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Deputy struck by car in Lady Lake

Leesburg man also suffered serious leg injuries in crash

Staff Report

LADYLAKE — A Lake County Sheriff's deputy investigating a car burglary just before day-break Wednesday was struck by a passing car while standing on



Pringle

the side of the road near his patrol car. Deputy Austin Pringle suffered what investigators described as "serious" head injuries and was flown to Orlando Regional Medical Center, where he was

listed in stable condition late Wednesday morning. A man that Pringle was talking to about the car burglary was also struck and taken to Leesburg Regional Medical Center with serious leg injuries.

According to sheriff's officials, Deputy Pringle was on his way home from working the night shift about 6:15 a.m. when

he heard a call on the radio about an attempted car burglary in the Lady Lake area. The report indicated that some people had attempted to break into the car and fled on foot.

As Pringle was driving to the area along Grays Airport Road, he noticed a man walking along the road and pulled over to investigate whether the man

was involved in the burglary.

The Florida Highway Patrol, which was called in to investigate the crash, said the deputy parked his car on the side of the northbound, face south, and both men were standing in the outermost lane talking when a car passed and hit them both.

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Veterans from all branches of the military and of all ages participated in a free cookout in downtown Leesburg on Nov. 10. in Lake County. The population of residents aged 65 and older grew by 20,000 people, from 71,825 to 91,769, while kids under the age of 18 grew by just 5,300 (61,741 to 67,047) in the last seven years. [WHITNEY LEHNECKER/DAILY COMMERCIAL]

Lake is growing up

Census data reveals fast growth and an aging population

By Tom McNiff
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LEESBURG — Lake County is growing fast, aging and becoming more diverse, according to data recently

released by the U.S. Census Bureau.

Lake added 49,000 people between 2010 and 2017, swelling from a total of 297,052 people in 2010 to 346,017 in 2017. The county's

16.6 percent growth rate far surpassed Florida's overall rate of just over 11 percent.

The Census Bureau is best known for its once-a-decade report on America's population. But the bureau

compiles many other reports on an annual basis. At this time each year it releases detailed reports on population, age and diversity.

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Official: Trump pressed aides on invasion

By Joshua Goodman
The Associated Press

BOGOTA, Colombia — As a meeting last August in the Oval Office to discuss sanctions on Venezuela was concluding, President Donald Trump turned to his top aides and asked an unsettling question: With a fast unraveling Venezuela threatening regional security, why can't the U.S. just simply invade the troubled country?

The suggestion stunned those present at the meeting, including U.S. Secretary of State Rex Tillerson and national security adviser H.R. McMaster, both of whom have since left the administration. This account of the previously undisclosed conversation comes from a senior administration official familiar with what was said.

In an exchange that lasted around five minutes, McMaster and others took turns explaining to Trump how military action could backfire and risk losing hard-won support among Latin American governments to punish President Nicolas Maduro for taking Venezuela down the path of

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Journalists struggle to keep threats from escalating



Colleen Joseph prays over the crosses at a makeshift memorial at the scene outside the office building housing The Capital Gazette newspaper in Annapolis, Md., on Sunday. [JOSE LUIS MAGANA/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS]

By Tamara Lush
The Associated Press

TAMPA — After a Florida radio station's general manager told hosts they didn't have to put an obnoxious repeat caller on the air a couple of months ago, the man stood on the sidewalk outside and vented his irritation with the station through a bullhorn.

Craig Kopp, manager of WMNF-FM in Tampa, said the guy left for a while but reappeared — the day after a shooting left five Maryland newspaper employees dead.

Now Kopp's stomach is twisted in knots wondering

how to handle the situation.

"I walk this fine line all the time between the most precious of things, the First Amendment, and health and safety," said Kopp, a broadcast veteran in charge of 70 volunteers who host music, news and heated political talk shows on the listener-supported station.

The difficulties journalists face when dealing with threatening behavior from members of the public came into stark relief in Thursday's deadly attack at the Capital Gazette in Annapolis.

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NATION & WORLD

Trump hails 'American heroes' who helped US win independence

By Darlene Superville
The Associated Press

STERLING, Va. — President Donald Trump wished America a happy Fourth of July holiday Wednesday and reserved special praise for the “American heroes” whose sacrifice he said helped the nation win her independence 242 years ago.

Trump tweeted a short video that included well wishes from him and first lady Melania Trump. The Trumps were hosting a White House picnic for military families later Wednesday, followed by a concert and viewing of the fireworks on the National Mall.

“Our freedom has been earned through the blood and sweat and sacrifice of American heroes,” Trump said.

Trump left the White House on Wednesday morning clad in a white short-sleeved shirt, dark slacks and a cap and was driven west across the Potomac River in the direction of the private golf club he owns in Northern Virginia.

The White House did not immediately confirm that Trump is at the club. Reporters were not allowed to accompany him to his destination, as is the case with virtually all presidential travel.

Trump got into the Independence Day spirit a day earlier by celebrating active-duty service members during a military tribute Tuesday night in White Sulphur Springs, West Virginia. At the “Salute to Service” charity dinner, Trump praised “Americans of every generation” who have served in the armed forces.



President Donald Trump speaks during a “Salute to Service” dinner on Tuesday in White Sulphur Springs, W.Va. [EVAN VUCCI/AP]

LOTTERY

Tuesday, July 3
Mega Millions:
13-35-45-49-68-23-x2
Lucky Money: 11-14-24-30-5
Fantasy 5: 12-27-28-29-36

Wednesday, July 4
Pick 5
Afternoon: 1-0-9-9-3
Pick 4
Afternoon: 4-5-5-3
Pick 3
Afternoon: 9-5-9
Pick 2
Afternoon: 3-1

Warm in blankets, Thai boys smile, joke with rescuer in cave

By Tassanee Vejpongsa
The Associated Press

MAE SAI, Thailand — Their skinny faces illuminated by a flashlight, the Thai soccer teammates stranded for nearly two weeks in a partly flooded cave said in a video released Wednesday that they were healthy, as heavy rains forecast for later this week threatened to complicate plans to safely extract the boys.

The 12 boys and their coach are seen in the video sitting with Thai navy SEALs in the dark cave. The boys, many wrapped in foil warming blankets, take turns introducing themselves, pressing their hands together in a traditional Thai greeting and saying their names and that they are healthy.

The video, lasting about a minute, was recorded sometime Tuesday and was posted on the navy SEAL Facebook page Wednesday morning. The navy later released two more videos of the boys.

The boys, aged 11-16, and their 25-year-old coach disappeared after they went exploring in the Tham Luang Nang Non cave in northern Chiang Rai province after a soccer game June 23. The teammates, who were trapped inside when heavy rains flooded the cave, were found by rescue divers Monday night during a desperate search that drew assistance from experts around the globe.

Authorities said the boys, who had also been shown Tuesday in a video shot by the British diver who discovered them, were being looked after by seven members of the Thai navy SEALs, including medics, who were staying with them inside the cave. They were mostly in stable condition and have received high-protein drinks.

In all of the videos, the boys appeared in good spirits. In the most recent video, a navy SEAL is shown treating minor cuts on the feet and legs of the boys with antibiotic ointment. Several of the boys are seen smiling as they interact with the navy SEAL, who cracks jokes.

Seeing the boys has boosted the mood of their family members, and officials are working



Family members of the 12 boys and their soccer coach watch a video clip of 12 boys on television after they were found alive in Mae Sai, Chiang Rai province, in northern Thailand on Wednesday. [SAKCHAI LALIT/AP]

to install an internet cable to the cave so that parents can talk to their children.

Kian Kamluang, whose 16-year-old son, Pornchai, is in the cave, said she had thought there was a 50 percent chance that her son would be found.

“It’s like he has been given a new life,” she said, adding that she’ll never let her son go into a cave or near water again.

Those waiting for the boys to come out included a group of students who are friends with some of the boys trapped inside, who sang a song in front of the entrance to show their support.

Several religious figures have also shown up, the most popular being a famous Buddhist monk, Kruba Boonchum, who when he first visited the scene had predicted that the boys would be found this week.

He returned Wednesday to offer prayers for their safe rescue, and as measure of the respect in which he was held, was allowed access to the cave, which is generally off-limits to outsiders.

SEAL commander Rear Adm. Arpakorn Yookongkaew said Tuesday that there was no rush to bring the group out of the cave, since they’re safe where they are. The current flooding situation means the boys would have to dive, which rescue experts have said



Thai boys smile as Thai Navy SEAL medic help injured children inside a cave in Mae Sai, northern Thailand. [ROYAL THAI NAVY FACEBOOK PAGE VIA AP]

could be extremely dangerous.

While efforts to pump out floodwaters are continuing, some Thai officials have indicated that heavy rains forecast for this weekend could force them to decide the boys should swim and dive out using the same complicated route of narrow passageways through which their rescuers entered.

Chiang Rai provincial Gov. Narongsak Osatanakorn said Wednesday that the boys have been practicing wearing diving masks and breathing, but he doesn’t believe they have attempted any practice dives.

He said it is unknown when an extraction could be attempted, but it is unlikely to be Wednesday.

“If it’s risky or not safe, we will not proceed yet,”

Narongsak said. “It has to be 100 percent safe.”

He also said the boys and their coach may not all be extracted at the same time, depending on their health. He said authorities will evaluate their readiness each day and if there is any risk will not proceed.

Authorities said they were still exploring other options, such as scouring the mountainside for other ways into the cave and finding faster ways to pump water from the cave.

Cave rescue experts have said it could be safest to simply supply the boys where they are for now, and wait for the water to go down. That could take months, however, given that Thailand’s rainy season typically lasts through October.

UK police probing 6 assault claims against Kevin Spacey

The Associated Press

LONDON — British police are investigating six claims of sexual assault or assault by Academy Award-winning actor Kevin Spacey, three more than previously disclosed.

British media reported earlier this year that London’s Metropolitan Police force was investigating three allegations against the former “House of Cards” star.

Police in Britain don’t name suspects until they are charged. Asked about Spacey, the force did not identify him by name but said Wednesday that detectives had received

a total of five allegations of sexual assault and one of assault against a man.

Five of the alleged offenses took place in London between 1996 and 2008, and the sixth in the western English city of Gloucester in 2013.

Spacey, a two-time Oscar winner, has been accused of sexual assault and inappropriate behavior by numerous men since American actor Anthony Rapp alleged last year that Spacey had climbed on top of him on a bed when Rapp was 14 and Spacey 26.

After Rapp’s allegation, London’s Old Vic theater, where Spacey was artistic director for 11 years until

2015, launched an investigation into its former leader. The theater said in November that it had received 20 allegations of inappropriate behavior by Spacey, and had encouraged 14 of the complainants to go to the police.

Spacey apologized to Rapp in October for “deeply inappropriate drunken behavior” and later released a statement saying he was seeking unspecified treatment. He has not commented on the other allegations.

In the wake of the allegations he was fired from political drama “House of Cards” and erased from Ridley Scott feature “All the



Kevin Spacey was one of many celebrities whose careers were derailed by sexual allegations on 2017. [AP FILE]

Money in the World.” The film “Billionaire Boys Club,” a financial drama Spacey shot in 2015, is due for release this summer.

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EUSTIS Trout Lake Nature Center offering lessons for educators

Trout Lake Nature Center is hosting a professional development opportunity for educators on July 27.

Educators will receive training from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in two national programs — Project WILD and Project WET 2.0. Project WILD was developed to foster knowledge about wildlife and the environment and to teach related skills. Project WET 2.0 teaches that water is a finite resource that must be managed and protected.

The workshop offers new teaching ideas in such subjects as science, math, social studies, language arts, physical education, music and art. Both programs comply with state and national education standards and feature activities for pre-K to 12th-grade classrooms. Participating teachers are eligible for in-service credit.

Cost is \$20 and includes lunch, both project manuals and other materials. Trout Lake is at 520 E. County Road 44. To register, go to www.universe.com/wetwild2018.

For details, call 352-357-7536 or 386-916-6834 or email tlnc.director@gmail.com.

CLERMONT Pine Ridge earns Gold status as model school

Pine Ridge Elementary School has achieved Gold status as a model school for 2017-2018.

The honor comes from the Florida Positive Behavioral Interventions & Support project, through the University of South Florida's Florida Center for Inclusive Communities.

Model schools are committed to the project's mission to improve social, emotional and academic outcomes for all students, especially those with disabilities and those from "underrepresented" groups. To achieve the recognition, Pine Ridge Elementary was required to meet a list of criteria that exemplify special efforts toward the success of students who have special needs.

Pine Ridge became a model school during the 2013-2014 school year. They are the first model school in the district. They reached Silver Level status during the 2016-2017 school year. Gold Level status is the top model school status.

"Recognition as a FLPBIS Model School speaks to the positive learning community at Pine Ridge Elementary," said Principal Laine Obando.

TAVARES District hosting summer hiring event July 19

Lake County Schools will host its first summer hiring event on July 19.

The event, from 9 a.m. to noon at Mount Dora High School, offers job-seekers the chance to meet with hiring managers for onsite interviews and to ask questions about prospective career paths. Candidates are encouraged to bring resumes.

Officials are seeking certified or Florida-eligible teachers for core areas such as language arts, math, science and special education. However, this hiring event will place special emphasis on non-instructional roles within the district, including psychologists, teaching assistants, bus drivers, food service assistants and custodians. Full-time, part-time and flexible employment positions are available.

For information, go to www.lake.k12.fl.us/District/JobFair.

TAVARES Congressional District 6 candidate forum slated for July 19

The North Lake Tea Party and the Lake Federated Republican Women's Club will host a forum for Republican candidates for the 6th Congressional District on July 19.

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State looks to boost university system



Graduates look on during Lake-Sumter State College's spring commencement on May 4 at the Everett A. Kelly Convocation Center in Leesburg. [WHITNEY LEHNECKER/DAILY COMMERCIAL]

By Lloyd Dunkelberger
News Service of Florida

TALLAHASSEE — Last fall, more than one out of every four students enrolled at state universities came from the Florida college system.

But data, presented last week to the Florida Board of Governors, showed that more students from state and community colleges could be moving into universities, where they could earn bachelor's degrees that would likely correlate with higher earnings over their lifetimes.

In the 2016-2017 academic year, 61 percent of the 57,864 students who earned associate of arts degrees at the 28 schools in the college system applied for admission to state universities. More than 30,000 students, or 86 percent, were accepted, but only 25,000 of those students actually enrolled.

That data is being collected as part of an effort to improve Florida's "two plus two" articulation system. The system allows students to start their

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Showing spirit



Members of the Lake Federated Republican Women's Club walk down Donnelly Street on Wednesday. [CITY OF MOUNT DORA]

Mount Dora Independence Day parade filled with plenty of American pride

The day after the city of Mount Dora filled its skies with fireworks, many local officials, clubs and residents took to Donnelly Street Wednesday for the annual Independence Day parade. Among the participants were Lake County Democratic and Republican clubs, Sheriff Peyton Grinnell, Mount Dora Mayor Nick Gironi, Commissioner Sean Parks and many others.



Mount Dora's Canine Mayor Baylor rides in a golf cart down Donnelly Street on Wednesday. [CITY OF MOUNT DORA]



Cub Scout Pack 19 marches down Donnelly Street on Wednesday. [CITY OF MOUNT DORA]



A man dressed as Uncle Sam rides an antique bike down Donnelly Street on Wednesday. [CITY OF MOUNT DORA]

Battle by beetle: Tiny bug combats invasive air potato vines

By Katie Landeck
Gatehouse Media Florida

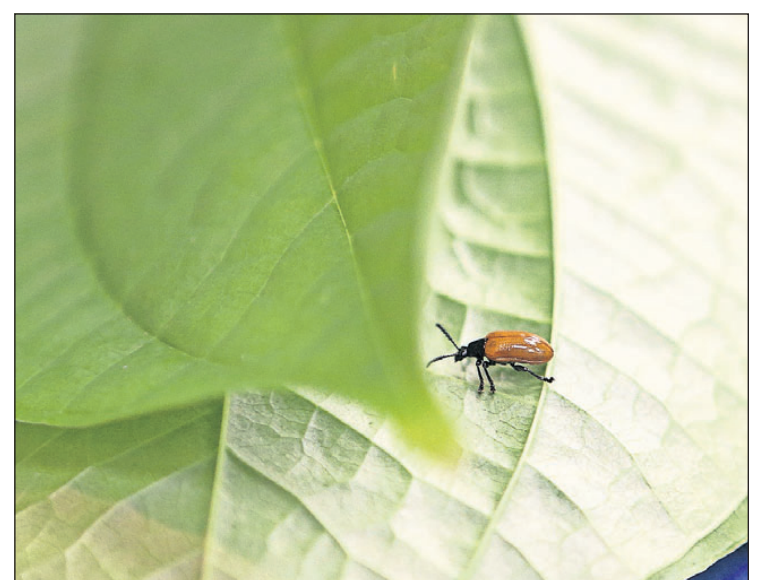
PANAMA CITY — The appetite of a tiny beetle might be Florida's best defense against the fast growing, invasive air potato vine.

