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Governor Abbott has issued bars to close; 50% capacity at restaurants and businesses; outdoor gatherings limited to 100 or less before needing approval; river rafting trips have been shut down.

Aquatic Center has moved to 50% capacity; All businesses reduce capacity to 50%

YMCA waterslides are now open Tuesday - Sunday.

Share your photos from Fourth of July activities to be featured in the upcoming weekend edition.

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Toasty Tuesday cleaning up Big Spring, one hour at a time

20 volunteers, 27 bags of trash picked up last week

By **AMANDA DUFORAT**
 Managing Editor

From the north, to the south, from the east to the west, Keep Big Spring Beautiful is calling all volunteers to join in on Toasty Tuesday's. Over the past couple of weeks, almost 100 bags of trash have been picked up all over town.

"We are excited to see the support that we have been receiving the past few weeks," Liz Hefley, KBSB social media, said

"We are extra thankful to Scenic Mountain Medical Cen-

ter for all their employees who continue to come and to Sam Segundo's (Family Faith Center) parishioners who have helped pick up trash in Big Spring."

Last week, Keep Big Spring Beautiful focused efforts on the area around I-27 and Snyder Highway, near the new Pilot. There were 20 volunteers who picked up 27 bags of trash. This coming week the group will be focusing on the area around the sports complex entrance and move towards Andrews High

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Courtesy photo

Keep Big Spring Beautiful will be focusing on the area near the sports complex at 6:30 p.m. The community is encouraged to join the efforts. Bags and gloves are available for volunteers.



Looking back: A moment in history - Family legacies

Editor's Note: Sharing Big Spring history is one of the ways to ensure the roots of Big Spring and family legacies that are planted in our community are not forgotten. The Heritage Museum has spent decades preserving local history. Through history obtained by the Heritage Museum, the Big Spring Herald is able to share stories from Big Spring history with our readers.

By **TAMMY SCHRECENGOST**

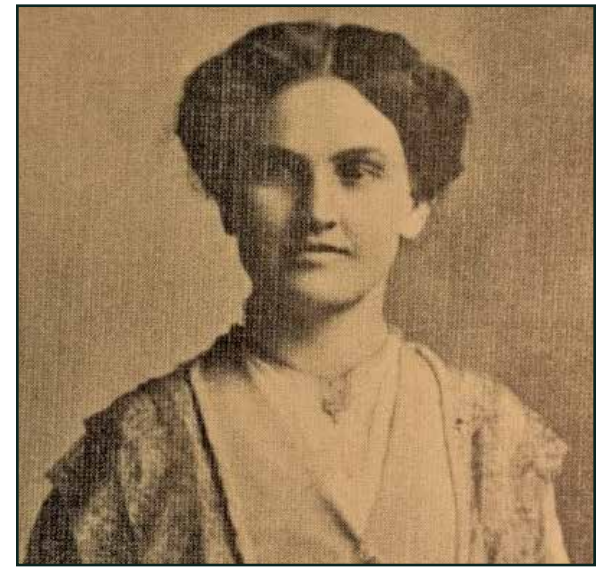
Heritage Museum

Beulah La Foon was born October, 1880 in Waco, Texas. After the death of her mother, she came to Big Spring in 1887 and was reared by Sarah and Charles Davenport. Beulah began attending a little private school located in the Inkman's home until Ward Central was built. Beulah walked to and from school daily however, when the weather was bad, her 'father' would



Pictured above left: Harry and Louise Wheeldon and above right: Beulah LaFoon Wheeldon Carnrike

come and get her. She said, "Sometimes the sandstorms were so bad that my daddy (Mr. Davenport) would have to come and get me in the wagon, fearing that I might blow away or get lost." She graduated from Ward Central in



Courtesy photos/Heritage Museum

1897 and was married in 1898 to George Wheeldon, an employee of the T&P Railroad. The couple made their home on Scurry and 2nd Streets where they had

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Large/Bulk Item Pickup overview gaining traction

District 1, pick up set for July 15; District 2 Aug. 20

By **AMANDA DUFORAT**
 Managing Editor

The City of Big Spring restarted the Large Item Pickup at the beginning of this year and concluded the first rotation through the districts. Each month, City crews focused on a different district to ensure all residents of Big Spring were able to utilize the program. Over the past six months, a total of 178.5 tons or 357,000 pounds of approved items was picked up and taken to the City Landfill.

"Streets and landfill staff collected a total of 357,000 pounds of debris from all of the districts at a cost of \$8,211," Public Works Director Shane Bowles said in a memorandum to City Manger Todd Darden. "We believe the program has been a benefit to our citizens and appears to have reduced instances of illegal dumping in our community."

The first pick up took place in District 1, on the third Wednesday of the Month, and resulted in 45 tons or 90,000 pounds being picked up; District 2 had 37 tons or 74,000 pounds picked up in February; District 3 had 22 tons or 44,000 pounds picked up in March; District 4 had 17.5 or 35,000 pounds picked up in April; District 5 had 31 tons or

62,000 pounds picked up in May; and District 6 had 26 tons or 52,000 pounds picked up in June.

The pick up rotation for the Large Item Pick up program will start over this month, on July 15. Those in District 1 are encouraged to place their items on the curb by 7 a.m. the morning of pick up. Items must be placed on the curb in order for City crews to pick up. City crews will not be able to pick up items from backyards, garages or inside homes.

Items accepted through Large Item Pick up are: appliances, brush/tree limbs, cuttings, etc, furniture, lumber, mattresses, and scrap metal. Items not allowed include: automotive products, parts, etc., chemicals and petroleum products, demolition/construction debris, paint and tires.

District maps can be found by visiting mybigspring.com.

For those needing more information regarding Large Item pick up, visit tmybigspring.com website or call the Public Works Director at 432-264-2501.

