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We have you covered

THE HOLDING OUR BREATH ISSUE

City Hall looks to put clamp on paparazzi

BY MELODY HANATANI
Daily Press Staff Writer

CITY HALL The days of paparazzi crowding sidewalks, standing on top of cars and swarming near a local preschool to get candid shots of celebrities with their children could be numbered.

The City Council on Wednesday directed its staff to investigate "intrusive and invasive" activities of celebrity photographers and videographers around areas where children gather, returning with recommendations for regulations to protect their privacy.

The issue came to light after parents at the First Presbyterian Nursery School contacted councilmembers about the chaotic scene that often unfolds when celebrities pick up and drop off their children, complaining that photographers block sidewalks and stand on cars, all fighting to get a good shot.

Parents called it a safety issue.

Geoff Blake said that he has been knocked over by a photographer and his 4-year-old son has been "trampled on." A friend also sustained a gash on his head from a swinging lens.

"It's akin to literally a shark feeding," Blake told the council.

Justin Henry, who has a 4-year-old daughter, said that it's a matter of time before someone gets hurt, perhaps pushed out onto the street by the crowd as a car goes by.

Henry added that he is familiar with such situations, having been a child star who played the role of Billy Kramer in the movie, "Kramer vs. Kramer." He did note that the paparazzi were not an issue in his home town in New York state.

"These are very small children and they don't deserve to have to deal with the trappings of celebrity simply because they're going to school," he said.

Councilman Richard Bloom said he has received several dozen letters from parents over the past few weeks and also visited the

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Brandon Wise *brandonw@smdp.com*

OUT OF WORK: **Former Starbucks employee Catherine Roscart says she was fired by the coffee giant on a technicality after she broke her manager's unwritten rule and served a man who appeared to be homeless at a location on Wilshire Boulevard.**

Reserving the right

Former local coffee shop employee said she was fired for serving homeless

BY MELODY HANATANI
Daily Press Staff Writer

WILSHIRE BLVD Catherine Roscart was busy making drinks one day at a local Starbucks when she was approached by a man complaining that his order for tea had been refused at the register.

"This is ridiculous," the man reportedly said. "Would you turn Jesus away?"

Roscart agreed to ring up the drink order for two tea bags in a ceramic mug, swiping a Starbucks gift card the customer handed her.

That transaction got the barista fired from the Starbucks at the corner of 26th Street and Wilshire Boulevard last week, all because it involved a man who appeared to be homeless, Roscart claimed during a recent interview.

Trina Smith, spokeswoman for Starbucks Coffee Company, said in an e-mail that the termination was not because of whom Roscart served.

"While we can not discuss personal information of former partners, we can assure you that this partner was not separated because of who she did or did not serve," Smith said.

The 23-year-old Florida transplant said the customer walked into the coffee shop on May 21 carrying an oversized backpack, an accessory commonly associated with the homeless. The man reportedly tried to put in an order for tea, but was refused because of a policy created by the store manager, calling it "no homeless, no transient," Roscart said.

"She tells us not to serve them and was verbal about it," Roscart said. "It might have been written on the board, I don't know, it was her thing."

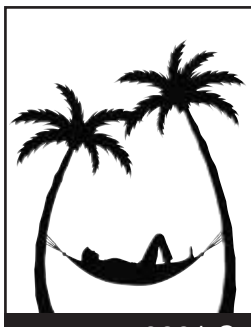
The man then approached Roscart, mistaking her for the manager, giving the employee an earful about the supposed policy.

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OUT AND ABOUT IN SANTA MONICA AND SURROUNDS

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Fox Badibanga, author of "Global Warming and Al Gore Faustus Adventures Inside the Earth" invites you to a book signing event. This book explores the idea that the Earth is a living anthropomorphized being with feelings, memory and a spirit and should be treated as such. There are many efforts being deployed to save energy and build pollution-free technologies, but unless we understand the reasons why we should protect the planet, these efforts will remain thin and meaningless to many. Admission is free. Call (310) 576-2062 for more information.

Calaveras returns

Main Library
601 Santa Monica Blvd., noon
Music group Calaveras will be debuting its new album, "Green Girl," in the MLK Auditorium. This free event is part of The Living Room series, which caters to adult audiences. For more information, call (310) 458-8600.

Savvy caregivers

Sunrise of Santa Monica
1312 15th St., 1 p.m. — 3 p.m.
The Alzheimer's Association Savvy Caregiver Program is a free six-week course that provides caregivers with the basic knowledge, skills and attitudes needed to care for a family member who has been diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease. The class meets at Sunrise of Santa Monica and caregivers must attend all six consecutive sessions on Wednesdays from June 3 — July 8. To enroll, e-mail kami.holman@alz.org or call (323) 930-625 for more information.

Hanging with the Rotary Club

Riviera Country Club
1250 Capri Dr., Pacific Palisades
The Rotary Club of Santa Monica has long enjoyed a reputation as being the hub for Westside men and women dedicated to improving their local and worldwide communities. It is a melting pot for cultural ideas from the diverse ethnic makeup of members. Those interested in attending their regular lunch should contact June M. Doy at (310) 917-3313.

Saturday, June 13, 2009

Looking for tiles?

California Heritage Museum
2612 Main St., 10 a.m. — 4 p.m.
A regular fixture on collectors' calendars, the Antique and Contemporary Tile Sale brings together specialist dealers and craftsmen to share their treasures with the general public. Tickets are $5 but for $10 early birds can gain access at a.m., one hour before regular opening. The sale is a chance to pick up unique pieces, talk over rare finds, and mingle with enthusiasts and celebrities who love California decorative arts. For information, call (310) 392-8537.

Sunday, June 14, 2009

Feeling social?

Third Street Promenade
3 p.m. — 7 p.m.
Celebrating creativity, the Lucky Brand Neighborhood Social will feature pop singer Bat for Lashes and works by L.A.-based artists. The set by Bat for Lashes will feature acoustic versions of her favorite songs. Artist Blake E. Marquis will be silk screening reusable tote bags for visitors.

