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1500 block of E 11th Place. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1700 block of Lancaster. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 800 block of Edwards. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 6000 block of N Cedar. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1600 block of W 11th Place. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 600 block of Colgate. No one was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3700 block of Wasson Rd. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3200 block of Parkway. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

Support Groups

MONDAY

- Alcoholics Anonymous, As Bill Sees it, 615 Settles, 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

TUESDAY

- Big Spring and Snyder Parkinson's 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.

- Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; newcomers meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

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Trump looking at several candidates for chief of staff

By **ZEKE MILLER, JILL COLVIN and CATHERINE LUCEY**

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Donald Trump is considering at least four people to serve as his next chief of staff, after plans for an orderly succession for departing John Kelly fell through.

The high-profile hiring search comes at a pivotal time as the Republican president looks to prepare his White House for the twin challenges of securing his re-election and fending off expected congressional investigations once Democrats gain control of the House next year.

Trump's top pick for the job, Nick Ayers, announced Sunday that he would instead be leaving the White House, surprising even senior staffers who believed the move was a done deal. Trump is now soliciting input on at least four people, including Office of Management and Budget director Mick Mulvaney and Rep. Mark Meadows, R-N.C., the chair of the conservative House Freedom Caucus.

Ayers, who is chief of staff to Vice President Mike Pence, was seen as the favorite for the job when Trump announced Saturday that Kelly would leave around year's end. But a White House official said Sunday that Trump and Ayers could not reach agreement on Ayers' length of service and that he would instead assist the president from outside the administration. The officials spoke on condition of anonymity to discuss the sensitive personnel matters.

Ayers confirmed the decision in a tweet Sunday, thanking Trump and Pence for giving him the opportunity to work in the White House.

"I will be departing at the end of the year but will work with the #MAGA team to advance the cause," he said.

Trump offered his own take on the development: "I am in the process of interviewing some really great people for the position of White House Chief of Staff. Fake News has been saying with certainty it was Nick Ayers, a spectacular person who will always be with our #MAGA agenda. I will be making a decision soon!"

Even senior White House officials were caught off guard Sunday by the news of Ayers' departure. No obvious successor to Kelly was in sight, and there was some fretting that Trump may not be able to fill the job by the time Kelly leaves.

Ayers and Trump had discussed the job for months, making the breakdown Sunday all the more surprising. Trump said Saturday that he expected to announce a replacement for Kelly in a day or two. But with Ayers no longer waiting in the wings, Trump may now take until the end of the year, according to a person familiar with the president's thinking.

And it remains unclear who wants the job. Mulvaney, the budget director, was not interested in becoming chief of staff, according to a person close to him who spoke on the condition of anonymity. Mulvaney has been saying for almost two months now that he would be more interested in becoming commerce or treasury secretary if that would be helpful to the president, the person said.

Also among those thought to be in the mix were Treasury Secretary Steve Mnuchin and U.S. Trade Representative Robert Lighthizer, who said in a CBS interview that he hadn't spoken to anyone at the White House about the job and was "entirely focused" on his position.

The White House official said that, while the president likes Lighthizer, he is reluctant to move him from his current post because of the ongoing high-stakes trade negotiations with China and others.

And a person familiar with Mnuchin's thinking said he, too, was happy with his work at Treasury and had not sought the job of chief of staff.

Acting Attorney General Matthew Whitaker and Trump's former deputy campaign manager David Bossie were also among the names being floated by some close to the White House Sunday.

Trump's administration has set records for staff turnover, and he has often struggled to attract experienced political professionals, a challenge that has grown more difficult by the upcoming threat

of costly Democratic oversight investigations and an uncertain political environment.

Democrats, who will be assuming control of the House of Representatives next year, are expected to take full advantage of their new subpoena power to investigate everything from the actions of Trump administration officials to the president's business dealings, flooding the White House with inquiries.

In any administration, the role of White House chief of staff is split between the responsibilities of supervising the White House and managing the man sitting in the Oval Office. Striking that balance in the turbulent times of Trump has bedeviled Kelly and his predecessor, Reince Priebus, and will be the defining challenge for whoever is selected next.

Kelly, whose last day on the job is set to be Jan. 2, had been credited with imposing order on a chaotic West Wing after his arrival in June 2017 from his post as homeland security secretary. But his iron fist also alienated some longtime Trump allies, and over time he grew increasingly isolated.

Trump wants his next chief of staff to hold the job through the 2020 election, the officials said. Ayers, who has young triplets, had long planned to leave the administration at the end of the year and had only agreed to serve in an interim basis through next spring.

Ayers had earned the backing of the president's influential daughter and son-in-law, White House advisers Ivanka Trump and Jared Kushner, but was viewed warily by other aides.

Ayers will run a pro-Trump super PAC, according to a person familiar with his plans who was not authorized to discuss them by name.

Pence's deputy chief of staff, Jarrod Agen, is expected to assume Ayers' role for the vice president.

10 Things to Know for Today

By **The Associated Press**

Your daily look at late-breaking news, upcoming events and the stories that will be talked about today:

1. **WHO TRUMP IS WEIGHING FOR CHIEF OF STAFF**

After favorite Nick Ayers dropped out of the running, Mick Mulvaney and Republican congressman Mark Meadows are two of at least four candidates in the mix.