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Take Note

• NazFamily Church is gearing up for 2020 Vacation Bible School. VBS is set for July 6-10 from 5:30 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. NazFamily is located at 1400 Lancaster. For more information, call 432-267-7015.

• The Life Center in Big Spring is helping moms and dads with a Diaper Day Giveaway! Call for a five minute phone appointment and a pickup time for free diapers, wipes and formula. 432-606-5041.

• The National AARP Tax-Aide officials have notified us that they will not allow many of the local sites to reopen for tax preparation this year. They made the decision using a map that shows the growth of positive COVID-19 cases at this time. Since the numbers in Howard County have recently increased, our Big Spring site will not be allowed to reopen for 2020. There is a free government site that you may use to complete your own taxes. The website is: irs.gov/efile. The deadline for filing is July 15, 2020.

We appreciate the cooperation of the City of Big Spring for trying to help us get safe procedures in place to meet the national guidelines, and we

are very disappointed that we are not allowed to help our citizens with this importance service. You may contact Ray Alexander at 432-212-3533 if you have any questions.

• American Legion Post 506 will be holding a fish fry Saturday, June 26 from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. For delivery orders and until 2 p.m. for those wanting to pick up a plate. Plates are \$10 each and everyone is encouraged to come out and attend. American Legion is located at 3203 W. Hwy 80.

• The Senior Supper Club has come out of hibernation to resume its normal Tuesday evening dinners. The Come-One-Come-All group will be meeting at Spanish Inn on Tuesday June 16 at 5 p.m. and orders will be placed around 5:30 p.m. after much socializing from a distance. The Senior Supper Club is an informal group of folks from Howard County who meet at least weekly and sometimes more for Dutch-Treat food at different area restaurants. Sometimes the group also meets for cards, dominoes, or desserts and fellowship. For more information, contact Colonel.Allen.M.Morris@Gmail.com.

• St. Vincent de Paul will be open the following dates beginning May 2020. Food distribution will take place the second Thursday of each month from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and other assistance will take place the third Thursday of each month from 10:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. Both distributions will take place at 1009 Hearn at SVDP Building.

• Maranatha Baptist Academy located at 903 Johnson Street, in Big Spring, Texas, is currently open and taking applications for enrollment for 20-21 School year. We are a faith-based Christian Academy and use the individualized Accelerated Christian Education Curriculum for Kindergarten through 12th grade, out of Hendersonville, Tennessee. July 20, is our startup date and applications will be accepted year-round. Someone will take your call for information at 432-213-1046. Please leave a message and we will get back with you.

• Forsan Elementary has opened virtual pre-registration for 2020-21 school year. Due to COVID-19 pre-registration will be done virtually. Contact Mandy Buske with any questions

at 432-457-0091 ext. 203 or by email at abuske@forsan.esc18.net. All pre-registration packets will need to be completed and returned to Mandy Buske via email or fax. A copy of the following items need to be returned with the packet: certified birth certificate, social security card, immunization record, proof of residency for district students only (utility bill), parent driver's license and proof of income (pre-k only). Age requirements are: Pre-K – must be 4 years old on or before Sept. 1, 2020; Kindergarten – 5 years old on or before Sept. 1, 2020. New transfer students (Kindergarten 5th) may apply at this time.

• Pre-registration for CISD Kinder, Pre-K3 & Pre-K4 underway. Due to COVID-19, Coahoma Elementary will be handling Pre-K3, Pre-K4 and Kindergarten registration for the 2020-2021 school year a little differently.

For safety precautions, district officials will only take registration by phone at this time. The phone registration does not guarantee your child will be attending CES for the 2020-2021 school year, but it will give the district a starting point until restrictions are lifted.

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.

• A six-week course in Wellness and Quality of Life with Chronic Pain will be held at Spring Creek Fellowship at the Spring Town Plaza, 1801 E. FM 700. There is no charge for the course, and a workbook will be provided. Contact Steve Purdy at 432-517-4840 for more information.

• Caregivers Support Group, sponsored by the Area Agency on Aging, meets the second Tuesday of every month at 10:30 a.m. The meetings are held at the Senior Citizens Center located at 100 Whipkey Drive. These meetings are open for any caregiver, whether medical professional or family member. For more information, please call Becky Letz at 267-1628.

• Al-anon family group meets at 8 p.m. at 615 Settles.

• DivorceCare is a biblical support group for those facing divorce or separation. Each DVD session features nationally respected experts, such as Christian Counselors and Pastors. Small group discussions and workbook exercises help participants apply the information to their own situations. We cover pertinent issues like: • Will I survive? • How to get out of debt. • How do you know when you are ready for a new relationship? • How to lessen the impact of divorce on your children. • Is reconciliation possible?

There is no charge for attendance. 13-week seminars are held two times per year on Tuesday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. The next session begins Sept. 3, 2019. Visit the DivorceCare Ministry of TBC Facebook page for information. You can also call Donna Burcham at 267-6344 for information on seminar dates and how you can register to attend.

WEDNESDAY

• RSD (Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy) a chronic pain disease, a support and informative group, meets at 213 Circle. Call Lucy at 432-517-9207 for more information.

• Celebrate Recovery meets at First United Methodist Church Youth Hall, 400 Scurry, from 6-8 p.m. Hurts, habits and hang-ups. Leave message for Joyce Webb at 325-212-860

THURSDAY

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

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

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

• Bring Everyone Into The Zone, or BEITZ Support Group, is a veteran-based peer group. The purpose of the group is to provide peer-to-peer support to service members, veterans and families, especially those suffering from post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), traumatic brain injury (TBI), military sexual trauma (MST) and other traumatic events in their lives. BEITZ meets every Thursday at 6 p.m. at 501 Birdwell Lane. For more information, email francisco.garza@wtcmhmr.org, or call 432-268-3003.