"Ten beetles is all they need, assuming you get some females," Kristen Bowers, a PhD student at the University of Florida. "It's not going to eradicate it, but it'll keep it from spreading further ... and it

allows other plants to compete with it."

On Wednesday, representatives from the University of Florida were in Panama City distributing paper coffee mugs serving as makeshift homes for colonies of *Lilioceris cheni* — better known as the air potato leaf beetle — to homeowners looking for a little extra oomph in their fight against the air potato vine.

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An air potato leaf beetle walks over leaves on an air potato vine. UF/IFAS representatives gave away cups of the beetles Wednesday to locals wanting a natural way to control the invasive vines in their yards. The twining vine can be found throughout Florida, and it can grow up to eight inches in a day. [PATTI BLAKE/GATEHOUSE MEDIA]

County offering more bear-resistant trash cans

Lake charging \$40 per can, in 65- and 95-gallon sizes

Staff Report

TAVARES — Lake County recently received another batch of bear-resistant garbage cans, available to residents in areas with the most reported human-bear interactions.

The cans, purchased through a \$85,508 Florida Fish & Wildlife grant, cost \$40 and can be purchased on a first-come, first-served basis.

Both 95-gallon and 65-gallon carts are available. Lake County's Solid Waste staff will deliver the cans in exchange for the resident's existing county trash can. To request a bear-resistant can, call 352-343-3776.

"Summer is the ideal time order carts, as bears become most active during the upcoming fall months," said Mary Hamilton, environmental services manager. "We encourage all residents to be bear-wise and practice the safe disposal of trash."

For residents who do not have a bear-resistant cart but still want to keep bears away, Fish & Wildlife suggests to place a household garbage in a sturdy shed or garage, then put the garbage out on the morning of pickup rather than the night before.

Other tips from Fish & Wildlife:

- Protect gardens, beehives, compost and livestock with electric fencing.
- Encourage your

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post-high-school careers at colleges and earn associate degrees in two years. They then move on to state universities, where after another two years, they can earn bachelor's degrees.

Wendy Link, a member of the university system's Board of Governors, said Florida's college-university articulation system is "the envy of the nation." But she said the university and college systems are looking to make it better.

"As with all things, there are ways to improve upon it," said Link, who leads the board's Two (Plus) Two Articulation Committee.

Among the issues state higher-education officials will be looking at in the next few months are:

- The 5,000 students

who are accepted at state universities but never enroll.

- The 38.8 percent of college students who earn associate degrees but never apply to a state university, a percentage that has increased from 35.5 percent in 2013-2014.

- The 91 percent of college students who only apply to one state university. Some 95 percent of the students denied university admission applied to only one school, although they are guaranteed admission to at least one of the 12 state universities once they earn their associate degrees.

- The 27 percent graduation rate, after two years, when college students transfer to state universities. That is much lower than the 49 percent graduation rate for students who enroll for four years at state universities. However, the six-year graduation rate for the college transfer students, at 68 percent, is similar

to the 72 percent for the non-transfer university students.

Madeline Pumariega, chancellor of the college system, said Florida produces more associate degrees than any other state and that 63 percent of Florida high school students who move into post-secondary programs do so at state colleges.

Pumariega said there are opportunities for improvement in some areas like the 5,000 students accepted at universities who never enroll. But she also said there are other factors that influence the students' decisions, including being "place bound" because of financial, family or work obligations and not being able to attend schools distant from their hometowns.

She said financial aid and the ages of the students are other factors. The new data showed the average age of the

enrolled college transfer student was 25.5 years in 2017, compared to a little over 20 years for the four-year university students.

Pumariega also said her review of her system's data showed that younger students who earn associate degrees are much more likely to transfer to state universities than older students. She said 84 percent of the students under the age of 25 enrolled at a university, while that percentage is reduced for older students who are "balancing work and life."

Board of Governors members also heard testimony about the University of Central Florida's DirectConnect program, which is designed to help state college students transfer to UCF. The Orlando school leads the state university system by taking more than 30 percent of the college transfers.

A key member of that program is Valencia College, the third-largest school in the state college system.

Sandy Shugart, president of Valencia, said his school has worked closely with UCF to develop the transfer program that guarantees college students admission at the university once they earn their associate degrees. The program is enhanced by UCF placing counselors on the Valencia campus to advise students who are part of the program.

Funeral Services

Bertha Mae Perry



Funeral Services for Bertha Mae Perry, 80, of Sorrento, FL will be held Saturday, July 7,

2018 at 11 :00 A.M. at Sorrento Christian Center 32441 County Road 437 Sorrento, FL. Interment will follow in Lakeside Memory Gardens, Eustis, FL. Visitation will be held Friday, July 6, 2018 at Refuge Church of Our Lord, 25200 State Road 46, Sorrento, FL, 32776 from 6PM-8PM. www.zandersfuneralhome.com "A Zanders Service" (407) 886-3388 *(407)886-5656 (FAX)

E.T. Threat



Funeral Services for E.T. Threat age 95 of Tavares, FL; who passed away Saturday, June 30, 2018 will be held on Saturday,

July 7, 2018 at 11 :00 AM at Greater Harmony Missionary Baptist Church 1129 Parkwood Avenue, Groveland, FL. Interment will follow in Edgewood Cemetery, Groveland, FL. Visitation will be held on Friday, July 6, 2018 from 5:00-7:00 PM at Greater Harmony Missionary Baptist Church. www.zandersfuneralhome.com "A Zanders Service" (407) 886-3388 *(407)886-5656 (FAX)

Death Notices

Althea Cleveland
Althea Cleveland, 76 of Altamonte Springs died Friday, June 29, 2018. Hayes Brothers Funeral Home. Fern Park Chapel. 407.645.4633.

Today's Services

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With a name like "air potato," the invasive vine might not sound like much of a problem, but it can grow up to eight inches a day and 70 feet long in its quest for sunlight and other resources, choking out other native or desirable species.

"They're taking over more of the natural vegetation, like the azaleas," said homeowner Greg Presser, who has noticed the vine in his neighborhood in the Cove. "It just shades out the other vegetation."

Bower said she's even seen the plant, which is native to the tropics in Asia, take over cypress domes.

"As high as you could see, it was air potato," she said.

There is a lot of uncertainty about how air potato plant might have gotten to Florida — theories include slave ships, as an ornamental plant — but what is known is that it's a pest.

Scientists recognized it as a problem plant starting in the 1970s, and by the 1990s it was considered one of the "most invasive" plants in Florida. It's currently found in nearly every county in the state, as well as in Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi and Texas.

For decades, there wasn't a good way to control the vine besides frost, but after 10 years in testing, scientists unveiled the air potato leaf beetle as a classical biocontrol in 2012. The tiny red winged beetle — only about the size of a pinky finger nail — spend their whole lives gnawing little holes into the vine's broad, heart-shaped leaves. By the time they are done, the leaves resemble a worn out doily, and then shrivel up and die.

In addition to eating the leaves, the beetles lay their eggs on the plant — up to 2,000 eggs during their life cycle — and will occasionally eat the tubers.

Over 600,000 of the beetles have been released in Florida, according to Bowers. A study found the beetle has resulted in a 39 percent decrease in vine density and a 60 percent decrease in bulbil production.

CANS

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homeowners' association or local government to institute ordinances on keeping foods that attract wildlife secure.

- Feed pets indoors or bring in dishes after feeding outdoors.
- Clean grills and store them in a secure place.
- Remove wildlife feeders or make them bear-resistant.
- Pick ripe fruit from trees and remove fallen fruit from the ground.

BRIEFS

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The forum, the fifth in a series of candidate events being hosted in the Tea Party, will be at 6:30 p.m. at the Tavares Civic Center, 100 East Caroline Street in Tavares.

Three Republican candidates, Fred Costello, Michael Waltz and John Ward, are competing for the seat being vacated by Rep. Ron DeSantis who is running for Florida governor.

The trio will field questions on topics of both state and federal interest in advance of the Aug. 28 primary.

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Pool area of the LaQuina Inn Daytona Beach/International Speedway at 2725 W. International Speedway Blvd., where a toddler was rescued from the deep end by vacationing first-responders on Tuesday, July 3, 2018. [LAQUINA INN PHOTO]

Toddler rescued from pool by visiting first responders

By Nancy Niles
Gatehouse Media Florida

DAYTONA BEACH — A Daytona Beach toddler was rescued by a pair of sharp-eyed first responders from New York when, authorities said, they two spotted a 3-year-old girl in the deep end of a hotel pool.

Firefighter Jessica Campeta and state trooper Mathew Colwell, both from Hudson, New York, spotted Zhamiyah Gibson underwater minutes after 5 p.m. on Tuesday at the LaQuinta Inn on West International Speedway Boulevard.

The pair pulled the girl out of the water and were rendering first aid when medical units arrived a few minutes later.

“The Daytona Beach Police Department is grateful to these two individuals whose actions helped save this toddler’s life,” said agency spokeswoman Lyda Longa.

According to the report, the girl’s mother, Kereathia Gibson, said her sister had just taken the little girl to the restroom. When they returned, Gibson began packing up the family’s belongings in preparation for a football game they’d

planned to attend.

The girl’s mother said she did not know how or why the toddler ended up in the water because she “is scared of the water,” Gibson told police, noting that Zhamiyah had been in the pool earlier, but only the shallow end and with the aid of a pool float.

Campeta and Colwell told police that the girl regained consciousness and began breathing on her own before she was transported to Halifax Health, “where she is expected to make a full recovery,” the report stated.

THREATS

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Suspect Jarrod Ramos, 38, has a well-documented history of harassing the paper’s staff. He filed a defamation suit against the paper in 2012 that was thrown out as groundless and often railed against them in profanity-laced tweets.

Ramos’ ire began with an online harassment and stalking case stemming from contact with a high school classmate in late 2009 or early 2010. The woman eventually went to police, and Ramos pleaded guilty to a misdemeanor harassment charge. The newspaper’s story about the case touched off a yearslong tirade from Ramos.

A barrage of menacing tweets led to an investigation five years ago, but a detective concluded Ramos was no threat, and the paper didn’t want to press charges for fear of “putting a stick in a beehive.”

People who have been the victims of online discussion of physical violence, doxing (publishing private information) and rape threats aren’t surprised the Capital Gazette attack started with online harassment.

Katie Kausch said she was harassed online as an intern at MTV after writing a story about people

who don’t believe the Sandy Hook shooting that killed 26 at an elementary school really happened.

Anonymous people unhappy with the story found Kausch’s college grade point average and her little sister’s school address and published them online. They wrote vague, menacing statements like “I hope nothing happens to you... .”

Kausch said MTV’s legal team was helpful to a point, but because the harassers were anonymous and hadn’t issued a specific threat against her, there wasn’t much she could do.

“Legal was an all-female team; everybody had experienced some level of doxing or threats,” she said, adding that she and her mother decided not to report the harassment to police.

Sarah Kogod, a former director of development for sports website SB Nation who has led workshops on how to deal with online harassment, said the threats are difficult to handle, both for police and the social media networks themselves.

“The general rule is that if it’s a direct threat, all jurisdictions will take that seriously,” she said. “The challenge comes when the communication is vague. It’s brushed off as someone being a jerk. In most cases, it is.”

She encourages liberal use of the block function

and thinks companies need to deal better with online harassment.

“I truly feel that organizations have a responsibility to make sure they can guide their staff through that harassment,” both online and off, she said.

It’s something Kopp, the station manager, has considered. Although he’s used to sharp online words like ones they remove from the news department’s Facebook page, he wonders how to handle the in-person threat of the angry man with the bullhorn. He’s putting in new surveillance cameras and people must be buzzed in the front door, something that seems anathema to the station’s community-oriented approach.

“We’ve had potlucks with the doors wide open, for the community to come right in to see what radio station looks like. I don’t want to stop that,” he said.

Several weeks ago, the man marched past a receptionist into the on-air studio. By the time police came, the man was back on public property. So far, Kopp has called police twice on the man, but there’s been no arrest.

“I think some of these people are unstable, and in the current environment, I don’t know what could set somebody off in the wrong direction. It’s a constant worry, now more than ever before,” Kopp said.

DEPUTY

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Sheriff’s officials said the man who was talking to Pringle, identified as Cerontae Hodge, 22, of

Leesburg, told investigators that deputy Pringle attempted to push him out of the way moments before the car struck.

Highway Patrol troopers said the driver that hit the men, Kim Johnson, 53, of Lady Lake, saw the deputy’s headlights and

slowed down but didn’t realize it was a patrol car.

Pringle, 27, has been with the Sheriff’s Office since November, 2016. Sheriff’s spokesman Lt. John Herrell said he was “very badly banged up but will recover and be fine.”

LAKE

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Just as interesting as the overall growth is the way Lake County is growing.

The population of residents aged 65 and older grew by 20,000 people, from 71,825 to 91,769, while kids under the age of 18 grew by just 5,300 (61,741 to 67,047) in the last seven years. That inched the median age in Lake County from 45.6 years old in 2010 to 47 years old in 2017.

That lines up with the general trend in Florida,

which has a larger senior citizen population, by percentage, than any other state.

“Last year, Florida had the largest percentage of seniors (age 65 and older) with 20.1 percent, followed by Maine (19.9 percent) and West Virginia (19.4 percent,)” the Census Bureau said in a news release. “On the other hand, Utah had the smallest percentage of its population age 65 and older (10.8 percent), followed by Alaska (11.2 percent) and the District of Columbia (12.1 percent.)”

Fueling the population growth in Lake is a surge in new residents moving

into the area.

Births accounted for 22,000 new residents in the past seven years, but Lake County saw 47,000 people move here from elsewhere in Florida and the United States, and also drew 5,788 newcomers from abroad, according to the Census Bureau.

Hispanics are the fastest growing demographic, their numbers climbing from 36,425 to 47,018 (29 percent), while the African-American population grew by about 7,000 to 35,259 (25 percent). Whites grew by just 20,000 to 242,000 (about 9 percent).

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Raymond Wilson
The Associated Health Press

AHP – A recent breakthrough stands to help millions of Americans plagued by burning, tingling and numb legs and feet.

But this time it comes in the form of a cream, not a pill, suggesting the medical community may have been going about the problem all wrong.

The breakthrough, called *Diabasens*, is a new relief cream developed for managing the relentless discomfort caused by neuropathy.

When applied directly to the legs and feet, it causes arteries and blood vessels to expand, increasing the flow of warm, nutrient rich blood to damaged tissue.

However, what's most remarkable about the cream...and what makes it so brilliant...is that it contains one of the only natural substances known to activate a special sensory pathway right below the surface of the skin.

This pathway is called TRAP1 and it controls the sensitivity of nerves. In laymen terms, it determines whether you feel pins and needles or soothing relief.

Studies show that symptoms of neuropathy arise when the nerves in your legs deteriorate and blood flow is lost to the areas which surround them.

As the nerves begins to die, sensation is lost. This lack of sensation is what causes the feelings of burning, tingling and numbness.

This is why the makers of *Diabasens* say their cream has performed so well in a recent clinical use survey trial. It increases sensation and blood flow where ever its applied.

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Until now, many doctors have failed to consider a topical cream as an effective way to manage neuropathy. *Diabasens* is proving it may be the only way going forward.

"Most of today's treatment methods have focused on minimizing discomfort instead of attacking its underlining cause. That's why millions of adults are still in excruciating pain every single day, and are constantly dealing with side effects" explains Dr. Esber, the creator of *Diabasens*.

"*Diabasens* is different. Since the most commonly reported symptoms – burning, tingling and numb legs and feet – are caused by lack of sensation of the nerves, we've designed the formula increase their sensitivity.

And since these nerves are located right below the skin, we've chosen to formulate it as a cream. This allows for the ingredients to get to them faster and without any drug like side effects" he adds.

Study Finds Restoring Sensation the Key To Effective, Long Lasting Relief

With the conclusion of their latest human



Topical Creams Offer Sufferers a Safer, More Effective Avenue of Relief: *Diabasens* increases sensation and blood flow wherever its applied. It's now being used to relieve painful legs and feet.

clinical use survey trial, Dr. Esber and his team are now offering *Diabasens* nationwide. And regardless of the market, its sales are exploding.

Men and women from all over the country are eager to get their hands on the new cream and, according to the results initial users reported, they should be.

In the trial above, as compared to baseline, participants taking *Diabasens* saw a staggering 51% increase sensitivity in just one week. This resulted in significant relief from burning, tingling and numbness throughout their legs.

Many participants taking *Diabasens* described feeling much more balanced and comfortable throughout the day. They also noticed that after applying, there was a pleasant warming sensation that was remarkably soothing.

Diabasens Users Demand More

Many of *Diabasens* users say their legs have never felt better. For the first time in years, they are able to walk free from the symptoms which have made life hard.

"I have been using the cream now for about ten days. It has given me such relief.