2. **CHINESE PAPER CALLS HUAWEI DETENTION 'INHUMAN'**

A bail hearing for a top Chinese technology executive is set to resume in Vancouver after the U.S. alleged the firm used a shell company to evade trade curbs on Iran.

3. **MACRON ADDRESSES FRANCE AMID PROTESTS**

After weeks of "yellow vest" protests that have rattled the country, the president is expected to announce measures to reduce taxes and boost purchasing power.

4. **'IT FELT LIKE PUNISHMENT'**

Women and their newborns in Slovakia are often unjustifiably detained in hospitals, leaving Roma women vulnerable to racist abuse and physical violence, AP finds.

5. **WHAT THEY'RE SEEING IN CYPRUS**

The Mediterranean island has experienced a sharp rise in migrant arrivals this year as other European countries tighten

their borders.

6. **WHO SAYS UK CAN STILL CHANGE ITS MIND**

The EU's top court rules that Britain can revoke Brexit, boosting the hopes of people who want to stay in the 28-nation bloc that the process can be reversed, while Theresa May could face a humiliating defeat for her divorce plan.

7. **IRAQ MARKS ANNIVERSARY OF VICTORY OVER ISLAMIC STATE GROUP**

Baghdad declares a national holiday after the grueling three-year war in which tens of thousands of people were killed and hundreds of thousands displaced.

8. **DEMOCRATS ADD LEGAL PRESSURE TO TRUMP**

Top House lawmakers raise the prospect of impeachment or almost-certain prison time for Trump if it's proved that he directed illegal hush-money payments to women.

9. **CHURCH RENOVATION LIFTS CHRISTMAS SPIRIT IN BETHLEHEM**

A renovation of the Church of the Nativity offers visitors a look at ancient mosaics and columns restored to their original glory for the first time in 600 years.

10. **MIRACLE IN MIAMI**

Kenyan Drake runs the last 52 yards as the Dolphins score on a pass and double lateral on the final play to stun New England 34-33.

There's still time to sign up for health insurance

Scenic Mountain to host final health insurance marketplace forum for the year

Special to the Herald

Are you still uninsured? If so, there's still time to sign up for health insurance by the December 15 deadline. Scenic Mountain Medical Center and Eligibility Services representatives will be at the YMCA, Tuesday, Dec. 11 at 5:30 p.m., for an informative forum on the Health-Care Marketplace.

"With many people lacking access to a computer or just need help maneuvering through the Marketplace website, our application counselors can help," said Amanda Duforat, SMMC Marketing Mgr. "Our trained Eligibility Services representatives can assist individuals and their families evaluate the available health plans and determine if they're eligible for Medicaid or other insurance options."

The good news is based on household income and dependents, some individuals may qualify for financial assistance from the government – or subsidies – towards the cost of the premium and other financial obligations like co-pays or deductibles.

Some of the mandatory benefits included in all Marketplace plans include doctor visits, prescription drugs, hospital and emergency department care, lab services, pediatric care, and free preventive and wellness services. Coverage cannot be denied for individuals with a pre-existing health condition.

"Let us help take the frustration out of the enrollment process. Call 432-268-4855 for an appointment before December 15 and let us help you get a healthy start to the New Year," said Duforat.

Reservations are not required to attend the information forum. For more information about the presentation, call Amanda Duforat at 432-268-4699. To make an appointment for enrollment help for the Health Insurance Marketplace or Medicaid, call 432-268-4855 or 432-268-4971.

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Hortencia D. Martinez, 84, died Friday. Funeral Mass will be at 10 a.m. today at Holy Trinity Catholic Church with burial at Trinity Memorial Park.

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FEAST

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proclamation recognizing H-E-B and the Feast of Sharing; Manny Negrón offered the invocation and blessing; and the Forsan Elementary School Honor Choir welcomed Santa Claus by song.

"We just want to thank Big Spring for coming together and getting together," said Serrato. "It's a great time of the year to give thanks for all the blessings in our lives. It's a good time to come together as a community."

Contact Staff Writer Roger Cline at 432-263-7331 ext. 235, or by email at reporter@bigspringherald.com.

TOYS

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accepting, positive and challenging environment where young people of every background, circumstance, race, creed and religion feel welcomed. The Toys for Joy Truck Drive is a way to help aid the Salvation Army in emulating their principals and helping everyone have a holly jolly season.

"Bring a new unwrapped toy to Big Spring Ford, located at 500 W. 4th St.," Dodd stated. "Help us fill the bed of the trucks in the show room with toys."

Dodd encourages any and everyone to get involved in Toys for Joy Truck Drive. To help encourage the public to participate, stakes have been raised for donors. Those who donate toys will get the chance for their

own Merry Christmas in addition to the satisfaction of giving a toy to a child.

"Each toy you bring, you get to enter the drawing for an autographed Troy Aikman Jersey (framed)," said Dodd. "You have until 5 p.m. on Monday, Dec. 17th to drop off your donated toys. We will be doing a remote radio broadcast with both local stations on Thursday, Dec 13th at KBYG 9 a.m. from 11 a.m. and at KBST 4 p.m. to 7 p.m."

