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Justice: Vaxxed may unmask; back-to-work incentive in works

BY DAVID BEARD
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Gov. Jim Justice provided updates on unmasking and ending the federal unemployment benefits program Friday before a surprise Capitol network outage stopped his briefing mid-sentence 30 minutes in. Justice announced that he's updating the statewide mask mandate to conform with Federal Drug Adminis-

tration and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention updates to their guidance issued this week. The CDC said Thursday that fully vaccinated people no longer need to wear a mask or physically distanced in any setting, except where required by federal, state, local, tribal or territorial laws, rules and regulations, including local business and

workplace guidance. There were exceptions as the CDC said anyone visiting medical facilities, including doctors' offices, should continue to wear masks. Fully vaccinated kicks in two weeks after the second dose of the Pfizer or Moderna vaccines, or after the single Johnson & Johnson dose. Given that new guidance, Justice lifted the statewide mask guidance for those fully vaccinated.

He cautioned, "You do not have a constitutional right to not wear a mask." Any private business or school can still require you to wear a mask. Justice chose not to view the updated guidance as a disincentive for getting vaccinated. "I don't think that there's a motivator out there that can possibly be any better than this for those

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Coronavirus numbers in West Virginia
Total tests: 2,824,455
Percentage: 5.13% positive
Cases since 3/19/20: 157,923
Current cases: 6,615
Cases last 24 hours: 297
Vaccines: 1st shot, 828,482 fully vaccinated, 691,798
Total state deaths: 2,756
These numbers are the latest from state Department of Health and Human Resources.

LOCAL

Look for more police graduation weekend

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This graduation weekend, downtown Morgantown will have an increased police presence in the late night and early morning hours, with the return of the Morgantown Police Department's bar detail. The bar detail is five or six officers from the afternoon shift — which ends at 11 p.m. — who are then stationed to walk outside traditionally busy bars to deter incidents and respond in a timely manner until bars close, and people have gone home, Morgantown Police Chief Eric Powell said. The detail was practically nonexistent in 2020 because bars weren't open due to COVID-19, Powell said. Budget problems caused by the pandemic also led the department to rethink how and how often overtime was used. Even this year, the need for the detail wasn't there until the past few weeks after Gov. Jim Justice lifted restrictions, and activity picked up again. In 2019, of the Morgantown Police Department's 53,092 hours of overtime, 42,000 of it was for the bar detail. In comparison, as of the end of April, the department has about 1,500 overtime hours, Powell said. After graduation weekend, the need for the bar detail will be re-evaluated, Powell said. Typically, the detail is cut back after students leave town. However, even if the full bar detail was downtown, there's a chance a May 9 fight, in which an Uber driver was attacked while picking up passengers, still could have happened, Powell said. Vincent Kang, the Uber driver, posted on a Facebook page videos of the incident. He later posted two videos of the attack to his YouTube page. They have since been removed. Sometimes, the heavy police presence emboldens people who think they can antagonize someone without facing retribution — until they get so antagonized they

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GOING UNDER THE MICROSCOPE



Above, Hanna Szczepanowska (left) assistant professor of technical art history and Rhonda Reymond, associate professor of art history, inspect the statue of Patrick Henry in the Mon County Courthouse. Right, Reymond gazes up at Patrick Henry.



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Researchers look to get to the bottom of Patrick Henry statue

BY BEN CONLEY
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Patrick Henry is going under the microscope — figuratively and literally. More accurately, the nearly 9-foot tall likeness of Henry standing at the base of the stairs in the turret portion of the Monongalia County Courthouse is going under the microscope. Spurred by the curiosity of Monongalia County IT Coordinator Jeff Welsh, a pair of WVU art history professors are digging into the history of the statue, right down to the elements present in the paint on its surface. "I've tried to learn as much about the history as I can since I've been working here. I feel like I get a unique perspective being in the building," Welsh said, explaining that walking by the statue

during his daily rounds was eventually more than his curiosity could bear. That's when he reached out to Rhonda Reymond, an associate professor of art history at WVU. Reymond, in turn, reached out to colleague Hanna Szczepanowska, an assistant professor of art history who specializes in analysis of cultural heritage material. What we already know is that Henry, of the famous quote "Give me liberty or give me death," put pen to paper as the governor of Virginia in 1776, creating Monongalia County. Some 70 years later, Monongalia County resident L.S. Hough proposed a statue in honor of the event and raised the \$125 needed for artist Ebenezer Mathers to carve the likeness from a single log sourced in South Morgantown, then called Durbannah. The statue stood on the cupola of the previous county courthouse from the time the building was

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COURTS

Hoard takes the stand in his trial

BY JENIFFER GRAHAM
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KINGWOOD — Aaron Hoard said he fired his gun the night a man was killed at a Preston County bar only to stop a scuffle. He made sure it wasn't pointed at anyone but when he was tackled, he had no idea someone had been shot. Hoard and his fiancée, Machaela Jeffries, were the last two witnesses called to testify for the defense Friday. Final arguments are scheduled for Monday, and then the case will go to the jury. Hoard, of Morgantown, is accused of first-degree murder in the November 2019 shooting death of Grant William Felton Jr., of Terra Alta, outside Shorthorn's Saloon. Hoard testified that he and his friends went to Shorthorns to celebrate one friend's birthday. He testified about being asked to leave the bar. "I was confused when we got kicked out of the bar. They didn't give a reason," Hoard said. "We got in the truck. We didn't talk about what happened much. We laughed about getting kicked out." Two friends realized they left some personal items behind, Hoard said. They went back, and he returned to the bar with one of the friends to look for the items. He said D.J. Wilt told him he wasn't supposed to be in the bar and asked him to go. Hoard said he went outside and "didn't engage in screaming or yelling." "I was blindsided when he (Felton) put his hands on my throat and shoulder," Hoard said. He said when they got to the truck, he was grabbed by the throat and pushed down. Hoard said there is five to 10 seconds he can't remember. "He (Felton) was starting to choke me out. There was a scuffle around me. I saw Machaela and then, when I looked over again, she was not there. I had a feeling she was pulled out of the vehicle and made a decision to get my gun and shoot in the air." He said he retrieved the gun from a bag he carried business papers in. "I chambered a bullet. I was in the (passenger seat of the truck). I made sure the gun was not pointed at anyone. I had no intent to point it at anyone," Hoard said. "I stepped on the running board and made sure the gun was above the roofline, and no one was in the way. I shot roughly four times in the air, and then I got tackled. Someone hit me and I was on the

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Rep. Greene's combative behavior could spark ethics review

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — A year before her election to Congress, Marjorie Taylor Greene searched for Rep. Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez at her Capitol office, taunting the New York Democrat to “get rid of your diaper” and “talk to the American citizens,” as shown in video unearthed Friday by CNN. “I am an American citizen. I pay your salary through the taxes that you collect from me through the IRS,” Greene says through the mail slot of a locked door. “I am a woman. I am a female business owner and I’m proud to be an American woman. And I do not support

your socialist policies.” The Georgia Republican continued: “If you want to be a big girl, you need to get rid of your diaper and come out and be able to talk to the American citizens.” Two men appear along with her in the video, also mocking Ocasio-Cortez and her staff through the mail slot. The release of the since-deleted video, which was initially broadcast in February 2019 on Facebook Live, came the same week that Greene followed Ocasio-Cortez off the House floor, shouting that the Democrat supported “terrorists” and doesn’t “care about the American people,” as first reported by The Washing-

ton Post. She has been challenging Ocasio-Cortez to a debate on Twitter, entreaties that Ocasio-Cortez had been ignoring. Asked Friday about the “context” of the 2019 video, Greene told reporters, “Walking around and talking to members of Congress who serve the taxpayers that, now we’ve got taxpayers aren’t even allowed to come talk to us, that’s the context.” The incidents add to a portrait of the activist-turned-lawmaker who has shown little interest in governing, but has instead used her platform to float conspiracy theories, push Donald Trump’s false claims about a stolen 2020 election

and further her own notoriety. Her combativeness toward colleagues has only grown after an unprecedented rebuke where the House stripped her of committee assignments, effectively ending her ability to shape legislation. Another confrontation Friday involved a member of her staff. Rep. Eric Swalwell said a staffer for Greene yelled at him to take his mask off after stepping off the House floor, an unusual breach of decorum. Though the CDC has relaxed mask-wearing guidelines for those who have been vaccinated, many lawmakers continue to wear them, and

they are still required on the House floor. “I had a mask on as I stepped off the floor. An aide with @mtgreene yelled at me to take my mask off. No one should be bullied for wearing a mask,” Swalwell tweeted. “So I told the bully what I thought of his order.” On Twitter Friday, Greene said she had witnessed the confrontation and claimed, “No one yelled.” Greene’s behavior has alarmed some members of Congress, where feelings remain raw after the deadly Jan. 6 storming of the Capitol by a mob of Trump supporters intent on overturning the outcome of the 2020 election.

COVID-19

Confirmed cases:
World, 161,548,671
U.S., 32,898,031
W.Va., 157,923
Deaths:
World, 3,352,915
U.S., 585,224
West Virginia, 2,756
Top countries, positive cases:
U.S., 32,898,031
India, 24,046,809
Brazil, 15,519,525
France, 5,909,386
Turkey, 5,095,390
Top states, positive cases:
California, 3,659,641
Texas, 2,914,643
Florida, 2,239,982
New York, 2,078,941
Illinois, 1,361,666
Surrounding states, positive cases:
Pennsylvania, 1,181,279
Ohio, 1,088,343
Virginia, 669,219
Maryland, 455,257
Kentucky, 451,213
Top W.Va. counties, positive cases:
Kanawha County, 14,993
Berkeley County, 12,425
Mon County, 9,214
Cabell County, 8,711
Surrounding counties:
Marion County, 4,463
Preston County, 2,897
Taylor County, 1,229
World and U.S. number are the latest from Johns Hopkins University and Medicine and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. West Virginia numbers are the latest from state Department of Health and Human Resources.

States, business sort out what new CDC guidance means

Associated Press

More than a dozen states quickly embraced new federal guidelines that say fully vaccinated Americans no longer need to wear masks indoors or out in most cases. But other states and cities and some major businesses hesitated amid doubts about whether the approach is safe or even workable. As many business owners pointed out, there is no easy way to determine who has been vaccinated and who hasn’t. And the new guidelines, issued Thursday by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, essentially work on the honor system,

leaving it up to people to do the right thing. Labor groups and others warned that employees at stores, restaurants, bars and other businesses could be left exposed to the coronavirus from customers and could be forced into the unwanted role of “vaccination police.” But in Malvern, Pa., owner Sean Weinberg took down the mask signs Friday at Restaurant Alba, which he runs with his wife. He also emailed his employees to let them know they can forgo masks at work if they are fully vaccinated. “It’s just a headache we don’t want to have to fight any

more,” Weinberg said. Several major chains, including CVS, Home Depot, Macy’s and supermarket giant Kroger Co., said they are still requiring masks in stores for the time being, though some said they are reviewing their policies. But Walmart, the world’s largest retailer, Costco and Trader Joe’s said Friday that they won’t require vaccinated shoppers to wear a mask in U.S. stores, unless state or local laws say otherwise. Vaccinated shoppers can go maskless immediately, Walmart said. Vaccinated workers can stop wearing them on May 18. As an incentive, the company said it is offering work-

ers \$75 if they prove they have been vaccinated. Both Costco and Trader Joe’s said they would not require proof of vaccination, but employees at the grocery chain will still need to cover their faces. Half the states had mask requirements in place for most indoor spaces when the CDC issued its recommendations amid tumbling cases and rising vaccination rates. Nearly 47% of the U.S. population has received at least one dose of COVID-19 vaccine, and cases have dropped to their lowest level since September, at an average of about 35,000 a day. CDC Director Dr. Rochelle

Walensky noted in making the announcement that the vaccine has proved powerfully effective in preventing serious COVID-19 illness. Industry leaders warned of the potential for confusion and hard feelings among customers because of the varying rules from place to place. Even in states that have dropped mask mandates, stores and other businesses can still require face coverings if they want. Confusion over the guidance extended to the White House, where press secretary Jen Psaki said, “I think we’re still figuring out how to implement it.”