• GriefShare is a biblical support group that focuses on helping people who are dealing with a loved one's death. Each DVD session features nationally respected grief experts and real-life stories, followed by small group discussion about the topics presented (with workbook support); there is no charge for attendance. 13-week seminars are held three times per year on Thursday evenings, 6 to 8 p.m., at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Visit the GriefShare Ministry of TBC Facebook page. You can also call Vivian Gordon at 432-466-3583 for information on seminar dates and how you can register to attend.

FRIDAY

• Reformers Unanimous International is a faith-based addictions program helping people find freedom from addiction. Meetings begin at 7 p.m. Fridays at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Enter at the main entrance of the church.

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

SATURDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous open discussion meeting, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. Open podium/speakers meeting 8 p.m. until 9 p.m. Open birthday night, no smoking meeting the last Saturday of each month at 8 p.m. Covered dish supper at 7 p.m.

SUNDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous closed meeting from 11 a.m. to noon at 615 Settles. Open meeting 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

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Tuesday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 74.

(Weather courtesy National Weather Service via forecast.weather.gov)

Opinion/Religion

Reflections: Prayer Perspective

Perhaps you have heard the story of the church that was incensed because a local bar opened across the street. Knowing nothing else to do, the church members mounted a prayer campaign to rid themselves of this blight on the neighborhood. They prayed that God would intervene to remove the bar.



BILL TINSLEY

A thunderous storm soon swept across the town and a streak of lightning lit up the sky, striking the bar. The building burst into flames and burned to the ground. The owner of the bar sued the church for the destruction of his property as a result of their prayers. The church defended itself claiming that the lightning strike was an accidental act of nature.

The judge sat perplexed in front of the plaintiff and defendant. "It appears," he said, "that I have a bar owner who believes in prayer and a church that doesn't."

During the Civil War, Abraham Lincoln pondered the issue of prayer. Both the north and the south were religious. Both believed they were right and both prayed for victory. After his death, the following note was found in his papers: "The will of God prevails — In great contests each party claims to act in accordance with the will of God. Both *may* be, and one *must* be wrong. God cannot be *for*, and *against* the same thing at the same time. In the present civil war it is quite possible that God's purpose is somewhat different from the purpose of either party."

It is widely reported that during the civil war Lincoln met with a group of ministers at a prayer breakfast who tried to encourage him. They told the president that they had prayed that "God would be on our side." Lincoln corrected them saying, "No, gentlemen, let us pray that we are on God's side."

How do we pray and what do we pray for? The Bible is clear that we should let our needs be known to God, that nothing is too great or too small for prayer. We must be careful, however, that our prayers are not merely extensions of our own self-interest and desires. And we must not allow prayer to degenerate into a tug of war to get God to line up on our side against the interests and desires of others.

When Jesus gave us the model prayer, he taught us to pray, "Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven." Everything else in the prayer flows from this and is secondary to this. But Jesus went a step further. He not only gave us a model prayer to guide our words, he demonstrated how to pray when he faced death on the cross and prayed, "Father, not my will but thine be done."

Prayer works best when it brings us into alignment with God and his purposes on the earth, purposes that often are at odds with our own. When we pray this way we will love our enemies, do good for those who abuse us and give ourselves generously for others.

Bill Tinsley reflects on current events and life experience from a faith perspective. His books are available at www.tinsleycenter.com. Email bill@tinsley-center.com.

Early summer drying could indicate a severe wildfire season in Texas
Texas A&M Forest Service encourages preparation now

Special to the Herald

Drought conditions in the western High Plains and South Plains and early drying across the state have led to an early start to the summer wildfire season.

Most of the state is trending three to four weeks ahead of typical early summer drying. Fire activity is also increasing earlier than normal, and the rainfall outlook over the next six weeks is not anticipated to be enough to reverse these trends.

Wildfire analysts with Texas A&M Forest Service report Texas could experience a severe summer wildfire season.

"The dryness we are currently seeing across portions of the state is, generally, what we would be experiencing in mid- to late-July," said Brad Smith, Texas A&M Forest Service Predictive Services department head.

"The drought that will carry over from the spring into the summer and the emerging drought that is developing in June have initiated an early start to the summer fire season. Early summer drying in June also introduces the possibility of experiencing a severe late-summer fire season."

Under these conditions, state officials are tracking an increased number of wildfire ignitions occurring across Texas. Since June 9, Texas A&M Forest Service and local fire departments responded to 90 wildfires that burned a total of 21,692 acres. Many

of the recent wildfires are attributed to equipment use, welding, debris burning and roadside starts.

"Texas is experiencing an uptick in wildfire activity across most of the state, and it's easy to think that a wildfire won't impact you until you see the smoke on the horizon," said Kari Hines, Texas A&M Forest Service Firewise coordinator.

"Now is the time to prepare your house and property to make them wildfire resilient. Create an evacuation plan for your family that includes pets and livestock. Look for the buildup of dead and dry vegetative material around your house, the driveway, and other important buildings, as this is where embers can gather and start fires."

Protect with preparation

Successfully preparing for a wildfire requires everyone to take personal responsibility for protecting themselves, their families and their properties.

Texas A&M Forest Service encourages Texans to take the following steps around their homes today to reduce the risk of wildfire:

- Clean out gutters of debris.
- Mow and water lawns.
- Move firewood a minimum of 30 feet from homes.
- Remove anything stored under decks or porches.
- Make sure home addresses are visible from the road.

If a wildfire is spotted, contact local authorities

immediately. A quick response can help save lives and property.

KBSB

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way.

"We want to extend a special invitation to the community service students from Big Spring High School and Howard College, and any other students who are looking for volunteer hours," she said. "This is a great way to get involved and help support the community."

The community is invited to come out and help the efforts. Bags and gloves will be provided for those who want to help. The group normally picks up for about an hour.