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Bulldogs & Bulldogettes lose last game in Stanton tourney



Courtesy photo/Lyndel Moody

Caitlyn Corley, No. 11, defends against a Pecos player during the Coahoma Bulldogettes/Pecos Lady Eagles game held Saturday, Dec. 8, 2018, in Stanton.



Courtesy photo/Lyndel Moody

Joe Manning reaches for the post during the Coahoma Bulldogs/Reagan County Owls game held Saturday, Dec. 8, 2018, in Stanton.

Special to the Herald

STANTON — The Coahoma Bulldogs fell to the Reagan County Owls 42-47 in their last game of the Pinky Jones Hooptown Classic Saturday.

Joe Manning had a game high of 17 points for the Bulldogs and both Bryce Cline and Brice Martin added 11 more each. The Bulldogs led going into the second half 28-21 but the Owls came back in the third quarter netting 16 points to Coahoma's 10. The Owls sealed the victory in the fourth with an 11-point gain to Coahoma's 4. Following the game, Zack Schneider was named to all-tournament.

Next: The Bulldogs take on the Cardinals in Hermleigh in a non-district match Tuesday. JV plays at 6:30 p.m. followed by the varsity at 8 p.m.

Coahoma Bulldogs vs Reagan County Owls
Coahoma: 10, 18, 10, 4 -- 42

Reagan County: 5, 16, 15, 11 -- 47

Coahoma — Brice Martin 11; Joe Manning, 16; Zack Schneider, 3; Gaiage Hill, 1; Bryson Cline



Courtesy photo/Lyndel Moody

Zack Schneider, a member of the Coahoma varsity boys basketball team, was named to all-tournament at the Pinky Jones Hooptown Classic held Dec. 6-8, in Stanton.

11. Reagan County — Jaden Gonzalez, 6; Seth Hernandez, 3; Pablo Hernandez, 30; Jacob Gallegos, 1; Justin Chavez, 3; Skyler Smith, 4.

Free Throws — Coahoma 10-33; Reagan County, 18-27 Three Point Goals — Coahoma 4 (Cline, 2, Martin, Manning); Reagan County 3 (P. Hernandez); Total Fouls — Coahoma 18; Reagan County 20.

Coahoma Bulldogettes vs Pecos Lady Eagles
STANTON — Caitlyn Corley led the Bulldogettes with 17 points for the match followed by Ashley Romero with 9 in Coahoma's 53-50 loss to the Lady Eagles Saturday at the Pinky Jones Hooptown Classic.

Both Romero and Jovi Gonzales had a 3-point goal each for the game.

Next: The Bulldogettes open up district play Tuesday when they host the Merkel Lady Badgers. The JV game begins at 4 p.m. in the Coahoma Elementary School competition gym. Varsity will follow at 6:30 p.m.

Bulldogettes 50. Pecos: 53

Prescott's 3rd TD to Cooper lifts Cowboys over Eagles in OT

By SCHUYLER DIXON

AP Pro Football Writer

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — Amari Cooper's impact on Dallas quarterback Dak Prescott has been dramatic.

The new No. 1 receiver for the Cowboys shook up the NFC East race, too.

Prescott threw his third touchdown pass to Cooper on the first possession of overtime, and the Cowboys took a big step toward the division title with a 29-23 victory over the Philadelphia Eagles on Sunday.

On third down, Rasul Douglas tipped the pass into the air by getting inside the slant route, and Cooper grabbed it and had a clear path to the end zone from the Philadelphia 7 for the 15-yard score. The Cowboys used almost all of the 10-minute overtime, scoring with 1:55 remaining.

"I knew I had the slant route there, but I knew he would sit on it," Cooper said. "I tried to sell the fade. It didn't really work, but I just stayed with the ball and there you have it."

By winning the third overtime game in the past four seasons at A&T Stadium between these division rivals, the Cowboys (8-5) won their fifth straight game and took a two-game lead over the defending Super Bowl champion Eagles (6-7) and Washington with three games left.

Carson Wentz threw for three touchdowns, including a pair of tying scores in the fourth quarter. But he never got a chance in overtime because Prescott engineered a 13-play, 75-yard drive.

Prescott overcame two interceptions and a lost fumble to set career highs in completions (42), attempts (54) and yards passing (455).

"Helpless feeling," Wentz said. "I've got a lot of confidence in the defense. They were making plays today. We just didn't do enough early offensively and that cost us."

The Cowboys dominated almost from the start, but let the Eagles stay



AP photo

Dallas Cowboys wide receiver Amari Cooper (19) scores on a 75-yard touchdown catch against the Philadelphia Eagles during the second half of an NFL football game, in Arlington, Texas, Sunday, Dec. 9, 2018.

close to set up a wild fourth quarter. Dallas, which can clinch the NFC East title with a win at Indianapolis next Sunday, finished with 576 yards, the most since gaining 578 against the St. Louis Cardinals in 1973.

Cooper finished with a career-high 217 yards receiving on 10 catches in his second game in the past three with at least 180 yards and two scores. All three of Cooper's touchdowns — the others from 75 and 28 yards — were in the fourth quarter and overtime.

Acquired from Oakland for a 2019 first-round draft pick seven games into the season, Cooper leads the NFL with 642 yards receiving since Week 9, his first game with the Cowboys. He had nine catches for 190 yards after halftime.