I've had very bad foot pain from injuries and overuse of my feet for years which have contributed to severe itching/tingling and pain for some time. (My father also suffered from this pain and itching. I wish I would have had this for him.)

The first time I used the cream, I felt an almost immediate relief from this.

I now use it at least twice a day: once in the morning before work and once at night before I sleep.

I am so delighted with this. It has helped my walking, also. It has helped generate feeling again in my feet," raves Marsha A. from Texas

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weeks then once a day after. It does not require a prescription.

The active ingredient is a compound known as cinnamaldehyde.

Studies show that neuropathy and nerve pain is caused when the peripheral nerves breakdown and blood is unable to circulate into your legs and feet.

As these nerves deteriorate, sensation is lost. This is why you may not feel hot or cold and your legs and feet may burn, tingle and go numb.

Additionally, without proper blood flow, tissues and cells in these areas begin to die, causing unbearable pain.

The cinnamaldehyde in *Diabasens* is one of the only compounds in existence that can activate TRPA1, a special sensory pathway that runs through your entire body.

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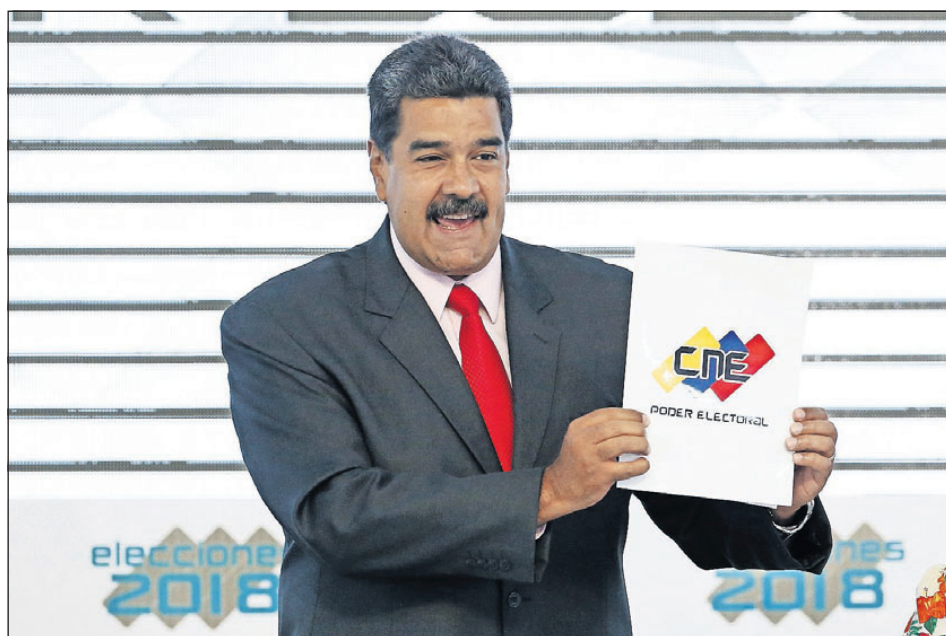
Readers can now enjoy an entirely new level of comfort that's both safe and affordable. It is also extremely effective, especially if nothing else has worked.

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This is the official release of *Diabasens*. As such, the company is offering a special discounted supply to any reader who calls within the next 48 hours.

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Venezuela's President Nicolas Maduro holds up the National Electoral Council certificate declaring him the winner of the presidential election during a ceremony at CNE headquarters in Caracas, Venezuela. [ARIANA CUBILLOS/AP FILE]

INVASION

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dictatorship, according to the official. The official spoke on the condition of anonymity because of the sensitive nature of the discussions.

But Trump pushed back. Although he gave no indication he was about to order up military plans, he pointed to what he considered past cases of successful gunboat diplomacy in the region, according to the official, like the invasions of Panama and Grenada in the 1980s.

The idea, despite his aides' best attempts to shoot it down, would nonetheless persist in the president's head.

The next day, Aug. 11, Trump alarmed friends and foes alike with talk of a "military option" to remove Maduro from power. The public remarks were initially dismissed in U.S. policy circles as the sort of martial bluster people have come to expect from the reality TV star turned commander in chief.

But shortly afterward,

he raised the issue with Colombian President Juan Manuel Santos, according to the U.S. official. Two high-ranking Colombian officials who spoke on condition of anonymity to avoid antagonizing Trump confirmed the report.

Then in September, on the sidelines of the U.N. General Assembly, Trump discussed it again, this time at greater length, in a private dinner with leaders from four Latin American allies that included Santos, the same three people said and Politico reported in February.

The U.S. official said Trump was specifically briefed not to raise the issue and told it wouldn't play well, but the first thing the president said at the dinner was, "My staff told me not to say this." Trump then went around asking each leader if they were sure they didn't want a military solution, according to the official, who added that each leader told Trump in clear terms they were sure.

Eventually, McMaster would pull aside the president and walk him through the dangers of an invasion, the official said.

Taken together, the

behind-the-scenes talks, the extent and details of which have not been previously reported, highlight how Venezuela's political and economic crisis has received top attention under Trump in a way that was unimaginable in the Obama administration. But critics say it also underscores how his "America First" foreign policy at times can seem outright reckless, providing ammunition to America's adversaries.

The White House declined to comment on the private conversations. But a National Security Council spokesman reiterated that the U.S. will consider all options at its disposal to help restore Venezuela's democracy and bring stability. Under Trump's leadership, the U.S., Canada and European Union have levied sanctions on dozens of top Venezuelan officials, including Maduro himself, over allegations of corruption, drug trafficking and human rights abuses. The U.S. has also distributed more than \$30 million to help Venezuela's neighbors absorb an influx of more than 1 million migrants who have fled the country.

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OUR OPINION

Life or death for citrus industry

For citrus growers throughout Florida, 2018 will be the season to forget.

The persistence of the citrus greening disease combined with Hurricane Irma to drive production in the groves to the lowest level since World War II. Then, as the industry was digesting that depressing circumstance, Canada last week announced that effective July 1 it was following through on retaliatory tariffs on orange juice to smack the Trump administration for its increased levies on imports of aluminum and steel. Roughly 95 percent of the oranges grown in Florida end up as juice, and Canada is America's largest foreign market for that liquid variety. The tariffs appear so draconian that one of President Donald Trump's natural allies, the 3-million-member U.S. Chamber of Commerce, recently unveiled a campaign to torpedo them. Reuters reported that the chamber is highlighting the debilitating effects state by state — more than \$700 million in Florida goods are affected — and spending “to help elect like-minded candidates who back free trade, immigration and reduced taxes.” Additionally last month, at the yearly gathering of Florida Citrus Mutual, the industry's trade association, attendees heard that Congress' inability to enact immigration changes, in response to the administration's hard line, has growers fretting about labor availability. Lawmakers have discussed capping the agricultural guest-worker program that supplies the people who pick 80 percent of Florida's citrus crop.

Still, hope springs eternal. “We look forward to a quiet, resilient season in the fall,” Shannon Shepp, executive director of the Florida Department of Citrus in Bartow, told The Ledger of Lakeland when the U.S. Department of Agriculture's final crop estimates in mid-June confirmed the misery.

For now, though, the staggering citrus industry may get a much-needed boost.

Last week U.S. Sen. Bill Nelson announced that the updated farm bill contains \$125 million for citrus research. The funding, which the Florida Democrat included in the measure, would be doled out in \$25 million increments, beginning in 2019. That would continue an ongoing program that, with Nelson's advocacy, was included in the current farm bill.

Over the last few years, the USDA has spread the current pot of dough to researchers dotting the nation from the University of Florida to Washington State University. Scientists have studied, for example, how to combat greening at the genetic level, how to develop bactericides and therapeutic proteins for plants, how to fend off greening with heat therapy.

Florida Citrus Mutual CEO Mike Sparks noted that research funding has fueled an evolution in “grove level solutions” for greening.

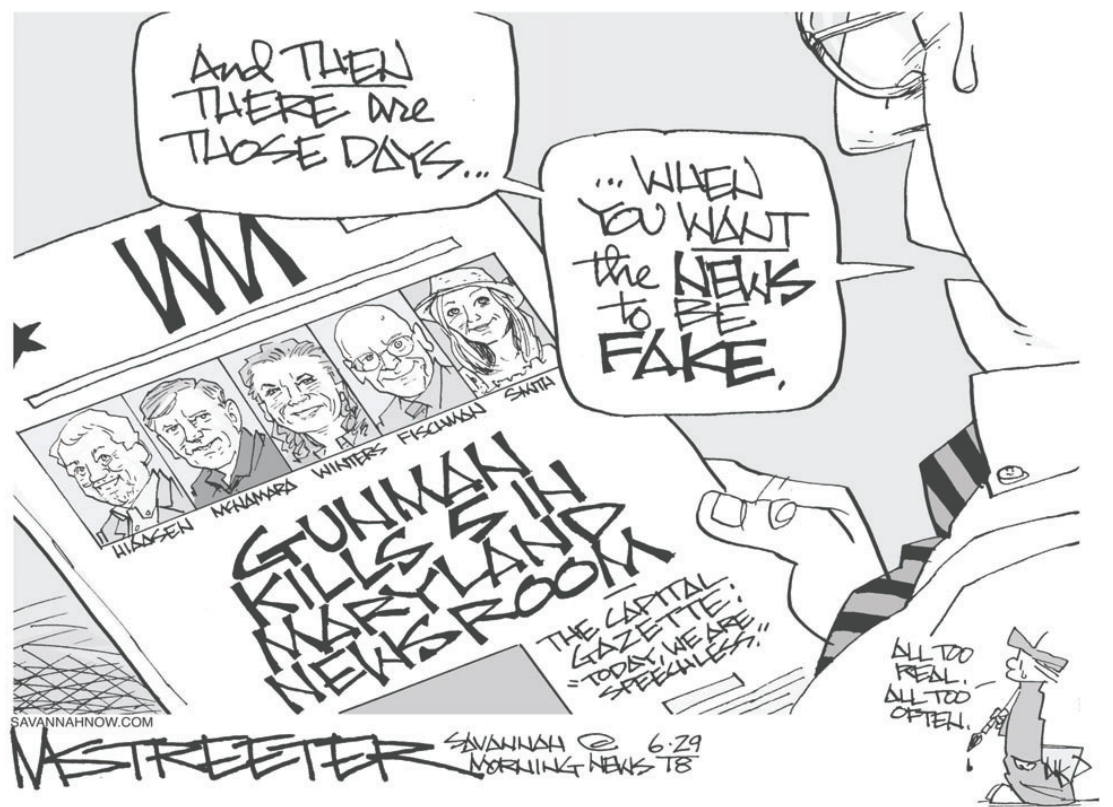
“The practices have sustained and in some cases improved yields even with 100 percent (greening) infection,” Sparks wrote. “These are real life production improvements uncovered by growers and scientists over the past decade. And although they won't garner flashy headlines that the media will latch onto, they will provide a bridge until long-term answers are uncovered.”

No one wants to consider Nelson's observation about the outcome if greening's devastating effects are not arrested.

“If we don't find a cure to this deadly disease soon, we won't be growing oranges in Florida much longer,” Florida's senior senator said last week after the Senate voted 86-11 for the bill that included his funding request. Amen.

The House has already passed its version of the farm bill. Lawmakers from both houses must now hammer out the details. Please, Congress, leave the greening research funding intact. Your attention and the taxpayers' money are yielding results. Let's not stop now.

ANOTHER OPINION



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Think consolidation, save money

Why more sheriff's deputies?

Small cities and towns all have police departments. In Duval County, the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office is the joint city-county law enforcement agency. Why don't we do the same thing? Won't that save everyone money?

Speaking of money, where is the School Board getting \$7.6 million for laptops? From taxpayers like me.

Melvin Teston, Leesburg

Abusive bus monitor is very disturbing

I found this article very disturbing in many areas. Was this man's background checked, especially since he was in contact with such a vulnerable population?

Why is the morning trip 45 minutes to school, but the afternoon 2 1/2 hours? It is totally unconscious that 7- to 9-year-old kids have to ride a school bus for 2 1/2 hours.

Where was the bus driver? Certainly he has a mirror in that bus. Doesn't he check it? Is the driver deaf and can't he hear what is

going on behind him? Why didn't he put a stop to this?

As a former school bus driver of 65 and 72-passenger buses, I knew what was going on even in the back of the bus and never put up with any nonsense. The driver is to be in control and the monitor is to assure the safety of the passengers. This was a failure on the part of both employees. They both should be fired, and the monitor horse whipped, or at the very least, be subject to the same treatment he put those kids through.

Carol Mayo, Minneola

Americans can't count on Congress

I am appalled, ashamed and furious that the American people can't count on Congress to keep the “President” in check and hold him to the Constitution.

No where in our laws does it say that immigrant children must be separated from their parents. This is one more lie that you allow the president to get away with. How do you look at yourselves in the mirror? Even after a letter from the United Nations you persist.

This is not America, the land that I love. The world

is watching and the people are voting in November.

Gwen Hunt, The Villages

Spending priorities a puzzle

City and county officials in Lake County do not have a financial dilemma; they have a spending problem.

Case in point: Leesburg is going to bulldoze a perfectly good community center at Venetian Gardens that just needed a \$3 million renovation and replace it with a brand new, \$8 million community center, minus a pool.

They're also giving grant money to Lake Square Mall. When did it become the taxpayers' responsibility to support a commercial business like the mall? Commercial businesses will be reaping huge tax breaks from the Trump income tax plan next year. Why are we as taxpayers subsidizing a commercial business?

What about the brand new, \$7.8 million animal shelter in Tavares? People need to pay attention and wake up to what city and county officials are doing, otherwise we as homeowners and residents of Lake County will be paying for their spending habits.

Linda Green, Leesburg

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ANOTHER OPINION

Back to the Constitution



Cal Thomas

The retirement of Justice Anthony Kennedy from the U.S. Supreme Court is about to bring a 60-year battle to a head.

For decades the country has witnessed a fight between those who believe the Constitution speaks for itself and others who believe it says whatever the judges think it says, or even should say.

Already, the left is apoplectic. Fundraising letters are going out. Sen. Kamala Harris (D-CA) sent one within minutes of Kennedy's retirement announcement and Chris Matthews went ballistic on MSNBC, all

but forecasting the end of the world as we know it.

A few examples will suffice to preview coming distractions from the central issue. Among the printable ones is this over-the-top comment by the Rev. Al Sharpton: “All civil and human rights are at stake.”

Journalist/author Molly Knight fired off this incendiary tweet: “How very cool of Justice Kennedy to pour kerosene on the current dumpster fire that is America. The Roe v Wade riots should provide fine entertainment for him in his retirement.” Riots?

There's more, including abundant use of the left's favorite “F-word,” but you get the idea. Legal Armageddon is about to arrive.

Since the Warren Court decided praying to an authority higher than the state was unconstitutional and Bible reading in public schools was

not what the Founders had in mind when writing the First Amendment, there has been a pitched battle for control of the Supreme Court. The left has used federal judges to engineer society in ways it could not have done, and probably would not have tried, through the legislative process while Conservatives have fought to prevent the court from exceeding its constitutional role by making law.

Abraham Lincoln said it well when he noted: “We the people are the rightful masters of both Congress and the courts, not to overthrow the Constitution but to overthrow the men who pervert the Constitution.” The belief that government and the courts have become our masters has propelled conservative opposition to both legislating courts and big government.

The late Justice Antonin Scalia summed up the conservative view of the

Constitution when he said, “It means, today, not what current society, much less the court, thinks it ought to mean, but what it meant when it was adopted.”

Two former justices gave the liberal view of the Constitution. Oliver Wendell Holmes said: “The provisions of the Constitution are not mathematical formulas having their essence in their form; they are organic, living institutions transplanted from English soil. Their significance is vital, not formal; it is to be gathered not simply by taking the words and a dictionary, but by considering their origin and the line of their growth.”

From this came the notion of a “living Constitution,” which leads to the assertion by the late Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes that “...the Constitution is what the judges say it is.”

President Trump and the

Republican Senate have an opportunity to reverse decades of wrongful constitutional decision-making. From his list of 25 conservative candidates for Kennedy's seat, he must choose a nominee quickly so the Senate can take it up before Democrats and their media allies can become fully mobilized.