HOARD

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floorboard of the truck with a man on top of me. I never thought that if I shot in the air, someone would tackle me.” He said there was a struggle over the gun between him and someone else. “I could have shot the man that was on me, but I made sure I didn’t do that. I didn’t

intend for anyone to be shot or injured,” Hoard said. He said someone took the gun out of his hands. He said he pulled his legs up to his chest and kicked the man who was on top of him and when he and Jeffries drove away, he didn’t know anyone had been hurt. Jeffries said Felton walked Hoard across the street, and when Hoard turned to get in the vehicle,

Felton pushed him down in the seat and had his hands around Hoard’s throat. “I put my hands up to Grant and was saying ‘Stop, stop.’ He reached out and grabbed my face and arm, and pulled me out of the truck and threw me back to the back tire,” Jeffries said. “I busted my chin and scraped my face. I went into a fetal position, and I heard shots. Someone pulled me up,

and I went back and got into the truck. Aaron was on the floorboard, and I was partially in the driver’s seat.” She said while Hoard was on the floor, there were multiple people leaning inside truck. Jeffries said Hoard had the firearm pointed in the air, and they had their hands pulling on it. “He was fighting to keep it up, and it was going off,” she

said. “I remember at one point, it was near my head. Someone pulled the gun from his hand, and he said, ‘Go, get out of here.’ I crawled in the driver’s seat and pulled away. I didn’t know anyone had been shot.” Both Hoard and Jeffries said they were unaware of Felton’s death until they saw news reports. **TWEET** @DominionPostWV

POLICE

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don’t care police are there, Powell said. “Fights happen. I don’t want to make it sound like it’s something that happens regularly, all the time, but from time-to-time, you’ve got people coming out of bars after a night of consuming alcohol, and, you know, it’s going to happen. There’s

going to be a fight,” Powell said. “Sometimes (the heavy police presence) is a deterrent and other times, they do it anyway,” he said. Those fights get resolved in various ways — from verbal warnings and orders to disperse, arrests and sometimes pepper spray. There are almost 300 comments on Kang’s post, with some criticizing the lack of police presence

in the videos. Powell said an officer was downtown with a sheriff’s deputy but was dealing with another fight, where Malcom Joyner, 29, was arrested and charged with fleeing from an officer and disorderly conduct in that incident. Powell said the MPD is investigating the attack on Kang and his passengers and is focused on identifying those seen in the video breaking the law —

such as the woman who pulled another woman out of the vehicle, the man who hit Kang, and the man who hit Kang’s car. Powell said he’s going to keep the videos Kang posted to show the kinds of incidents the MPD deals with downtown. “We’re not just standing around waiting to harass people,” Powell said. Out of necessity, many minor infractions are over-

looked in the late-night hours. Since Powell took over, the department has been at least 10 officers short of its authorized level, and while the money for those positions is there, the candidates are not. “There’s a very real issue with the lack of having people interested,” he said. **TWEET** @DominionPostWV

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Pick 2: 7-5
Pick 3: 9-3-8
Pick 4: 2-3-9-5
Pick 5: 6-7-4-2-6
(evening)
Pick 2: 6-6
Pick 3: 6-2-1
Pick 4: 1-4-6-1
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constructed, in 1851, to just before it was torn down in 1890. It’s since stood in various places, including Morgantown High School and the Morgantown Public Library. On Oct. 8, 1976, it came back home and took up residence inside the current courthouse, just in time for the county’s 200th birthday. And that’s where it stood Friday as Szczepanowska poked and prodded and used a MiScope to get highly detailed, magnified images of the statue’s surface—all the while pointing out the various layers of paint and other materials present. Szczepanowska also collected material samples that will undergo various laboratory tests, including X-ray diffraction

spectroscopy, which will help identify the various elements present in the sample. In the meantime, Raymond and a class of art historians will be digging into the documents. “You want to merge the different kinds of evidence; the historical and archival, things like bills of sale and things like the costuming and wigs,” Raymond said, explaining that she plans to bring her students in to get a first-hand look at the statue. “They’ll be thinking about the different contexts historically that are needed to really understand the sculpture,” she said. “It’s painted white. Why is that? Maybe it’s to mimic marble, but we’ll do that research, and the students will bring their own questions from their own perspectives.”

JUSTICE

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that have not been vaccinated.” If you don’t like the mask, get vaccinated, he said. Taking the Johnson & Johnson shot now, he said, could qualify you as fully vaccinated by the beginning of June, well before the official end of the mask mandate on June 20.

unemployment benefits. Regarding the “unemployment dilemma,” as he called it, Justice said about 24,000 people are unemployed and receiving the extra \$300 per week federal supplement. Some people are gen-

ward.” The signing bonus would come with a commitment to stay on the job for a minimum 90 days. And you won’t get one if you quit your current job, take some time off and get a new one. **Extra doses** Justice said the state is sending 6,000 doses of the J&J vaccine to Delaware that are set to expire in early June so they can be used in a timely manner. He said the state has on-hand 33,000 doses of Pfizer and 20,000 each of Moderna and J&J. He suggested his data sheet might have a misprint on the numbers, but the briefing cut out before that could be resolved. **TWEET** David Beard @dbeardtdp

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Donna Talerico calls it the silver lining to the pandemic cloud. The deputy superintendent of Monongalia County Schools is referring to a specific line item in the district's proposed operating budget for Fiscal Year 2021-22.

Said document comes in at \$143,003,093, which is considerably lower than the previous year's pre-COVID outlay of \$148 million.

That's due to 487 students off the rolls because of enrollment in the West Virginia virtual online learning component through the state Department of Education.

But even with the pandemic shortfall, she said, there is still \$7 million in the coffers put there specifically because of the coronavirus.

And those dollars from the federal Elementary and Secondary School Relief Fund, or ESSERF, as it's known, will be used to help alleviate some of the angst presented by the pandemic.

Part of that specific outlay will be used for the hiring of two new nurses, two additional counselors, and two new special edu-

cation mentors.

School districts across West Virginia have until 2024 to spend the ESSERF monies, and Talerico said the new positions will make an immediate, positive impact as Mon's school system works to get out from under the shadow of COVID.

"I'm obviously thrilled we're able to find funding to do this," she told board of education members this past Tuesday.

"I think in three years, 2024, we need to be able to look back on this and say we really made a difference here."

BOE President Nancy Walker said the ESSERF-inspired outreach coordinator for the

county's homeless families will be in the difference-making business from the first minute of that first day.

No one is immune to homelessness; she said — even in relatively prosperous Monongalia County.

"I think people would be surprised to know we have over 350 homeless families here," Walker said.

The new budget also offers free breakfast and lunch for all students, she said.

Once again, the district is hanging its hat on support of the excess levy.

The budget is projecting nearly \$32 million brought in by

real estate and personal property taxes from that measure, which typically passes by large margins in the voting booth.

A copy of the document may be viewed online. The best way to access it is by going to Google and typing "Monongalia County schools proposed budget 2021" in the search field.

That will bring up the district's Financial Services page, which has a link to the document.

BOE members hold a public hearing on the budget May 25.

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HONORING THREE DECADES OF HELPING OTHERS



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Mark Caravosas retires as fire chief of the Morgantown Fire Department Friday. In photo, front left to right is Capt. Mark Thalman, Caravosas and Capt. Ken Tennant presenting a proclamation and Caravosas' fire department badges. Back left to right seated is Xanthe Caravosas (son), Rhonda Caravosas (wife), Connie Caravosas (mother); seated behind them are John and Glenna Sisler, Rhonda's parents.

Ceremony celebrates Morgantown fire chief's 34 years of service

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After 34 years of service to the City of Morgantown, friends, family and coworkers gathered to celebrate Fire Chief Mark Caravosas as he enters retirement.

"It is a very bittersweet day, but it's a great honor to be standing here with the chief," said Capt. Mark Thalman.

During the ceremony, a proclamation from the city was awarded to him in recognition of his accomplishments and contributions. Following tradition, he also received his badges mounted to a plaque to remind him of the time he spent with the department.

Caravosas said he is looking forward to retirement, but most of all, he will miss the camaraderie that came with being a member of the fire department.

"There's certain things you see, certain things you do, that only a firefighter understands," he said. "It's that camaraderie and brotherhood that I'm gonna miss the most."

Caravosas said he was first introduced to the fire department in 1979 when a friend encouraged him to become a volunteer firefighter. He said this experience was what helped him to realize he wanted to pursue a career within the department.

Prior to retiring, Caravosas was the longest-serving city employee. His employment began in 1985, when he was a dis-

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Morgantown Fire Chief
Mark Caravosas

patcher for the Morgantown Police Department. In 1987, he was hired as a probationary firefighter and promoted to firefighter first class in 1993.

Caravosas then climbed the ranks, moving up from lieutenant to deputy fire marshal, then to duty crew captain before taking on the role as fire chief. He held his position as fire chief for 11 years and received the Chief Fire officer certification awarded by the Center for Public Safety excellence.

During his time in the department, Caravosas and his team had many accomplishments, such as being awarded the Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER) grant. This grant allowed the department to hire 12 additional firefighters and improve its Insurance Services Office score.

"Less than 1% of fire departments in the United States have such an outstanding ISO score," said Ken Tennant, a Morgantown fire marshal.

This type of accomplishment, which was made possible by his team, has left Caravosas feeling confident the department is on the right track and is in good hands.

Caravosas doesn't have set plans for how he wants to spend retirement, but he said he is looking forward to spending more time at home with his family. Although he will no longer be employed by the department, he said the relationships he built over the years will continue to be an important part of his life.

"Once a firefighter, always a firefighter," he said. "I'm blessed to be able to have been within a system and to have that as a part of my life moving forward."

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COMMUNITY

Kids' Art Day set for Sunday

Event hosted by Friends of the Cheat, PCPaRCs, Preston Trail Towns

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ALBRIGHT — Friends of the Cheat, Preston County Parks and Recreation Commission and Preston Trail Towns will host Kids' Art Day at 1 p.m. Sunday at the Friends of the Cheat Campground.

Artists led by Eddie Spaghetti Art will team up with children from the Preston County area to co-create a series of murals. These murals will be the centerpiece of PCPaRC's new Tunnelton Trailhead Park on the West Virginia Northern Rail-Trail.

Children will paint these murals alongside the artists. At a later date, the paintings will be attached to the West Virginia Northern Rail-Trail's historic pump house and maintenance sheds in Tunnelton, transforming the buildings into a focal point and positive community gathering space on the rail-trail.

The Tunnelton Trailhead Park is one of Preston Trail Towns' inaugural Project Partners. FOC and Preston Trail Towns are supporting PCPaRC's effort to develop the Tunnelton Trailhead Park on the West Virginia Northern Rail-Trail by providing assistance and support for this public art project and security measures, creating a safe and family-friendly gathering space on the rail-trail. The West Virginia Department of Arts, Culture and History's Rural Youth Engagement through Public Art program is also providing financial support.

Preston Trail Towns brings together communities on Preston County's trails by helping organizations, small businesses and entrepreneurs capitalize on the recreational and tourism opportunities new rail-trails bring. Preston Trail Towns and the Partner Program are just a piece of an expansive strategy FOC is leading to intentionally develop and promote destination-worthy outdoor recreation in Preston County and beyond.

The Friends of the Cheat Campground is at 139 Beech Run Rd., Albright.

Info: Preston Trail Towns on Facebook.

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WVU

Libraries to host conversation with ‘Remaking Appalachia’ author

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West Virginia University Libraries will host a virtual conversation with Nicholas Stump, author of *Remaking Appalachia*, at noon May 20.

Stump, a faculty member and head of reference and access services with the George R. Farmer Jr. Law Library at WVU College of Law, researches environmental law, critical legal theory, law and social movements and

Appalachian and rural studies.

In *Remaking Appalachia*, his new book from WVU Press, Stump looks back more than a century to examine the creation of laws governing the rising power of coal and other industries, and chronicles their failure to protect Appalachia. Stump goes beyond law “reform” to explore true system change, a discussion undergirded by ecofeminism

and ecosocialism.

“Remaking Appalachia offers a thorough critical account of Appalachia through a law and political economy lens, and makes a persuasive case for what the region needs today: A hopeful vision for a new future rooted in transformative, bottom-up change,” Ann M. Eisenberg, an associate professor at the University of South Carolina School of Law, wrote in a review.

This Zoom event is co-sponsored by the WVU Humanities Center, the Appalachian Justice Initiative at the WVU College of Law, and the Research Critics Caucus of the American Association of Law Libraries.

Register at <https://wvu.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJMkc-uhjrjosHd10qm0DUXF25YBrX-g1Pwlp>.

Humanities Librarian Lynne Stahl will introduce Stump and moderate

the program.

American University College of Law Assistant Professor Priya Baskaran will interview Stump and will pose questions on the book’s proposals for social change and on how Appalachian lawyers might support such change moving forward.

Baskaran is a former colleague of Stump. While at WVU, she performed community lawyering work in Central Appalachia, and

they co-taught a class on the intersection of law and Appalachian community economic development.

Sign language interpreting and captioning services are available by request for participants who are deaf or hard of hearing. To request an interpreter or captioner, contact Jason.Kapcala@mail.wvu.edu at least three business days prior to this event.

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NATION

Gas crunch from cyberattack intensifies in nation’s capital

Associated Press

Gas shortages at the pumps have spread from the South, all but emptying stations in Washington, D.C., following a ransomware cyberattack that forced a shutdown of the nation’s largest gasoline pipeline. Though the pipeline operator paid a ransom, restoring service was taking time.

As Georgia-based Colonial Pipeline reported making “substantial progress” in restoring full service, two people briefed on the matter confirmed that the company had paid the criminals a ransom of about \$5 million in cryptocurrency for the software decryption key required to unscramble their data network. The people spoke on condition they not be further identified because they were not authorized to divulge the information. Bloomberg first reported the payment.

President Joe Biden declined to comment when asked by a reporter Thursday if he had been briefed

about the ransom payment.

Biden also said that his administration will try to disrupt the hackers’ ability to operate.

The tracking service GasBuddy.com on Friday showed that 88% of gas stations were out of fuel in the nation’s capital, 45% were out in Virginia and 39% of Maryland stations were dry. About 65% of stations were without gas in North Carolina, and nearly half were tapped out in Georgia and South Carolina.

Colonial said Thursday that operations had restarted and gasoline deliveries were being made in all of its markets, but it would take “several days” to return to normal.

White House press secretary Jen Psaki said at a Friday briefing that “the vast majority of markets and affected regions are receiving fuel at gas stations for consumers, and will continue to receive more fuel throughout the weekend and into early next week.”

A gas station owner in

Virginia said panic buying is the problem.

“It’s like a frenzy,” Barry Rieger, who owns a gas station in Burke, Virginia, told WJLA-TV.

In North Carolina, at least five school systems canceled in-person learning on Friday as the gasoline supply crisis continued. Businesses were also feeling the sting.

Mia Green, general manager at Dixie Speedway in Woodstock, Georgia, said she’s heard of racetracks that canceled this weekend’s races because crews might not be able to get there.

Many authorities are warning of the dangers of hoarding gas.

In South Carolina, a woman was severely burned after flipping a car that a deputy tried to pull over for a suspected stolen license plate Thursday night. The fire touched off multiple explosions due to fuel “that she was hoarding in the trunk of the vehicle,” a Pickens County sheriff’s statement said.

A cyberattack by hack-

ers who lock up computer systems and demand a ransom to release them hit the pipeline on May 7. The hackers didn’t take control of the pipeline’s operations, but Colonial shut it down to prevent the malware from impacting its industrial control systems.

Biden said U.S. officials do not believe the Russian government was involved, but said, “we do have strong reason to believe that the criminals who did the attack are living in Russia.”

Biden has promised aggressive action against DarkSide, the Russian-speaking ransomware syndicate responsible for the attack. The syndicate’s public-facing darknet site went offline on Thursday, and its operators said in a cybercriminal forum post that the group had lost access to it and would be shutting down.

This does not necessarily mean U.S. or allied cyberjockeys knocked it offline. Cybersecurity experts said that DarkSide, which rents out its ran-

somware to partners to carry out the actual attacks, could have taken it down to prevent Western law enforcement from tracking down the rest of its infrastructure.