The Cowboys went for it on fourth-and-1 from the Eagles 19 in overtime and got it with a 1-yard plunge from Ezekiel Elliott, who had 192 yards from scrimmage on 40 touches — 28 carries for 113 yards and 12 catches for 79.

Cooper converted a pair of third

downs on the winning drive. The first one was big, too — a 12-yarder on third-and-9 from the Philadelphia 40.

"I was almost I guess I would say astonished that we were able to get that trade," said Prescott, whose has seen a significant jump in completion percentage, yards per game and passer rating in six games with Cooper.

"So I guess if you say that, when we're getting a trade, well, what's wrong? And then to get him and see everything turning out and playing out the way it is, we're very, very fortunate."

Brett Maher set a Dallas franchise record with a 62-yard field goal on the final play of the first half and had three field goals.

The game went from a defensive struggle with missed Dallas opportunities that kept the Eagles close to a wild fourth-quarter shootout.

Wentz thought he had answered the 75-yard touchdown to Cooper with 3:01 remaining with a matching 75-yarder to tight end Dallas Goedert. But Goedert was called for pass in-

terference, apparently for pushing off against Jeff Heath before bouncing off a helmet-to-helmet hit from Xavier Woods that wasn't called and running to the end zone from midfield.

Philadelphia scored anyway, with Wentz leading a more methodical march to his third touchdown pass, a 6-yarder to Darren Sproles for a 23-23 tie with 1:39 to go in regulation.

Douglas had the first interception of Prescott in the first half, but couldn't get a second hand on the ball for the dejected Philadelphia secondary against Cooper with the game on the line.

"I played it perfectly," he said. "I couldn't get the other hand in there to get the pick. I tried to bat it down."

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Two years ago, the Cowboys won by the same score with a touchdown on the first possession of overtime. Prescott was on his way to NFL Offensive

Rookie of the Year honors, and Elliott went on to win the league rushing title as a rookie. The 12-play, 75-yard drive took 7:12 and was capped by Prescott's 5-yard TD to now-retired tight end Jason Witten.

LOPSIDED STATS, CLOSE GAME

The Cowboys outgained the Eagles 576-256 and had twice as many first downs (32-16). Dallas ran 93 plays to 48 for Philadelphia and had the ball for 45:33 compared to 22:32 for the Eagles.

"Give them credit for fighting and scratching and clawing and doing the things necessary to stay in the ballgame," Cowboys coach Jason Garrett said.

INJURIES

Cowboys RG Zack Martin left in the second half with a knee injury. The four-time Pro Bowler has been battling a knee issue all season. ... Philadelphia RB Corey Clement injured his right knee when he was stopped for a 4-yard loss late in the first quarter and didn't return. ... Eagles defensive end Josh Sweat left in the first half with an ankle injury and didn't return.

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Annie's Mailbox

No Booze, Please

Dear Annie: The adults in our family, all of whom are blessed with the necessities of life, have enjoyed a "shake the dice/give and take" holiday gift exchange for many years. Often gourmet food items and good wines and such are included. My daughter reminded me this year that we have family members who don't consume alcohol for various reasons, so for them to end up with a bottle of wine would be awkward and inconsiderate. Ban the booze for holiday gift exchanges! -- Judy in Minnesota

Dear Judy: I'm so glad you wrote in about this issue. I agree that we ought to ban booze from gift exchanges. Even if all the participants do drink, people need another excuse to drink during the holiday season like they need a bad hangover. It's important to be mindful of nondrinking friends and family during all holiday festivities, not just gift exchanges. For one, this time of year can be a difficult time for anyone trying to stay sober. For another, it's just good hospitality to consider all guests' needs, not just drinkers', when hosting a party. Be sure to have nonalcoholic beverages -- other than

plain water -- on hand, such as sparkling water, coffee, tea and even fun alcohol-free cocktails. As a bonus, having such options on display might encourage even drinkers to heed their better angels and reach for a sparkling water instead of another beer.

Dear Annie: I'm writing because your good-sense column reaches so many people. I just lost a dear friend, and it shouldn't have happened. She was beautiful, funny, witty, clever and tough. By the end, we had found out just how tough. She evidently had some signs that all was not right with her reproductive system, but she didn't have time for treatment or didn't think she could afford it or didn't want to bother anyone with her problems. The pain and pressure became so bad she couldn't walk very well. The best hospital in the area had her for a month, and the whole staff fell in love with her, but all the doctors and nurses could do was try to give her a little more time to say goodbye. They figured the cancer had been growing for 20 years. It had spread so far into her organs that removing it would have killed her. Her suffering is over now. Her loved ones' is not. She

was young. She should have survived her mother. She should have seen her very young grandchildren grow up. She should have had years more of shining that beautiful smile on us. I have some survivor's guilt. About 20 years ago, I was bleeding when I shouldn't have been. I went to my doctor and said, "This isn't right, and it's sapping my energy." She was a good doctor, and she hooked me up with a surgeon, and I had a hysterectomy. When I had my follow-up appointment with the surgeon, she said, "It was so big and ugly I sent it in for a biopsy. It was negative. You're good." End of episode. Had I waited, how long till the biopsy would have been positive? Ladies, if you have symptoms, get them checked out. Please. -- Crying Won't Bring Her Back

Dear Crying Won't Bring Her Back: I am very sorry for the loss of your friend. She sounded like a wonderful person. Thank you for this very important reminder that you should always get symptoms checked out sooner rather than later.