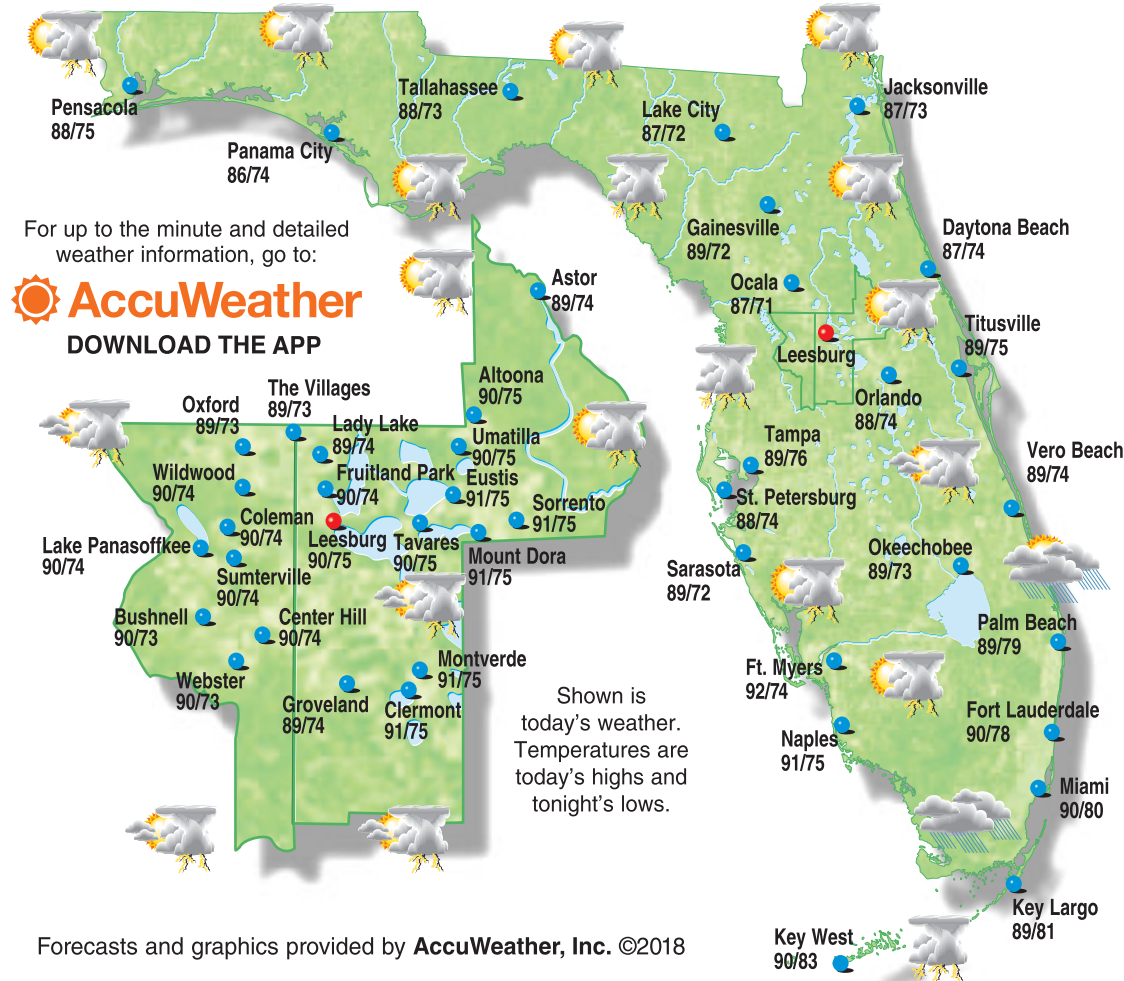
If the president selects someone with Judge Neil Gorsuch's credentials, the left will have a difficult time opposing the candidate, though they will certainly try and make accusations that have no merit.

In 2009, President Obama delivered a blunt message to Republicans, in essence telling them, I won, you lost. Get over it. Well, we also had an election in 2016. President Trump won. Democrats and the left should get over it.

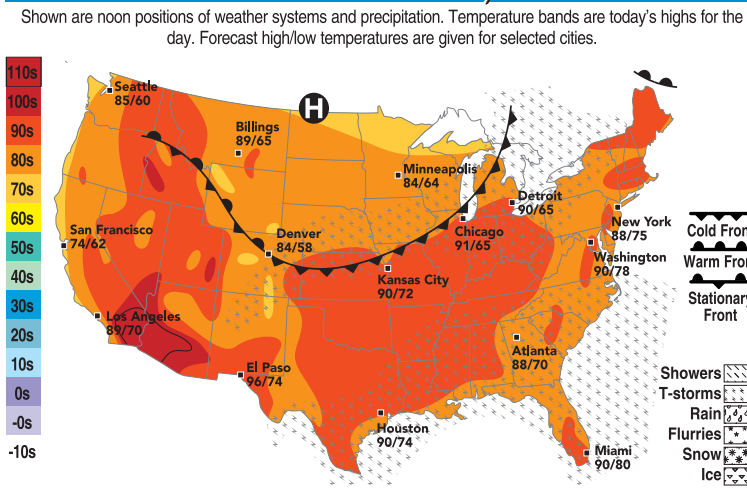
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HIGH 90° LOW 75°	HIGH 89° LOW 74°	HIGH 89° LOW 75°	HIGH 91° LOW 75°	HIGH 92° LOW 76°



NATIONAL WEATHER FOR JULY 5, 2018



Yesterday's National High/Low: (for the 48 contiguous states)
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Fri.	6:37 a.m.	12:25 a.m.	7:00 p.m.	12:48 p.m.

THE SUN AND MOON

	Today	Friday	Last	New	First	Full
Sunrise	6:34 a.m.	6:35 a.m.				
Sunset	8:30 p.m.	8:30 p.m.	July 6	July 12	July 19	July 27
Moonrise	12:50 a.m.	1:25 a.m.				
Moonset	12:59 p.m.	1:54 p.m.				

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Today	11:22 am	0.9	5:34 am	0.1	Fri.	1:57 am	3.6	8:24 am	0.1
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Florida State AD Wilcox has busy agenda

By Joe Reedy
Associated Press

TALLAHASSEE — Florida State's athletic department is thriving under Stan Wilcox.

Since Wilcox became the Seminoles' AD in 2013, Florida State has won national championships in three sports. Wilcox isn't standing pat, he's already made one major hire and is expected to make another over the next 12 months.

Wilcox hired Willie Taggart last December as Florida State's new football coach, a move he made less than a week after Jimbo Fisher

resigned to go to Texas A&M. It marked Wilcox's first major coaching hire at Florida State and the first time the school went outside the football program to get a head coach in 41 years.

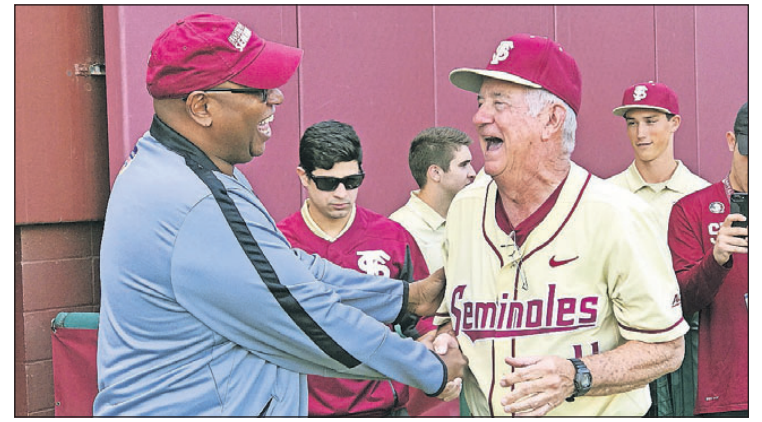
Wilcox's second major coaching hire will happen once next year's baseball season ends and Mike Martin retires after 40 seasons as a manager. Martin has the most wins in college baseball.

The AD can only hope his choice for baseball will go over as well as his Taggart hire. The Palmetto, Florida, native, who grew up a Florida State fan, has energized

the football fan base that had grown tired of yearly reports of Fisher seeking greener pastures. The April 14 spring game — Taggart's first — drew a program-record crowd of 60,934.

"He already knows the level of play that the Seminole family has come to expect, and as well as our current and future student athletes, they know that, what is expected of them," Wilcox said of Taggart. "Now he's set the stage and all he has to do now is come in and win games and we're back."

See WILCOX, B3



Florida State athletic director Stan Wilcox, left, congratulates coach Mike Martin after Martin got his 1,900th win on Feb. 19, 2017, in Tallahassee. FSU has won national championships in three sports since Wilcox took over as athletic director in August 2013. [AP PHOTO / JOSEPH REEDY, FILE]

DAYTONA'S JULY RACIN' HISTORY



ABOVE: Cars line the starting grid prior to the first Firecracker 250 on July 4, 1959. [ISC IMAGES AND ARCHIVES] TOP RIGHT: The Pepsi 400 moved to nighttime in 1998, but the winning car was a familiar sight: Jeff Gordon's No. 24 Chevy. [ISC ARCHIVES/GETTY IMAGES]

Race has taken twists and turns to get where it is now

By Ken Willis
Gatehouse Media

DAYTONA BEACH — It wasn't even on the original schedule in 1959, but this year marks the 60th running of the old "Firecracker" 400.

It's the same track in the same city.

Same racing organization, with almost exactly the same racers and cars.

But the differences between Daytona's NASCAR races in February and July are like night and day. Literally, in fact.

This past February,

NASCAR and Daytona International Speedway upped the marketing volume to celebrate the 60th running of the Daytona 500, which over the years came to earn its label as "The Great American Race."

Given that Daytona's inaugural July race ran the same year as the first Daytona 500, in 1959, Saturday night's start of the Coke Zero Sugar 400 also marks the 60th running of that event.

Kinda-sorta. It wasn't always 400 miles and it didn't always cater to Coca-Cola. In fact, for most of the track's history, you couldn't even buy a Coke there.

See DAYTONA, B3

If you go

At One Daytona, the shopping, dining and entertainment complex across the street from Daytona International Speedway, Coke Zero Sugar 400 weekend involves more than the race. Here's the One Daytona lineup of free weekend events:

TODAY

- Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series drivers Austin Dillon and Ty Dillon in Q&A moderated by MRN, 7-7:20 p.m.
- Ormond Beach singer and "The Voice" contestant Kaleb Lee in concert, 7:30-9:30 p.m.

FRIDAY

- Red, White & Vroom Car Show, display of classic and collectible vehicles, 11 a.m.-3 p.m. and 4-8 p.m.
- Hayfire, country band concert, 3-6:30 p.m.
- Coca-Cola Firecracker 250, 7:30 p.m., Daytona International Speedway

SATURDAY

- Red, White & Vroom Car Show, 11 a.m.-3 p.m. and 4-8 p.m.
- Jamie Davis Band, country music concert, 3-6:30 p.m.
- (Car show exhibit throughout One Daytona campus; concerts at Victory Circle Lane.)
- Coke Zero Sugar 400, 7 p.m., Daytona International Speedway

Belgium takes on Brazil's miserly defense

By Pan Pylas
Associated Press

KAZAN, Russia — To get past Belgium in the quarterfinals at the World Cup, Brazil has to do something it has not been able to do since it last won the tournament in 2002: overcome European opposition in the knockout stages.

Since beating Germany 2-0 in the 2002 World Cup final, the five-time winner has been eliminated by European sides in the three subsequent competitions. Brazil lost to France and the Netherlands in the quarterfinals of the 2006 and 2010 World Cups and was humiliated 7-1 by Germany in the semifinals four years ago at home.

Fortunately for the Selecao, Belgium has a poor record against South American sides at the World Cup. Not only has Belgium not won any of its games against South American teams in the knockout stages, it hasn't even managed to score a goal. Most recently, Belgium lost 1-0 to Argentina in the 2014 quarterfinals.

The core of that side remains in place in Russia, where Belgium has won all four of its matches, including coming back from 2-0 down to beat Japan in the round of 16 with a thrilling counterattack in the final seconds of injury time.

Everyone knew about the array of talent running through the Belgium side, from Thibaut Courtois in goal to Kevin De Bruyne in midfield and Eden Hazard and Romelu Lukaku up front. The main questions following disappointing defeats in the 2014 World Cup and the 2016 European Championship centered on the team's character.

See BELGIUM, B3



Serena Williams hits a return shot to Bulgaria's Viktoriya Tomova in a women's singles match on the third day of the Wimbledon Tennis Championships in London on Wednesday. [KIRSTY WIGGLESWORTH/AP]

Federer, Serena cruise into 3rd round at Wimbledon

By Mattias Karen
Associated Press

LONDON — Roger Federer and Serena Williams are making it look easy at Wimbledon — again.

Caroline Wozniacki is heading home early — again. Federer and Williams cruised into the third round with straight-sets victories on Wednesday, looking at home on the Centre Court where they have won 15 titles between them.

However, Wozniacki still can't seem to get comfortable at the All England Club — especially when

there's a swarm of bugs flying around her head.

The Australian Open champion went out before the third round for the fourth time in seven years, losing 6-4, 1-6, 7-5 to Ekaterina Makarova of Russia after complaining to the chair umpire about the insects that invaded No. 1 court during the second set.

No such problems for Federer, who won 35 straight points on his serve on route to beating Lukas Lacko of Slovakia 6-4, 6-4, 6-1.

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NASCAR B4

KYLE LARSON SHOWS THAT CHEVY STILL HAS SOME LIFE

DAYTONA

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What the July race has always served up, however, are challenges — challenges generally unique to a Central Florida summertime. And those challenges date back to the very beginning.

The race that wasn't

The 31-degree banking that Big Bill France had built into his dream speedway in 1958 would make his mammoth track amazingly fast because drivers wouldn't have to lift off the gas through the turns. This would presumably make Daytona faster than Indianapolis Motor Speedway, which was something that really got Bill Sr.'s juices flowing.

But the 2½-mile trioval turned out to be too fast.

Along with the inaugural Daytona 500 in February, Big Bill was planning a 300-mile Fourth of July race featuring the USAC Indy-style cars that ran the world's most famous race in the day — the Indy 500.

Looking ahead to July, Daytona Beach racer Marshall Teague was scheduled to test a modified Indy-car during the first February Speedweeks. It ended violently when Teague lost control of his "Sumar Special" and was killed instantly.

Two months later, in April, a pair of 40-lap, 100-mile USAC races were scheduled in order to "shake down" the new track before the July event. The lineup included most of the era's top open-wheel racers, and complaints and fears soon surfaced because the cars were unsteady — to say the least — through the banking. On the final lap of the first 40-lapper, veteran racer "Little George" Amick crashed and died.

That was that. The USAC cars and Daytona were a bad fit. Luckily for Daytona, the Speedway president was also NASCAR's chairman. With a little editing of the schedule, Big Bill France would change his Fourth of July plans and bring a second NASCAR race to Daytona Beach. To do so, he took a NASCAR race away from the 1-mile track in Raleigh, North Carolina.

"That effectively put that facility out of business," says retired



David Pearson won the 1961 Firecracker 250. He's flanked by NASCAR president Bill France Sr. and "Miss Firecracker 250." [ISC IMAGES AND ARCHIVES]

NASCAR historian Buz McKim.

The Firecracker 250 was born, and over the decades, while it lived in the shadows of the Daytona 500, it created its own identity (several of them, in fact, given all the name changes) and delivered its own drama.

But the challenges were always there.

A hot ticket

The Firecracker 250 lasted four years before it was lengthened from 100 to 160 laps and became the Firecracker 400.

"By 1963," McKim says, "the cars had gained so much speed the race had to be lengthened to 400 miles. It didn't take long to run 250 miles and Big Bill wanted to give his guests their money's worth."

It remained the Firecracker 400 until 1985, when Pepsi, one of the Speedway's original benefactors, spent additional money to rebrand July's race as the Pepsi Firecracker 400. Problem was, most people ignored the Pepsi half of that name.

Larry Balewski, the Speedway's PR chief at the time, kept a coin jar in his office and called it the "F-word fund." Anyone uttering the F-word (Firecracker) had to donate.

In 1989, "Firecracker" was sacrificed for good and it became simply the Pepsi 400. Pepsi stayed on board until 2008, when it was replaced by Coca-Cola, which this year tweaks the name from Coke Zero 400 to Coke Zero Sugar 400.

The race was always run on the Fourth of July, with either a 10 a.m. or 11 a.m. start, until 1988, when it was moved to the first Saturday of July. The 400 kept its morning start until 1998, when the Speedway installed lights.

The morning starts almost always allowed the race to conclude before

the threats of afternoon thunderstorms that are so common in summer. But while the rain was largely avoided, July's other major issue was always present.

You want a challenge? Try a 140-degree cockpit for three hours.

"I don't remember any of those races being cool, but then we didn't have any of the cooling features these guys have today," says retired racer Geoff Bodine, who raced 40 times at Daytona between 1979-2002 (and won the 1986 Daytona 500).

"It was pretty tough. I remember, one race, it was so darn hot, I couldn't hang onto the steering wheel with both hands. I had to keep switching hands. Same thing with the gas pedal. Man, sometimes you had to switch feet. It was crazy, I know, but that's how hot it was."

Lights, camera ... umbrella

No changes to Daytona's July race were as dramatic as the overhaul that followed the installation of lights in 1998.

Wildfires that engulfed the area that summer forced the postponement of Daytona's first nighttime Pepsi 400 to October. But once that big move was digested, things returned to normal with Jeff Gordon finding his way to Victory Lane. Three of his six career Daytona wins came in the 400.