"We appreciate not only those who have come out and helped pick up trash, but we appreciate those who are helping spread the word."

She continued, "We are especially pleased when people see all the bags of trash and are astonished at how much we can accomplish in such a short amount of time."

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HISTORY

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two children, William Harry, born May 10, 1899 and Louise born November 9, 1901. George Wheeldon was tragically killed in a train wreck on November 19, 1902 leaving Beulah with a 3-year-old and an 18-month-old baby. Beulah purchased a new home at 400 Aylesford for her and the children.

Beulah went to work as a deputy clerk for Howard County where she served for over 35 years.

In 1910, Beulah married W.E. Carnrike, a machinist for the T&P Railroad.

Daughter Louise Wheeldon Middleton recalled how all the neighbors, that lived along Aylesford Street, were there for one another. They lived by Mittie Barrett, Dora Roberts, the Prichards, and Browns. "We would walk along the street sometimes stopping for a visit on the porch. There was nothing west of Aylesford street but pastureland." On one of those visits, Louise remembered fondly how Mrs. (Dora) Roberts was on the lot to the side of her house, plowing up her garden with the horse and plow. Mrs. Roberts unhitched her horse and came up on the porch to visit with the young girl. Mrs. Roberts told Louise that they had built their home at the end of the street out of the way so they would not be bothered with unwanted visitors. The porch had been built with the purpose of sitting out there where they could have their fans and enjoy the cooler breeze while visiting with one another. Mrs. Roberts particularly liked sitting on the porch reading her bible by the hour, not bothered by anyone. Louise said, "We could see all the courting that went on up that way with the two Roberts girls and the two Brown girls, you know!"

"We did not have sidewalks along Aylesford and 4th Streets. There was an enormous sand bed that buggies and cars would get stuck in. Burton Brown had just got one of the newly made automobiles and he would come around the corner driving as fast as he could. He inevitably would get stuck and us kids would be on hand to give him 'tow' sacks to put under the tires and push the car out. He always gave us a dime or a quarter or something, that's the way we

made our spending money" Louise Wheeldon.

Life was not easy during the early days of Big Spring. Louise recalled how the Notestines and Biles decided they were going to have an engagement announcement party for their children, during the late summer of 1908. "Everyone showed up in their finery." It was in the middle of summertime and extremely hot! The shades had been pulled down in the house and the big flowered lamps were turned on (coal oil lamps). Everybody that had a fancy lamp brought it so everything would look pretty for the party. The windows were down so they would not blow out the lamps.

Louise added "Mama said it was just so hot they nearly died that afternoon." The ladies had been up all morning, cooking, cleaning, and decorating as they prepared for the party and by the time the party came along, they were all dressed up in their finest clothes. Mama wore a black satin dress to that party in mid-summer. The sun was heating up the house like an oven."

The temperatures stayed in the upper 90's for the month and the only relief was when the sun set. Air conditioning consisted of a hand fan that the ladies would wave in front of their face.

Louise said, "When the party was over, mama and her friend, Mrs. Ward went home, put on the coolest summer dress they had, made a pitcher of lemonade, and went to the cellar to cool off!"

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Former Howard Hawks basketball player Tucson Redding moving on to NEO A&M



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Above left: Redding powers his way through a defender on his way to the basket. Above right: Redding snatched a rebound away from an Odessa player during a home game last season at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

By SHAWN MORAN

Herald Sports Writer

Former Howard Hawk basketball player Tucson Redding is taking his talents to Miami.

No, not that Miami.

Following a couple of weeks without a commitment decision from a former Hawk athlete, Redding recently announced his decision to play his sophomore season at Northeastern Oklahoma A&M (NEO A&M College).

Redding was the starting point guard for the Hawks throughout the majority of the 2019-20 season and had some big games. In fact, he finished second on the team in points per game (13.2) and was the team leader in assists per game (4.0).

Redding scored in double-digits in nine out of the last 12 games for the Hawks last season. Early in the year, he dropped his season-high 30 points and showed off his ability to take over any given game. He failed to meet the double-digit points marker only eight times during the long season and was consistently one of the strongest shooters for Howard.

In his announcement, Redding posted on his personal Twitter page a picture of him silhouetted by his new team's logo and with the simple message of that he is moving on to the "Next Chapter".

The Aurora, Colorado, native joins a large group of Howard players from the 2019 season to move on to their next school. Following a season where the

Hawks had one of the deepest backcourts in the Western Junior College Athletic Association (WJCAC), there will now be a completely new set of players to run Head Coach Scott Raines' system.

"We've been high on Tucson all year," Raines said after a breakout game from Redding last season.

Now, Redding will certainly step right into his new environment and compete for a job in the starting lineup. He has the ability to distribute the ball and the ability to score from all over the court. Redding is no slouch on defense either as he uses his speed to consistently come up with steals or his vertical jumping skills to come up with blocks near the rim. The versatility that he has displayed over the past year surely caught the eye of his new head coach.

NEO A&M plays in NJCAA Region 2 at the Division I level and finished with an outstanding 25-7 record last season. Redding will have a chance to start at point guard from Day One with the departure of the Golden Norsemen's starting point guard from last season.

Redding had a great one season in Big Spring, even with the season not ending the way they would have hoped. Now, he will head to take on his next challenge in Oklahoma.

It is time flip the page. It is time to start the next chapter.

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Brace yourself: The 2020 Texas high school football season will be different than any other

By GREG TEPPER

Dave Campbell's Texas Football

As far as I can tell, the 2020 Texas high school football season is slated to kick off in earnest at 5 p.m. CT on Thursday, August 27. That's when toe is scheduled to meet leather when San Marcos Baptist Academy hosts Dallas Fairhill School in a TAPPS six-man contest. The UIL season isn't far behind, at 6 p.m., with a handful of games across the Lone Star State — from Class 6A (Cy Springs at Katy Taylor) to Class 1A (Turkey Valley vs. Aspermont in the kickoff of the annual Jayton Gridiron Classic).