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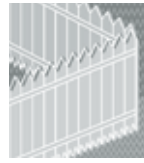
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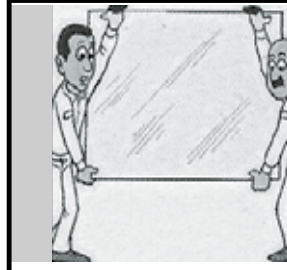
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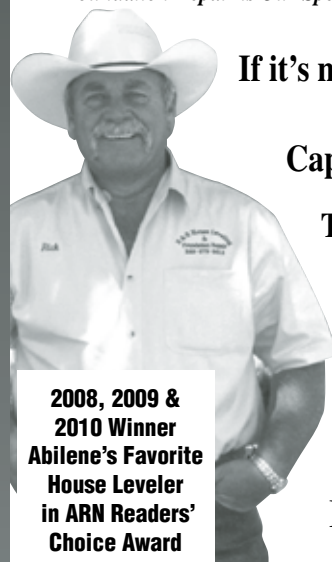
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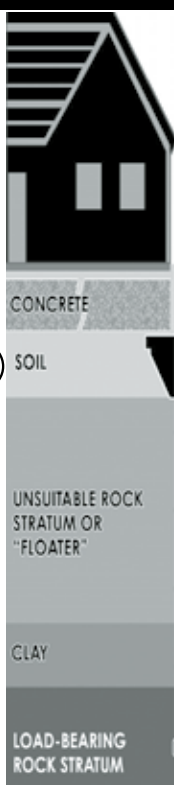
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Tomorrow's Horoscope

By HOLIDAY MATHIS



Galactic Guessing Game

Two assets will open the whole world up today. What do you think they are? No, not good looks and swagger. Not superb taste and pocket change. A serviceable attitude and a strong work ethic are good to have, but those aren't it, either. With the lunar shift to Aquarius, it's warmth and genuine interest that will get you where you want to go.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). You are creative and will have ideas about new things to try. You're also, unlike many in your group, bold enough to pitch them. You'll start the ball rolling. Others will come forward after you do.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Don't fuss or hesitate over today's opportunities. They will be like fresh toast. Get it

while it's hot. Otherwise, it will harden as it cools, making each bite a crumbly mess.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). You'll be lucky today, although don't expect to think so until weeks later when you look back on the events of Dec. 10 and realize their role in landing you in a position of good fortune.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). The day's work will be a little like putting a stylish outfit together. It starts with wearing everything you think will work. Then you'll change out of different elements. And finally, you'll strip away everything superfluous.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). The same force of attraction that shapes the swirling universe at large is at the heart of all you create in your personal realm. Careful, though, as

attraction can also cause greed and jealousy. Monitor your attractions.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). The situation today is something like a marching band in which more than half the players are on key and in time. The ones who are off sort of make it a messy show, but it still, more or less, sounds like music.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). You don't want the

same thing as the others, and for this reason, you'll find life a lot easier to manage. No lines, no inflated costs -- you just go straight to the source and plunk down the money.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Make it brief. Then you'll be listened to. They may not understand it, because the spirit of brevity leaves much unexplained, but it's better to have attention and questions than to have no

audience.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). Imagine a world in which you spend your days very differently than you're spending them now. This thought exercise holds a drop of enlightenment if you go deep enough into it.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Maybe it takes a degree of education to bandy about high-flown statements, but everyone knows that education is not intelligence. Today's best reason will come plain-clothed.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Instead of thinking of your failed projects as mistakes, think of them as school projects in the classroom of life. Generosity abounds from the standpoint of learning. Surely, you've earned many an A.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). You're feeling sort of quiet, observant and reflective today. It's comfortable for you, as well as being a good look for you. One caution: People will project their hopes and wishes into the space you're holding.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Dec. 10). One of your many talents this solar return is for bringing people together and bathing in their resulting concentration of joy. Here comes a change in routine that has happy effects on your health and relationships. Also in 2019: an adorable animal encounter, the opening of a venture and an international passport. Scorpio and Pisces adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 10, 7, 8, 33 and 20.

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Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

Famous Hand

East dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

NORTH

- ♠ Q 8
- ♥ 9 6 3
- ♦ K 10 9 5
- ♣ Q 10 6 4

WEST

- ♠ A 10 7
- ♥ K 5 2
- ♦ Q 6 2
- ♣ K 7 5 2

EAST

- ♠ 5 4 3 2
- ♥ Q J 7 4
- ♦ J 8
- ♣ 9 8 3

SOUTH

- ♠ K J 9 6
- ♥ A 10 8
- ♦ A 7 4 3
- ♣ A J

The bidding:
East **South** **West** **North**
 Pass 1 NT Pass 2 ♣
 Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 NT
 Pass 3 NT

Opening lead — two of clubs.
Here is a prime example of top-notch defense. The deal occurred during the 1980 World Bridge Olympiad in a match between Poland and Australia.

First, a word about the bidding by the Polish North-South pair. One notrump indicated 16 to 19 points, and two clubs asked South to bid his suits up the line. The two-diamond bid guaranteed four or five diamonds, and the two- and three-notrump bids were natural.