The lighting of Daytona wasn't done with just the July race weekend in mind — some February races were also moved to nighttime — but no race has been so drastically changed by the illumination. While some of that change has been positive, notably escaping the worst of the daytime heat and humidity, other climatic forces created a challenge that no race promoter has ever defeated.

but that would require relocating the athletic department and the College of Communications. Taggart said following spring practices that he favors a new facility instead of renovations.

Wilcox is also looking at ways that a football facility could benefit all sports.

"We still want to have a hub central location for all the academic activities as well as a training table for that all our student athletes can come to, and be able to eat a meal together," he said. "So it's not just your teammates, but you're getting to know the student athletes in other sports."

Wilcox is pleased that Martin will coach one

more season for two reasons: Martin is 13 wins away from becoming the first NCAA coach in any sport to get 2,000 victories and it allows fans throughout college baseball a chance to honor Martin for what he has done in and for the sport.

The Seminoles have made the College World Series 16 times under Martin but remain in search of their first national title.

"The positive is that Mike has created it to be a very desirable position. The negative is that whoever comes in has big shoes to fill, and very high expectations of that person coming in the door," Wilcox said.

who lost just nine of 61 points on his serve in total and broke Lacko five times, including with a forehand winner to close out the match.

"On certain days it goes better than others," Federer said. "Sometimes your serve matches up better against certain players."

Williams was nearly as good, losing just five of 32 points on her first serve in a 6-1, 6-4 win over Viktoriya Tomova. It was her 16th straight victory at Wimbledon, although she missed last year's tournament

while pregnant.

Wozniacki is still waiting to get past the round of 16 for the first time, despite fighting back from 5-1 down in the third set and saving four match points at 5-3. But she was broken again in the final game, becoming the fifth of the top eight women's seeds to lose before the third round.

Five-time champion Venus Williams did better with her comeback attempt. The No. 9 seed, at 38 the oldest woman in the draw, came back to

"These damn thunderstorms that roll in right around the time people are making their decision to go the track or not," says Robin Braig, who served as Speedway president from 2002-10. "Presale tickets were one thing, walk-up was another. It seemed like we always had threatening weather, just enough to make people say, 'let's not chance it.'"

"It was always a challenge. With the new Speedway facility, there's somewhere to go and get out of the weather if necessary. But back then, you'd get a rain delay, you're looking out of the back of the grandstands and there goes that line of people, heading to Hooter's or wherever. Maybe going to their cars to go home. That first rain delay would start to put the knife in the event."

The forecast through Saturday, by the way, points to the proverbial coin-flip on whether thunderstorms will hamper on-track activities.

The 400, unlike the internationally recognized Daytona 500, is more of a local event. Most fans come from within a two-hour radius, Speedway officials have acknowledged over the years. If they're day-trippers, they can't escape to the hotel when storms possibly force rescheduling of a race.

To get ahead of that possibility, back in the early-2000s the Speedway worked out a sponsorship deal with a local TV affiliate. WESH became the Speedway's official weather-information provider in exchange for the station providing the Speedway with its very own Doppler radar, which was installed in the race-control booth above the grandstands.

Braig was proud of the new business arrangement that provided some real-world logistical advantages. Before the first event with the Doppler in place, he made his way to a booth above NASCAR's race-control, where he suggested to second-generation NASCAR boss Bill France Jr. that he should come down to take a look at the new radar system — "It's fabulous," Braig told him.

Bill Jr. pointed at a phone sitting on the desk in front of him, Braig recalls.

"He looked at me and said, 'You want to know when it's raining or where it's raining? You come to me.'"

BELGIUM

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That 3-2 victory over Japan was the first time a team has overcome a two-goal deficit to win outright since West Germany beat England in 1970, and the first to do it in regulation since Portugal came from three down to beat North Korea in 1966. It has fueled confidence inside the Belgium camp that it can deal with adversity and make the World Cup semifinals for the first time since 1986.

"Maybe it's this sort of match that we needed for the future," said Hazard, the captain.

Coach Roberto Martinez won praise for his substitutions, with both Marouane Fellaini and Nacer Chadli scoring, the latter with practically the last kick of the match.

"You have to find solutions, you have to find reaction but what you have to find more than anything is the desire and togetherness of a group of players, that they are desperate to perform," Martinez said.

Unlike the game against Japan, Martinez said, Belgium will be the underdog Friday in the quarterfinal in Kazan, and as such, should play with a certain amount of freedom.

"I think it's a game that when you are a little boy, you dream of being involved in a World Cup, facing Brazil in a quarterfinal," he said, "so from our point of view we can enjoy from the first second."

Brazil coach Tite dismissed talk that his team is the favorite to win the match against Belgium, let alone the World Cup.



Belgium's Marouane Fellaini celebrates after scoring a goal during the round of 16 match against Japan at the World Cup in the Rostov Arena in Rostov-on-Don, Russia on Monday. [NATACHA PISARENKO/AP]

in the top 10 in the standings since 2011-12. In Wilcox's first four years, the Seminoles average finish was 14.5.

The reasons for the high finish was softball winning the national championship, women's beach volleyball reaching the final and men's basketball getting to the Elite Eight

for the first time since 1993. The ninth-place finish is also the highest among Atlantic Coast Conference schools.

"It's amazing that this year has turned out the way it has. It started out looking bleak, but it's ending up very positive, I think, for everybody," Wilcox said.

WILCOX

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Wilcox and university President John Thrasher also expect to announce plans for a football operations building by the Sept. 3 opener against Virginia Tech. The building, which would include coaches offices, a weight room and meeting space for players, could be constructed next to the indoor practice facility.

University officials also have discussed renovating the Moore Athletics Center, which is attached to Doak Campbell Stadium, for football only,

WIMBLEDON

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After serving out for the first set, Federer didn't drop a single point on his serve in the second and kept that streak going until he was 30-0 up at 4-1 in the third — when Lacko finally sent a backhand winner down the line.

It was another dominant display by the eight-time champion,

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SPEED FREAKS

A few questions we had to ask ourselves

Was the Kyle & Kyle show the best finish of the season so far?

GODSPEAK: The two Kyles are now the official poster children for Chicagoland Speedway's competition department. Congrats, you two!

KEN'S CALL: Well, yeah, of course. That's the type of highlight they use in commercials for years to come.

Best bet for an outsider to win this week's plate race?

GODSPEAK: First, about 32½ guys fit that description. I think this kid Brad Keselowski could have a breakthrough run at Daytona.

KEN'S CALL: The guy who was a mile away in February, Aric Almirola. Or last year's plate-master, Ricky Stenhouse Jr.

FEUD OF THE WEEK

KURT BUSCH VS. KEVIN HARVICK:

Busch was very unhappy with his Stewart-Haas Racing teammate for snatching the Stage 2 victory away from him on Lap 160. The two cars made contact to the finish line.

GODWIN KELLY'S TAKE: Of course, the powers that be at SHR will have a sit-down with Busch, pointing out that Harvick has a series-leading five Cup Series wins this season.

GODWIN'S PICKS FOR DAYTONA

WINNER: Brad Keselowski

REST OF TOP 5: Joey Logano, Chase Elliott, Martin Truex Jr., Kevin Harvick

FIRST ONE OUT: Denny Hamlin

DARK HORSE: Aric Almirola

DON'T BE SURPRISED IF:

We see a big run from the 2012 NASCAR Cup Series champion.

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CHICAGOLAND

THREE THINGS WE LEARNED



Kyle Larson, who drives the No. 42 Chevy, took race winner Kyle Busch to the limit in an exciting, last-lap run to the checkered flag at Chicagoland. [AP/NAM Y. HUH]

1. It's alive!

After lying dormant since February, Chevrolet made some gasping sounds at Chicagoland on Sunday thanks to Kyle Larson, who finished second to Kyle Busch. "Hey, we put on a hell of a show for you guys, and that was a blast," Larson said after trading paint with Busch.

2. Reset mindset

After the drama between Busch and Larson on the last lap, there was talk of the finish being one of the greatest of all time. Not so fast. The new kid on the

NBC announcers block, Dale Earnhardt Jr., put it in perspective. "This was a great race from start to finish," he said.

3. Some surprises

Aric Almirola earned his first stage point and led a race-high 70 laps, but pit-road trouble pushed him to a 25th-place finish. Young guns Erik Jones and Alex Bowman quietly scored top-10 finishes at Chicagoland. "This is good momentum going into next week's race," Bowman said.

— Godwin Kelly, godwin.kelly@news-jrnl.com

THREE THINGS TO WATCH

1. Daytona-bound

Saturday's Coke Zero Sugar 400 at Daytona represents the halfway point (Race 18) of the 2018 Cup Series — only nine races remain in the regular season. The 160-lap run over Daytona's 2.5-mile tri-oval will be the last restrictor-plate race before the playoffs begin in September. The first two plate races were won by Austin Dillon (Daytona 500) and Joey Logano (Talladega).



Why is this man smiling? Because Austin Dillon knows any driver can win Saturday's race at Daytona. He's looking for a Daytona sweep.

[NEWS-JOURNAL/JIM TILLER]

Bobby Labonte scored a second-place, oval-track finish last weekend. The big question is where? The runner-up showing was at Tours (France) Speedway. The 54-year-old driver is running the entire NASCAR Whelen Euro Series. "Second feels good," he said. "I think we needed another lap or two and we might have had a chance at the win."

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2. Refresh button

Almost any driver who shows up can win Saturday's race at Daytona. Of the six drivers with wins, the two oddballs are Dillon and Logano, who scored their lone Victory Lane appearances at plate tracks. How about Aric Almirola? Maybe. "We are going to win a race," he said at Chicagoland. "I guarantee you we are going to win a race. We have to be perfect to do it though." On deck, Daytona.

3. Labonte second

Former NASCAR Cup Series champion

QUESTIONS & ATTITUDE

Compelling questions ... and maybe a few actual answers

Why were the two Kyles OK with all the rough stuff on Chicagoland's final lap?

Kyle Larson was happy because he made a late charge, had a chance to win and seems to genuinely enjoy that brand of give-and-take — it reminds him of his short-track roots. Kyle Busch was happy because it ended with him holding the checkered flag. It's all good hard racin' until Kyle gets the short straw. He likely would've had a different opinion if he hadn't been able to get back to Larson's bumper.

Does someone crash the playoffs party with a surprise win this week?

It's always possible at a plate race, but let's not consider Aric Almirola a shocker. He's been running too well all season, and he was up front near the very end in February at Daytona. But Bubba Wallace, Chris Buescher and Paul Menard were also in the last-lap mix at the Daytona 500, so you never know.

— Ken Willis, ken.willis@news-jrnl.com

CUP STANDINGS

1. Kyle Busch	736
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3. Joey Logano	617
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5. Brad Keselowski	592
6. Clint Bowyer	579
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WHAT'S ON TAP

CUP SERIES: Coke Zero Sugar 400

SITE: Daytona International Speedway (2.5-mile tri-oval)

TV SCHEDULE: Thursday, practice (NBC Sports Network, 2 p.m. and 4 p.m.). Friday, qualifying (NBC Sports Network, 4 p.m.). Saturday, race (NBC Sports Network, coverage begins at 6:30 p.m.; NBC, green flag, 7:15 p.m.)

XFINITY: Coca-Cola Firecracker 250

SITE: Daytona International Speedway

SCHEDULE: Thursday, practice (NBC Sports Network, 1 p.m. and 3 p.m.). Friday, qualifying (NBC Sports Network, 2 p.m.), race (NBC Sports Network, 7:30 p.m.)



KEN WILLIS' TOP 10 NASCAR DRIVER RANKINGS

KYLE BUSCH His turn again at #1	KEVIN HARVICK Will he and Kurt play nice this week?	MARTIN TRUEX JR. Zero-for-53 in plate races	CLINT BOWYER Has won at Talladega, but not Daytona	BRAD KESELOWSKI The man to beat with a plate	KYLE LARSON Eighteen career runner-up finishes	KURT BUSCH Has to be getting impatient	JOEY LOGANO Not running bad, not running great	ERIK JONES Seventh, sixth past two weeks	ARIC ALMIROLA He promised a win this year; will he deliver?
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

2018 SCHEDULE AND WINNERS

Feb. 11: Clash at Daytona (Brad Keselowski)
Feb. 15: Can-Am Duel at Daytona (Ryan Blaney and Chase Elliott)
Feb. 18: Daytona 500 (Austin Dillon)
Feb. 25: Folds of Honor 500 at Atlanta (Kevin Harvick)
March 4: Kobalt 400 at Las Vegas (Kevin Harvick)
March 11: Camping World 500(k) at Phoenix (Kevin Harvick)
March 18: Auto Club 400 at Fontana (Martin Truex Jr.)
March 26: STP 500 at Martinsville (Clint Bowyer)
April 8: O'Reilly Auto Parts 500 at Texas (Kyle Busch)
April 15: Food City 500 at Bristol (Kyle Busch)
April 21: Toyota Owners 400 at Richmond (Kyle Busch)
April 29: Geico 500 at Talladega (Joey Logano)

May 6: AAA 400 at Dover (Kevin Harvick)
May 12: Go Bowling 400 at Kansas (Kevin Harvick)
May 19: All-Star Race at Charlotte (Kevin Harvick)
May 27: Coca-Cola 600 at Charlotte (Kyle Busch)
June 3: Pocono 400 (Martin Truex Jr.)
June 10: FireKeepers Casino 400 at Michigan (Clint Bowyer)
June 24: Toyota/Save Mart 350 at Sonoma (Martin Truex Jr.)
July 1: Chicago 400 at Chicagoland (Kyle Busch)
July 7: Coke Zero 400 at Daytona
July 14: Quaker State 400 at Kentucky
July 22: New Hampshire 301
July 29: Pennsylvania 400 at Pocono
Aug. 5: 355 at the Glen, at Watkins Glen

Aug. 12: Pure Michigan 400
Aug. 18: Night Race at Bristol
Sept. 2: Southern 500 at Darlington
Sept. 9: Brickyard 400 at Indianapolis
Sept. 16: Las Vegas 400
Sept. 22: Federated Auto Parts 400 at Richmond
Sept. 30: Bank of America 500(k) at Charlotte road course
Oct. 7: Delaware 400 at Dover
Oct. 14: Alabama 500 at Talladega
Oct. 21: Hollywood Casino 400 at Kansas
Oct. 28: First Data 500 at Martinsville
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ON STAGE

“Spamalot” continues to amuse through July 15

By Linda Florea
Correspondent

Director Carlos Asse promises an evening or afternoon of fun and laughter in the Bay Street Players’ Monty Python musical parody, “Spamalot,” this weekend and continuing until July 15.

Get tickets now for upcoming shows, with the musical “Sweet Charity” by the Icehouse Players starting July 13 and the farce “Charley’s Aunt” by the Moonlight Players beginning July 20.

Take a chance at the limelight and audition Sunday and Monday for “Into the Woods” at the Melon Patch in Leesburg.

‘Spamalot’

The Bay Street Players’ presentation of Monty Python’s musical parody “Spamalot” continues until July 15 at the Historic State Theatre, 109 N. Bay St. in Eustis

In a uniquely irreverent way, the play tells the story of King Arthur and the Knights of the Round Table and how they came to be.

“We have an excellent cast, great singing and excellent dancing – you will enjoy it,” said director Carlos Asse.

“What more can you want in a night of entertainment?” Rude Frenchmen, can-can dancers, the Lady of the Lake and her Laker Girls, killer rabbits, catapulting cows, and the somewhat odd knights who say “ni” are just part of the adventures and dangers awaiting King Arthur and his knights of the very, very, very round table in their quest for the holy grail. Lovingly ripped off from the motion picture, “Monty Python and the Holy Grail,” “Spamalot” is a Broadway hit and irreverent parody of the Arthurian legend.

“It’s fun, whether your a Monty Python fan or not – this play is fun,” Asse said.

Cost: \$11 to \$21. Details: baystreetplayers.org.

Upcoming

‘SWEET CHARITY’

The Icehouse Players in Mount Dora present the musical “Sweet Charity” July 13 to Aug. 5. It’s 1966. Will dance hall hostess Charity Hope Valentine find true love at last with a shy accountant named Oscar? Songs include “Big Spender,” “If They Could See Me Now,” and “There’s Gotta Be Something Better Than This.” Details: icehousetheatre.com.

‘CHARLEY’S AUNT’

The Moonlight Players in Clermont present “Charley’s Aunt” July 20 to Aug. 5. Charley and Jack love Amy and Kitty. Amy is about to go away, and Charley thinks he may miss his opportunity to ask for her hand. Then he discovers that his aunt, a Brazilian woman he hardly knows, is coming for lunch and, needless to say, things don’t go as planned. Donna Lucia, the aunt, is late, and their friend, Lord Fancourt Babberley, shows up in drag as Donna Lucia. A wild afternoon of mistaken identity, young love, old love, angry uncles, and one beautiful, exotic aunt ensues. Details: moonlightplayers.com.