It could also be an “exit scam,” many noted. Ransomware gangs have dissolved and ‘rebranded’ under different names in the past when the heat was on.

Yelisey Boguslavskiy, director of research of the cybersecurity firm Advanced Intelligence, noted that the moderator of a top darknet forum for Russian-speaking cybercriminals, XSS, said Thursday that “he was officially prohibiting all ransomware-related activity and discussion on the forum.”

That could suggest fears of a U.S. crackdown — or pressure from the Kremlin. While there is no indication the Kremlin benefits from ransomware extortion, U.S. officials say ransomware gangs are tolerated by Russia’s security services, which have

employed some of their members.

DarkSide stole information from Colonial’s network prior to locking up the data on Friday. DarkSide is among the ransomware gangs that employ double extortion, threatening to dump online sensitive data they steal before activating the ransomware. In Colonial’s case, that could potentially include data on contracts with suppliers that would be of keen interest to stock and commodities traders.

The Colonial Pipeline system stretches from Texas to New Jersey and delivers about 45% of the gasoline consumed on the East Coast.

Richard Joswick, global head of oil analytics at S&P Global Platts, said gas stations should be back to normal next week if the pipeline restart goes as planned and consumers are convinced they no longer need to panic-buy fuel. Full recovery would take several more weeks, he estimated.

Flames engulf cargo ship’s remains off U.S. coast; no injuries

Associated Press

SAVANNAH, Ga. — Fire burned Friday inside the remains of an overturned cargo ship being dismantled along the Georgia coast.

Susan Inman of the Altamaha Riverkeeper conservation group told The Associated Press she could see flames shooting from the open ends and the top of the Golden Ray on Friday afternoon as she watched from a boat about 300 yards away near Saint Simons Island. Thick black smoke was filling the sky, she said, and loud several loud popping sounds could be heard from the shipwreck.

“It is ablaze,” Inman said. “You can actually hear explosions.”

She said the fire was being sprayed with hoses from the towering crane being used to dismantle the ship. Video of the scene showed a boat equipped with a water cannon dousing the fire as well.

No injuries had been



AP photo

In this photo provided by the Altamaha Riverkeeper, smoke pours from the remnants of the capsized cargo ship Golden Ray on Friday, off Saint Simons Island, Ga.

reported, and all demolition crew members near the shipwreck were safely evacuated, said Coast Guard Petty Officer 2nd Class Michael Himes, a spokesman for the multiagency command in charge of the demolition.

Himes said flames flared up inside the wreck Friday afternoon as workers used

cutting torches along the hull to create a path for the 400 feet of anchor chain being used to tear the ship apart with brute force.

“It is considerable at this time. It picked up very quickly,” Himes said of the blaze. “The good news is, because we planned for fires and we planned for the

need to evacuate in the case of those fires, all of our crews are accounted for.”

Himes said the fire was likely sparked by one of the cutting torches, even though crews were pumping seawater onto the ship as a fire suppression measure. He didn’t know what was fueling the blaze, but said it’s possibly residual fuel still aboard the ship as well as cars that remain inside its cargo decks.

The Golden Ray had roughly 4,200 vehicles in its cargo decks when it capsized off St. Simons Island, about 70 miles south of Savannah, on Sept. 8, 2019. Crews have worked since November to carve the ship into eight giant chunks, then carry each section away by barge.

In April, they reached the halfway mark after separating the ship’s engine section. The vessel measured 656 feet long when it overturned.

\$9M settlement for 2 men wrongfully sent to death row

Associated Press

RALEIGH, N.C. — Lawyers representing two former North Carolina sheriff’s deputies agreed on Friday to a \$9 million settlement with two intellectually disabled half brothers who spent decades behind bars after being wrongfully convicted in the 1983 killing of an 11-year-old girl.

The lawyers for former Robeson County Sheriff’s Office deputies James Locklear and Kenneth Sealey agreed in federal court to the settlement with Henry McCollum and Leon Brown, who will split the settlement between them, The News & Observer of Raleigh reported.

County Attorney Rob Davis said in an email to the newspaper that the insurance companies that cover the sheriff’s office will pay the settlement.

The settlement ends half of the civil case. Lawyers representing two former N.C. State Bureau of Investigation agents have not settled, and closing arguments in the civil case were set to continue for that part of the case on Friday.

The town of Red Springs, originally named in the civil suit, settled in 2017 for \$1 million.

McCollum and Brown, who are both Black, have pursued a civil case since 2015 against law enforce-

ment members behind their wrongful convictions, arguing that their civil rights were violated during the interrogations that led to their convictions.

McCollum and Brown were released from prison in 2014 after DNA evidence exonerated them. They were teenagers when they were accused in 1983 of the rape and murder of an 11-year-old girl in Red Springs in northern Robeson County.

The half brothers were originally questioned by police on the basis of a rumor that they might have been involved in the crime. The state then built its case against McCollum and Brown on the basis of confessions that law enforcement officers wrote out and had the half brothers sign. Both were convicted and sentenced to death on the basis of those confessions.

McCollum spent most of his 31 years in prison on death row, becoming North Carolina’s longest-serving death row inmate. Brown’s sentence was later changed to life in prison.

A Robeson County judge threw out their convictions in 2014 after DNA evidence pointed to another convicted murderer, Roscoe Artis, who in 1983 lived in a house next to where the victim in the McCollum-Brown case was found.

ENTERTAINMENT

Kardashians reveal mystery behind Nori’s Black Book

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Kardashian fans were tickled by a big reveal: A California government worker is behind a mystery social media handle that’s been cranking out troll posts from North West’s point of view since Kim’s eldest was born seven years ago.

She’s Natalie Franklin, 34, of Sacramento, and she was thrilled to appear on Thursday night’s episode of “Keeping Up With the Kardashians” after Kim and sister Khloe tracked her down.

“Oh, my God, it was so great,” Franklin told The Associated Press after the episode aired. “I’ve never met famous, famous people before.”

The sisters were equally excited after ruling out various family members and

friends as the creator of @norisblackbook on Twitter and Instagram.

“She is everything and more,” Kim said on the show of meeting Franklin. “She started this account before North even had a personality, so she made up this personality, and luckily, that’s who North’s personality is.”

Khloe added: “I have a legend right in front of us.”

Fans and the family took to Twitter as the reveal unfolded, swamping Franklin’s secret account as the show rolled on.

Franklin, who manages websites and internet service for a state agency, said she got the idea from Suri’s Burn Book, a popular blog that’s still alive on social media, commenting on the world from the eyes of Suri Cruise. Franklin decided to

make North a tad on the snarky side at a time when Kim and dad Kanye West often dressed their first-born in black, hadn’t yet revealed her face and the Kardashians had a kid clothing line at Babies R Us.

“I was telling a friend, can you imagine being North West and you have to wear this cheap Babies R Us? She should be in Prada, Balenciaga, Chanel!” Franklin said.

She started on Tumblr but migrated as other platforms developed. Her posts, paired with video clips and photos, have poked fun at just about everyone in the Kardashian world, noting Kim’s reputation as a terrible dancer and dragging Kim’s sister Kourtney and Scott Disick with: “Hating work is what keeps Scott and Auntie Kourt

together.”

So what does North think of all of this? She was unaware, and unimpressed. Kim got her daughter on FaceTime to meet Franklin, and she barely looked up from her bowl of ice cream.

“I love North West so much. I feel like I created this little monster, if you will,” Franklin said. “I was very happy to see that she lived up to my every expectation of not being interested. I wouldn’t have it any other way.”

The Kardashian-Jenner tribe is ending its 20-season show in June, but Franklin has no plans to put @norisblackbook to bed.

“I want to keep writing it,” she said. “I don’t think the Kardashians are going away any time soon.”

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GUEST EDITORIAL

We can't depend only on personal responsibility

Maryland Gov. Larry Hogan and the Centers for Disease Control have announced that masks can soon come off indoors in most places. On Wednesday, the governor set the state threshold for mask removal at 70% of Maryland adults receiving at least one dose of vaccine. And a day later, the CDC followed with guidance saying fully vaccinated people, meaning those two weeks past their final shot, can stop wearing masks inside, and outside in crowded spaces.

Is the timing right? There are quite a few experts, including a former state health secretary, who think it's premature; we tend to side with them. The country has certainly made strides in both reducing positivity rates and getting vaccines into arms, but there are also areas that are seriously lagging. And that's not even considering that kids younger than 12 are not yet approved to receive any coronavirus vaccine, while 12-to-15-year-olds just this week got approval to receive the Pfizer vaccine.

We realize lifting indoor mask mandates doesn't mean people have to take off their masks. Local governments can keep restrictions in place, and people can choose to act responsibly indoors and stay masked up until more groups are vaccinated. To all that we can only say: Seen any lines at your local filling station lately?

If Americans needed any reminder of how individuals left to their own devices are not always to be relied upon, they need only look to the gas pumps. This past week has been a lesson in the me-first nature of human beings left to their own devices. The recent ransomware attack that temporarily shut down the Colonial Pipeline, the biggest single source of fuel (including gasoline) to the East Coast, was made dramatically worse by the gas hoarding that's followed. Long lines, higher prices and spot shortages struck as people freaked out and filled every vehicle and container they could get their hands on. Gas stations emptied like the toilet paper shelves at grocery stores a year ago.

Look, we believe in individual liberty and freedom as much as anyone else. It's a bedrock principle of this nation. But we also believe in stop signs, speed limits and other civil laws that help keep people from inadvertently doing serious damage to each other. The COVID-19 pandemic has required this kind of government involvement.

There are far worse things people must deal with in life than wearing a strip of cloth or paper across their nose and mouth for a few more months. Contracting a virus that has killed more than 583,000 Americans, for example. Things are clearly getting better on that front, but a bit of patience is still required. Better to put an emphasis on encouraging more people to get the vaccine than to drop our defenses before we've achieved herd immunity, which is widely believed to 70% to 80% (and that's not just adults or one-half of a two-shot vaccine course).

No doubt, most people make the correct decisions when it comes to public health without executive orders or health department mandates. Alas, that's just not good enough.

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We have met the enemy — and it's us

HISTORICALLY, THE MOST HORRIFIC ATTACKS ON AMERICA HAVE COME FROM HALF A WORLD AWAY.

America's enemies bombed U.S. navy ships at Pearl Harbor, collapsed the World Trade Center's twin towers, smashed a hole in the Pentagon and would have shattered the Capitol Dome except for the midair heroics of a handful of America's best.

Now our enemies have hit us where the rest of us live. And yet we aren't even sure who our real enemies are.

Our news screens are bombarding us with an onslaught of lies that are intended to shatter Americans' faith in our seemingly once-indestructible constitutional democracy. That's just what Russia's Vladimir Putin wanted when, as U.S. intelligence warned us, he ordered cyber-sabotage of U.S. elections in an attempt to elect and reelect Donald Trump. Now Putin is thrilled that Trump is saying what could be Kremlin talking points — his false claim that he was reelected in a landslide that was stolen. And tremulous Republicans now parrot his lies.

But Putin isn't our democracy's real problem — and frankly, neither is Trump. Our problem can be found a lot closer to home.

Today we must patriotically set out to find our democracy's real enemy and fix our real problem. We must start the way Alice started her curious adventure — by stepping Through the News-Screen and following the Great News Funnel to where it spills out — right into your own living room!

Now we can hear the voice-of-the-people Trump and all Republican allies are hearing and heeding. If the voice isn't your neighbor next door, across the street or across the backyard fence — well, I guess it's you who are pleading to the politicians:

"Please lie to me!"
It's the voice of people who are stressed out and fed up. They just want



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to hear things that feel good (true, false, whatever!). If that's you we are hearing, well, you are America's problem.

So come with me back Through the News-Screen so we can watch our pols at last Wednesday's House Oversight Committee hearing. Four Republican committee members took pains to make us feel good by assuring us that we really didn't see what we indeed saw, back in the Jan. 6 mob insurrection at the Capitol. We remember seeing violent men clubbing police with a flagpole bearing the U.S. flag. We remember a mob breaking glass to enter the top-security Capitol, where people died that day. We saw video of a policeman being beaten while others shouted to shoot him with his own gun. And others chanted to hang Vice President Mike Pence because he was willing to do his job and fulfill his constitutional duty by reading aloud the certified 2020 vote totals.

That's what we saw. Now here is Rep. Andrew Clyde, R-Ga., who won hugely in his district that voted for Trump, telling us his feel-good version of what we all saw:

"There was no insurrection. And to call it an insurrection, in my opinion, is a bold-faced lie. Watching the TV footage of those

who entered the Capitol and walked through Statuary Hall, showed people in an orderly fashion staying between the stanchions and ropes taking videos and pictures. You know, if you didn't know the TV footage was a video from January 6th, you'd actually think it was a normal tourist visit."

One of Clyde's Republican House colleagues, who also won hugely in a district that voted for Trump, puts into perspective the problem Republican voters now confront. Rep. Adam Kinzinger of Illinois, who says he can no longer support Trump — puts his party's dilemma into its sadly proper perspective:

"If you're a base Republican voter and every one of the people you trust is saying Jan. 6 didn't happen and the election was stolen, we can't really blame them for believing that. ... When all their leaders are lying to them, of course they're going to believe it."

There's no stereotyping today's "Please lie to me!" Republican voters. They are in our cities, our farmlands and all over our suburbs. They are rich, poor or comfortably middle class. You know them when you see them — maybe in the bathroom mirror every morning.

Saving America's Democracy is a one-act, one-actor show that we all must star in. The dialogue comes down to the one essential question for demonstrating patriotism and saving democracy: Do you have the guts to throw a liar out of office?

If you are a patriotic American voter, there is only one answer: Yes. If not, then you are among those who satirist Walt Kelly famously spoke of long ago in his legendary "Pogo" comic strip about a possum's life in the Okefenokee Swamp, when he wrote: "We have met the enemy and he is us."

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Why Hamas starts wars it always loses

ACCORDING TO ITS EXILED POLITICAL LEADER, HAMAS' WAR STRATEGY — IF THAT'S THE PROPER TERM FOR RAISING HUNDREDS OF RANDOMLY FIRED ROCKETS on Israel — is working. In a televised address on Tuesday evening, Ismail Haniya called the barrage a "victory" and "an honor for our people."