Dick Cummings, playing with Tim Seres, led a club, declarer win-

ning East's eight with the jack. The Polish South now led a spade to the queen, East playing the three, and returned a spade to the king and ace as East followed with the deuce. East's high-low indicated four spades.

Having learned that declarer originally held four spades and at least four diamonds, Cummings now shifted to the deuce of hearts, a dangerous but necessary play. Declarer could not afford to win East's jack, and when East returned his fourth-best heart, the four, South had to refuse that trick also.

So Cummings, back on lead again with the heart king, once more had to find the key play necessary to defeat the contract. Had he followed the natural inclination to lead another heart at this point, South would have made the contract by playing the A-K and another diamond.

But Cummings by this time knew that declarer's original distribution was four spades, three hearts, four diamonds and, therefore, only two clubs. It followed that it was now safe to return the five of clubs, despite dummy's imposing Q-10-6, since South would be forced to win the trick with the ace.

Accordingly, Cummings returned a club at trick six, and the unlucky Polish declarer finished down one, a victim of letter-perfect defense from the opposite side of the Earth.

Tomorrow: It's so easy to go wrong.

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4	8	3	1	5	7	2	6	9
9	1	7	6	2	4	5	8	3
3	9	8	2	1	5	4	7	6
7	6	2	9	4	3	1	5	8
5	4	1	7	6	8	9	3	2
6	7	4	5	8	2	3	9	1
1	2	9	3	7	6	8	4	5
8	3	5	4	9	1	6	2	7

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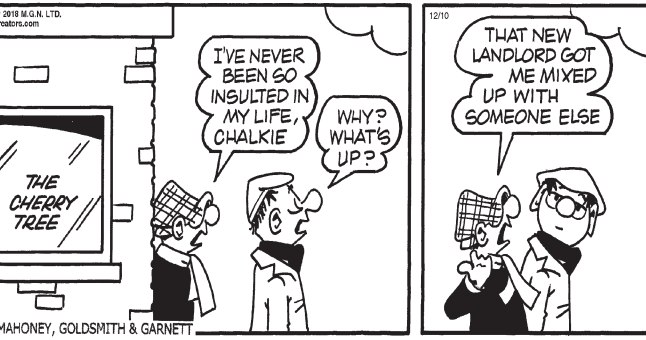
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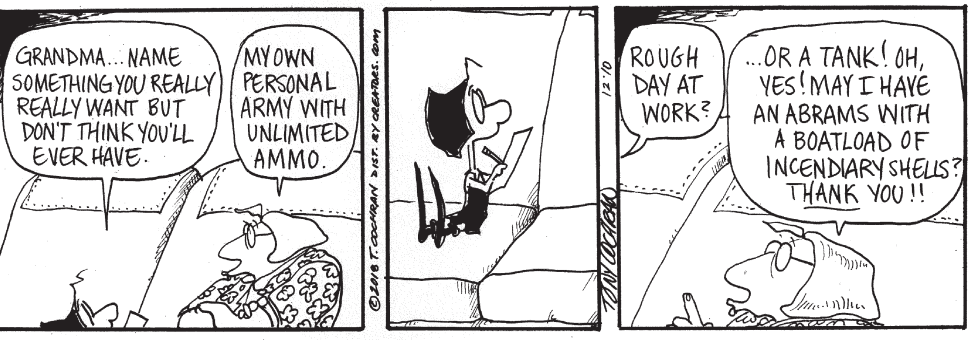
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5:30 PM	Big 2 ABC	P. Luche Noticiero	Broke Girl Mom	CBS 7 CBS	Tele Noticias	News News	Creation Cost	Over Business	Mama's Jeff sons	American American	Burgers Fam. Guy	Lijmon Hounsou (DVS)	Monday Night Countdown	SportsCenter	Texans	Mod Fam	The First 48	Street-Memphis
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7:30 PM	CMA Country Christmas (DVS)	Jesús	The Resident	Neighbor Happy	(:05) La sultana (SS)	The Voice	News Antiques Roadshow	Being Griffith	Arrow	Fam. Guy Fam. Guy	Movie: Doctor Strange, Rachel McAdams (DVS)	(:15) NFL Football: Minnesota Vikings at Seattle Seahawks.	Pokr	Mavs Pre. NBA Basketball: Orlando Magic at Dallas Mavericks.	WWE Monday Night RAW	The First 48	Street-Memphis	
8:30 PM	Light Fight	Amar a muerte	FOX 24 News at 9	Bull	Señora Acero (SS)	Pentatonix: Light of Southwest	Light of Southwest	Movie: Sacred	Heroes Gold	Fam. Guy Fam. Guy	Movie: RoboCop, Samuel L. Jackson (DVS)		World/Poker				Street Out-laws	
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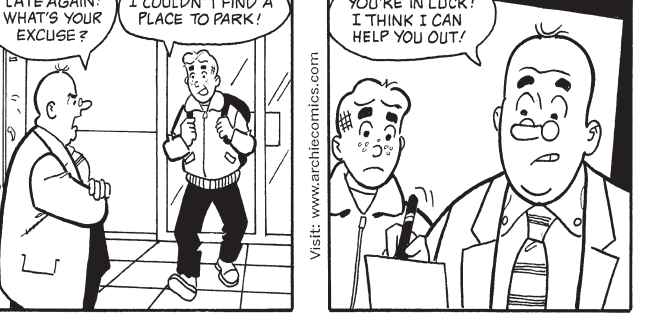
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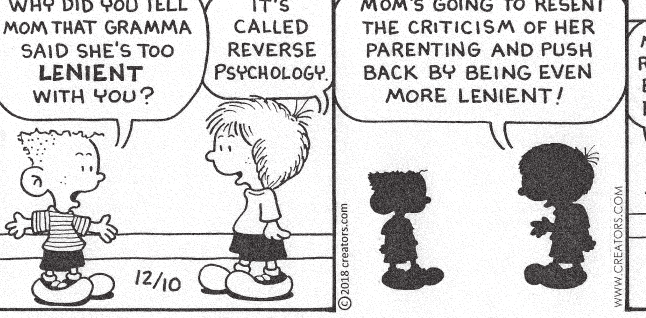
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This Date In History