For more information on any of the events listed, log on to smdp.com and click the "Events" tab for the given day's calendar.

CORRECTION

In a story regarding Santa Monica High School's All Ocean League players it should have identified Vince Lawrence as making the second team.

Body part trafficker gets 10-year sentence

LINDA DEUTSCH
AP Special Correspondent

LOS ANGELES A former mortuary worker convicted of carving up and selling cadavers donated to the University of California, Los Angeles medical school was sentenced to 10 years in prison Thursday and ordered to pay more than $1.7 million in fines, restitution and unpaid taxes.

Jurors had found Ernest Nelson, 51, guilty of eight counts, including grand theft and tax evasion after a trial that detailed how he and Henry Reid, the former director of UCLA's Willed Body Program, conspired to sell body parts from donated cadavers to enrich themselves.

"This is one of those cases so outrageous it doesn't come along very often," said Superior Court Judge Curtis Rappe. "It's unusual only for the audacity with which the defendant acted."

Deputy District attorney Marisa Zarate said the facts of the case "take your breath away." She said that while Reid aided in the scheme, it was Nelson who walked into freezers, dismembered bodies, packaged the parts and delivered them to buyers across the country including research firms and hospitals.

She said the scheme went undetected for five years.

"Three companies stopped doing business with him because of his intense greed, wanting more and more money for his body parts," she told the judge.

"He took enough body parts to make $1.5 million," she said, noting that he sometimes took the funds to direct check cashing stores to hide the proceeds. She said unpaid tax bills were found in his home when he was arrested.

She said outside court that ultimately the body parts were used for the research purpose they were intended and the crime was primarily financial.

"UCLA was paid nothing for the hun-

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ON THE MOVE Fabian Lewkowicz *FabianLewkowicz.com*

A crew from Valley Crest Tree Co. transplant a ficus tree from RAND Corp. to Pacific Dog Park on Thursday. The tree is about 30 to 45 feet tall and about 50 years old.

Fading to blue

Digital TV conversion begins, some still unprepared for switch

BY DANIEL ARCHULETA
Managing Editor

AIRWAVES Broadcast television viewers all over Santa Monica — and the nation for that matter — woke up today to find that their favorite channels have gone blue.

No morning shows, no news, no cartoons, no infomercials; just a blue screen.

This development — advertised for weeks — is thanks to the conversion to digital television, a new and improved bandwidth that will give TV viewers improved picture quality and more options in the years to come but will inconvenience those who have yet to purchase a converter box.

The Federal Communications Commission has been heavily promoting the conversion since an extension was granted by Congress in May to give viewers more time to order a $40 coupon that goes toward the purchase of a converter box.

Bart Forbes, public affairs specialist for the National Telecommunications and Information Administration, a bureau within the Department of Commerce, said that 2.75 million coupons have been requested by Los Angeles County residents as of June. Of those, 1.8 million have been redeemed. The coupons are good for 30 days from the time the coupon was received.

Ratings giant Nielsen's estimates that 250,000 households in the Los Angeles area are unprepared for the switch. To offset that, FCC acting Chairman Michael J. Copps has reached out to area residents informing them that coupons will be available until July 31 when the program ends. After that date viewers will have to pay full price for a converter box unless Congress authorizes another extension, something that President Barack Obama has said he would not approve.

"We're down to the final stretch and we hope all Angelenos, and Americans, are

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Don't trust the ADA

Editor:

Many news outlets and reporters look to the American Dietetics Association for trustworthy and accurate information on diet and nutrition.

I would have done the same until I learned that the ADA favors industrially processed ingredients over organic food, even though their own Hunger and Environmental Nutrition Dietetic Practice Group has repeatedly found that plants cultivated in organic systems contain higher levels of nutrients and an organic diet avoids the many serious health risks associated with pesticide exposure.

The American Dietetic Association refuses to endorse organic, but it has given its stamp of approval to aspartame and genetic engineering. Could this be because they receive industry funding from companies like ARAMARK, Coca-Cola, Colgate Palmolive, Corowise, Ecolab, Ensure, General Mills, GlaxoSmithKline, Kellogg, Kraft, Mars, Pepsi, and Unilever, as well as the industrial dairy and beef industries?

Brooke Megdal
Santa Monica

Wait a minute, Mr. Postman

Editor:

I think it'd be great to have a branch of the Santa Monica Library at Virginia Avenue Park, especially if a post office could also be added. Since the Airport Pharmacy closed on Pico and 32nd or 33rd, it is really a chore to get to a post office now. A post office in this area of Santa Monica is badly needed.

Cheryl Erb
Santa Monica

Know your place

Editor:

There certainly have been a lot of comments lately regarding bike etiquette and I'm certain that as the summer approaches many of the complaints and observations will only increase.

As a Santa Monica resident that lives close to the beach and uses our great bike path regularly, as well as our bike friendly streets on an almost daily basis, I have to give my 2 ... or 3 or 4 cents worth. First of all, we must have help from the Santa Monica Police Department in two vital areas:

• Keep pedestrians off of the beach bike path. There is a pedestrian path. I'm certain that there is a fine for this, so let's enforce it.

This has now become a safety issue and it will get worse in the coming months. I understand that many, if not most of the pedestrians on the bike path are not from Santa Monica and may not know the law or rules, but a little enforcement will go a long way. No one wants to truck the family in for a day at the beach from Riverside or Burbank and head home with an $88 fine.

• Keep bikes off the sidewalks. This is against the law. Memo to bikers – ride your bikes in the street where you belong. That is why we have bike lanes on many of our streets. Sure, not Wilshire Boulevard, so ride on California or Arizona until you get to your destination. Sure, not Santa Monica Boulevard or Colorado, so ride on Broadway until you get to your destination. The dedicated bike lanes were designed this way for a reason. You can't have a bike lane on every street, but you can do a pretty darn good job of putting one on almost every other street. Any time there is a busy street that you want to be on, chances are there is also a quiet street running parallel to that street that you can use to safely ride up to your destination.