ELI LAKE

This rhetoric is not unusual. Hamas always claims to win the wars it loses. In 2012, after suffering a humiliating defeat to Israel, a popular perfume appeared in a shop in Gaza named for the Hamas missile that reached Tel Aviv. The shop owner said it commemorated a military "victory" that left much of Gaza in shambles.

This time around, the Hamas offensive makes even less military sense. Israel in 2021 has a very effective missile and rocket defense system that has intercepted most of Hamas' rockets in midair. While a few have gotten through, the rockets do not seem to be breaking the will of the Israeli

people. Indeed, the short-term consequence of the Hamas escalation has been to unify an Israeli government that was unraveling behind its polarizing prime minister, Benjamin Netanyahu.

Hamas is clearly hoping to leverage the images of Israel's counterattack in Gaza against its adversary after the fighting stops. This too follows a pattern. Following a war in 2008 and 2009, the U.N. Human Rights Council formed a special commission to study war crimes on both sides. Hamas and Israel were both found to have committed atroc-

ities, a penalty that means nothing to a terrorist organization. Hamas lost the military battle, but it won a public relations war to further delegitimize Israel.

This helps explain why Hamas can claim that Israel is starving Palestinians with its tight control of the Gaza border, yet also devote money and resources to build imprecise rockets and missiles to launch at Israel every few years. It also explains why Hamas hides its weapons and ammunition in schools and mosques. Most militaries try to protect civilians. Hamas actively exploits them.

This is a fact that appears to be lost on the International Criminal Court, for which the escalation of violence raises the prospect of possible war crimes.

By contrast, it is a fact very much on the mind of Israel's most important ally. Asked about the disparity in casualties of Israelis and the Palestinians, U.S. Secretary of State Antony Blinken

said on Wednesday: "There is first a very clear and absolute distinction between a terrorist organization, Hamas, that is indiscriminately raining down rockets — in fact, targeting civilians — and Israel's response defending itself that is targeting the terrorists who are raining down rockets on Israel."

No Arab leaders or diplomats have gone that far in their public statements, though a U.S. official told me this week that the message from regional allies has been muted. This also makes sense. Last year, Israel signed peace agreements with four Arab states that share a common enemy in the region: Iran, which also happens to be one of the most important patrons of Hamas. Hamas is also the Palestinian chapter of the Muslim Brotherhood, an organization that Israel's new Arab friends consider a threat.

Twenty years ago, Palestinian provocations and Israeli counterattacks were enough to spoil and strain America's relationship with its Arab allies. In 2001, Saudi

Arabia's ambassador to Washington famously delivered a warning to the George W. Bush administration that if it did not take a more even-handed role in the Israeli-Palestinian conflict, then Saudi Arabia would reassess its relationship with the U.S.

In 2021, the Saudis are more worried about nations that support Hamas than about Israel's response to Hamas. And even a new U.S. administration that seeks a nuclear deal with Iran doesn't accept the idea of moral equivalence between the sovereigns of Gaza and the Jewish state.

That raises again the question of what exactly is Hamas' strategy. Ismail Haniya's comments notwithstanding, Hamas is not winning. Nor is it weakening Israelis' resolve. The only thing Hamas is spoiling is the prosperity and security of the Palestinian people.

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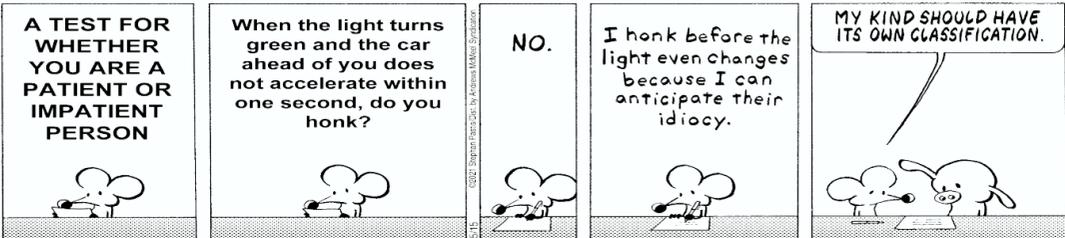
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FASHION

Gucci marks 100 years with exhibit on Michele code-breaking

Associated Press

FLORENCE, Italy — Alessandro Michele has radically shifted Gucci codes and challenged fashion norms in his six and a half years as creative director of the brand founded by Guccio Gucci as a travel bag company in Florence 100 years ago.

To mark the centenary, Michele has curated an exhibition in the Gucci Garden gallery, on Florence's Piazza della Signoria, that underlines some watershed moments in his era. Those include an advertising campaign for perfume featuring a transgender model, an all-Black cast for the pre-Fall 2017 campaign and a lipstick campaign featuring everyday faces in all their imperfections.

The exhibition will be reproduced in seven cities, including Shanghai, Tokyo, Sydney and Seoul.

The 48-year-old designer

credited CEO Marco Bizzarri, who tapped an unknown Michele from the Gucci design team to take over as creative director in January 2015, with allowing him leeway to go beyond the usual schemes driving the luxury business model.

"No one would have wanted, we can say it, a transexual in the world of beauty," Michele told reporters Thursday in Florence.

He said the campaign, featuring Hari Nef, Petra Collins and Dakota Johnson walking through a field of wildflowers, proved conventional fashion world wisdom wrong by creating "an absolutely up-to-date female imagery."

"If fashion and the fashion market want to continue to have a stage, there needs to be some sort of movement. That campaign, in a very gentle and very poetic way, gave space and



AP photo

A view of a Gucci's advertisement campaign selected for an exhibition to celebrate creative vision of a creative director Alessandro Michele at Gucci Garden Archetypes, in Florence, Italy, Thursday.

voice to a world of very different femininity," Michele said.

Likewise, Michele said the casting of only Black models in the 2017 campaign was at the time a breakthrough, noting that "things have changed in a

dizzying and very fast way in the last year."

The pandemic year has been a year of collaborations, including with North Face, and Ken Scott and Doraemon. A tie-up with Balenciaga will reach stores later this year. Gucci

revenues rose 20% to 2.16 million euros in the first quarter of 2021 compared with the same period last year, Women's Wear Daily reported.

Michele's eclectic style, which has gone a long way toward mainstreaming genderless codes, especially for men, has created a sort of tribal following. Dubbed the Gucci Gang, Michele has fully embraced the power of that very distinct crowd during his pandemic year collections, which have been unveiled as digital presentations.

Those collections include this year's "Aria" that ends with the runway cast converging dreamily in a garden, to "Ouverture" last November, with videos by Gus Van Sant featuring an Italian actress moving through a rarified Roman landscape with her Gucci tribe.

Michele said the brand's real-life fans defy easy

description, ranging in age "from 10 to 90."

"It has happened that someone who could be my mother's age greets me, or that Marina Cicogna (an 86-year-old film producer) tells me, 'When I go in the store, I find crazy things,'" Michele said.

"It is strange because (we) also manage to dress someone who is 13 years old. Not only: Yesterday, a young person stopped me who had a tattoo that said "Blind For Love," and it was not the first," Michele said, referring to one of the popular slogans that have adorned his creations.

"Evidently, it was a strong detonation of something that already existed," Michele said of his collections. "Fashion has the great capacity to interpret and to collect what is happening now to narrate the exact moment."

WORLD

Madame Tussauds relocates Prince Harry and Meghan wax figures far away from royals

Associated Press

No more royal court for Prince Harry and Meghan Markle, as far as Madame Tussauds in London is concerned.

The legendary wax museum has revealed that figures of the runways royals has been officially been moved away from Queen Elizabeth and the rest of Britain's royal family following their decision to step down from official duties.

Like their real-life counterparts, the waxworks are beginning a new chapter among the Hollywood elite.

When the museum reopens Monday, following a lengthy pandemic shutdown, visitors will find the Duke and Duchess of Sussex in the "Awards Party" zone.

It may be a better fit for the long run, considering the row the couple has caused with bombshell revelations about their experiences within the royal dynasty.

With a refreshed look, the pair's waxworks have updated outfits — a blue form-fitting dress and a navy suit — based on a viral photo captured shortly before they announced their decision to step down as senior royals March 2020.

The Baker Street attraction said the big move is in celebration of Harry and Meghan's new roles as Net-

flix and Spotify producers, and reflecting their decision to swap Frogmore for Hollywood.

The new permanent home has the couple in the same company as their real-life celebrity friends Priyanka Chopra Jonas, Victoria and David Beckham and George Clooney, as well as A-listers like Brad Pitt, Dwayne Johnson and Nicole Kidman.

Madame Tussauds London general manager Tim Waters, General Manager commented: "Glitz and glamour are making a welcome return, and Madame Tussauds London just became the hottest spot in the city! The launch of Awards Party brings back the fun and excitement of a stylish night out that London has been craving since the start of lockdown. Ever watchful of the celebrity landscape, we've also moved Prince Harry and Meghan Markle's figures to join their Hollywood friends, reflecting their new status on the world stage as A-list favorites."

"We've put a lot of thought in to the design of Awards Party to really make guests feel like a VIP, experiencing a star-studded evening where they are the night's big winner," he added. "The unveiling of our new Awards Party zone is just the first in an exciting line-up of launches that will set us up for an unmissable summer."

WORLD

Lightning suspected of killing 18 Asiatic elephants in India

Associated Press

GAUHATI, India — Lightning is believed to have killed a herd of 18 wild Asiatic elephants in remote northeastern India, a forest official said Friday.

The elephants, including five calves, were found dead during rains in the protected Kondali forest reserve, wildlife official Jayanta Goswami said. The forest guard reached the remote area Thursday and found 14 elephants dead atop a hill and four at

its bottom.

Preliminary reports by veterinarians said the elephants were struck by lightning, but Goswami said autopsies were being done to ascertain the exact cause of death.

The reserve is in Assam state's Nagaon district, 95 miles east of Gauhati, the state capital.

Assam is home to an estimated 6,000 or more wild Asiatic elephants who constantly come out of the forests in search of food.



AP photo

This frame grab from video provided by KK Productions shows an Indian village boy paying respect to one among 18 wild Asiatic elephants found dead in the protected Kondali forest reserve in north eastern Assam state, India, Thursday. Preliminary reports by veterinarians said the elephants were struck by lightning.

COVID-19

Oregon asks businesses to check vaccine status

Associated Press

PORTLAND, Ore. — Oregon's state health officer said Friday businesses will be asked to either enforce mask policies or check whether customers have been vaccinated against COVID-19.

The comments by Dr. Dean Sidelinger came as he said the state was still working on releasing more detailed guidance for businesses. Late Thursday, Gov. Kate Brown said Oregon would immediately follow direction from the federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention earlier in the day, which eased indoor mask-wearing and social distancing for fully vaccinated people.

Brown said Oregonians who are fully-vaccinated no longer need to wear masks or social distance in most public spaces, adding the state would provide more specific instructions soon.

Sidelinger said for now

it's up to businesses to determine a person's vaccine status.

"We would anticipate that an establishment or business will have to have a system in place for asking about vaccines status and verifying that. Right now, I would anticipate that would be seeing a card with the individual's name, the vaccine site and date they got it, it could be a picture of the vaccine card or record from provider on their phone, but just a way of seeing that," he said.

The federal guidance issued Thursday still calls for wearing masks in crowded indoor settings like buses, planes, hospitals, prisons and homeless shelters, but will help clear the way for reopening workplaces, schools, and other venues.

Currently, people over the age of 12 are eligible for COVID-19 vaccines in Oregon.

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NATION

No bail for former federal agent arrested in Arizona rapes

Associated Press

BISBEE, Ariz. — A retired Border Patrol agent arrested in connection with rapes two decades ago in at least four Arizona communities has been denied bail following a hearing that included testimony from one distraught victim and details of a struggle during the arrest.

Judge Timothy Dickerson of Cochise County Superior Court ruled Thursday that John Daly III, 57, would remain in custody on sexual assault and other counts stemming from a 2001 attack on a Bisbee woman, Herald/Review Media reported.

Mesa police announced on May 4 that Daly, who lives in the unincorporated community of Hereford near Sierra Vista, had been arrested in the Bisbee case and was arrested or suspected in seven rapes that occurred from 1999 to 2001 in the Phoenix suburbs of Mesa, Gilbert and Chandler.

Daly was initially

arrested in four of the cases while four others required additional investigation, Mesa police said.

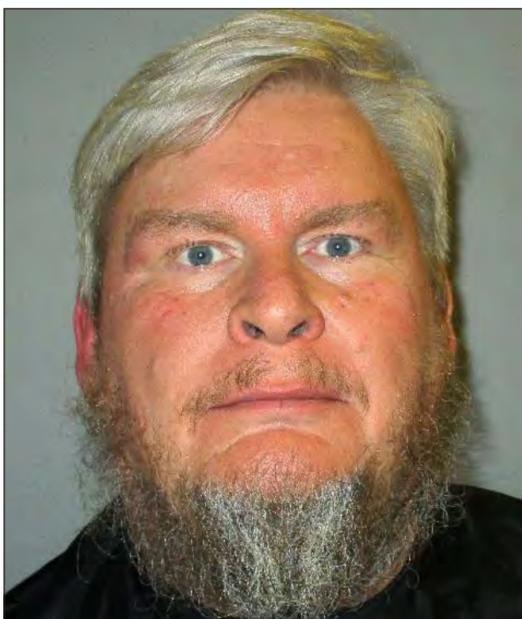
Online court records don't list an attorney for Daly who could comment on his behalf about the allegations.

Investigators were initially able to connect the rapes through similar factors, but the case went cold before a new DNA technology recently implicated Daly, Mesa police said.

Investigators also determined that Daly lived in the areas of the assaults when each occurred, police said.

The Bisbee victim told the judge during Thursday's bail hearing that during the 20 years before a suspect was identified, she prayed daily for other women who had suffered what she went through.

Before she gave her statement, the woman had to be taken from the courtroom because she began crying and shaking. She almost collapsed on the way out and had to be held up by two other women.