Today is Monday, Dec. 10, the 344th day of 2018. There are 21 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:
On Dec. 10, 1964, Martin Luther King Jr. received his Nobel Peace Prize in Oslo, saying he accepted it "with an abiding faith in America and an audacious faith in the future of mankind."
On this date:
In 1817, Mississippi was admitted as the 20th state of the Union.
In 1869, women were granted the right to vote in the Wyoming Territory.
In 1898, a treaty was signed in Paris officially ending the Spanish-American War.
In 1906, President Theodore Roosevelt became the first American to be awarded the Nobel Peace Prize for helping to mediate an end to the Russo-Japanese War.
In 1931, Jane Addams became the first American woman to be awarded the Nobel Peace Prize; the co-recipient was Nicholas Murray Butler.
In 1967, singer Otis Redding, 26, and six others were killed when their plane crashed into Wisconsin's Lake Monona; one passenger, Ben Cauley, survived.
In 1987, President Ronald Reagan and Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev concluded three days of summit talks in Washington.
Violinist Jascha Heifetz died in Los Angeles at age 86.
In 1994, Yasser Arafat, Shimon Peres and Yitzhak Rabin received the Nobel Peace Prize, pledging to pursue their mission of healing the anguished Middle East.
In 1995, the first group of U-S Marines arrived in the Bosnian capital of Sarajevo to join NATO soldiers sent to enforce peace in former Yugoslavia.
In 1996, South African President Nelson Mandela signed the country's new constitution into law during a ceremony in Sharpeville.
In 2005, former Senator Eugene McCarthy died in Washington, D.C., at age 89; actor-comedian Richard Pryor died in Encino, California, at age 65.
In 2007, suspended NFL star Michael Vick was sentenced by a federal judge in Richmond, Virginia, to 23 months in prison for bank-rolling a dogfighting opera-

tion and killing dogs that underperformed (Vick served 19 months at Leavenworth). Former Vice President Al Gore accepted the Nobel Peace Prize with a call for humanity to rise up against a looming climate crisis and stop waging war on the environment.
Ten years ago: Defying calls for his resignation, Illinois Gov. Rod Blagojevich (blah-GOY'-uh-vich) showed up for work on his 52nd birthday despite charges he'd schemed to enrich himself by offering to sell President-elect Barack Obama's Senate seat. The House approved a plan, 237-170, to speed \$14 billion in loans to Detroit's automakers. U.S. Special Forces killed six Afghan police in a case of mistaken identity by both sides after the police fired on the Americans during an operation against an insurgent commander.
Five years ago: South Africa held a memorial service for Nelson Mandela, during which U.S. President Barack Obama energized tens of thousands of spectators and nearly 100 visiting heads of state with a plea for the world to emulate "the last great liberator of the 20th century." (The ceremony was marred by the presence of a sign-language interpreter who deaf advocates said was an impostor waving his arms around meaninglessly.) General Motors named product chief Mary Barra its new CEO, making her the first woman to run a U.S. car company.
One year ago: Philadelphia Eagles quarterback Carson Wentz suffered a torn ACL during the team's win over the Rams; backup Nick Foles rallied the Eagles to a victory that secured the NFC East title. (Foles and the Eagles would go on to win the Super Bowl.) Wearing a face mask, actor Rob Lowe live-streamed the evacuation of his family from one of the homes threatened by a massive Southern California wildfire.
Today's Birthdays: Actor Tommy Kirk is 77. Actress

Fionnula Flanagan is 77. Pop singer Chad Stuart (Chad and Jeremy) is 77. Rhythm-and-blues singer Ralph Tavares is 77. Actress-singer Gloria Loring is 72. Pop-funk musician Walter "Clyde" Orange (The Commodores) is 72. Country singer Johnny Rodriguez is 67. Actress Susan Dey is 66. Former Illinois Gov. Rod Blagojevich is 62. Jazz musi-

cian Paul Hardcastle is 61. Actor John York (TV: "General Hospital") is 60. Actor-director Kenneth Branagh (BRAH'-nah) is 58. Actress Nia Peeples is 57. TV chef Bobby Flay is 54. Rock singer-musician J Mascis is 53. Rock musician Scot (cq) Alexander (Dishwalla) is 47. Actress-comedian Arden Myrin is 45. Rock musician Meg White (The White