Vince Garcia
Santa Monica



Your column here

Mark Cromer — **Send comments to editor@smdp.com**

Sotomayor's nomination and America's divide

IT IS A TALE THAT SPEAKS OF TWO Americas.

Among the progressive left, Judge Sonia Sotomayor's life narrative is a compelling story of a woman who overcame daunting odds to achieve the success she has earned in her career as an attorney and a jurist.

To the orthodox liberal, Sotomayor is Exhibit A of the results their "protected classes" of people can produce when shielded from what they see as the inherent oppression of the white superstructure that they believe unfairly dominates America. As a "woman of color," Sotomayor doubles down on their endangered list.

On the right, Sotomayor's penchant for analyzing and articulating her worldview through an ethnocentric prism is smoldering evidence that she is a stealth-bigot that cloaks her racism in politically correct euphemisms.

To party line conservatives, Sotomayor's lecture at UC Berkeley in 2001, aptly entitled "A Latina Judge's Voice," plays like security camera footage: ready-made for introduction at her trial, er, Senate nomination hearings.

But the reality that Sotomayor represents is far more nuanced than ideologues on either side of the partisan aisle will ever care to admit. She reflects certain truths that each presumes of her, yet she defies others.

In her "Latina Judge" speech, Sotomayor offers an ethnically-charged analysis that she has reaffirmed on numerous other occasions, but those comments alone do not make her a racist by any stretch; and efforts by conservatives to paint her as one are misguided at best.

I suspect that most Republicans and some conservative Democrats don't really believe that Sotomayor actually hates white America, but they can't pass up the sweet irony in forcing groups that have long championed a militant ethnic nationalism among Latinos to now scramble to defend one of their own from the very charges of racism they routinely dole out against whites.

Comeuppances aside, it's not helpful.

But if conservatives should step back from playing Quickdraw McGraw with the label-maker; then the left should step up and get honest about the prevalence of Sotomayor's stridently ethnocentric viewpoints and the danger they represent to our cultural cohesiveness.

Sotomayor cut her philosophical teeth at Princeton and Yale more than 30 years ago, just as the pan-Latino nationalist movement was taking root on university campuses. Nearly four decades later, the movement that preaches the preeminence of ethnic identity is now an entrenched institution on campuses all across the nation — and Sotomayer's comments reflect the worldview it instills in students.

It is a worldview that demands Latinos maintain a pronounced fidelity to their "Raza" (their race) first and foremost. During a 1996 speech at her alma mater Princeton, Sotomayor described her "lifelong commitment to identifying myself as a Latina."

Her supporters are content to brush off this comment as a mere extension of her stated love for Puerto Rican cuisine, Spanish love songs and other benign cultural attributes. But that's being disingenuous, as well as dismissive of Sotomayor herself, as if she were unaware of how she had chosen to frame her words or the impact they would have.

In fact, Sotomayor certainly knew the meaning her words conveyed when she spoke repeatedly of the intrinsic "richness" of being Latina — choosing to directly contrast that with what she sees as the life experience of American white males.

The comparison was neither accidental nor random, but rather a calculated public affirmation of her belief that Latino culture is somehow more "rich" than Anglo culture; and then she extrapolates that supposed inherent cultural richness will lead her to deliver rulings that are more "wise" than a white man's judgment.

But that's not the half of it.

Sotomayor has indeed gone much further in her ethnic delineations, gushing about "how wonderful and magical it is to have a Latina soul."

Senator Jeff Sessions (R-Ala.), the GOP's ranking member on the Judiciary Committee who will lead the conservatives during the nominating hearings, should ask Sotomayor point-blank how she designates the differences between such glorious "Latina souls" and, well, the rest of us.

Her ethnocentric hierarchy can also be glimpsed back in 1992, when Sotomayor told The New York Times that she felt "the saddest crimes" she experienced as a Manhattan prosecutor were those that Latinos perpetrated on each other, elevating the race of the victims above the nature of the crime.

Again, there's nothing ambiguous or innocuous about her words.

The real question that Sotomayor's nomination brings to not only the Senate, but to the nation, is whether America will finally adopt a universal standard for its elected and appointed officials when it comes to the issue of race, ethnicity and public policy?

Or will Latinos such as Sotomayor, who view almost every aspect of life through the hard lens of ethnic identity, continue to get a free pass over their ethnocentrism in an increasingly fractious, multiethnic nation?

If so, it will be the worst of times, now and to come.

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Laughing Matters

Jack Neworth

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Dancing with Lord Vader

AFTER MY COLUMN LAST WEEK, ONE particular reader, whom either lives in Cleveland or hates the Lakers, completely flipped out. I've been writing columns in Santa Monica for over 20 years and his e-mail takes the cake (assuming there's a cake for profanity and lousy grammar).

It came from somebody using an e-mail address with the name Smee in it but, rather cowardly, was unsigned. When you see what he wrote, you'll know why. I've cleaned it up but it wasn't easy.

"Your a (F-bomb) joke with a joke career. Anything you write is trash and you make about $25k a year. Who the (F-bomb) are you to make fun of a city you've never been to? California is falling to peices [sic] and your a (F-bomb) peice [sic] of crap."

And those were the nice parts!

I e-mailed back, "Did somebody get out of bed on the wrong side this morning?" Actually, I have a feeling it's every morning.

Two weeks ago I received an e-mail from a reader named Cher (no relation to Sonny). She apparently thought she was being witty by opening with, "Jack, or is it Jackass?" She should keep her day job.