AP photo

This photo provided by Cochise County, Ariz., Sheriff's Office/Mesa Police Department, shows former Border Patrol agent John Daly III, who was arrested Tuesday in connection with a series of rapes of women in Arizona going back two decades.

PREP SPORTS

Braham drives in 6, UHS beats Brooke 14-2

Sports@DominionPost.com

Noah Braham drove in six runners in Friday's win over Brooke, as the Hawks easily cruised to a 14-2 final.

University got on the board out of the gate, putting two runs

on the board in the 1st and 2nd innings. The Hawks held the Bruins to no runs through four innings, while tacking on five more through the 3rd and 4th. The Hawks put up their final five runs in the top of the 5th while allowing two runs in the bottom

of the frame to close things out.

Zach Harmon pitched all five innings for UHS, allowing just two hits and two runs while striking out and walking two. Braham's big night saw him go 3 for 4 at the plate for his six RBIs. He accounted for two of the

Hawks' 14 runs.

Softball

Oak Glen 10, University 1

The bats were alive for Oak Glen on Friday as the Golden Browns overwhelmed the

Hawks, 10-1.

Oak Glen opened the meeting with a solo run in the 1st inning, and tacked on three more in the 3rd and 4th to take a substantial lead midway through. University

SEE PREP, B-2

GOIN' WELL



William Wotring/The Dominion Post file photo

Seth Goins (3) looks for a shot over Clay-Battelle during the 2019-20 boys' basketball season. Goins is currently a freshman at Fairmont State and is part of the men's basketball team. Goins notes his freshman year went smooth with the Falcons, but COVID-19 made things challenging.

Trinity's Seth Goins continues family legacy by signing with Fairmont State



KERI KOSTEN

For Seth Goins, it feels like he's played basketball his entire life.

"I have been playing basketball for as long as I can remember," he said. "My dad has had a ball in my hand since the day I

was born."

A Morgantown native, Goins is a 2020 graduate of Trinity and now plays for Fairmont State.

This past season, Goins hit the first 3-pointer of his collegiate career against Wheeling.

"The most memorable experience for me this season was definitely when I was scoring my first collegiate points," he said.

"When I hit that 3, my entire team went absolutely crazy on the bench, and it's a moment I will remember forever. My freshman season has gone really well so far. It's definitely been an

adjustment from high school, and had definitely been a learning year."

Though his freshman season went smoothly, Goins said COVID-19 has made things challenging.

After transferring to Trinity Christian from Morgantown High, Goins had an outstanding senior season. He averaged 20 points, five assists and two steals. He scored a total of 500 points and earned first-team All-Mason-Dixon and third-team all-state honors.

"It was amazing to have such

a good senior season," Goins said. "I had a lot to prove and a lot of people to prove wrong, so when I was able to do that, it was amazing to have everything I worked for finally happen."

There were a few reasons he chose to attend Fairmont State.

"I chose Fairmont State because it was so close to home, they have an amazing basketball program and it is my dad's alma mater," he said. "I love playing basketball here, and I love how close it is to home."

SEE GOINS, B-3

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Seth Goins
TCS basketball player

WVU SPORTS

Mountaineers rally to beat Miami 7-6

Sports@DominionPost.com

The West Virginia baseball team used a three-run eighth inning to help it earn a 7-6 win over Miami (Ohio) on Friday night at Monongalia County Ballpark.

Trailing, 5-4, the Mountaineers recorded a pair of run-producing singles by junior outfielder Austin Davis and sophomore catcher/infielder Matt McCormick to take the late lead. WVU finished with seven runs on 11 hits with three errors, while the RedHawks tallied six runs on nine hits with one error.

Sophomore right-handed pitcher Skylar Gonzalez was credited with the win, his first of the year, while junior right-hander Madison Jeffrey was able to lock down his fourth save of 2021. Miami's Kevin Napoleon took the loss.

West Virginia (19-23) took a quick 2-0 lead in the bottom of the first when McCormick blasted a two-run homer to right field. It marked his seventh of the campaign, good for a tie for No. 1 on the club.

After Miami (21-23) cut the deficit in half in the third, WVU tallied a run in the third

and fourth to take a 4-1 lead. In the third, a RedHawk throwing error allowed a run to score, before freshman infielder/designated hitter Nathan Blasick smashed a solo shot to right center in the fourth.

In the fifth, MU made it a 4-2 game, thanks to a sacrifice fly.

Senior left-handed pitcher Jackson Wolf got the start on the mound for WVU on Friday night. He allowed two runs (one earned) on six hits with seven strikeouts and one walk in 6.2 innings of work. The Gahanna, Ohio, was able to get out of a bases-loaded jam in the second without yielding any runs.

Following Wolf's exit, the Mountaineers allowed three runs in the top of the eighth, which gave the RedHawks a 5-4 lead. That's when the hosts rallied, scoring three of its own in the bottom half of the frame.

First, Davis hit an RBI single to left, moments before McCormick put West Virginia back on top with a two-run single up the middle. He finished 4 for 5 with four RBI and two runs scored in the win.

Jeffrey allowed a run in the ninth but

was able to get two big outs to end the game. With a runner on third and only one down, the hard-throwing righty got a strikeout and fly out to slam the door on the series-opening victory.

Along with McCormick, Davis finished 2 for 5 with a pair of runs scored, while sophomore outfielder Victor Scott showcased a 2 for 4 night.

Next up, the two teams finish their two-game series on Saturday afternoon. First pitch is set for 4 p.m. Sunday's game was canceled due to an adjustment in Miami's schedule.

Doubleheader added in Sunday's open spot

West Virginia has added two games against Dayton on Sunday.

The doubleheader is scheduled for noon with Game 2 set to begin approximately 30 minutes following the conclusion of Game 1. Both games are scheduled for seven innings.

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MEN'S SOCCER

Herd beats UNC 1-0, advances to College Cup championship

Associated Press

CARY, N.C. — Jamil Roberts scored in the 60th minute and Marshall advanced to the NCAA College Cup title game with a 1-0 victory over North Carolina on Friday.

Oliver Semmler made five saves for the Thundering Herd, who will face the winner of late game between Indiana and Pittsburgh in Monday's championship match.

Marshall eliminated top-seeded Clemson on penalties and then dunned Georgetown in the quarterfinals en route to its first semifinal appearance.

Roberts' goal came on Marshall's first shot of the match, and was his fourth goal of the season. The Tar Heels outshot the Thundering Herd 11-1.

SCOREBOARD

CALENDAR

SATURDAY, MAY 15
HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL
 Morgantown vs. Washington at Bridgeport, 11 a.m.
 Morgantown vs. Sissonville of Robert C. Byrd, 2:30 p.m.
HIGH SCHOOL SOFTBALL
 Nitro at University, noon
 Tygart's Valley at Clay-Battelle, doubleheader, noon
 Hedgesville at Morgantown, 11 a.m.
 John Marshall at Morgantown, 3 p.m.
HIGH SCHOOL TENNIS
 Morgantown at Parkersburg
HIGH SCHOOL TRACK
 Morgantown Invitational, 10:30 a.m.
BOYS' LACROSSE
 Morgantown at Spring Mills, 1:30 p.m.
 Preston at Linsly, 1 p.m.
GIRLS' LACROSSE
 Spring Mills at Preston, 1 p.m.

ON TV

AUTO RACING
 1:30 p.m.: FS1 — NASCAR Xfinity Series: The Drydene 200, Dover International Speedway, Dover, Del.
 2:30 p.m.: NBC — IndyCar: The GMR Grand Prix, Indianapolis Motor Speedway, Indianapolis
 7 p.m.: FS1 — NHRA: Qualifying, zMAX Dragway, Concord, N.C. (taped)
HORSE RACING
 2 p.m.: FS2 — NYRA: America's Day of the Races
 NBCSN — The Preakness Prep: From Pimlico Race Course, Baltimore
 4:30 p.m.: FS2 — NYRA: America's Day of the Races
 5 p.m.: NBC — The Preakness Stakes: From Pimlico Race Course, Baltimore
MLB BASEBALL
 1 p.m.: MLB — NY Mets at Tampa Bay
 4 p.m.: FS1 — Oakland at Minnesota
 8:30 p.m.: FS1 — St. Louis at San Diego
NBA BASKETBALL
 3:30 p.m.: ESPN — Basketball Hall of Fame: Enshrinement Gala, Springfield, Mass. (taped)
 5:30 p.m.: ESPN — Basketball Hall of Fame: Enshrinement Ceremony, Springfield, Mass.
NHL HOCKEY
 3:30 p.m.: NHLN — Vancouver at Edmonton
 7:15 p.m.: NBC — Stanley Cup East Division Playoff: Boston at Washington, First Round, Game 1

MLB

National League

EAST DIVISION			
	W	L	Pct
New York	18	14	.563
Philadelphia	21	18	.538
Atlanta	18	20	.474
Miami	17	20	.459
Washington	14	19	.424
CENTRAL DIVISION			
	W	L	Pct
St. Louis	23	15	.605
Milwaukee	20	19	.513
Chicago	18	19	.486
Cincinnati	17	18	.486
Pittsburgh	16	22	.421
WEST DIVISION			
	W	L	Pct
San Francisco	23	15	.605
San Diego	21	17	.553
Los Angeles	20	17	.541
Arizona	17	21	.447
Colorado	14	24	.368

Thursday's Games
 Toronto 8, Atlanta 4
 Washington 5, Philadelphia 1
 St. Louis 2, Milwaukee 0
 San Francisco 3, Pittsburgh 1
 Colorado 13, Cincinnati 8
 Miami 5, Arizona 1

Friday's Games
 Chicago Cubs 4, Detroit 2
 Pittsburgh 3, San Francisco 2, 11 innings
 Philadelphia 5, Toronto 1
 Atlanta 6, Milwaukee 3
 Cincinnati at Colorado, night
 Washington at Arizona, night
 N.Y. Mets at Tampa Bay, night
 Miami at L.A. Dodgers, night
 St. Louis at San Diego, night

Saturday's Games
 N.Y. Mets (Lucchesi 1-2) at Tampa Bay (McClanahan 0-0), 1:10 p.m.
 Chicago Cubs (Williams 2-2) at Detroit (Ureña 1-4), 4:10 p.m.
 San Francisco (Cuetto 2-1) at Pittsburgh (TBD), 6:35 p.m.
 Atlanta (Anderson 2-1) at Milwaukee (Anderson 2-2), 7:10 p.m.
 Philadelphia (Nola 3-2) at Toronto (TBD), 7:37 p.m.
 Cincinnati (Mahle 2-1) at Colorado (TBD), 8:10 p.m.
 Washington (Ross 2-2) at Arizona (Weaver 2-3), 8:10 p.m.
 St. Louis (Wainwright 2-3) at San Diego (Podack 1-3), 8:40 p.m.
 Miami (TBD) at L.A. Dodgers (Bauer 3-2), 9:10 p.m.

Sunday's Games
 San Francisco at Pittsburgh, 1:05 p.m.
 Philadelphia at Toronto, 1:07 p.m.
 Chicago Cubs at Detroit, 1:10 p.m.
 N.Y. Mets at Tampa Bay, 1:10 p.m.
 Atlanta at Milwaukee, 2:10 p.m.
 Cincinnati at Colorado, 3:10 p.m.
 Miami at L.A. Dodgers, 4:10 p.m.
 Washington at Arizona, 4:10 p.m.
 St. Louis at San Diego, 7:08 p.m.

GOLF

PGA Tour AT&T Byron Nelson Scores

Friday
 At TPC Craig Ranch
 McKinney, Texas
 Purse: \$8.1 million
 Yardage: 7,468; Par: 72
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 Charl Schwartzel 65-68—133
 Carlos Ortiz 67-66—133
 Wyndham Clark 66-68—134
 Ted Patter, Jr. 66-68—134
 Joseph Bramlett 64-70—134
 Vincent Whaley 69-65—134
 Ben Martin 65-69—134
 Sebastian Muñoz 66-68—134

American League

EAST DIVISION			
	W	L	Pct
Boston	24	16	.600
New York	21	17	.553
Toronto	20	17	.541
Tampa Bay	21	19	.525
Baltimore	16	22	.421
CENTRAL DIVISION			
	W	L	Pct
Chicago	23	14	.622
Cleveland	21	14	.600
Kansas City	17	21	.447
Detroit	13	25	.342
Minnesota	12	24	.333
WEST DIVISION			
	W	L	Pct
Oakland	24	16	.600
Houston	22	17	.564
Seattle	18	20	.474
Texas	18	22	.450
Los Angeles	16	21	.432

Thursday's Games
 Toronto 8, Atlanta 4
 Detroit 4, Kansas City 3
 Chicago White Sox 4, Minnesota 2
 Boston 8, Oakland 1
 Tampa Bay 9, N.Y. Yankees 1
 Houston 4, Texas 3, 11 innings
 Cleveland 4, Seattle 2

Friday's Games
 Kansas City 6, Chicago White Sox 2, 7 innings, 1st game
 Chicago Cubs 4, Detroit 2
 Boston 4, L.A. Angels 3
 N.Y. Yankees 5, Baltimore 4
 Chicago White Sox 3, Kansas City 1, 7 innings, 2nd game
 Oakland 6, Minnesota 1
 Houston 10, Texas 4
 Philadelphia 5, Toronto 1
 N.Y. Mets at Tampa Bay, night
 Cleveland at Seattle, night

Saturday's Games
 N.Y. Mets (Lucchesi 1-2) at Tampa Bay (McClanahan 0-0), 1:10 p.m.
 Oakland (Irvin 3-4) at Minnesota (Berrios 3-2), 4:05 p.m.
 Chicago Cubs (Williams 2-2) at Detroit (Ureña 1-4), 4:10 p.m.
 L.A. Angels (Bundy 0-4) at Boston (Pérez 0-2), 4:10 p.m.
 N.Y. Yankees (Gerrán 2-2) at Baltimore (Lopez 1-3), 7:05 p.m.
 Kansas City (Minor 2-2) at Chicago White Sox (Rodón 5-0), 7:10 p.m.
 Texas (Dunning 2-2) at Houston (Garcia 0-3), 7:10 p.m.
 Philadelphia (Nola 3-2) at Toronto (TBD), 7:37 p.m.
 Cleveland (McKenzie 1-1) at Seattle (Sheffield 2-3), 9:10 p.m.