Auditions

‘INTO THE WOODS’

Auditions for “Into the Woods” by the Melon Patch

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LOCAL ENTERTAINMENT SCENE



Claire Vandiver, pictured, and the duo Esh ‘n’ Sheif will kick off the Mount Dora Summer Concert Series from 8 to 10:30 p.m. in Sunset Park, 230 W. Fourth Ave. [TWITTER]

On Tap this weekend



Downtown Clermont hosts First Friday Food Trucks from 5:30 to 9 pm. Friday on Montrose Street by City Hall. [FACEBOOK]

Music, food, even foraging among choices for fun

By Linda Florea
Correspondent

Music, food, fun and foraging are calling this weekend with the start of the Lakeridge Summer Music Series on Saturday, along with the Mount Dora Summer Concert Series on Friday evenings. Mount Dora’s July Dining Month adds a special meal, if you choose, after the concert.

First Friday events in Clermont and Eustis also bring music and food to the downtown areas for street parties.

Lake Eustis has a shoreline clean-up scheduled for Saturday in Ferran Park. Here’s what’s on tap for the weekend.

July Dining Month

In conjunction with the July Concert Month, local restaurants offer concertgoers a

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MOVIE REVIEW

The ‘Ant-Man’ sequel sits at the kids’ table of the Marvel universe

By Ed Symkus
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It would be fair to say that within the vast labyrinth of the Marvel Universe, Ant-Man is a minor character. And that “Ant-Man,” the 2015 film that starred Paul Rudd as Scott Lang, a petty criminal who, once donning his story’s version of a super suit, was able to get small, grow tall, and zip around fighting off all sorts of bad guys, was, when compared to other entries in Marvel moviedom, a minor film.

But it was certainly an event that ended with Janet going “subatomic” and vanishing into the Quantum Realm. Now Hank and his daughter Hope (Evangeline Lilly) believe that Janet might still be alive, and that only Scott can help them find her. Well, Scott, along

answer is a resounding no. The gaggle of writers who fashioned this screenplay took care to include enough information before the opening credits run to allow any newcomers to catch up on what’s going on, much of which was hinted at the first time around.

Here’s a taste: Brilliant inventor Hank Pym (Michael Douglas) and his brilliant wife and science partner Janet Van Dyne (Michelle Pfeiffer), both of whom had the ability to shrink down to ant size, were long ago involved in a save-the-world scenario that ended with Janet going “subatomic” and vanishing into the Quantum Realm. Now Hank and his daughter Hope (Evangeline Lilly) believe that Janet might still be alive, and that only Scott can help them find her. Well, Scott, along



Ant-Man goes large to take care of some oceanic business. [MARVEL STUDIOS]

‘Ant-Man and the Wasp’

- Written by Chris McKenna, Erik Sommers, Paul Rudd, Andrew Barrer, Gabriel Ferrari
- Directed by Peyton Reed
- With Paul Rudd, Evangeline Lilly, Michael Douglas, Michael Pena, Hannah John-Kamen
- Rated PG-13

with the acquisition of a special technical component that’s in the hands of the smarmy villain Sonny Burch (Walton Goggins).

Too much to keep track of already? Sorry, there’s

plenty more. Scott, a divorced dad who gets to see his young daughter on weekends, is going through two years of ankle-braced house arrest (due to something that happened in one of those “Avengers” movies). Hope, who has wings attached to her super suit when she becomes the Wasp, flies around stinging people when she’s small, and beating them up when she’s tall, especially people like Sonny Burch and his band of thugs. But things go awry when everyone

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Sam Smith on touring, therapy, smoking and lip syncing

By Mesfin Fekadu
The Associated Press

NEW YORK — Sam Smith knows his music is melancholy and emotional, but he's hoping his live shows will be uplifting and feel "like a fistful of love," as he put it.

The singer, known for down-tempo hits like "Stay With Me" and "Too Good at Goodbyes," launched "The Thrill of It All Tour" in the United States on June 22 in Detroit.

Smith will perform at some of the arenas he played three years ago when his 2014 debut album, "In the Lonely Hour," dominated the charts. But he said now he's able to do more when it comes to the show — from the lighting to the set list.

"We didn't really know what to do actually because everything became very big before we actually had the money to actually afford to put on anything that was a spectacle," he said of his 2015 tour.

"With this tour, I got to choose songs. I got to really decide what type of show and tour this is," said Smith, who released this sophomore album, "The Thrill of It All," last November. "I really think you can see, within the show, (the) growth of me as

an artist, I hope."

Smith talked to The Associated Press about the tour, cutting out alcohol and smoking, and going to therapy for the first time.

AP: How have you been preparing to get ready for this tour?

Smith: It's very, very tough. I'm trying to really discover other joys in life instead of going out drinking and going clubbing. I've completely stopped drinking. I'm working out. I have my trainer on the road with me, which is amazing. I work out every day. I've just had four weeks off so I've been eating a lot of really bad food, so I'm trying to work that off before I get to New York. I'm just being super, super, super healthy. Making sure I go to bed after the shows and rest my voice. It's really looking after myself as much as I can. The time that I'm onstage is my time to have fun and that's my time to express and let go.

AP: Have you cut out smoking?

Smith: Yes. The last year or so, I'm embarrassed to say that I did — I fell into the pit of smoking cigarettes. I'm battling it. I'm not smoking at all at the moment. When I have my time off in between shows I find it really difficult. But I'm pretty certain and sure that I've kicked it now. I have to. It's so bad for you. It's just affecting my voice. It affects my mood as well, smoking. I feel like I'm



Musician Sam Smith poses for a portrait Nov. 2, 2017, in New York to promote his latest album, "The Thrill of It All." Smith, who launched the North American leg of his tour this week, says though his past shows have been melancholy, his new ones are all about love. [VICTORIA WILL/INVISION/AP]

hurting myself in a way when I do it. So, I've stopped that.

AP: You sing live every night. How does it feel when you see others lip sync?

Smith: In general, I find it sad. It's different with the different artists, I feel. ...I don't know for certain, but I'm pretty sure some people sing a bit here and there and mime a bit during the show because they're dancing so hard. Then I understand that because I'm not a dancer and I don't know how it feels. If you're singing for a bit of it live, then I get it. I've got to admit, it's something that I find annoying, especially within pop music, because I'm someone

who has never mimed. I've never ever mimed my entire life.

Whenever people around you are miming, you're kind of expected to do the same amount of work and promo and stuff as all the other artists. But, it's hard. I can't do as much promo. I can't sing flat out every day, all day because my songs are very, very high and demanding for me as a male singer.

AP: Do you get to go to concerts? If so, who have you seen recently?

Smith: Yeah, I go to shows quite a lot. I try to see all the

big pop shows. I saw Beyonce's "Lemonade" stadium tour. I'm watching all of her "On the (Run Tour)" stuff online. I'm just obsessed. It's just incredible to watch. My dream person to see that I haven't seen is Robyn. I just really want to see her live. I think I'd just cry the whole time.

AP: How's it been performing songs from your latest album now that it's been out several months?

Smith: I look back at this album and sometimes, when I'm singing these songs, I worry because I know they are very dark. If you listen to the album it's got quite a dark tone to it.

MUSIC REVIEW

Angst, '70s folk-rock mix well



By Pablo Gorondi
The Associated Press

California band Dawes dip their observant takes on our days of angst deep into a tub of '70s folk and soft rock, turning "Passwords," their sixth album, into a soothing, sugar-coated collection with a bittersweet lyrical aftertaste.

Led by singer-guitarist-songwriter Taylor Goldsmith, the 30-somethings in Dawes must know the catalog of authoritative artists of the era like The Eagles, Jackson Browne and Stephen Bishop to a tee, though they often add a twist or two of their own.

The power chords of opener "Living In the Future" and a scarily intense guitar solo are a good match for the lyrics, which read like a directory of modern challenges, from keeping your passwords safe and remembering them to feelings of living on the edge and anticipating being pushed off.

"Feed the Fire" offers electric sitar and a melody like Stevie Nicks fronting Hall & Oates, while "Crack the Case" wishes for a lasting armistice — "It's really hard to hate anyone/When you know what they've lived through."

"I Can't Love" buries the lead ("you any more ... than I do right now") and "Mistakes We Should Have Made" is an energetic burst into regret with vocal assistance from Jess Wolfe and Holly Laessig from indie pop band Lucius.

There's some late '80s Joni Mitchell in "Time Flies Either Way," which ends the album with affecting piano playing from Lee Pardini and acts as a possible sequel to "Telescope," about a boy whose life never seemingly recovers from his dad's departure. Or maybe it still can.

Dawes achieve a uniform veneer on "Passwords," translucent coats of sound spread over situations and stories well worth listening to.

'Passwords'

Dawes (HUB Records)

BOOK REVIEW

'This' explores marriage and parenting



By Oline H. Cogdill
The Associated Press

Appearances sometimes are not just deceiving but can hide fissures so deep and fractured that tragedy can seem a surprise when it occurs. Michelle Sacks richly explores marriage and parenting — and the illusions that some couples present to the world — in her riveting debut, "You Were Made for This."

To outsiders, Merry and Sam Hurley seem to have settled into an idyllic life in rural Sweden. The Hurleys thrive on being together almost constantly — "an island of three" — doting on their 8-month-old baby, Conor. Merry has embraced cooking, canning fruits and vegetables from her own garden, and spending precious time with Conor. Sam has regenerated his career filming documentaries and commercials.

They insist that they don't miss the chaos of New York City where he was an anthropology professor at Columbia University and Merry was a sought-after set designer. But all that is a charade, like one of Merry's intricate sets. Sam forced Merry to move to Sweden where he had inherited a near dilapidated house from his stepmother.

Merry doesn't know that Sam was fired from his job, nor that his work in Sweden is nonexistent. In private, Sam doesn't miss a chance to deride his wife, her former career or her appearance.

He condescendingly praises her domestic duties by telling her "you were made for this." Merry chafes at Sam's control, but does little to help herself. Worst of all, Merry cares nothing for Conor, will let him cry for hours and stay in a dirty diaper when she's by herself.

ITUNES TOP 10 For the week ending June 24

TOP SONGS

1. **Girls Like You (feat. Cardi B)**, Maroon 5
2. **I LIKE IT**, Cardi B, Bad Bunny & J Balvin
3. **Born to Be Yours**, Kygo & Imagine Dragons
4. **Psycho (feat. Ty Dolla \$ign)**, Post Malone
5. **SAD!**, XXXTENTACION
6. **no tears left to cry**, Ariana Grande
7. **Whatever It Takes**, Imagine Dragons
8. **Simple**, Florida Georgia Line
9. **Bed (feat. Ariana Grande)**, Nicki Minaj
10. **Nice For What**, Drake

TOP ALBUMS

1. **Everything Is Love**, The Carters
2. **Nasir**, Nas
3. **Liberation**, Christina Aguilera
4. **The Greatest Showman (Original Motion Picture Soundtrack)**, Various Artists
5. **Square Up - EP**, BLACKPINK
6. **Youngblood**, 5 Seconds of Summer
7. **Dan + Shay**, Dan + Shay
8. **?**, XXXTention
9. **Redemption**, Jay Rock
10. **Free Rein**, Rebelution

BEST-SELLING BOOKS

The Wall Street Journal's list reflects nationwide sales of hardcover books for the week ending June 17

FICTION

1. **"The President is Missing"** by James Patterson and Bill Clinton (Little, Brown)
2. **"The Outsider"** by Stephen King (Scribner)
3. **"Tom Clancy: Line of Sight"** by Mike Maden (G.P. Putnam's Sons)
4. **"Oh, the Places You'll Go"** by Dr. Seuss (Random House)
5. **"Shelter in Place"** by Nora Roberts (St. Martin's Press)

NONFICTION

1. **"Magnolia Table"** by Joanna Gaines and Marah Stets (Morrow Cookbooks)
2. **"Trump's America"** by Newt Gingrich (Center Street)
3. **"Calypso"** by David Sedaris (Little, Brown)
4. **"The Plant Paradox Cookbook"** by Steven R. Gundry (Harper Wave)
5. **"The Soul of America"** by Jon Meachum (Random House)

FICTION E-BOOKS

1. **"The President is Missing"** by James Patterson and Bill Clinton (Little, Brown)
2. **"Tom Clancy: Line of Sight"** by Mike Maden (G.P. Putnam's Sons)
3. **"The Outsider"** by Stephen King (Scribner)
4. **"The Pharaoh Key"** by D. Preston & L. Child (Grand Central Publishing)
5. **"Shelter in Place"** by Nora Roberts (St. Martin's Press)

NONFICTION E-BOOKS

1. **"Kitchen Confidential: Adventures in the Culinary Underbelly"** by Anthony Bourdain (HarperPerennial)
2. **"The Plant Paradox"** by Steven R. Gundry (HarperWave)
3. **"Calypso"** by David Sedaris (Little, Brown)
4. **"Bad Blood"** John Carreyrou (Knopf Doubleday Publishing Group)
5. **"Educated"** by Tara Westover (Random House)

CALENDAR

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EDITOR'S PICK



Summer fun days will be at 10 a.m. July 7 and July 21 at Santa's Christmas Tree Forest, 35317 Huff road in Eustis. Cost is \$4. Petting zoo, hayrides, mazes, bounce pillow, pony rides and zip line. Hotdogs, barbecue chicken and kettle corn are served daily. Go to <http://santaschristmastreeforest.com>. [DAILY COMMERCIAL FILE]

friends. Call 407-761-8764 or email marty@ganii.com.

READER OF THE PACK: From 4 to 5 p.m. the first Thursday of the month at Leesburg Public Library, 100 E. Main St. Free. All ages are invited to pet and read a book to the PAWS Therapy Dogs to strengthen reading skills and build reading confidence. Call Melissa Curry at 352-728-9790 or email melissa.curry@leesburg-florida.gov.

PALETTES AND PETS: From 5 to 7 p.m. the first Thursday of the month at Orlando Cat Café, 532 Cagan Park Ave. in Clermont. Order a snack and create a canvas painting with guidance from professional artist Kathie Camara. All materials provided. Cost is \$35. Registration required. Go to orlandocatcafe.com.

NORTH LAKE TEA PARTY MEETING: From 7 to 9 p.m. the first and third

Thursday of the month at Tavares Civic Center, 100 E. Caroline St. Go to northlaketeaparty.com for information.

LAKE COUNTY FARMERS AND FLEA MARKET: From 8 a.m. to noon every Thursday (except holidays) at the Lake County Fairgrounds, 2101 County Road 452 in Eustis. For information, call Cole Scharlau at 352-357-9692.

CRAFTY KIDS: From 4:30 to 5:15 p.m. every Thursday at the Leesburg Public Library, 100 E. Main St. Free. Children of all ages are invited to make a craft at the library to take home. Call Penny Richardson at 352-728-9790 or email penny.richardson@leesburgflorida.gov.

LADIES THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY: From 9 to 11 a.m. every Thursday at Fairway Christian Church Classrooms C-D, 251 Avenida Los Angeles in The Villages. Call 352-259-9305 for information.

CHESS CLUB: From 5:45 to 7:45 p.m. every Thursday at Leesburg Public Library, 100 E. Main St.

Call 352-728-9790 for information.

SUPPORT GROUP: From 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. every Thursday at W.T. Bland Public Library Simpson Farm House, 1995 N. Donnelly St. in Mount Dora. For anyone who deals with or has a loved one with anxiety, depression or other mental health issues. Call Logan at 352-483-7434 or email loganandtiger@yahoo.com for information.

MEDITATION: At 4 p.m. every Thursday at Leesburg Public Library, 100 E. Main St. Guided meditation followed by discussion. Chairs provided or bring yoga mat. Beginners welcome. Call 352-728-9790 to register.

QUILTING SISTERS GUILD: From 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. every Thursday at Masonic Lodge, 200 Richey Road. in Leesburg. Call Mary at 352-323-3351 or go to quiltingsistersguild.com for information.

CRAFTERNOONS: From 2 to 5 p.m. every Thursday at Cooper Memorial Library, 2525 Oakley Seaver Drive in Clermont. Bring your current

craft project. Call 352-536-2275 for information.

KIDS ACTIVITY NIGHT: From 6 to 7 p.m. every Thursday at Astor County Library, 54905 Alco Road. Call 352-759-9913 for information.

TNT GAMING: From 4 to 5 p.m. every Thursday at Leesburg Public Library, 100 E. Main St. For ages 8 to 18. Call 352-728-9790 for information.

LEGO CLUB: From 3 to 4 p.m. every Thursday at Fruitland Park Library, 205 W. Berckman St. For ages 5 to 18. Call 352-360-6561 for information.

STORY TIME OUR WORLD: From 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. every Thursday at Leesburg Public Library, 100 E. Main St. For ages 5 and under. With music, movement and finger-plays. Call 352-728-9790 for information.

PRE-K STORY TIME: From 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. every Thursday at W.T. Bland Public Library, 1995 N. Donnelly St. in Mt Dora. Call 352-735-7180 for information.

Today

STEVENS PUPPETS: At 2:30 p.m. at the Mount Dora Community Building, 520 N. Baker Street. Hosted by the W.T. Public Library.