Cher attacked me and defended Bush: "So what if he couldn't pronounce 'nuclear?'" I agree that it's at the bottom of his many crimes and misdemeanors. But how come no one on his staff corrected him? The truth is W possesses a legendary temper, especially when he's being corrected (something Bush Sr. probably did constantly in getting Jr. out of his various jams).

Evidence of W's immature temper was allegedly revealed during Katrina. His aides actually argued among themselves who was going to be the bearer of the bad news. To avoid a browbeating, they decided to burn a DVD, Katrina Highlights, so to speak, and leave it on his chair. Cher also complained about my not "letting go" of the Bush administration. This, at a time when Dick Cheney's on TV more than Ryan Seacrest? It'd be a lot easier to "let go" if they'd just go away quietly.

Unconditionally it seems, Cher adores Cheney, "I would take a hundred leaders like him over the obtuse liberal (Obama) we have now." Ninety-nine more Dick Cheneys? Sounds like a bad horror movie. Didn't one do enough harm? I suppose then, instead of being in two wars, we could be in 50.

Because of his admitted affinity for the "dark side," Cheney's often referred to as Darth Vader. He left office with a record low 13 percent approval rating (the same number that think Elvis is still alive). And yet whenever I turn on a TV lately he's busily rewriting history. Frankly, I liked Cheney better when he was hiding in an undisclosed location.

Cheney's many TV appearances may be designed to head off an anticipated "truth commission." Or, possibly he's angling for Fred Thompson's acting career. Thompson's booked for TV shows and movies through 2010. And, have you ever seen a photo of his wife?

It seems an inescapable fact that the damage from the last eight years will never go away unless there's accountability (go to: Bushtruthcommission.com). John Dean, Nixon's former attorney, is convinced that the Bush administration was far more corrupt and dangerous than even his former boss (as described in his book, "Worse Than Watergate").

If Nixon had gone to jail, maybe Bush and Cheney might have hesitated before shredding the Constitution (although they were having so much fun, who knows)?

I realize I'm in the minority on the truth commission idea. I was thinking it might be more popular if it were a reality show, i.e. "Dancing With the War Criminals." Each contestant would dance and then tell the truth about his or her crime. (If Cheney got water boarded it could even go pay-for-view.) As an incentive for telling the truth, the most heinous criminal would receive a full presidential pardon!

The categories could include: Violating FISA, Gitmo, rendition prisons, secret Enron energy meetings, outing CIA agent Valerie Plame, torture, violating the Geneva Conventions, and prosecuting an illegal, unnecessary and disastrous war that left us less safe and bankrupt. Bush/Cheney's various crimes were limitless, which was a nightmare for the country but a plus in case the show goes into syndication.

The contestants would include Bush, Cheney, Rummy, Gonzales, Condi and even "Scooter" Libby, to name but a few. Each week the audience would vote one criminal off the show. He or she would then be frog-marched directly to jail, which would be great for ratings. In the end there'd be one supreme criminal left standing. My money would be on Cheney.

In the meantime, I still think the Lakers will win the NBA championship. If so, I can just imagine Smee's next e-mail. I can only hope that he's forgotten how to swear and learned how to spell.

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The Q Line

Reading into it

City leaders are considering building a new library in the Pico Neighborhood. There are currently two proposals on the table. One calls for having the library placed in Virginia Avenue Park. Others think it should be elsewhere on Pico Boulevard.

So this week's Q-Line question asks:

Where should the new library be located and why?

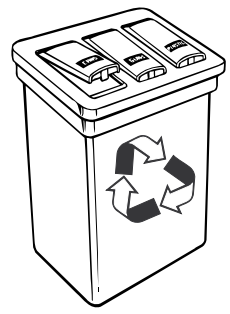
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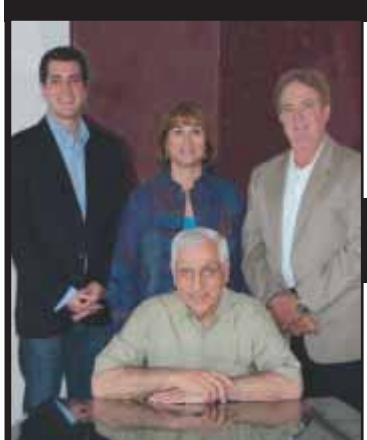

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CRIME WATCH
BY DAILY PRESS STAFF

Cops make arrest for attempted murder

Crime Watch is a weekly series culled from reports provided by the Santa Monica Police Department. These are arrests only. All parties are innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10, AT 8:36 P.M.,
Santa Monica police officers responded to a report of a possible assault with a deadly weapon that occurred at an apartment in the 2200 block of Stewart Street. When officers arrived, they spoke with several witnesses who said they heard noises that made them think a fight was going on inside the apartment. Officers entered the apartment and said they found a man on the floor who was bleeding from the head. Fire fighters were called and the victim was transported to a local hospital with severe head trauma. Officers arrested the suspect at the scene and he was booked for attempted murder and a parole violation. No other information was made available because the incident is still under investigation, police said. The suspect was identified as Osvaldo Garcia, 29, from Santa Monica. His bail was set at $1 million.

SUNDAY, JUNE 7, AT 8:13 P.M.,
Officers responded to the 300 block of the Santa Monica Pier – Pacific Park – regarding a report of a suspect being detained by Pacific Park security for vandalism. When officers arrived, they spoke with security guards who said they entered a bathroom and saw the suspect kneeling beside a trash can. Security said the suspect had a marker in his hand and had begun to write something on the trash can when security arrived. The suspect was placed under arrest for vandalism and a probation violation. He was identified as Omar Evenor Rodriguez, 23, from Los Angeles. His bail was set at $10,000.