We're in that strange part of the calendar where time feels fluid. Football is simultaneously right around the corner (only 59 days!) and far off in the future (how are we expected to wait 59 more days?).

But as you know, because you are a living person in the remarkably awful year of 2020, a lot can happen in 59 days. And the upcoming Texas high school season feels more like a question mark than an exclamation point.

There's a lot of words being said and written about the future of Texas high school football. Here are two more that I think are particularly prudent.

BRACE

Let's all acknowledge: the 2020 Texas high school football season will be fundamentally different than the seasons that preceded it.

The COVID-19 pandemic is not the first global event that's affected Texas high school football — many schools didn't field teams during both World Wars; and natural disasters have played a factor as well, like when Galveston Ball canceled its 1900 season due to the Great Galveston Hurricane.

With the coronavirus causing troubling numbers in Texas right now, many Texas high school football programs have suspended their voluntary strength and conditioning workouts — some due to a positive test on the team, others as a precaution. And with spring football practices already canceled, it's fair to assume that this point that if and when football teams do get on the field,

they will be a bit rougher around the edges than we're used to seeing, especially in the early going.

Furthermore, it's experiencing the same event, that while we're all experiencing it differently, teams will be experiencing it differently. It's entirely possible that one team starts football season and plays it all the way through; another team starts football season but doesn't finish it; and another team doesn't start at all.

And this doesn't even address the topic of fans in the stands, which remains a total unknown. But I think it's fair to say at this juncture that it's highly unlikely that we'll see full stadiums in the fall.

This isn't to be alarmist or negative; quite the opposite. It's simply important that Texas high school football fans recognize that this year will certainly be different.

I remain optimistic that Texas high school football will happen in some form or fashion, but I'm also certain that it won't look like the 2019 season. It's prudent that Texas high school football fans brace themselves for that reality.

GRACE

Let's all acknowledge: everyone is flying pretty blind in this situation.

The status of the pandemic, especially here in Texas, is changing rapidly, as is our understanding of the virus itself. Three weeks ago, COVID-19 appeared to be ebbing across the Lone Star State; now, well, the situation has changed.

There are going to be a lot of decisions made

about and surrounding Texas high school football, by coaches and school districts and governing bodies like the UIL. Not all of them are going to be popular, in part because for some reason, we've turned a viral pandemic into a political wedge issue.

But these decisions are difficult and nuanced and frustrating, because the margin for error is slim. And to make matters worse, the rapidly changing information is going to make these decisions a moving target.

The UIL, school district administrators and Texas high school football coaches are, first and foremost, teachers — their No. 1 priority is not free safeties, but student safety.

What I would urge Texas high school football fans: offer some grace to the decision-makers. Assume the best intentions from them, not some sinister objective. These are challenging times and call for challenging decisions to be made; the least that Texas high school football fans can do is give the decision-makers the benefit of the doubt.

We all want football in the fall; nobody is rooting against the return of the Friday night lights. We're all in this together. But these extraordinary times will call for an extraordinary season, and we should prepare for that with an open mind.

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East side of Gregg/Hwy 87 to Goliad St. and the south

Public Notice

side of 1st Street to 10th St.

A depiction of the proposed designated area can be found at www.mybigspring.com. The public is encouraged to attend the meeting and present evidence for or against the proposed designation.

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The proposed disposal (disposal, treatment, and/or recycling) site is located 9 miles ENE(Direction) of Big Springs, TX (Nearest Municipality) in the Twp 1-N; T&P Railroad Company (Name of Original Survey) Survey, Howard County. The proposed disposal site is located onreal property owned by Ecoserv Permian, LLC (Name of Landowner).

Affected persons may protest this application. Protests must be in writing and must be received by the 15th day after the last date of publication of this notice. The last date of publication of this notice is expected to be July 6, 2020 (A Date) which means protests should be received by July 21, 2020(A Date 15 Days Later). Protests must be sent to: Technical Permitting Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512-463-3840).

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Annie's Mailbox

Anxious to the Point of Paralysis

Dear Annie: As birthdays and important holidays approach, like the recent Father's Day, I am forced to reanalyze my social anxiety all over again. I know I should call friends and family members to let them know I'm thinking about them, but I get butterflies in my stomach and put it off for hours because I feel like I never know what to say. When it comes to disagreements with anyone, I shake in my boots at the thought of arguing and causing a rift, so I will often let things that bother me go without telling the person when they've hurt me. Strangers are, of course, tougher.

Family is one of the most important things to me, so I want to maintain strong relationships with them and not let months go by without talking, but I don't know how to get over my silly fear of conversations. Currently, I don't have the money for counseling. Do you have any ideas or words of comfort for anyone struggling with this? -- Desperate to Change

Dear Desperate to Change: Making up

your mind to change is the first and hardest step when you want to change. You are already halfway to being able to reach out comfortably to family and friends. I applaud your desire to change. Some simple breathing exercises might help you take the edge off. Regular exercise and a healthy diet also help.

Try to take the focus off of yourself, and what you are feeling, and instead focus on how you want to make your friends and loved ones feel appreciated. Express how much you care about them; it'll leave both parties feeling great.

If you can't afford counseling, check out local support groups, perhaps as part of a church or a 12-step organization, that offer support for people with anxiety. You are not alone.

Dear Annie: My husband and I are in our 80s. When we were young, we enjoyed the usual sexual activities. As we became older, my husband's ability to have that kind of sex diminished. I did not initiate it because I was afraid that his not being able to perform would depress him. Drugs

helped, but he did not like the side effects. We just cuddled and kissed.