OLD TIME RADIO DRAMA CLUB: At 7 p.m. the first Thursday of each month at Savannah Center, 1575 Buena Vista Blvd. in The Villages. Go to thevillagesoldtimeradio.club.

COAST GUARD AUXILIARY — FLOTILLA 43 MEETING: At 7 p.m. the first Thursday of the month at Mid-Florida Lakes MHP, 200 Forest Drive in Leesburg. Promote recreational boating safety while receiving specialized training and making new

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three-course dinner specially crafted by chefs for \$35 per person plus tax and gratuity every Friday in July. Participating restaurants include 1921 by Norman Van Aken, Cafe Gianni, The Bavarian Haus and Pisces Rising. Reservations are recommended. A portion of proceeds go to Lake Cares Food Pantry.

Lakeridge Summer Music Series

Each Saturday from noon to 4 p.m. in July, Lakeridge Winery holds its free Summer Music Series, featuring live bands on the outdoor stage and solo acts at the Wine & Cheese Bar. This week, bring your chairs or blankets to see the Ronnie Duncan Band outdoors, and Beautiful Bobby Blackmon in the Wine & Cheese Bar. Lakeridge wine, beer, soft drinks and a variety of food is available for purchase, along with complimentary Winery tours and tasting.

Mount Dora Summer Concert Series

Sunset Park in Mount

Dora hosts the Summer Concert Series from 8 to 10:30 p.m. every Friday in July. This week features Claire Vandiver with a mix of electric soul and pop and the duo Esh 'n' Sheif in Sunset Park, 230 W. Fourth Ave.

First Friday Food Trucks

Downtown Clermont hosts First Friday Food Trucks from 5:30 to 9 pm. Friday on Montrose Street by City Hall. Have some dinner and enjoy the country music of the Eric Von Band, bring the little ones to the kids' zone and shop at merchants open late for the event.

Street Party in Eustis

Get to downtown Eustis for the monthly Street Party featuring music, food and friends. Country band Southern Chaos will be providing entertainment.

Guitars and Cars

If you love playing music, cars or motorcycles, the Guitars and Cars swap meet from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday at Renningers Florida Twin Markets, 20651 U.S.

Highway 441 in Mount Dora is for you. You might just turn up that treasure you've been wanting. A Music Lover's Jam runs noon until 3 p.m., hosted by Jeff DeHollander. Admission is \$2, with children 14 and younger admitted free. Details: renningers.net.

Summer Fun Days

Santa's Christmas Tree Forest, 35317 Huff Road in Eustis, hosts Summer Fun Day 10 a.m. Saturday through July 21. The event features a petting zoo, hayrides, mazes, bounce pillow, pony rides and zip line. Hot dogs, barbecue chicken and kettle corn are served daily. The event begins at 10 a.m. this Saturday and July 21 at Santa's Christmas Tree Forest, 35317 Huff Road in Eustis. Cost is \$4. Go to santaschristmastreeforest.com.

Lake Eustis Shoreline Cleanup

Your weekend could be picking up at the Lake Eustis Shoreline Cleanup, 9 a.m. Saturday at Ferran Park in Eustis. Other cleanup dates are Aug. 4 and Sept. 8. Details: Christine Cruz at 352-217-7370 or email

christicr4@aol.com.

Annual Book Sale

Stock up on reading material at the annual book sale 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday at the Lake David Center, 450 S. Lake Ave. in Groveland, for the Friends of the Marion Baysinger Memorial Library.

Wild Foods Foraging Classrooms

Wondering what's for dinner? Then a Wild Foods Foraging Class is for you from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday at Dade Battlefield Historic State Park, 7200 County Road 603 in Bushnell. Join the staff as they forage around the park for wild foods and cook up some dishes to sample. Bring water, sunscreen, hat and gloves. Cost is \$3 per vehicle or annual Florida park pass plus \$5 per person, 12 and under free. Details: 352-793-4781.



Left to right, Sir Lancelot played by Sean Jenness, Sir Robin played by Rick Brees, King Arthur played by Tom Young, Sir Galahad played by Chip Batko, Sir Bedevere played by Mark Thibeau and Patsy played by Gregory Childs, perform during Monty Python's "Spamalot" at Bay Street Players in Eustis. [SUBMITTED]

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Theatre in Leesburg are Sunday and Monday, with rehearsals beginning in late July. The production runs Sept. 7 to 23. All roles are currently available for seven men and 10 women ages teen to over 50. No

appointments are needed. Bring a prepared song selection (minimum 16-32 bars) in the style of the material, but not from the show. Live accompaniment provided. Sheet music is required. Be prepared for partnered cold readings from the script, and basic dance/movement may be requested. Details: melonpatchplayers.org.

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gets to meet the ghostly Ava (Hannah John-Kamen), who also goes by the name Ghost and who, even while wreaking havoc on some of the good guys — for reasons of revenge — is physically fading away.

More: There's also Bill Foster (Laurence Fishburne), a long-ago acquaintance of Hank, who's brought into the fold because, as luck would have it, he's a

professor of quantum physics, and knows a little something about the Quantum Realm.

Yeah, there's too much going on, but the script tries to buffer that by tossing in lots of large vs. small sight gags, having the villains keep showing up at inopportune moments, and splitting the goofiest of line delivery between Rudd and his character's friend Luis (Michael Pena).

But the story does what it's supposed to do: It keeps returning to the idea introduced at the beginning, that

Janet might still be alive and that they must try to find her. Of most importance, Stan Lee shows up at about the 80-minute mark, the ending will confound anyone who hasn't yet seen "Avengers: Infinity War," and there's a huge car chase through the streets of San Francisco, which should bring smiles to Michael Douglas fans. Those who don't get this reference should IMDb his 1970s TV work.

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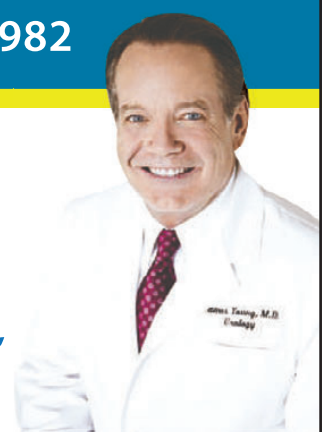
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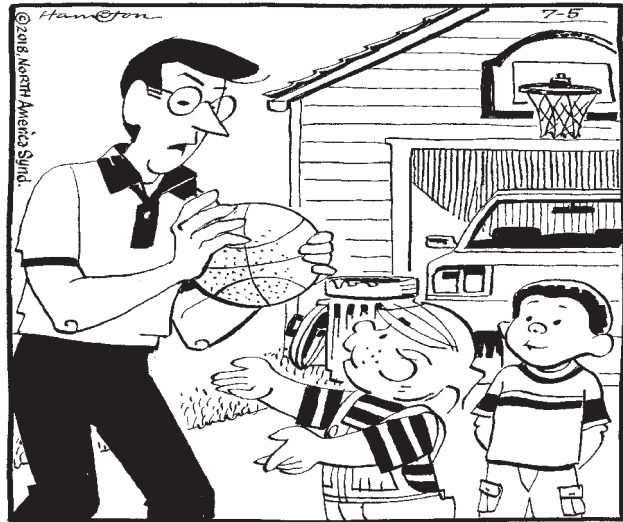
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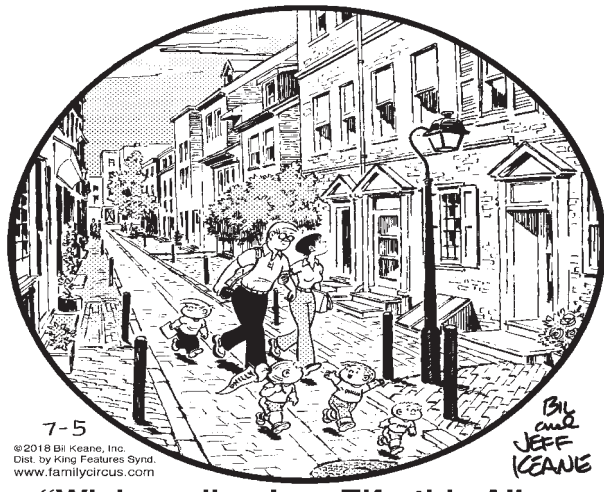
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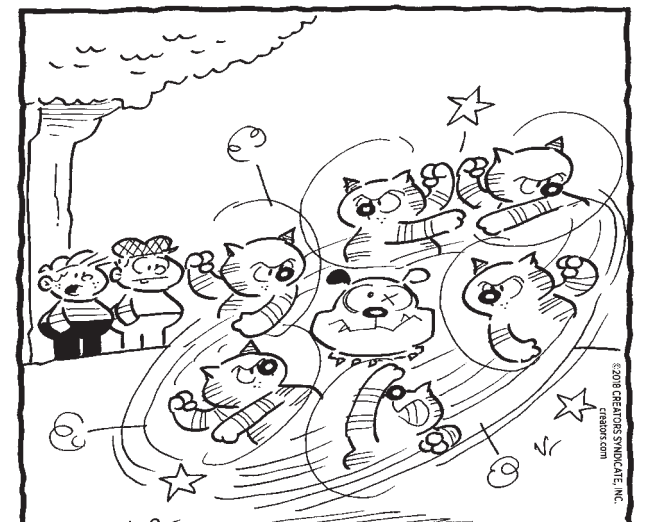
"WHY IS THE BALL ALL STICKY?" "OH, I WAS DOIN' SOME SLAM DUNKS IN THE GARBAGE CAN."

FAMILY CIRCUS



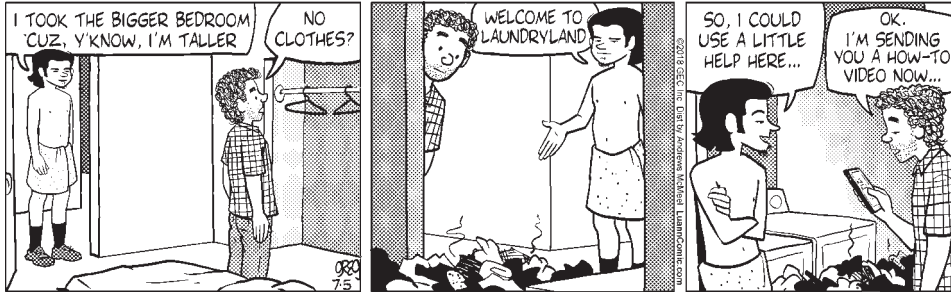
"Wish we lived on Elfret's Alley. Mommy would let us play in the street."

HEATHCLIFF



"AN ILL-ADVISED BUTT SNIFF."

LUANN



I TOOK THE BIGGER BEDROOM 'CUZ, Y'KNOW, I'M TALLER NO CLOTHES? WELCOME TO LAUNDRYLAND SO, I COULD USE A LITTLE HELP HERE... OK, I'M SENDING YOU A HOW-TO VIDEO NOW...

DILBERT



I'VE BEEN A CONTRACTOR HERE FOR OVER A YEAR. MAYBE YOU SHOULD JUST HIRE ME. WHO ARE YOU? I DIDN'T EVEN KNOW I WAS PAYING YOU. PERHAPS WE CAN PRETEND THIS CONVERSATION NEVER HAPPENED. THAT FEELS LIKE THE BEST OPTION.

MOTHER GOOSE & GRIMM



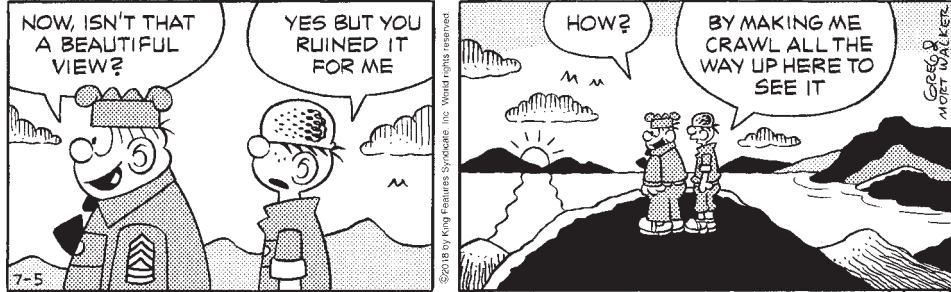
DOG SUPPORT GROUP I STARTED EATING HOMEWORK... THEN I STARTED GETTING INTO THE HARD STUFF ... DOCTORAL THESES

BABY BLUES



HAMMIE, TIME FOR YOUR BATH. I'M HAM SOLO, REMEMBER? I PLAY BY MY OWN RULES! YOU SHOULDN'T BE TELLING ME WHEN TO TAKE A BATH! HELP ME, OBI-WAN! LISTEN TO VADER. OH, THANKS!

BETLE BAILEY



NOW, ISN'T THAT A BEAUTIFUL VIEW? YES BUT YOU RUINED IT FOR ME HOW? BY MAKING ME CRAWL ALL THE WAY UP HERE TO SEE IT

PICKLES



I WAS JUST ABOUT TO PUT MY SOCKS ON WHEN MY PHONE RANG. AFTER I GOT OFF THE PHONE, ONE OF MY SOCKS WAS GONE. I JUST HAD THIS ONE. DID YOU TRY LOOKING ON YOUR FOOT? OKAY! WHO PUT MY SOCK ON MY FOOT WHEN I WASN'T LOOKING??!

ZITS



DAD, IT'S TOO HOT FOR ME TO MOW TODAY. OH. BESIDES, I HAVE FRIENDS COMING OVER. OKAY, THEN I'LL DO IT MYSELF. ...IN A SPEEDO. WAIT! NEVER MIND! I'LL DO IT!

PHANTOM



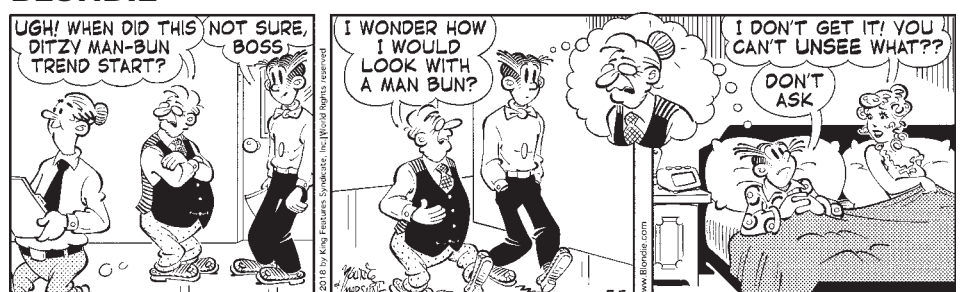
THERE! CLEAN BANDAGE. THE DAY BEGINS, O GHOST! I MAY NEVER MAKE IT INTO THE CRYPT WITH YOU AROUND... KIT WALKER! WHAT'S THIS TALK I'M HEARING AT THE WATERFALL? HAHA! YOU'RE WELCOME!

GARFIELD



I TELL POOKY ALL MY SECRETS A TEDDY BEAR CAN'T BE COMPELLED TO TESTIFY AGAINST ITS OWNER

BLONDIE



UGH! WHEN DID THIS DITZY MAN-BUN TREND START? NOT SURE, BOSS. I WONDER HOW I WOULD LOOK WITH A MAN BUN? I DON'T GET IT! YOU CAN'T UNSEE WHAT?? DON'T ASK

FOR BETTER OR FOR WORSE



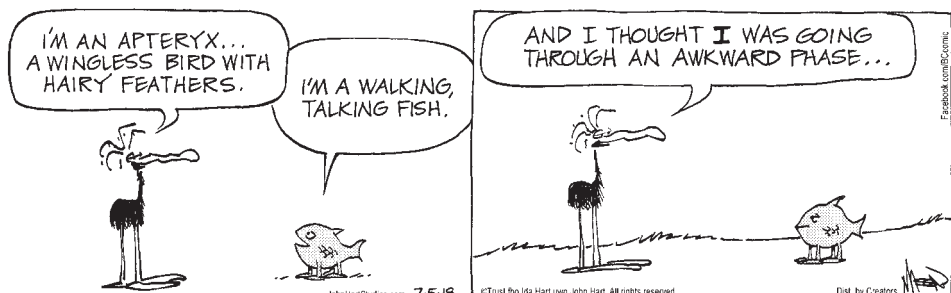
SAV DA-DA, ELIZABETH! THERE'S DA-DA! YES! DA-DA! IT'S DA-DA! SAY 'BYE TO DA-DA!' 'BYE-BYE DA-DA!' DA-DA!!