SATURDAY, JUNE 6, AT 9:48 P.M.,
Officers responded to the 1800 block of Wilshire Boulevard – Rite Aid – regarding a report of a petty theft. When officers arrived, they made contact with store security who said they saw the suspect walking through the store, carrying two bags. Security said they watched the suspect use old newspapers to wrap store items up and place them in the bags she brought into the store. The suspect then allegedly walked out of the store, failing to pay for the items. Store security detained the suspect until police arrived. Officers said they recovered several items from the store, including mascara, lipstick, hydrogen peroxide, ear wax removal syringe and solution, Lindora shake mix, automotive tire gauge and dual action cleanse fat burner. The items were valued at $114. The woman was placed under arrest for burglary. She was identified as Dana Trembley, 49, of Pacific Palisades. Her bail was set at $20,000.

FRIDAY, MAY 5, AT 2:53 A.M.,
An officer on routine patrol near Main Street saw a bicyclist riding without a headlight, a violation of the vehicle code. The officer also noticed the cyclist was wearing a black baseball hat, a black hooded sweatshirt with the hood up, a black bandana covering his face, a black backpack and brown gloves and camouflage shorts. The officer made contact with the suspect and searched him. The officer found the suspect's wallet and looked for any identification. Instead, the officer allegedly found several small baggies commonly used to package and sell narcotics. The officer said he also found a small amount of what appeared to be methamphetamine. The suspect was placed under arrest for possession of a controlled substance and transported to the Santa Monica Jail. Once at the station, officers found a collapsible baton in the suspect's backpack, two flashlights, two screwdrivers, Allen wrenches and binoculars. The suspect was ultimately booked for possession of a controlled substance, burglary, and violation of probation, among other charges. The suspect was identified as Christopher Barret Johnson, 25, of Santa Monica. No bail was set.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, AT 10:36 A.M.,
Santa Monica College police officers were contacted by a student who reported the theft of a textbook. The victim told officers she was studying in a cubicle at the college library and left her books at the cubicle while she went to the bathroom. When she returned approximately five minutes later, she discovered one of her textbooks was missing. The victim asked a student sitting nearby if he had seen anyone take her book. The witness said he didn't see anyone take the book, but he did see two suspicious females leaning over the cubicle the victim was using. The victim told officers that she contacted a local bookstore that sells and buys back textbooks, many from SMC students. Employees at the bookstore said they had the victim's book and provided police with information on the person who sold it to them. Officers used that information to identify one of the suspects, who was a student at SMC. Additional information was gathered and a second suspect was arrested. Both were booked for burglary and conspiracy to commit a crime. The first suspect was identified as Kelsey Boucher, 18, of Los Angeles, who was also booked for receiving stolen property. Her bail was set at $20,000. The second suspect was identified as Karmel Gates Wiggins, 18, also of Los Angeles. She was also booked for possession of marijuana. Her bail was set at $20,000.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6, AT 3:55 P.M.,
Officers responded to the 2000 block of Ocean Park Boulevard – Carrow's Restaurant – regarding a report of a customer refusing to pay his bill. When officers arrived, they found the suspect surrounded by Santa Monica fire fighters who happened to be eating at the restaurant when they heard the restaurant manager yelling for help after confronting the suspect. The manager said the suspect allegedly failed to pay for two previous meals, and was now refusing to pay for a third. The manager said the suspect consumed around $54 worth of food during the three meals. Receipts were provided and the suspect was placed under arrest for burglary and interfering with an officer. He was identified as Alexander Jong Lee, 21, of Los Angeles. His bail was set at $20,000.

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Starbucks denies employee's story

FROM **FIRING** PAGE 1

"I said I will serve you," she said. "I don't believe in this rule."

After preparing the customer's drink, she asked one of the other employees at the register to complete the transaction. The company reportedly has a policy in which only employees signed into the register are permitted to process transactions, a rule that has been broken without repercussions in the past, Roscart said.

But her coworkers were reluctant to act.

"I swiped the gift card," she said. "It's either him stealing and me letting him steal or ringing him up."

Roscart wasn't scheduled to work about a week and a half thereafter. When she went back to work on June 1, the store manager informed that the incident was being reviewed with the district manager.

Her employment was terminated on June 4 because of a technicality that Roscart was using a register to which she wasn't assigned, she said.

During the meeting when Roscart was informed, she questioned how employees are to identify the homeless.

"I took off my hat and said look at my hair, I can be homeless," she said. "We have a customer come in everyday and he has long white gray hair and always wears a baseball hat.

"If you look at that guy, you would bet he's homeless, but he's probably one of the wealthiest men in Santa Monica."

The store manager was not available to comment.

John Maceri, the executive director of OPCC, said that while complaints of service refusals are uncommon, he does frequently hear about businesses that restrict use of restrooms.

"They're concerned that homeless people will not use the bathrooms appropriately," Maceri said. "I think more often times than not, they don't want homeless people in their business."

Roscart, who began working at Starbucks almost a year ago, said she disagreed with the policy since the manager instituted it several months ago, calling it discrimination. She adds that the customer gave no indication that he was homeless, other than carrying the oversized backpack.

Today the Santa Monica resident is still working part-time with a production company as a receptionist, having moved out to the city after graduating from Florida State University with a degree in creative writing and communication. She is in the process of contacting various nonprofit organizations to learn about her legal rights and whether she can take any action, alleging that the no homeless service rule is a verbal policy that was not included in the contract when she was hired by Starbucks.

After Roscart served the man his drink, he simply said thank you, sat and consumed his drink, and left.

"He just wanted hot tea," she said.

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Council declares voluntary water conservation

FROM COUNCIL PAGE 1

school, observing roughly 30 photographers swarming the entrance to the school, pushing up against one another.

"I was told by parents that children had been jostled and in a couple of occasions … had been hit in the head or their bodies with cameras," Bloom said.

Paparazzi are a common sight in Santa Monica, which has a relatively high population of celebrity residents. Some councilmembers asked whether regulations should extend beyond preschools to cover other areas, but Bloom cautioned that sensitivity must be paid to First Amendment rights.

"The broader we craft this, the more difficult it is going to be to come up with something sustainable here," he said.