In the last couple of months, we discovered that we both could experience great pleasure by fondling each other. It is fun to play with each other while watching TV, lying in bed or just standing in the kitchen.

We want to invite others who have not discovered this different kind of sexual activity to give it a try. I know some women in my generation feel uncomfortable with erotic pursuits, but the ability to give and receive this kind of pleasure can make one's senior years more enjoyable. You don't have to worry about getting pregnant or a sexually transmitted infection. The pleasure can last much longer than when we were young. Try it. You will like it. -- Happy Grandmother

Dear Happy Grandmother: Good for you for keeping up a healthy sex life. Thanks for sharing your secrets.

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♣ —

EAST
♠ Q J 10
♥ 10 6 2
♦ 9 6
♣ K Q J 3 2

SOUTH
♠ 8 2
♥ J 9 4
♦ A K Q 8 5 3
♣ 9 6

The bidding:
West North East South
2♠ Dble 3♠ Dble
Pass 5♣ Pass 5♦
Pass 5♥ Pass 6♦

Opening lead — three of spades.

The exploits of Pakistan's Zia Mahmood have been chronicled in this space many times, and today's hand provides still another example. It occurred in an early qualifying match between the U.S. I and U.S. II teams at the 2007 Bermuda Bowl.

The bidding shown took place when Michael Rosenberg and Zia held the North-South cards. When the deal was played in only five diamonds at the other table, the declarer, Eric Rodwell, won the spade lead

with the ace, led a trump to his ace and ruffed his last spade in dummy. He then tried to cash the ace of clubs, but West ruffed and led a third spade.

Rodwell ruffed, drew trump and ran his remaining diamonds, forcing East to come down to three hearts and a high club. Rodwell then threw East in with a club and guessed to play the nine on East's low heart return, picking up West's queen to just make five diamonds.

When Zia was declarer at six diamonds, he eyed West's lead of the spade three — from a known six- or seven-card suit — with suspicion, and concluded that West was trying to direct his partner to give him a club ruff if he gained the lead at trick one. So, following his judgment, Zia won the spade ace and returned a low heart toward his J-9-4!

After East followed low, Zia inserted the nine, reasoning that East would surely have gone up with the queen — if he had it — and returned a club. West took the nine with the queen and continued with a heart, but Zia was now in full control.

He won the heart with the jack, ruffed his remaining spade, drew trump and discarded his club loser on one of dummy's top hearts. Making the slam yielded a 770-point gain (13 IMPs) for Zia's team, which went on to finish second to Norway for the world title.

Tomorrow: A sensational one-act play.

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

ANSWER:

Fun By The Numbers

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Tomorrow's Horoscope

BY HOLIDAY MATHIS



Aquarius Moon Dance

ARIES (March 21-April 19). Being in charge requires a variety of qualities. Knowing which is needed and when -- that's a skill in and of itself. Today you'll employ masterly powers of discernment.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). You're not about to ask the crowd, "How do you like me now?" because you were never doing it for them. You will, however, dig deeper into your own soul and pose that question.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). What a feeling! Your strategy is working, and momentum is building. Your goal will move as rapidly toward you as you are moving toward it.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Shadows tell you where the light is being blocked. If you want to get rid of the shadow, you don't try and move the shadow; you move yourself until you're out of the way of looming obstacles. Find the light again.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). As an event draws near, you wonder if you'll ever feel ready. Maybe not. It's a good thing that readiness is irrelevant in acts of inevitability. Once you jump in, you are at the whims of the fall.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Throw some compassion back to your former self. Sympathize with the you

who has been in difficult positions. With a soft heart, you'll have few regrets, and the ones you do have will not carry much weight.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Twice-told tales change in the telling. Popular stories are told not twice but hundreds of times. The wise listener keeps an open mind, listening through the filters of fiction and metaphor instead of fact.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Today's cosmic boon is a gift for enjoying yourself, and it will work for others, too. What's best for you will be what's best for everyone around you today.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). It's a wonderful thing to find out that you need far less to live and enjoy yourself than you think. Life doesn't have to give you a loss in order for you to come to the conclusion that you want to live lighter.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Which is needed most, courage or tact? Both take a great deal of energy. Tact takes more. In

fact, in today's case, tact may be the most courageous move of all.

Also, yes or no?"

Usually, yes.

The beauty of yes is that it can be steered. As a former student of the theater, I like to follow the cardinal rule of improvisation, which is encapsulated in the two little words "yes, and ..." For many, "yes, and ..." is more than an improvisational rule; it's a lifestyle. The yes is your agreement to and acceptance of whatever life brings. The "and" is your personal stamp. That's the proof that you were here and you made life go in a particular direction. Putting your "and" into the world makes you vulnerable because there's always a risk that what you add is going to be strange, weird and somehow unacceptable. That is precisely what makes "and" an important add-on and a chance to exert your bravery. Life in an "agree and steer" mode is far more interesting, smooth and expansive than a life in "no" mode.

I'm going to guess that you are one of the signs of duality, like Gemini, the duality of twins; Libra, the duality of balancing one thing against another; or Scorpio, the duality of life and death.