SHOE



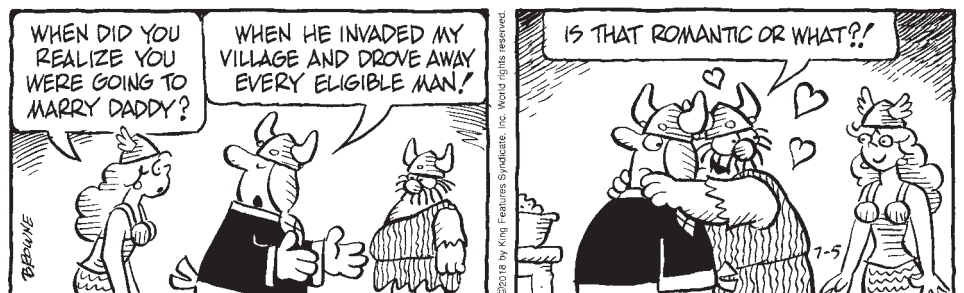
MY GIRLFRIEND IS FURIOUS WITH ME. SHE ASKED ME THIS MORNING IF HER JEANS MADE HER BUTT LOOK BIG. AND WHAT DID YOU SAY? "NOT AS BIG AS THE JEANS YOU WORE YESTERDAY."

B.C.



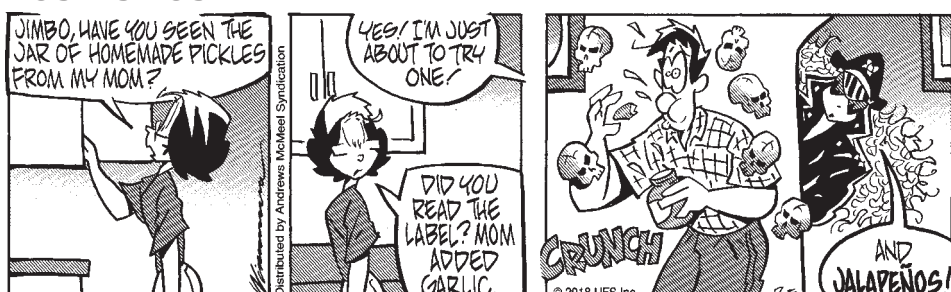
I'M AN APTERYX... A WINGLESS BIRD WITH HAIRY FEATHERS. I'M A WALKING, TALKING FISH. AND I THOUGHT I WAS GOING THROUGH AN AWKWARD PHASE...

HAGAR THE HORRIBLE



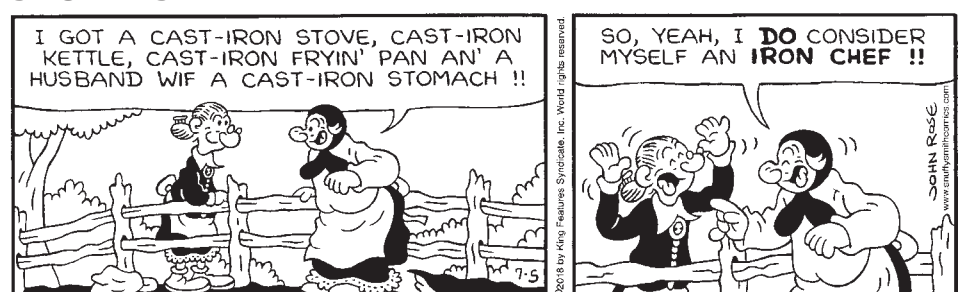
WHEN DID YOU REALIZE YOU WERE GOING TO MARRY DADDY? WHEN HE INVADDED MY VILLAGE AND DROVE AWAY EVERY ELIGIBLE MAN! IS THAT ROMANTIC OR WHAT?!

ROSE IS ROSE



JIMBO, HAVE YOU SEEN THE JAR OF HOMEMADE PICKLES FROM MY MOM? YES! I'M JUST ABOUT TO TRY ONE. DID YOU READ THE LABEL? MOM ADDED GARLIC... CRUNCH AND JALAPENOS!

SNUFFY SMITH



I GOT A CAST-IRON STOVE, CAST-IRON KETTLE, CAST-IRON FRYIN' PAN AN' A HUSBAND WIF A CAST-IRON STOMACH !! SO, YEAH, I DO CONSIDER MYSELF AN IRON CHEF !!

CLASSIC PEANUTS



FOURTH OF JULY IS OVER, AND I DIDN'T LIGHT A SINGLE FIRECRACKER MY DAD SAYS THAT WHEN HE WAS LITTLE, THEY HAD TINY FIRECRACKERS CALLED LADYFINGERS THEY'D LIGHT A WHOLE STRING AT ONE TIME, AND THEY'D GO POP pop



WHEN YOU TELL A STORY, CHUCKY, YOU HAVE A TENDENCY TO GO INTO TOO MUCH DETAIL...

DIVERSIONS

Late bloomer worries he is being labeled a playboy

DEAR ABBY: I have never been married. I've been perceived as a "playboy" for many years now. I don't mean to be, but when I sense the potential for a passionate romantic encounter with flowers, candy, champagne, pot (and an occasional Quaalude), the urge takes over.

I was never considered "hot" until I turned 50 and decided to get in shape. I had a hair transplant, a neck lift and lost 25 pounds. Shouldn't I continue to enjoy this? I'm really loving it. But I worry about the comments about my age. I look about 38. -- **MAX IN THE MIDWEST**

DEAR MAX: If you are wooing adult women with flowers and candy, that's the traditional way of going about it. However, if you are using alcohol, pot and Quaaludes to render them so dizzy they can't refuse your advances, it is considered

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DEAR ABBY



rape -- a prosecutable offense no matter how good you look for your age. If you doubt me, just look at the news.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I are pregnant, and we are arguing over the gender of the baby. We have wanted this child for a long time and had trouble conceiving. I won't care if it's a boy or a girl, but he is adamant that he wants a boy. He has even gone so far as to say that he will be disappointed if it isn't.

We find out the gender this month, and I'm not sure how to prepare or if we should even find out. Help! -- **DISAPPOINTED IN OHIO**

DEAR DISAPPOINTED: Many men fantasize about having a son,

a "mini-me" to teach sports to, just as many women dream of having a daughter and what her first prom will be like or helping her to plan her wedding. When most couples have a baby, the first thing they do is thank God the baby is born healthy.

Little girls have been known to wrap their daddies around their little fingers before they are old enough to walk. The same is true for baby boys and their mothers. Please do not take your husband's spouting off so seriously; it will pass. As to whether you should determine the sex of your baby before birth, consider this: It will give you time to color-coordinate the nursery and layette.

DEAR ABBY: My good friend injured her back, so I offered to help out with chores and errands while she recovers. One of the errands was to pick up some groceries, which

included items for a barbecue party. No problem. However, I later learned she threw a grand cookout on Memorial Day, complete with boat rides, jet skis, fireworks and tons of food -- the food I picked up for her. The kicker? I wasn't invited! Am I immature for feeling angry and left out? -- **TRYING TO BE AN ADULT ABOUT THIS**

DEAR TRYING: I don't think you are immature. You called this woman a good friend. Unless an important fact was omitted from your letter, your feelings are normal. The only "good friend" in this relationship appears to be you.

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» BRIDGE

You have to pay attention

West dealer. North-South vulnerable.

NORTH
 ♠ K 4 2
 ♥ A 6 3
 ♦ 9 8
 ♣ J 10 6 5 3

WEST
 ♠ 10 7
 ♥ K Q J 10 5
 ♦ 10 7 5
 ♠ A Q 8

EAST
 ♠ Q 8 5 3
 ♥ 9 8 7 4
 ♦ 6 2
 ♣ K 9 4

SOUTH
 ♠ A J 9 6
 ♥ 2
 ♦ A K Q J 4 3
 ♣ 7 2

Contract: 3NT. Opening lead: ♠ 10.

West bidding:
 West North East South
 1♥ Pass 2♥ Dble
 2♦ 4♣ Pass 4♦

Play: West leads ♠ 10, king of hearts. Declarer's most important responsibility, and he does not fulfill this obligation unless he plans he makes are thought out to last detail.

Take a case like this one, where South is in five diamonds and West leads a heart. Probably the instinctive thing to do is to win the heart with the ♠ 2, draw trumps, then lead a spade the king and finesse the jack on the ♠ 10 back.

The finesse would succeed, right, but the contract would fail when the spades turned out to be divided 4-2, leaving South with three losers in the black suits.

The trouble with this method is that it doesn't allow for the possibility of West's having the doubleton ten of spades. Since this something that would occur about 10 percent of the time, it is a factor that should not be ignored.

Planning to take a spade finesse is certainly the proper approach to the play, but exactly when to take it is a matter of at least equal importance. The correct time for it is immediately — that is, right after winning the opening lead with the ace of hearts.

Declarer's next move is to lead the two of spades to the jack. If the finesse succeeds, South draws trumps and then leads a low spade the king, on which West's ten appears. It is then a simple matter to finesse the nine on the way back and to avoid a spade loser.

It does take a certain amount of foresight to recognize the importance of leading a low spade from dummy to do so is to win the heart with the ♠ 2, draw trumps, then lead a spade the king and finesse the jack on the ♠ 10 back.

Tomorrow: Bidding quiz.
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» HOROSCOPES

HAPPY BIRTHDAY FOR THURSDAY, JULY 5, 2018:

This year you have more control than you might believe. You could be overly concerned with your image. You might want to change how you project yourself, as you eye a change professionally or within your community. If you are single, you will meet someone of interest when out and about. This bond could be quite sensual. If you are attached, you and your sweetie thrive on your one-on-one time together. The two of you might quarrel sometimes, but you always make up quickly. **ARIES** frequently judges you.

ARIES (MARCH 21-APRIL 19) Expect some highs punctuated by some lows. You might feel buoyant in the morning, but a bout of sarcastic comments from a close friend could affect your mood later in the day. Someone you look up to could have quite an impact on you.

TAURUS (APRIL 20-MAY 20) You might have difficulty pulling it together. A few sharp words could throw your mood into a downward spiral. Recognize what is

going on with the other party involved. Perhaps your expectations are too overwhelming to meet at this point in time.

GEMINI (MAY 21-JUNE 20) You could be tired of all the action around you. Sarcasm might not be the best way to force someone to back off; direct communication would work better. Add a touch of diplomacy, and accept responsibility for your feelings.

CANCER (JUNE 21-JULY 22) An older friend or relative could become quite demanding. This person wants what he or she wants, and might refuse to listen to what you have to say. Create some distance between the two of you, and allow greater give and take.

LEO (JULY 23-AUG. 22) Avoid putting off a visit or trip. If you can, make a call and reach out to a dear friend or loved one whom you have wanted to see. Making plans with this person puts a smile on your face. Let others know what your priorities are.

VIRGO (AUG. 23-SEPT. 22) Relax, and allow others to take the lead. A partner might appear to be some-

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BIGAR'S STARS



what distant in the morning, but by the afternoon, he or she will open up. The two of you will be able to work through some difficult feelings together.

LIBRA (SEPT. 23-OCT. 22) Others could be moodier than you originally had anticipated. You might feel as if someone woke up on the wrong side of the bed. Put some space between you and this person, and don't let his or her negativity get to you.

SCORPIO (OCT. 23-NOV. 21) Reaching an understanding could be difficult. Loosen up and let go of a grudge. You might feel a lot better as a result, and others will like relating to you more. Your words could be misunderstood. Be as clear as possible in order to avoid a squabble.

SAGITTARIUS (NOV. 22-DEC. 21) No one needs to tell you how much energy ema-

nates from you. Just observe what is happening around you. Don't allow a feeling of insecurity or a lack of funds to stop you from socializing. Make the first move, and refuse to stand on ceremony.

CAPRICORN (DEC. 22-JAN. 19) Your serious tone could cause a loved one some concern. Make an effort to reach out to this person later in the day. You even might decide to buy a token of appreciation to let him or her know that you care. Recognize that you aren't always easy to relate to.

AQUARIUS (JAN. 20-FEB. 18) You might be quite active and assertive, but to someone else it could come across as aggressive. Your supportive efforts toward others will be noticed. Be thoughtful. Open up conversations, and listen to what is being shared.

PISCES (FEB. 19-MARCH 20) Be aware of the costs of continuing as you have been. You might be letting self-discipline go by indulging a bit. Instead of sitting on irritation or anger, try to voice your feelings in an acceptable way. Do not judge others or yourself too harshly.

» TODAY IN HISTORY

TODAY IS THURSDAY, JULY 5, the 186th day of 2018. There are 179 days left in the year.

TODAY'S HIGHLIGHT IN HISTORY: On July 5, 1947, Larry Doby made his debut with the Cleveland Indians, becoming the first black player in the American League three months after

Jackie Robinson broke the color barrier in the National League. In the game against the Chicago White Sox at Comiskey Park, Doby, pinch-hitting for Bryan Stephens, struck out in his first at-bat during the seventh inning; Chicago won 6-5.

ON THIS DATE: In 1865, the Secret Service Division of the U.S. Treasury

Department was founded in Washington, D.C. with the mission of suppressing counterfeit currency.

In 1946, the bikini, created by Louis Reard, was modeled by Micheline Bernardini during a poolside fashion show in Paris.

In 1954, Elvis Presley's first commercial recording session

took place at Sun Records in Memphis, Tennessee; the song he recorded was "That's All Right."

In 1984, the Supreme Court weakened the 70-year-old "exclusionary rule," deciding that evidence seized in good faith with defective court warrants could be used against defendants in criminal trials.

WORD SCRIMMAGE™

BY JUDD HAMBRICK

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5th Letter + 7 PTS

1st DOWN

2nd DOWN

3rd DOWN + 50 PTS

4th DOWN + 30 PTS

TIME LIMIT: 20 MIN JUDG'S TOTAL = 293 AVERAGE GAME 185-195 PTS

Directions: Make a 2- to 7-letter word from the letters on each yardline. Add points to each word or letter using scoring directions. Seven-letter words get a 60-point bonus. All words can be found in Webster's New World College Dictionary.

7-5-18 JUDG'S SOLUTION TOMORROW

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1st DOWN = 17

2nd DOWN = 13

3rd DOWN = 35

4th DOWN = 57

AVERAGE GAME 75-85 PTS JUDG'S TOTAL = 122

7-4-18

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

Fill in the squares so that each row, column, and 3-by-3 box contain the numbers 1 through 9.

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION

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

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- Hospital _____
- Manicure _____
- Massage _____
- Medical Imaging/Labs _____
- OB/GYN _____
- Optometrist _____
- Orthodontist _____
- Pharmacy/Drug Store _____
- Physical Therapist _____
- Podiatrist _____
- Spa _____
- Tanning Salon _____
- Urgent Care _____
- Weight Loss Center _____

CLOTHING

- Children's Clothing _____
- Men's Clothing _____
- Shoe Store _____
- Women's Clothing _____

COMPUTER SERVICES

- Computer Sales/Services _____

DINING

- Best Restaurant _____
- Bakery _____
- BBQ _____
- Breakfast _____
- Buffet _____
- Burger _____
- Caterer _____
- Chicken Wings _____
- Chinese _____
- Dessert _____
- Diner _____
- Doughnuts _____
- Fine Dining _____
- Fried Chicken _____
- Ice Cream _____
- Italian _____
- Japanese _____
- Local Coffee Shop _____
- Mexican _____
- Outdoor Dining _____
- Pizza _____
- Sandwich Shop _____
- Seafood _____
- Steakhouse _____
- Sushi _____

ENTERTAINMENT & LEISURE

- Art Studio _____
- Bingo _____
- DJ _____

- Event _____
- Event Planner/Rentals _____
- Family Amusement _____
- Karaoke Bar _____
- Local Events _____
- Movie Theater _____
- Performing Arts Center/Live Theatres _____
- Place to Have a Birthday Party _____
- Place to Go Dancing _____

HOME, HOME SERVICES & FINANCE

- Accountant _____
- Assisted Living Facility _____
- Bank _____
- Credit Union _____
- Home Builder _____
- Home Cleaning _____
- Home Healthcare _____
- Insurance Agent _____
- Investment Firm _____
- Lawn Care _____
- Law Firm _____
- Real Estate Agent _____
- Real Estate Company _____
- Retirement Community _____
- Roofing _____
- Swimming Pools _____
- Tree Service _____

KIDS & EDUCATION

- College _____
- Day Care _____
- Dance School _____
- Karate School _____
- Private School _____

PEOPLE & PLACES

- Campground _____
- Event Venue _____
- Hotel _____
- Place to Worship _____
- Wedding Venue _____

SERVICES

- Car Wash _____
- Carpet Cleaning _____
- Dry Cleaner _____
- Electrician _____
- Funeral Home _____
- Heating & A/C Service _____
- Home Security _____
- Pest Control _____
- Pet Groomer/Lodging _____
- Plumber _____
- Photographer _____
- Self Storage Company _____
- Siding/Windows/Doors _____
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SHOPPING

- Antique Store _____
- Backyard Furnishings _____
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- Furniture _____
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- Home Improvement Store _____
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- Lawn Equipment _____
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SPIRITS

- Bar/Pub _____
- Brewery _____
- Happy Hour _____
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- Wine Shop _____

SPORTS

- Bicycle Store _____
- Fitness Center/Gym _____
- Golf Course _____
- Sporting Goods Store _____

VEHICLES

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