Blake recalls a conversation he had with a neighbor one day about the preschool. The neighbor was apparently able to recite which celebrity's child was in what class at which time.

"It's like, how do you know that and why do you care?" Blake said.

SHORTAGE OF WATER IN TOWN

Below average rainfall over the past few years has forced the council to declare an advisory water shortage emergency.

The council adopted a water shortage response plan that calls for reduction in total water demand in several stages.

The declaration of an advisory level shortage means that water use restriction is voluntary at 10 percent, which basically means that residents and businesses can continue as normal thanks to ongoing conservation efforts within the city.

If the issue worsens, the council can up the water emergency, mandating conservation.

The governor earlier this year declared a state of emergency because of a drought situation caused by below average rainfall. Lee Swain, the director of public works, said the issue has been aggravated by court decisions placing restrictions on state water project deliveries because of endangered species.

The Metropolitan Water District, from which the city receives most of its water, also approved a shortage allocation plan in April, shooting for a regional reduction level of 10 percent. The conservation level in Santa Monica already exceeds 10 percent.

COUNCIL FINISHES ALLOCATING RDA FUNDS

The production of affordable housing will get a financial boost after the council voted to allocate $43.6 million from the Redevelopment Agency to fund projects that would help replenish a diminishing stock of relatively inexpensive residential units.

The council finally completed a lengthy discussion that spanned several meetings on how to spend roughly $283 million in RDA money expected to be available if City Hall is able to commit debt obligations by 2014.

On May 12, the council appropriated roughly $206 million, including about $57 million for joint-use projects at Santa Monica High School, $25 million for shared parking and $2.3 million for the expansion of Memorial Park.

The remaining $77 million was earmarked yesterday, including $27 million for land acquisition as part of the Downtown parking plan, $2 million for freeway capping, and $4.4 million for traffic signalization, and money for affordable housing.

The council meeting on Tuesday was continued to the following evening as officials were unable to complete its discussion on the RDA funding, having spent more than an hour disagreeing over whether to allocate more money for joint use opportunities at Santa Monica High School.

Several proposals were on the table to spend more money to move the proposed soccer field at the Civic Center to Samohi, freeing up that space for other uses. Mayor Ken Genser and Councilwoman Gleam Davis were in favor of funding joint use projects up to $118 million, which would allow the soccer field to be moved to Samohi. Genser said the only way that the soccer field could be placed at the high school was if it was constructed on top of another facility, all of which would come to about $118 million.

Several councilmembers expressed discomfort with giving such a large pot of money when there are other areas of the city that also needed attention. A couple of compromise proposals were presented, including allocating an extra $16 million for a joint use contingent that the soccer issue be resolved. None received the necessary four votes, leaving joint use projects with the original $57 million.

LEGAL SETTLEMENTS REACHED

The council resolved three legal matters this week, including a $45,000 settlement in a bus-related injury in the case of Halashizadeh vs. City of Santa Monica. The incident involved an elderly rider who fell on the bus when it was in motion.

The council also approved a $25,000 settlement for Gasdaglis vs. City of Santa Monica, a case that involved a bicyclist who collided with a bus.

A case involving a business sign issue at 1844 Lincoln Blvd. was also resolved. The settlement allows the owner to keep their existing roof sign for six years before taking it down. The owner apparently was not notified to take down the sign earlier.

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Conversion leaves some without TV

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ready for the DTV transition," Copps said. "We don't want anyone to be left without important news and information that affects their everyday lives."

The FCC has established a toll-free telephone line for residents who have yet to order a coupon. The number is (888) CALL-FCC.

The demand for converter boxes locally has wiped out Video and Audio Center's entire stock.

Store manager Jason Love said that demand has been high in recent weeks at the Wilshire Boulevard store as the deadline loomed. He said that his store has been selling 20 to 50 boxes a week. Of those sales, he said that 99 percent of those coming in are bearing coupons.

"It's been kind of steady," Love said of the stream of customers. "The first deadline people were really going after them."

He said that a new delivery is expected in the coming days and expects those to sell out as well.

The FCC's Copps was recently in town to stress the importance of the switch. His appearance is a product of the fact that the region is one of the least prepared major markets in the nation. The 250,000 households unprepared is among 3.1 million nationally who are not equipped for the change.

FCC officials say that the disparity may have something to do with the large population of economically disadvantaged households, primarily those of minorities and younger adults.

Hoping to ease the burden this transition has caused, the FCC has partnered with local nonprofit groups to reach out to those in need. The National Association for Hispanic Elderly is one such group. It is offering phone support at (626) 564-1988. The Los Angeles Urban League has also been enlisted. It has offered workshops for the past couple of weeks and will continue the program into the near future.

"The message is for folks who are tired of hearing this message to talk to their friends, neighbors and family members to make sure they are prepared," Forbes said.

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UCLA vice chancellor says school feels betrayed

FROM PARTS PAGE 3

dreds of body parts taken from them," she said.

Reid pleaded guilty earlier and was sentenced to more than four years in prison.

Zarate explained that Nelson attended mortuary college, worked in a mortuary and assisted in autopsies at various hospitals, gaining the skills he needed to dismember bodies.

Nelson, who was brought to court in handcuffs wearing a prison uniform, showed no reaction as the sentence was pronounced.

A woman who identified herself as his aunt, Doris Tims, described him as a father of five and grandfather of three who had lived an upstanding life. His pastor, Gregory McClain of the First Bethany Baptist Church, spoke of him as "an exemplary father" and asked for leniency.

Rappe also heard from Margaret Brown, who said her late brother, Dr. Norman James, a scientist who worked at the University of California for many years, was one of those who donated his body. She said he did so because "he wanted students at UCLA to learn off his body, maybe invent a cure for cancer."

She said his parts may have been sold.

"There are a lot of people hurting out there," said Brown, who is working to get a law passed governing the use of donated bodies.