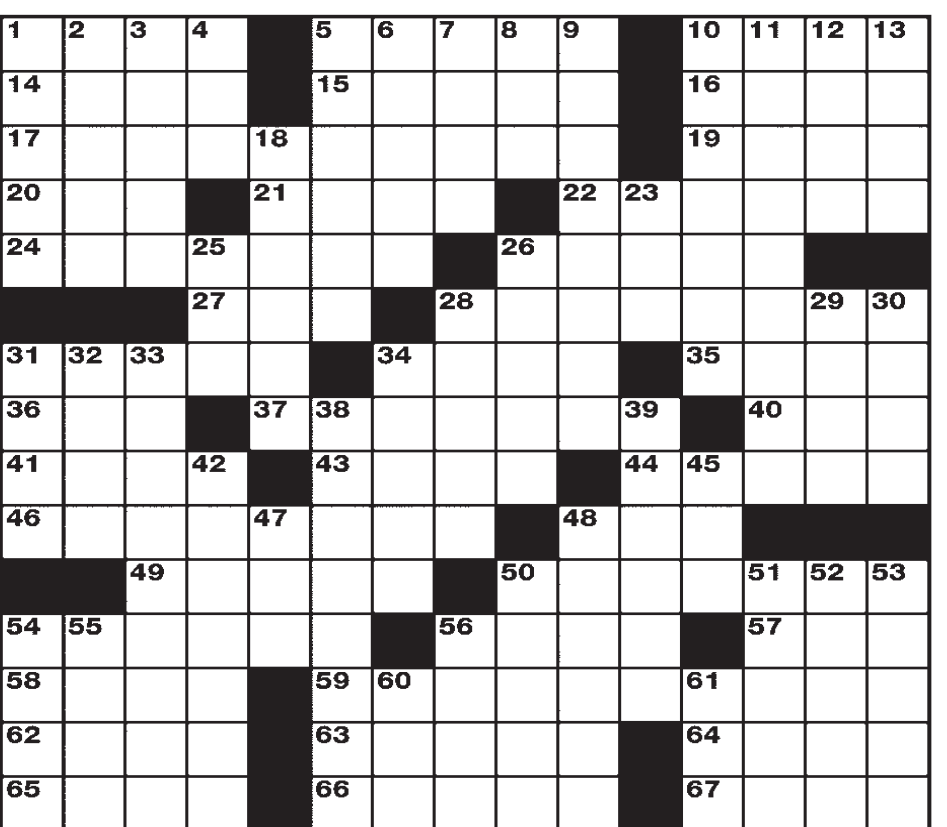
Stripes) is 44. Actress Emmanuelle Chriqui is 43. Rapper Kuniva (D12) is 43. Actor Gavin Houston is 41. Actor Alano Miller is 39. Violinist Sarah Chang is 38. Rock musician Noah Harmon (Airborne Toxic Event) is 37. Actor Patrick John Flueger is 35. Country singer Meghan Linsey is 33. Actress Raven-Symone is 33.

Thought for Today:
"Beauty is not caused. It is."
Emily Dickinson
American poet
(born this date in 1830, died in 1886)

Newsday Crossword

GRAINY GROUP by Brad Wilber Edited by Stanley Newman www.stanxwords.com

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| ACROSS | DOWN |
| 1 Muscle soreness | 1 Thing of value |
| 5 In good ___ (physically fit) | 2 Informal conversations |
| 10 China's continent | 3 Intuitive feeling |
| 14 Avoid socially | 4 Finale |
| 15 Reef material | 5 Barely sufficient |
| 16 Stinging insect | 6 Pearly givers |
| 17 Kid's beach sculpture | 7 ___ and crafts (grade-school projects) |
| 19 Civil War general Robert ___ | 8 Chum |
| 20 And so on: Abbr. | 9 Beast known for its trunk |
| 21 Tiny picnic invaders | 10 Excellent, informally |
| 22 Attaches, as to a scrapbook page | 11 What an ocean is made of |
| 24 Casual collarless tops | 12 "That makes sense" |
| 26 Toss | 13 Chimps and gorillas |
| 27 Door-opening thing | 18 Fond touch |
| 28 Sports colleague | 23 Sleeve of a shirt |
| 31 Opposite aspects of an issue | 25 Eisenhower nickname |
| 34 Raisin ___ (cereal variety) | 26 Weeper's drops |
| 35 And others: Abbr. | 28 Disneyland shuttles |
| 36 Closely monitored hospital ward: Abbr. | 29 Repairs, as a driveway |
| 37 Declare under oath | 30 Otherwise |
| 40 EMT's destinations | 31 Strong agreement in Spanish |
| 41 Backtalk | 32 "Not if ___ help it!" |
| 43 Overly expressive actors | |
| 44 Poetry selection | |
| 46 Waiting periods | |
| 48 Church seat | |
| 49 Grocery shoppers' vehicles | |
| 50 Detached by ripping | |
| 54 Shop without planning to buy | |
| 56 Dry as a desert | |
| 57 Tell fibs | |



Answer to previous puzzle
ASKS APPLEJUICE
TORI BASERUNNER
AWOL BRIANSSONG
RENEWAL STENTS
IRANI OYSTER
TSTRAP SOD
OVIEDO WEASELLY
NITROGENDIOXIDE
CALAMARI ROAMED
ELL INSYNC
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