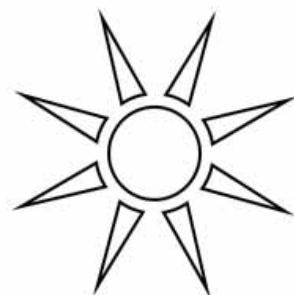
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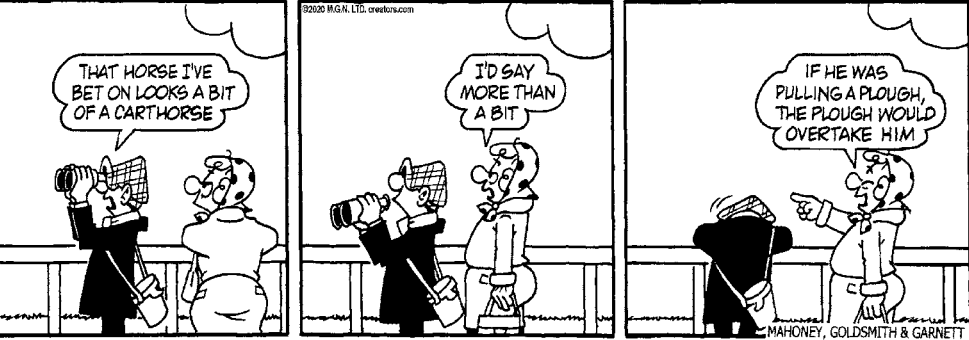
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| sandwich | jelly | vegetables |
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| snack | potato salad | cupcakes |
| chicken | basket | cookies |

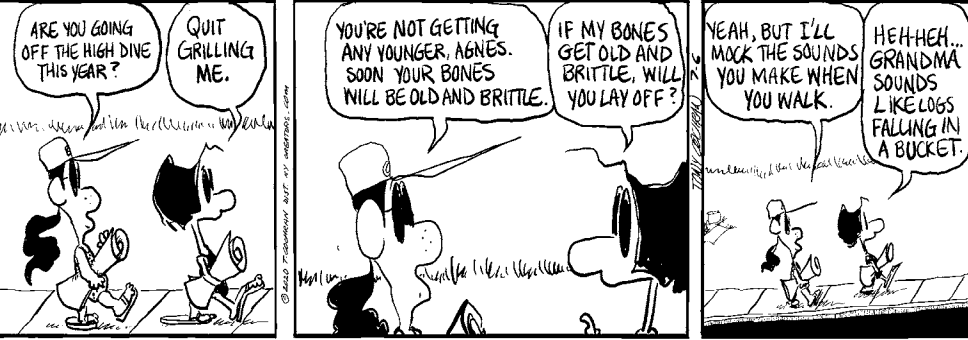
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5 :PM	Big 2	Noticiero	Broke Girl	CBS 7	Tele	News	Christ	Royal Myths	Flintstone	Burgers	Fam. Guy	Movie: London Has Fallen (DVS)	SportsCenter	Jalen Question	World Poker	Chicago P.D.	Hoarders	Street-Memphis	
6 :PM	ABC News	Rosa de Guadalupe	Big Bang	CBS 7	Minuto para ganar	News	Families	PBS News-Hour	M*A*S*H	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	The Basketball Tournament	The Basketball Tournament	Wimbledon Encore	NBA Basketball	Chicago P.D.	Hoarders	Street-Memphis	
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8 :PM	Amor eterno	Como tú no hay dos	FOX 24 News at 9	Bull	Enemigo Intimo (SS)	Dateline NBC	News	Amanpour-Co	C. Burnett	black-ish	Conan	(:15) Movie: Red 2, Mary-Louise Parker (DVS)	SportsCenter	NBA Basketball	NBA Basketball	Miz & Mrs	Hoarders	(:01) Diesel Brothers	
9 :PM	Big 2	Noticiero	TMZ	CBS 7	Telemundo 20	News	News	Words of House	Perry Mason	black-ish	Conan	Movie: The Wolverine, Famke Janssen (DVS)	SportsCenter	NBA Basketball	Into	Miz & Mrs	Hoarders	(:01) Street Outlaws	
10 :PM	J. Kimmel	Noticiero	Mom	Late Show-Colbert	Titulares	Tonight Show	Words of House	Antiques Roadshow	Twi. Zone	Gold	Conan	Movie: The Wolverine, Famke Janssen (DVS)	SportsCenter	NBA Basketball	Hoover	Mod Fam	Hoarders	Street Outlaws: Memphis	
11 :PM	Nightline	Contacto deportivo	Funny	James Corden	100 dias para enam	Seth Meyers	Dollars	American Experience (DVS)	Alfred Hitchcock Hr.	Millionaire	Brooklyn	Movie: The Wolverine, Famke Janssen (DVS)	SportsCenter	NBA Basketball	Kayak	Mod Fam	Hoarders	Street Outlaws: Memphis	
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1 :AM	Mel Robbins	Papá a toda madre	Pawn	ET	Programa	News	Light of Southwest	Programa	Inside Ed.	Easy	Brooklyn	Movie: The Wolverine, Famke Janssen (DVS)	SportsCenter	NBA Basketball	UFC 251 Countdown	Tennis Clas-sics	NCIS: Los Angeles	Hoarders	(:01) Diesel Brothers
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This Date In History

Today in History
Today is Monday, July 6, the 188th day of 2020. There are 178 days left in the year.
Today's Highlight in History: On July 6, 1942, Anne Frank, her parents and sister entered a "secret annex" in an Amsterdam building where they were later joined by four other people; they hid from Nazi occupiers for two years before being discovered and arrested.
On this date:
In 1777, during the American Revolution, British forces captured Fort Mifflin. In 1854, the first official meeting of the Republican Party took place in Jackson, Michigan.
In 1885, French scientist Louis Pasteur tested an anti-rabies vaccine on 9-year-old Joseph Meister, who had been bitten by an infected dog; the boy did not develop rabies.
In 1944, an estimated 168 people died in a fire that broke out during a performance in the main tent of the Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus in Hartford, Connecticut.
In 1945, President Harry S. Truman signed an executive order establishing the Medal of Freedom.
In 1957, Althea Gibson became the first Black tennis player to win a Wimbledon singles title as she defeated fellow American Darlene Hard 6-3, 6-2.
In 1962, Nobel Prize-winning author William Faulkner, one of the giants of Southern literature, died in Byhalia (beye-HAYL-yuh), Mississippi, at age 64.
In 1967, war erupted as Nigeria sent troops into the secessionist state of Biafra.
In 1971, jazz trumpeter and singer Louis Armstrong died in New York at age 69.
In 1988, 167 North Sea oil workers were killed when explosions and fires destroyed a drilling platform. Medical waste and other debris began washing up on New York City-area seashores, forcing the closing of several popular beaches.
In 1997, the rover Sojourner rolled down a ramp from the Mars Pathfinder lander onto the Martian landscape to begin inspecting the soil and