Dr. Thomas Rosenthal, associate vice chancellor at the UCLA School of Medicine, told the judge that everyone in the school is "angry at the betrayal of trust."

Rappe said he considered the fact that Nelson had no prior record but said the positive comments about him were outweighed by aggravating factors, including the meticulous planning of the scheme and the falsification of medical records submitted with the body parts.

Buyers were told that they had been tested for HIV and hepatitis when there were no such tests.

"This was an inside job," the judge said.

Outside court, prosecutors Zarate and Eugene Hanrahan said they were pleased with the sentence. They said Nelson would be given credit for about three years he has served in prison. He will be eligible for parole after serving half his total sentence, said Hanrahan.

He said that investigators traversed the country to gather evidence in the case.

"It was really eye opening to see how this quiet and not well known medical research industry works," Zarate said.

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- ARB09-239, 1427 Fourth Street: Commercial
- ARB09-244,1447 Lincoln Boulevard: Mixed Use
- ARB09-256, 395 Santa Monica Place,#114: Retail
- ARB09-269, 1924 Euclid Street: Residential
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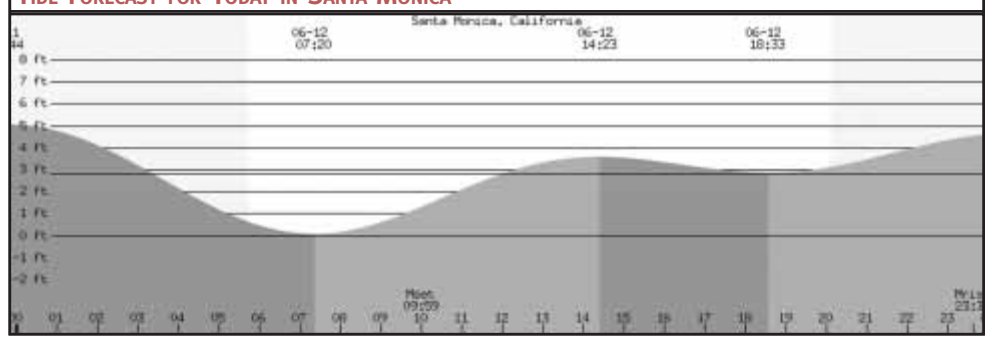
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Long Range Synopsis

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LOCATION	DRY	WET
Los Carrillo Beach, at Arroyo Seguit Creek mouth	A+	ns
Nicholas Beach at San Nicholas Canyon Creek mouth	A+	ns
El Pescador State Beach, between Lechusa and Las Alisos creeks	A+	ns
Encinal Canyon at El Matador State Beach	A+	ns
Broad Beach at Trancas Creek mouth	A+	ns
Zuma Beach at Zuma Creek mouth	A+	ns
Walnut Creek, projection of Wildlife Rd. (private)	A+	ns
Paradise Cove Pier at Ramirez Canyon Creek mouth	C	ns
Escondido Creek, just east of Escondido State Beach	A+	ns
Latigo Canyon Creek mouth	A	ns
Solstice Canyon at Don Blocker County Beach	F	ns
Puerco State Beach at creek mouth	A+	ns
Marie Canyon storm drain at Puerco Beach, at 24572 Malibu Rd.	A	ns
Surfrider Beach at Malibu Colony fence	A+	ns
Surfrider Beach (breach location)- daily	F	ns
Malibu Pier - 50 yards east	B	ns
Carbon Beach at Sweetwater Canyon	A+	ns
Las Flores State Beach at Las Flores Creek (point zero)	A+	ns
Big Rock Beach at 19948 PCH stairs	A	ns
Pena Creek at Las Tunas County Beach	A+	ns
Tuna Canyon	A+	ns
Topanga State Beach at creek mouth	C	ns
Castlerock Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach	A	ns
Santa Ynez Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach	ns	ns
Will Rogers State Beach at 17200 PCH (1/4 mile east of Sunset drain)	A+	ns

LOCATION	DRY	WET
Will Rogers State Beach at Bel Air Bay Club drain near fence	A+	ns
Will Rogers State Beach at Pulga Canyon storm drain	A+	ns
Will Rogers State Beach at Temescal Canyon drain	A+	ns
Will Rogers State Beach at Santa Monica Canyon drain (Chautauqua)	A	ns
Santa Monica Beach at Montana Ave. drain	A+	ns
Santa Monica Beach at Wilshire Blvd. drain	A+	ns
Santa Monica Municipal Pier	F	ns
Santa Monica Beach at Pico/Kenter storm drain	B	ns
Santa Monica Beach at Strand St. (in front of the restrooms)	A+	ns
Ocean Park Beach at Ashland Ave. drain	A	ns
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Venice Beach at Brooks Ave. drain	A+	ns
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Venice Fishing Pier - 50 yards south	A	ns
Venice Beach- projection of Topsail St.	A+	ns
Marina del Rey, Mothers' Beach- lifeguard tower	A	ns
Dockweiler State Beach at Ballona Creek mouth	A	ns
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Dockweiler State Beach at World Way (south of D&W jetty)	A+	ns
Dockweiler State Beach at Imperial Hwy drain	A+	ns
Dockweiler Beach- opposite Hyperion Treatment Plant	A+	ns
Dockweiler State Beach at Grand Ave. drain	A+	ns

LEGEND

DRY -- each location is graded on an A – F scale based on bacterial pollution levels present in the surf zone
WET -- grades for days of recorded rainfall and the following 3 days
ns -- no sample taken

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MOVIE TIMES

Aero Theatre
1328 Montana Ave.
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Airplane! (PG) 1hr 28min
7:30

AMC Loews Broadway 4
1441 Third Street Promenade

Drag Me to Hell (PG-13) 1hr 39min
12:05, 2:25, 5:00, 7:30, 10:20

The Hangover (R) 1hr 36min
1:55, 4:20, 7:00, 9:45

Land of the Lost (PG-13)
12:00, 2:30, 5:10, 7:45, 10:15

Night at the Museum: Battle of the Smithsonian (PG) 1hr 45min
1:45, 4:30, 7:15, 10:00