Sunday's Games
 N.Y. Yankees of Baltimore, 1:05 p.m.
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 Marc Leishman 66-69—135
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MLB

Frazier rallies Pirates past Giants 3-2 in 11 innings

Associated Press

PITTSBURGH — Adam Frazier tripled home the tying run in the 11th inning with his fourth hit of the game and scored the winner on Gregory Polanco's sacrifice fly as the Pittsburgh Pirates rallied for a 3-2 victory over the San Francisco Giants on Friday night.

After Austin Slater's single put the Giants ahead in the top of the 11th, Frazier led off the bottom half with his hit high off the 21-foot Clemente Wall in right field. That scored Michael Perez, who began the inning as the automatic runner on second base.

Kevin Newman lined out softly and Giants manager Gabe Kapler had Caleb Baragar (2-1) intentionally walk Bryan Reynolds and rookie Will Craig to load the bases. Polanco foiled the strategy by hitting a deep fly to center field.

The comeback gave rookie reliever Luis Oviedo (1-1) his first major league win.

NL West-leading San Francisco (23-15) missed a chance to move 10 games over .500 for the first time since 2016. Pittsburgh won for just the fourth time in 15 games.

Reynolds' run-scoring single in the ninth tied the score 1-all and sent the game to extra innings.

San Francisco starter Kevin Gausman took a three-hit shutout into the ninth but could not finish it. He was pulled by Kapler after giving up back-to-back singles to Frazier and Newman to start the inning.

Giants closer Jake McGee relieved with runners on first and third and was greeted by Reynolds' hit to right field. McGee then struck out Craig, Polanco and Erik Gonzalez



AP photo

Pittsburgh Pirates' Gregory Polanco follows through on a sacrifice fly off San Francisco Giants relief pitcher Caleb Baragar that drove in the winning run during the 11th inning of Friday's game in Pittsburgh.

to end the threat.

While Gausman missed out on his first career shutout in the 172nd start of his nine-year career, he did set a personal best with 12 strikeouts. He previously had two 11-strikeout games, including April 24 against Miami.

Gausman allowed five hits and no walks while throwing 96 pitches. He has pitched at least six innings in all eight starts this season and yielded more than one run only once.

Brandon Crawford broke a scoreless tie with a leadoff homer in the eighth to the first row of seats in right field off Duane Underwood Jr.

The Giants managed just four hits against rookie Miguel Yajure and Pittsburgh's bullpen and did not have a plate appearance with a runner in scoring position.

Yajure pitched five scoreless innings and allowed only one hit, a third-inning single by Gausman, in his second career start. Throwing just

57 pitches, Yajure had four strikeouts and one walk.

Pittsburgh called up Yajure from Triple-A Indianapolis to make what was expected to be a spot start. The move was made to give the other starting pitchers extra rest.

The Pirates were 0 for 5 with four strikeouts against Gausman with runners in scoring position. He also set down Pittsburgh in order the first time through the lineup.

Trainer's room

Giants: Crawford (COVID-19 vaccination effects) and 1B Brandon Belt (left side tightness) returned to the lineup after missing Thursday's game. ... RF Alex Dickerson (bone bruise in left shoulder) is expected to be activated from the injured list Sunday, the first day he is eligible.

Pirates: GM Ben Cherington said rookie 3B Ke'Bryan Hayes (left wrist strain) continues to progress and is getting closer to a rehab assign-

ment, but a firm timetable for his return to game action has not been set. ... RHP Chad Kuhl (right shoulder discomfort) pitched a two-inning simulated game Thursday.

Roster moves

The Pirates optioned RHP Geoff Hartlieb to Indianapolis to open a roster spot for Yajure. Hartlieb has made one major league relief appearance this season, allowing three runs in two innings.

RHP Michael Feliz, who had been designated for assignment by Pittsburgh, was claimed off waivers by Cincinnati.

Up next

Giants RHP Johnny Cueto (2-1, 3.52 ERA) gets the start Saturday night against Pirates LHP Tyler Anderson (3-3, 3.05). Cueto is 21-4 with a 2.13 ERA in 31 career starts against the Pirates, though he lost to them in the 2013 NL wild-card game. Anderson spent last season with the Giants.

GOLF

Burns keeps rolling with 2nd-round 62, 2-shot lead at Nelson

Associated Press

McKINNEY, Texas — Now that Sam Burns has figured out how to turn an early lead into a victory, it's already time to try again.

Burns birdied six of his last eight holes Friday for a 10-under 62 and a two-stroke lead over Alex Noren at 17 under after the second round of the AT&T Byron Nelson.

Noren shot 64 to get to 15 under, and K.H. Lee had his second 65 to reach 14 under. Doc Redman bogeyed two of his last three holes for a 67 that left him 13 under.

J.J. Spaun was 12 under, following a first-round 63 that left him tied with Jordan Spieth with a 69. Spieth shot 70, leaving the local favorite in the group at 11 under that included Matt Kuchar and Charl Schwartzel.

Scoring went up overall along with the wind a day after the new home of the Nelson, the par-72 TPC Craig Ranch north of Dallas, surrendered 94 rounds in the 60s in its debut. In the second round, there were 93 scores of 70 or higher.

The tougher conditions

didn't affect Burns, playing for the first time since his first PGA Tour win two weeks ago at the Valspar Championship in Florida.

Before Burns won at Innisbrook, the 24-year-old Louisiana native had twice failed to convert 54-hole leads, in the Houston Open last fall and the Genesis Invitational at Riviera in February.

Now he has a tour-best five 36-hole leads this season after following a 65 with the lowest round of his career. Burns is trying to become the first to get his first two PGA Tour victories in consecutive starts since Camilo Villegas in 2008.

"The biggest thing for me is just seeing the hard work that we put in it, start seeing results from that," Burns said. "A lot of times you don't know how long the results are going to take. It's cool to see some feedback from the progress we've made back home and seeing it in tournament play as well."

Already with a four-hole run of birdies on the back nine, Burns put his tee shot in the stadium setting of the par-3 17th inside

4 feet, then hit a short approach on the par-5 18th to 2 feet for birdie.

Another birdie came on the par-4 14th, when Burns laid up on the 318-yard hole while bulked-up playing partner Bryson DeChambeau drove the green and two-putted for birdie for the second day in a row. Burns made a 17-footer.

DeChambeau, who played at nearby SMU and is one of three top-10 players in the field, had two late bogeys for a 68 to get to 7 under. Sung Kang, the 2019 winner and defending champion after last year's cancellation, is 8 under after a 69.

Spieth didn't make any putts beyond 12 feet a day after a 55-footer for eagle on the final hole pulled him even with Spaun.

Burns and Spieth already have spots in the PGA. Lee, who has never won on the PGA Tour, doesn't. A Nelson victory would put the 29-year-old South Korean in the field.

Hideki Matsuyama shot 70 and was right on the Nelson's record-low cut line at 6 under in his first appearance since becoming the first Japanese winner at

the Masters. Jon Rahm, the highest-ranked player in the field at No. 3, shot 69 and was 7 under.

The Nelson moved to Craig Ranch after last year's COVID-19 cancellation, which followed two years at the treeless Trinity Forest links course in Dallas. Before that, the Nelson spent more than 30 years at the Four Seasons resort in Irving.

Craig Ranch's debut coincided with Lee Westwood's first appearance in either Dallas-area tournament. The 48-year-old Englishman, who hasn't played Colonial in nearby Fort Worth, shot a 64 and was 9 under. Westwood wanted to see his daughter in Florida — and didn't want to go into the PGA without having played in a month.

"I thought maybe, you know, try a new experience," said Westwood, who opened his second round on the back nine and birdied five of the first six holes. "I don't want to call it prep for next week, but I prefer to go into a major championship being competitive the week before."

PREP

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got its first and only run in the bottom of the 5th thanks to Lindsey Vorn-dran, who went 1 for 3 the plate.

The Golden Bears closed the game out with six more runs in the final two frames. They totaled 13 hits and eight earned runs off Autumn Stemple — who remained in the

circle all seven innings — in the victory. Sydney Brown led Oak Glen at the plate with a 3 for 5 performance and five RBIs. She logged a double and home run.

Junior Maddie McKay led Oak Glen with 12 strikeouts, only giving up three hits, two to Anna Voris and one to Vorn-dran. She walked six.

Nitro 2, Morgantown 1
 Morgantown's Mikala

Rogers and Nitro's Bella Savilla squared off in a pitcher's battle Friday afternoon, both accounting for just four hits but Kerigan Moore scored on a Carly Mathes single in the top of the 3rd inning proved good enough to push the Wildcats over the Mohigans, 2-1.

Morgantown took the early lead in the bottom of the 1st when Emily Phares crossed the plate on a single to second base by

Mahalie Moser, but Nitro snapped back in the 2nd when A Miller stole third and then found home on a dropped third strike.

Mathes' single drove in Moore a frame later, and Savilla held off all Mohigans batters through the remaining four innings to secure the win.

Savilla allowed two hits and one run while striking out seven in the win. Rogers led Morgantown, allowing two hits and two

runs. She struck out 13.

Girls' lacrosse

Fairmont Senior 13, University 1

Five Fairmont Senior girls found the net in Friday's win over University, and FSHS handed the Hawks loss No. 5, 13-1.

Aubrey Harrison led Fairmont with four goals, while Morgan Rogers and Chloe Travelstead both

had three. Emily Decker tossed in two, and Madison Jones added one. Harrison also led the team in assists with five.

Goalkeeper Sidney Apanowicz totaled five saves.

Kendall Kirby picked up the Hawks' (4-5) lone score of the night, and Rebecca Chmiel assisted.

Lexi Starcher had 11 saves on the night.

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BASKETBALL

76ers wrap up Eastern title, Wizards clinch play-in spot

Associated Press

PHILADELPHIA — Seth Curry scored 20 points, Joel Embiid had 13 points and 11 rebounds and the Philadelphia 76ers clinched the top seed for the playoffs in the Eastern Conference with a 122-97 victory over the Orlando Magic on Friday night.

Ben Simmons added 13 points and nine assists to help the 76ers improve to 48-23. Philadelphia could've clinched earlier this week, but lost at Indiana on Tuesday and at Miami on Thursday.

Embiid didn't play against the Pacers due to illness and logged just 25 minutes against the Heat. Embiid, Simmons and the rest of Philadelphia's starters relaxed on the bench in the fourth quarter with the 76ers up big.

Ignas Brazdeikis scored 21 points for the Magic. They have lost six straight.

Mavericks 114, Raptors 110

DALLAS — Luka Doncic had his 11th triple-double of the season with 20 points, 10 rebounds and 11 assists and Dallas guaranteed a top-six finish in the Western Conference to avoid the NBA's play-in next week, beating Toronto.

Kristaps Porzingis added 21 points and 10



AP photo

Philadelphia 76ers' Tyrese Maxey, right, goes up for a shot against Orlando Magic's Ignas Brazdeikis, center, and Mo Bamba on Friday.

rebounds.

The Southwest Division-winning Mavericks are in fifth place in the West, with a one-game lead over Portland for the No. 5 seed with one game remaining for both teams. The Trail Blazers have the tiebreaker if they finish with the same record, because they won two of three against Dallas this season.

Toronto used only seven players, going without its top seven scorers — mostly because of injuries, but also with the season winding down and the Raptors out of contention for even a play-in spot in the East.

Raptors rookie Jalen

Harris, a Dallas native making his second career start in as many nights, had 31 points to lead Toronto. Malachi Flynn had 26 points.

Wizards 120, Cavaliers 105

WASHINGTON — Russell Westbrook had his first triple-double since passing Oscar Robertson and becoming the NBA's career leader, lifting Washington past Cleveland and helping the Wizards clinch a spot in the play-in tournament.

Westbrook had 21 points, 17 assists and 12 rebounds for his 183rd triple-double

and league-leading 37th this season.

Davis Bertans scored 17 points, and Rui Hachimura and Robin Lopez each had 14.

Washington clinched a spot in the NBA's new play-in tournament for the playoffs involving the Nos. 7-10 seeds in each conference.

Collin Sexton had 26 points for Cleveland.

Jazz 109, Thunder 93

OKLAHOMA CITY — Bojan Bogdanovic scored 22 points and Utah beat Oklahoma to inch closer to claiming the top overall seed.

The Jazz have a 1 1/2-game lead over Western rival Phoenix. Utah can clinch the top seed with a win at Sacramento on Sunday or a loss by Phoenix against San Antonio on Saturday or Sunday.

Jordan Clarkson scored 18 points and Rudy Gobert had 16 points and 18 rebounds for the Jazz. All-Star guard Michael Conley returned after missing nine games with a right hamstring injury and scored 10 points in 16 minutes.

Svi Mykhailiuk scored 19 points for Oklahoma City. They have lost nine in a row.

Nuggets 104, Pistons 91

DETROIT — Markus Howard scored a career-high 20 points, Nikola Jokic had a triple-double and Denver beat Detroit to move closer to a higher playoff seed.

Jokic had 20 points, 15 rebounds and 11 assists.

Detroit lost for the 11th time in 13 games. Hamadou Diallo led the Pistons with 18 points.

Rockets 122, Clippers 115

HOUSTON — Kelly Olynyk scored 20 points and fell a rebound shy of a triple-double as Houston snapped a seven-game skid with a victory over a Los Angeles team that rested

several starters.

Olynyk had 11 assists and nine rebounds to help the Rockets win for the first time since April 29.

The Clippers were without Paul George, Kawhi Leonard and Patrick Beverley as all three sat out on the second night of back-to-back games as the team prepares for the playoffs.

The loss coupled with a win by Denver on Friday night leaves the Clippers in a tie for third place in the Western Conference with one game remaining.

The Rockets, who have the NBA's worst record at 17-54, won for just the second time in the last 14 games.

Grizzlies 107, Kings 106

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — Justice Winslow had season highs with 25 points and 13 rebounds and Memphis held on to beat Sacramento.