rocks of the red planet.
In 2004, Democratic presidential candidate John Kerry chose former rival John Edwards to be his running mate.
Ten years ago: President Barack Obama and Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu dismissed talk of a rift at a White House meeting. Queen Elizabeth II addressed the United Nations for the first time since 1957 during her first New York visit in over 30 years; she then laid a wreath at ground zero. Actress Lindsay Lohan was sentenced to 90 days in jail and 90 days in a residential substance-abuse program after a judge found the actress had violated her probation in a 2007 drug case by failing to attend alcohol education classes. (Lohan ended up serving 14 days behind bars and was released on Aug. 2.)
Five years ago: The Associated Press obtained documents in which Bill Cosby admitted in 2005 that he'd secured quaaludes with the intent of giving them to young women he wanted to have sex with and that he gave the sedative to at least one woman and other people; Cosby's lawyers insisted that two of the accusers knew they were taking quaaludes from the comedian, according to the unsealed documents. Pope Francis received a hero's welcome in Guayaquil, Ecuador's biggest city, as he celebrated the first public Mass of his South American tour.
One year ago: Brazilian singer, guitarist and songwriter Joao Gilberto, considered one of the fathers of bossa nova music, died at the age of 88. Prosecutors dropped a manslaughter charge against an Alabama woman, Marsha Jones, who had lost her fetus when she was shot during what authorities said was an argument over the fetus' father.
Today's Birthdays: The 14th Dalai Lama, Tenzin Gyatso, is 85. Actor Ned Beatty is 83. Singer Gene Chandler is 80. Country singer Jeannie Seely

is 80. Actor Burt Ward is 75. Former President George W. Bush is 74. Actor-director Sylvester Stallone is 74. Actor Fred Dryer is 74. Actress Shelley Hack is 73. Actress Nathalie Baye is 72. Actor Geoffrey Rush is 69. Actress Allyce Beasley is 69. Rock musician John Bazz (The Blasters) is 68. Actor Grant Goodeve is 68. Country

singer Nanci Griffith is 67. Retired MLB All-Star Willie Randolph is 66. Jazz musician Rick Braun is 65. Actor Casey Sander is 65. Country musician John Jorgenson is 64. Former first daughter Susan Ford Bales is 63. Hockey player and coach Ron Duquay (doo-GAY) is 63. Actress-writer Jennifer Saunders is 62. Rock musician

John Keeble (Spandau Ballet) is 61. Actor Pip Torrens is 60. Actor Brian Posehn is 54. Actor Robb Derringer is 53. Political reporter/moderator John Dickerson is 52. Actor Brian Van Holt is 51. Rapper Inspectah Deck (Wu-Tang Clan) is 50. TV host Josh Elliott is 49. Rapper 50 Cent is 45. Actresses Tia and Tamera Mowry are 42.

Comedian-actor Kevin Hart is 41. Actress Eva (EH'-vuh) Green is 40. Actor Gregory Smith is 37. Rock musician Chris "Woody" Wood (Bastille) is 35. Rock singer Kate Nash is 33. Actor Jeremy Suarez is 30. Baseball star Manny Machado is 28. NBA star Zion Williamson is 20.

Newsday Crossword

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- ACROSS**
1 Skin irritation from poison ivy
5 Cap or derby
8 Medicinal tablet
12 "Ring-a-round" girl of kids' rhyme
13 On ___ (burning)
14 A Great Lake
15 High society group
16 In the past
17 Underground part of a plant
18 Detective's handheld illuminator
20 Rustic hotels
21 With the necessary skills
22 Game of Thrones cable channel
24 Big-beaked parrots
28 Skyscraper's steel beam
31 "Victory is mine!"
32 Indoor sports venue
34 Celebrity, for short
36 Detective's handheld view enlarger
40 Historical period
41 Variety of shoe leather
42 Poems of praise
43 Hole-boring machines
45 The Sahara, for one
47 Hair-stiffening goo
48 "When You Wish ___ a Star"
50 Long-necked graceful bird
53 Detective's tiny picture taker

- 59 Angel's circular topper
60 Leave off the list
61 Wizard's skill
62 Aroma
63 Grains in granola bars
64 Marry on the run
65 St. ___ (city near Tampa)
66 Direction opposite SSW
67 Not as much
- DOWN**
1 Paper towel package
2 China's continent
3 Takes a chair
4 Donkey sound
5 Door-to-wall hardware
6 Curve of a foot
7 Getting new molars, say
8 End-of-sentence dot

- 9 Metal in dumbbells
10 Roaring big cat
11 Allows
12 Boxing official, for short
13 Aluminum wrap for leftovers
19 16-oz. measures
23 Boast
24 Performer who doesn't talk
25 Emmy or Oscar
26 "Close but no ___"
27 Raggedy doll
28 Microscopic bit of heredity
29 Manage to get away from
30 Early ___ (morning person)
32 "Yea" votes
33 Get ___ of (throw out)
35 "Hey you!" whisper

- 37 Land surrounded by water
38 Shining circle in the night sky
39 ___ Angeles, CA
44 Pay no attention to
45 Nickname for a physician
46 Outer layer of a molar
48 Bring together
49 Seeds of peaches or cherries
50 Boutique
51 Walk through water
52 Frequently, informally
54 "Ask me; ___ expert!"
55 Bull or stallion
56 Self-images
57 Tears in paper
58 Card higher than a king

Answer to previous puzzle

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