Killian Tillie and Xavier Tillman each had 16 points for Memphis, with Tillman adding 10 rebounds. John Konchar finished with 15 points.

Louis King led the Kings with a career-high 27 points, and Damian Jones added 17. Justin James scored 16 after scoring a career-high 31 in Sacramento's loss to Memphis on Thursday night.

MLB

Judge homers twice as banged-up Yankees top Orioles 5-4

Associated Press

BALTIMORE — Aaron Judge went deep twice and Gio Urshela delivered a key pinch-hit shot, leading the banged-up New York Yankees to a 5-4 victory over the Baltimore Orioles on Friday night.

Judge is now 10 for 19 with five homers against the Orioles this season. He has 13 career multihomer games, five of them against Baltimore.

Urshela is still hampered by a left knee injury but was available off the bench in the seventh. After Miguel Andújar singled and Kyle Higashioka walked, Urshela hit the second pinch-hit homer of his career off Travis Lakins (1-4) to erase a 4-2 deficit.

The Yankees were missing several key players, including shortstop Gleyber Torres (COVID-19), cen-

ter fielder Aaron Hicks (left wrist) and slugger Giancarlo Stanton, who was a late scratch with left quad tightness.

Yankees starter Corey Kluber (3-2) allowed four runs over six innings. Jonathan Loáisiga picked up his second save.

Rays 3, Mets 2

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — Brett Phillips hit an RBI single with two outs in the ninth inning, and the Rays stopped the Mets' seven-game winning streak.

After starters Tyler Glasnow and David Peterson both pitched well into the late innings, Tampa Bay came back against New York's bullpen.

Tied at 2, Tampa Bay loaded the bases with one out in the ninth against Miguel Castro (0-1) on a walk to Brandon Lowe, a

single by Willy Adams and a walk to Mike Zunino. Aaron Loup struck out Joey Wendle before Phillips singled.

Pete Fairbanks (1-0) worked the ninth for the win.

Royals 6, White Sox 2, Game 1/ White Sox 3, Royals 1, Game 2

CHICAGO — Rookie Andrew Vaughn, starting the nightcap at first base after AL MVP Jose Abreu was injured in a frightening collision in the first game, homered to lead the White Sox to a doubleheader split.

The Royals ended an 11-game slide in the opener, stopping Chicago's six-game win streak.

The collision occurred in the second inning when Hunter Dozier, after popping up, jogged out of the

batter's box with his head down and slammed hard into Abreu as he was tracking the ball, knocking both players to the ground.

Abreu suffered a facial bruise and cut, along with a bruised left knee. Tests for a concussion were negative and he was listed as day to day. Dozier was put on the seven-day concussion injured list.

Codi Heuer (3-1) got the win in the second game, and Liam Hendriks earned his eighth save.

Vaughn made his first career start at first base in the majors and homered for the second time in three games. His two-run drive in the second chased Jakob Junis (1-3).

Salvador Perez and Michael A. Taylor homered for Kansas City in the first game. Brad Keller (3-4) worked five innings for the win.

Chicago's Lucas Giolito (2-4) permitted five runs in six innings.

Phillies 5, Blue Jays 1

DUNEDIN, Fla. — Rhys Hoskins hit a three-run double during Philadelphia's five-run seventh inning.

J.T. Realmuto returned to the Phillies' lineup one day after being placed on the COVID-19-related injured list and drew a bases-loaded walk that made it 1-all in the seventh.

Connor Brogdon (4-1) got one out for the win.

Tim Mayza replaced Toronto reliever Trent Thornton (1-1) with two on and one out in the seventh and walked Bryce Harper and Realmuto. Hoskins followed with a double off Mayza to make it 4-1.

Vladimir Guerrero Jr. put the Blue Jays up 1-0

with an opposite-field homer in the sixth.

Astros 10, Rangers 4

HOUSTON — Martin Maldonado homered and drove in three runs to back seven solid innings from Zack Greinke, and Houston earned its fourth straight victory.

Kyle Tucker and Myles Straw each had two hits and two RBIs for the Astros. Greinke (3-1) gave up three runs and seven hits.

Texas left-hander Wes Benjamin (0-2) allowed three runs, three hits and three walks in 1 2/3 innings. He was recalled from Triple-A Round Rock to make the start.

The Rangers lost their fourth in a row. Jose Trevino had two hits and two RBIs, and Adolis Garcia hit a solo drive in the eighth for his 10th homer.

GOINS

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Athletics runs in the Goins family. Seth's father, James Goins Jr., played football at FSU in 1993 and 1994.

"Well at the beginning of last year, I made a personal goal that I would get the opportunity to play college basketball at Fairmont State, so when I got the call from (coach Tim Koenig), I didn't need any convincing from anyone, and made the decision to go to Fairmont, then and there. I think that obviously my father wanted me to choose Fairmont because I would still be very close to home and be able to see my family all the time, but at the end of the day, my father just wanted me to go wherever I would be happy and where I could grow both on and off the court."

Goins is studying business, wanting to get into the real estate industry.

Goins was named to the dean's list for the fall semester.

"It was something I am proud of and something that I strived for when I got here," he said.

Goins enjoys several things in his spare time.

"In my spare time, I like to get in the gym and work out, I like to hang out with friends, and I like to go home and see my family."

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BASKETBALL

Breen among media members honored by Hall of Fame

Kobe Bryant one of 16 enshrinees who have died since 2019 remembered at ceremony

Associated Press

UNCASVILLE, Conn. — Mike Breen remembers the way he was taught the game of basketball, and quickly learned that it is best when the five players on the floor work as one.

He took the same approach into his career.

Breen — the longtime voice of the New York Knicks as well as the NBA on ESPN and ABC — was one of the honorees Friday night by the Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame, one of the Curt Gowdy Media Award winners that pay tribute to the game's best storytellers in various mediums.

"That team aspect has been the story of my life," Breen said. "From growing up as one of six boys in Yonkers, New York to now, I've had the greatest teammates a man could ever hope for — every step of the way."

Breen is perhaps best known for his signature call — "Bang!" — when someone makes a 3-pointer at a particularly clutch moment. He was the last speaker at Friday night's Gala and Awards

Show, during which this weekend's enshrinees received their orange Hall of Fame blazers.

The Gowdy Award has four categories; Breen won the electronic media division, Jim Gray the media insight category, Michael Wilbon for print journalism and Turner Sports' "Inside The NBA" broadcast team of Charles Barkley, Shaquille O'Neal, Ernie Johnson and Kenny Smith won in the transformative media category.

Also honored Friday: Wayne Embry, George Raveling and Bill Russell as recipients of the Mannie Jackson Human Spirit Award, and Dr. Timothy Nugent — who founded the National Wheelchair Basketball Association in 1949 — as the John Bunn Lifetime Achievement Award winner. Nugent died in 2015.

Russell was inducted into the Hall of Fame as a

player in 1975, is now a Mannie Jackson winner and is a finalist to be inducted again by the Hall later this year — this time as a coach.

The 2021 class of enshrinees will be announced on Sunday. Among the many finalists: former Miami Heat star Chris Bosh, Villanova coach Jay Wright and longtime NBA coach Rick Adelman.

Back again

It won't be long until the Hall of Fame is inducting another class — less than four months, to be precise, if things go according to plan.

Hall of Fame President and CEO John Doleva said Friday that the 2021 class will be enshrined on Sept. 10 and 11, with events planned at Mohegan Sun — the site of this weekend's celebrations — and back at the Hall of Fame in Springfield, Massachusetts as well.

"We're on a roll, and we really look forward to this event and producing a wonderful summer visitation series with people coming, as well as the

enshrinement just after Labor Day," Doleva said. "It's going to be a busy year for the Naismith Hall of Fame."

Those September dates are, of course, contingent on the pandemic not forcing plans to be rearranged.

Doc speaks

Philadelphia coach Doc Rivers thinks this Hall of Fame class will be "one of the greatest" to be enshrined, plus sees some irony in how Tim Duncan is part of the group being honored this weekend.

"Tim Duncan, I still think, is the most underrated superstar in the history of the game," Rivers said. "It's such a fitting weekend for him to go in, because he'll be overshadowed, and it's probably exactly the way he wants it."

Duncan is sharing the spotlight this weekend with two of his longtime rivals and fellow perennial All-Stars — Kobe Bryant and Kevin Garnett.

And Rivers has a deep affinity for both of those players as well.

"It's still sad that Kobe cannot get the award and give his own speech," Rivers said. "I think, for most of us, that'll be more of a reminder of that."

Garnett played for Rivers in Boston, including during the 2008 Celtics' NBA title season.

"He means the world to me," Rivers said.

In memoriam

The Hall of Fame paid tribute to 16 of its enshrinees who have died since the last induction ceremony in 2019, doing so with a page in their honor in the official program for this weekend's events.

On the list: former NBA Commissioner David Stern (Hall Class of 2014), Kobe Bryant (2020), Morgan Wootten (2000), Boris Stankovic (1991), Jerry Sloan (2009), Eddie Sutton (2020), Wes Unseld (1988), Lute Olsen (2002), John Thompson (1999), Tom Jerdnstedt (2017), Tommy Heinsohn (1986 and 2015), K.C. Jones (1989), Paul Westphal (2019), John Chaney (2001), Elgin Baylor (1977) and Slick Leonard (2014).

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Adult child upset after absentee father's death

DEAR HARRIETTE: My father recently passed away, and I have so many feelings about it. We had not been close for years. I tried to stay connected to him, but after he and my mom got divorced, he stopped talking to us. We went 20 years before speaking, and that was only for a moment.

Now he has died, and I have learned he and his girlfriend had many foster children and that he didn't include us in his will or his pension. I feel hurt all over again. What can I do? — **BROKENHEARTED**

DEAR BROKEN-HEARTED: First, I am so sorry for your loss. Instead of beating yourself up about what you could have done differently, ask for peace to move forward with your life. Welcome grace into your heart as you attempt to forgive your father for his shortcomings and draw upon your inner strength to live your life independent of him — which you were already doing. If you can, also seek out a grief counselor who can help you through this tender time.

DEAR HARRIETTE: I'm starting to think I may have a binge eating disorder. I'm 28 years old and just recently realized that my eating habits are extremely irregular and different from those around me. I have days where I eat everything in sight and days where I eat nothing at all. I've been like this for as long as I can remember. Is this something that I need professional help for? — **READY TO CHANGE**

DEAR READY TO CHANGE: Congratulations on recognizing that you may have a problem. This is the first step toward recovery. Most people benefit from professional help when they are grappling with an eating disorder. Whenever you are facing down a behavioral issue, it's good to get help and guidance to kick it. Seek out a therapist now.

Read more at the National Eating Disorders website, nationaleatingdisorders.org/learn/by-eating-disorder/bed. The wear and tear on your body from such a disorder can be real and long-lasting. Get help now.

Saturday, May 15, 2021

Take a look around you, draw on what's positive in your life and look for the silver lining in any situation you face. Opportunity is within reach.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — Don't hesitate. Ask questions, make decisions and get things done. Put your energy into learning and networking.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — Examine your options, update your qualifications and look for opportunities that will lead to greater earning potential.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — Networking will lead to a generous offer. Make sure that you have your facts and expectations straight.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — Put your heart into something that moves you. Helping others will make you feel good and boost your reputation.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — Don't let anyone sweet-talk you into something excessive. Do something constructive that will benefit you or those you love.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) — A little charm will go a long way. Choose to be amicable, and you will ward off an emotionally challenging conversation.



EUGENIA LAST

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) — Don't fear traveling into unknown territory. A change to how or where you live will give you the boost you need to grow emotionally.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) — Stick to what and who you know and trust. Distance yourself from people who are bad influences or who promote indulgent behavior.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — Take control. Put in the labor required to make your space more comfortable. Work in conjunction with a loved one.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) — Pay attention to what everyone is doing, and choose what to do based on your needs. Romance is favored.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) — Consider what you enjoy doing most and find a way to incorporate it into how you earn your living. Changes at home will help you set up an effective workspace.

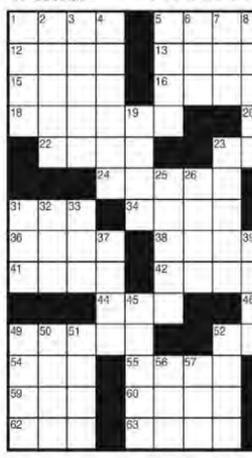
ARIES (March 21-April 19) — Use charm to get your way. If you are fun to be with, everyone will want to be with you. Less complaining is in your best interest.

CROSSWORD

- ACROSS**
- 1 Puts into service
 - 5 Diary opener
 - 9 Marquee notice, for short
 - 12 Cheery tone
 - 13 Flu symptom
 - 14 Ms. Shriver of tennis
 - 15 Roulette color
 - 16 Eerie sound
 - 17 Longoria of "Desperate Housewives"
 - 18 Listens in
 - 20 Sea duck
 - 22 Lucy Lawless role
 - 23 Four-poster
 - 24 Kennel noise
 - 27 Croquet site
 - 31 Beret
 - 34 Jean Stein bestseller
 - 35 Rapier's kin
 - 36 Imprudently impulsive
 - 38 Fiery gem
 - 40 Subside



- DOWN**
- 1 Humerous neighbor
 - 2 Sitting Bull, for one
 - 3 Skip a syllable
 - 4 Guitar feature
 - 5 Pond makers
 - 6 "The Name of the Rose" author
 - 7 Triumphant cry
 - 8 Ms. Zellweger
 - 9 Rushed
 - 10 Scream and shout
 - 11 Khayyam or Sharif
 - 19 Weight rebate
 - 21 Lazing about
 - 23 Dreary
 - 25 Bad smells
 - 26 Clean with a rag
 - 28 Zoo animal
 - 29 Duck's foot
 - 30 Bird's beak
 - 31 —Magnon man
 - 32 Contented sigh
 - 33 Air pump meas.
 - 37 Optimism
 - 39 Clothier — Strauss
 - 43 Barked
 - 45 Pickup
 - 47 Mushroom-to-be
 - 48 Patronage
 - 49 Makes choices
 - 50 Not work out
 - 51 Skirmish
 - 52 "Fish Magic" artist
 - 53 Diamond, slangily
 - 56 French monarch
 - 57 Oz. or lb.



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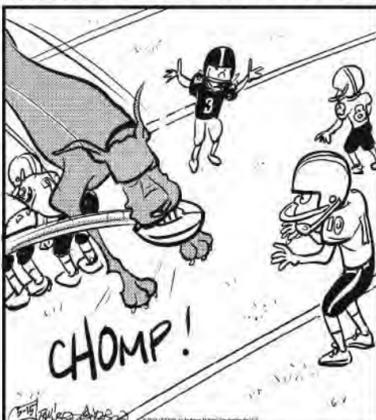
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Directions: Make a 2- to 7-letter word from the letters in each row. Add points of each word, using scoring directions at right. Finally, 7-letter words get 50-point bonus. "Blank" used as any letter has no point value. All words are in the Official SCRABBLE® Players Dictionary, 5th Edition.

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FOUR RACK TOTAL
TIME LIMIT: 20 MIN

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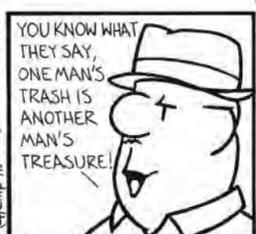
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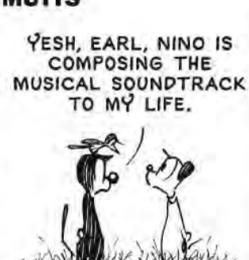
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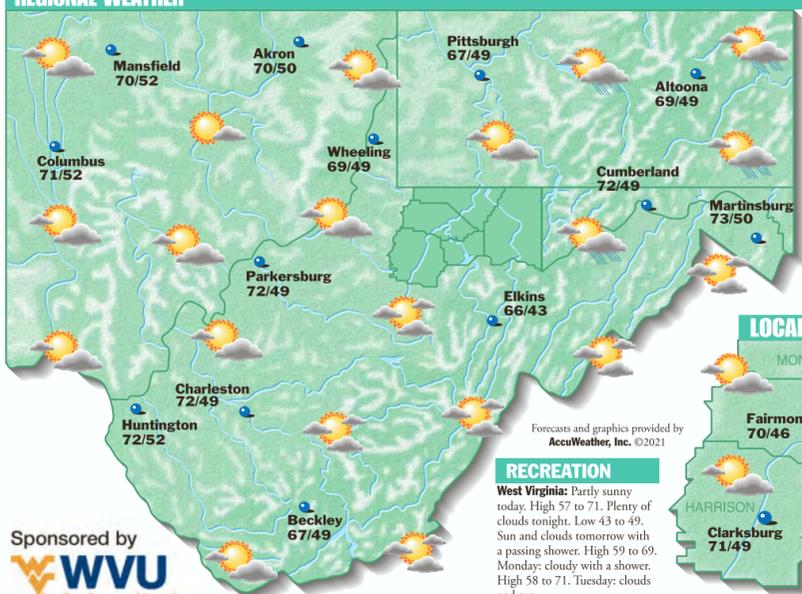
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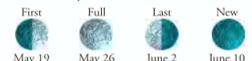
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Morgantown through 4 p.m. Friday
Temperature
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 Normal high/low 71°/49°
 Record high 95° in 1916
 Record low 29° in 1996
Precipitation
 24 hrs ending 4 p.m. Friday 0.00"
 Month to date 2.74"
 Year to date 14.33"

SUN AND MOON

Sunrise today 6:05 a.m.
 Sunset tonight 8:27 p.m.
 Moonrise today 8:38 a.m.
 Moonset today none



LOCAL WEATHER



Shown is today's weather. Temperatures are today's highs and tonight's lows.

NATIONAL WEATHER TODAY



Shown are noon positions of weather systems and precipitation. Temperature bands are high for the day.

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Grasses Absent
 Weeds Absent
 Trees High
 Molds Low

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Highest today 10 very high
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REGIONAL CITIES

City	Sat. H/L	Sun. H/L
Beckley, WV	67/49/pc	60/52/c
Charleston, WV	72/49/pc	64/52/c
Columbus, OH	71/52/pc	68/52/c
Cumberland, MD	72/49/pc	64/50/ah
Fairmont, WV	70/46/pc	68/49/pc
Grafton, WV	70/47/pc	68/48/pc
Huntington, WV	72/52/pc	65/54/c
Kingwood, WV	67/47/pc	67/47/pc
Pittsburgh, PA	67/49/pc	65/49/pc
Wheeling, WV	69/49/pc	65/49/pc

SOLAR TABLES

Major	Minor	Major	Minor
Sat.: 2:45 a.m. - 8:58 a.m.	3:10 p.m. - 9:23 p.m.		
Sun.: 3:41 a.m. - 9:54 a.m.	4:07 p.m. - 10:19 p.m.		
Mon.: 4:37 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.	5:03 p.m. - 11:16 p.m.		
Tue.: 5:32 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.	5:57 p.m. -		
Wed.: 6:24 a.m. - 12:10 a.m.	6:49 p.m. - 12:37 p.m.		

LAKES AND RIVERS

Lake	7 a.m. Yest.	24-hour Chg.
Cheat Lake	809.40	+0.89
Deep Creek, MD	2460.94	-0.10
Jennings Randolph	1468.42	-0.03
Stonewall Jackson	1072.60	-0.03
Tygart	1094.90	-0.15
Youghiogheny	1441.42	-1.06

ALMANAC

Associated Press
 Today is Saturday, May 15, the 135th day of 2021. There are 230 days left in the year.

Highlight:
In 1970, just after midnight, Phillip Lafayette Gibbs and James Earl Green, two Black students at Jackson State College in Mississippi, were killed as police opened fire during student protests.

On this date:
In 1602, English navigator Bartholomew Gosnold and his ship, the Concord, arrived at present-day Cape Cod, which he's credited with naming.

In 1918, U.S. airmail began service between Washington, D.C., Philadelphia and New York.

In 1948, hours after declaring its independence, the new state of Israel was attacked by Transjordan, Egypt, Syria, Iraq and Lebanon.

In 1954, the Fender Stratocaster guitar, created by Leo Fender, was officially released.

In 1988, the Soviet Union began the process of withdrawing its troops from Afghanistan, more than eight years after Soviet forces entered the country.

Today's Birthdays:
 Actor-singer Anna Maria Alberghetti is 85. Counterculture icon Wavy Gravy is 85. Singer Lenny Welch is 83. Actor-singer Lainie Kazan is 79. Actor Chazz Palminteri is 75. Singer-songwriter Brian Eno is 73. Actor Nicholas Hammond (Film: "The Sound of Music") is 71. Baseball Hall of Famer George Brett is 68. Musician-composer Mike Oldfield is 68. Rapper Grandmaster Melle Mel is 60. Football Hall of Famer Emmitt Smith is 52. Tennis player Andy Murray is 34.

Mixed signals frustrate friend who wants more

DEAR ABBY: I'm a lesbian. There's a girl I have liked for a little over a month. We are like best friends. When I told her I was attracted to her, she basically friend-zoned me, which hurt. Then she told a mutual friend she was considering being "friends with benefits" with me, and I got excited. Well, she changed her mind again because she was afraid it would be awkward.

I still have a crush on her; but I value our friendship. We spend so much time together, and things are easy but also challenging because I just want to grab her and kiss her. We snuggle all the time, and she gives me hugs every day (we live in the same dormitory). I want to make out with her. These mixed signals are killing me. What do I do? — **DAZED AND CONFUSED IN FLORIDA**

DEAR DAZED: You're right. This young woman is giving you mixed signals. That's why you should put her firmly in your friend zone. Stop the hugging and snuggling and move on, so you can find someone who reciprocates your feelings.

DEAR ABBY: Recently, my dear mother-in-law passed away. While writing her obituary, it was a challenge to hunt down accurate dates and family



JEANE PHILLIPS

information. Many family members chimed in with conflicting information. To prevent this confusion in the future, would it be tactless to ask relatives for some of this information ahead of time? If so, how would you go about writing something on this topic without offending someone? — **WONDERING IN MICHIGAN**

DEAR WONDERING: What you have in mind is practical. If you have a relationship with these relatives, why not bring some of these questions up in normal conversation? (I assume you know where they were born.) To ask when people graduated from high school or college isn't intrusive. What year someone was married isn't classified information either. If you simply start talking, you may find out much of the information you are after.

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TV LISTINGS

5/15/21	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
BROADCAST CHANNELS	KDKA-TV News (N)	CBS Weekends News (N)	KDKA-TV News (N)	KDKA-TV Fan 'N' Action	Magnum P.I.	S.W.A.T.	48 Hours	KDKA-TV News at 11:00 p.m. (N)	DraftKings Casino			
2	WTAE	ABC World News (N)	Pittsburgh's Action News 4 (N)	Stitch 'Athletes'	Matter of Fact	Shark Tank A product designed to help bed-making more convenient.	American Idol "Mother's Day"	Pittsburgh's Action News 4	The Carbonaro Effect			
5	WDTV	News (N)	News (N)	Ent. Tonight (N)	Magnum P.I.	S.W.A.T.	48 Hours	News (N)	Opry (N)			
7	WTRF	News (N)	News (N)	Ins. Ed. (N)	Cash Expl.	Magnum P.I.	S.W.A.T.	48 Hours	News (N)	Paid		
9	WTOV	Horse Racing	Preakness Stakes Site: Pimlico Race Course -- Baltimore, Md. (L)	NHL Hockey Stanley Cup Playoffs (L)				Saturday Night Live Phoebe Waller-Bridge hosts with guest Taylor Swift.	News 9 Tonight (N)	Saturday Night Live (L)		
11	WPXI	Horse Racing	NHL Hockey Stanley Cup Playoffs (L)					Saturday Night Live	News (N)	S.N.L.		
12	WBOY	Horse Racing	NHL Hockey Stanley Cup Playoffs (L)					Saturday Night Live	News (N)	S.N.L.		
13	WQED		Members' Favorite									
22	WCWB	The Goldbergs "Smother's Day"	The Goldbergs "Big Orange"	Modern Family "The Storm"	Modern Family	Monk "Mr. Monk Goes Home Again" Monk solves a Halloween murder.	DraftKings Paid Program	Bob's Burgers "Ex Mach Tina"	Paid Program	Paid Program		
24	WNBS	News (N)	Firing Line	Woodsongs	Song of Mountains	Masterpiece Mystery!	No Second Chance	Austin City Limits				
46	WVFX	Mom	Mom	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	The Masked Singer	Game of Talents	Murdoch Mysteries	Most Wanted			
53	WPGH	The Big Bang Theory	Two and a Half Men "Called Him Magoo"	The Big Bang Theory	Two and a Half Men	The Masked Singer	Game of Talents New contestants face the mystery performers.	Channel 11 News (N)	Paid Program	America's Most Wanted The search for wanted fugitives continues.		
CABLE CHANNELS	7 PM	8 PM	9 PM	10 PM	11 PM							
A&E	WWE Treasures	WWE Treasures	Biography "Booker T"	WWE Treasures	WWE Treasures							
AMC	**** The Goonies '85 Saan Astn.	*** Tombstone '93 Western	Val Kilmer, Michael Biehn, Kurt Russell.	*** MoneyBall								
AT&TSP	Pre-game: MLB Baseball San Francisco Giants at Pittsburgh Pirates (L)	Postgame: Pirates (N) In Depth	MLB Baseball									
BET	**** Sister Act '92 Whoopi Goldberg.	*** Sister Act 2: Back in the Habit '93 Whoopi Goldberg.	*** Life									
CNN	CNN Newsroom (N)	CNN Newsroom (N)	CNN Newsroom (N)	CNN Films "Race for the Vaccine" (N)	TheStoryOfLateNight							
DISC	Naked and Afraid XL	Naked and Afraid XL	Naked and Afraid XL	Naked and Afraid XL	Naked and Afraid XL							
DISN	**** Smurfs: The Lost Village	*** UglyDolls '19 Kelly Clarkson, BigCity	BigCity	BigCity	BigCity	Bunk'd	Bunk'd					
ESPN	Basketball Hall of Fame (L)	UFC UFC 262 (L)	SportsCenter (N)	SportsCenter (N)								
ESPN2	NCAA Softball SEC Tournament (L)	USL Soccer (L)	Rookie	Rookie	Rookie	Rookie						
FOOD	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners			
FNC	Fox Report (N)	Life, Liberty & Levin	Watters World (N)	Judge Jeanine (N)	Gutfeld!	Watters World						
FREE	Movie	** Miss Congeniality 2: Armed and Fabulous	*** The Proposal '09 Ryan Reynolds, Betty White, Sandra Bullock.									
HIST	Pawn Stars	Pawn Stars	Pawn Stars	Pawn Stars	Pawn Stars							
LIFE	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced							
NICK	Sponge	Sponge	Koral	Side Hus	Drama	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Mom	Mom	
PARMT	Indiana Jones & ...	*** Back to the Future (85) Christopher Lloyd, Michael J. Fox.	*** Back to the Future II Michael J. Fox.									
TNT	**** Avengers: Infinity War Josh Brjlin.	*** Avengers: Endgame (2019, Action) Robert Downey Jr., Karen Gillan, Brie Larson.										
TVLAND	2 1/2 Men	2 1/2 Men	2 1/2 Men	2 1/2 Men	2 1/2 Men	2 1/2 Men	2 1/2 Men	2 1/2 Men	2 1/2 Men	2 1/2 Men	2 1/2 Men	
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WGN	Last Man Standing	NewsNation Prime (N)	NewsNation Prime (N)	Banfield	Banfield	NewsNation Prime						
WTBS	*** Tag '18 Jeremy Renner.	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	Chad	Wipeout					
MOVIE CHANNELS	7 PM	8 PM	9 PM	10 PM	11 PM							
HBO	**** The Watch '12 Ben Stiller.	The Personal History of David Copperfield	Mare of Easttown	Sketch	Sketch							
MAX	Movie	The Devil Inside	Killer Klowns From Outer Space	*** Ready or Not	*** Gamer							
SHOW	City on a Hill	City on a Hill	*** The Taking of Pelham 123 John Travolta.	WBC Boxing Showtime Championship (L)								
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