AMC 7 Santa Monica
1310 Third St.
(310) 289-4262

Up (PG) 1hr 36min
10:35am, 1:10, 3:40, 6:20, 9:00

Up (Digital 3-D) (PG) 1hr 36min
11:20am, 2:00, 4:40, 7:20, 10:00

Star Trek (2009) (PG-13) (CC) 2hrs 06min
10:30am, 1:25, 4:15, 7:10, 10:10

The Hangover (R) 1hr 36min
12:20, 2:55, 5:30, 8:10, 10:45

Land of the Lost (PG-13)
11:10am, 1:45, 4:25, 7:00, 9:35

The Taking of Pelham 1 2 3 (R) 2hrs 01min
10:30am, 11:25am, 1:05, 2:05, 3:45, 4:45, 6:35, 7:35, 9:20, 10:20

Laemmle's Monica Fourplex
1332 Second St.
(310) 394-9741

The Brothers Bloom (PG-13) 1hr 49min
1:30, 4:20, 7:10, 9:55

Every Little Step (PG-13) 1hr 36min
1:50, 4:30, 7:20, 9:45

Easy Virtue (PG-13) 1hr 33min
1:00, 3:20, 5:40, 8:00, 10:15

Unmistaken Child (NR) 1hr 42min
1:20, 4:10, 7:00, 9:40

Mann's Criterion Theatre
1313 Third St.
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Terminator Salvation (Digital) (PG-13) 1hr 54min
1:10, 3:50, 6:40, 9:20

Angels & Demons (PG-13) 2hrs 20min
12:20, 3:40, 7:00, 10:00

Away We Go (R) 1hr 37min
11:30am, 12:30, 2:00, 3:00, 4:30, 5:30, 7:10, 8:00, 9:40, 10:30

Imagine That (PG)
11:50am, 2:20, 4:50, 7:20, 9:50

My Life in Ruins (PG-13) 1hr 38min
11:40am, 2:10, 4:40, 7:30, 10:10

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Make it early, Virgo

ARIES (March 21-April 19)
★★★★★ Get as much done as possible. You could feel rather out of sorts later in the weekend if you don't. Schedule a late lunch and meeting where everyone can relax. Many more ideas, suggestions and happy exchanges will develop in this atmosphere. Tonight: Where people are, celebrating the weekend.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
★★★ You might feel pushed by a lot that has happened and not know which way to turn. Evaluate an opportunity with an eye to what it could do to your personal life. Remember, it doesn't have to be either-or. Perhaps this offer might not work for you. Tonight: A must appearance.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
★★★★★ What you least expect could occur. Open up to the possibilities, though on a very personal level you could become stressed out. Understand your limits and move forward despite a mini hassle. Tonight: Where there is music.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)
★★★ Work with an associate or partner. Tension builds, but if you can be understanding, a new trust will develop between you. Realize that everyone has his or her limits, and you are no different. Tonight: Listen to suggestions.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
★★★★ Others might trigger strong reactions. Still, you can choose your response. Don't allow someone to step into your thoughts and ideas. Realize your limits and potential. Others might need some information. Tonight: Many choices, many people.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
★★★ No matter which way you turn, you experience discomfort. Walk through what you must do, trying to call it an early workday. Not everyone has the same ideas as you, nor should they. Tonight: Make it early.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
★★★★ Your inner voice could be telling you something you might prefer not to hear. Your creativity surges, especially as you are likely to want to turn a situation or person in your favor. Clearly, someone is an admirer. Realize that this person has an innate fragility. Tonight: Full of fun.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
★★★ Family and/or a domestic situation could be a bit stressful. You could be in a no-win situation, as someone wants something that really isn't in your best interest. You feel as if you need to juggle, adding pressure. Tonight: Head home.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
★★★★ Keep talks open and happening. You don't need to know every detail of a plan, but you might want to anchor some details, especially if you are responsible. Ask an uncomfortable question or two if you need to. Tonight: Share news over dinner.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
★★★ Don't lose touch with how much you have to offer. Someone could easily take advantage of your nature if you don't detach. Everyone — even you, my dear Goat — can be manipulated. Getting another opinion could take unusual effort. Tonight: Your treat.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
★★★★★ A discussion could be a bit of a downer, but it is hard to keep you down for long, especially right now. Don't lose your focus, as you have the unique ability to get a lot accomplished right now. For the most part, others agree. Tonight: Smile away.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
★★★ Know when to make an exit. Much is happening quite quickly. A partner could be grumpy, but that also might not be as serious as you think. Give this person space, and clear out certain personal projects. Tonight: Early to bed!

Happy birthday

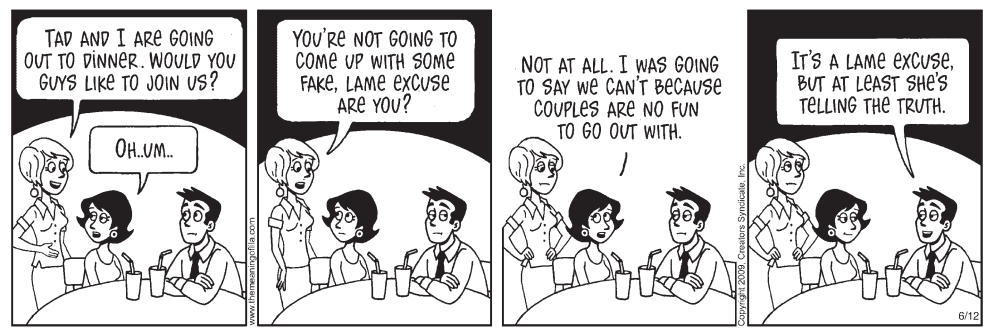
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The stars show the kind of day you'll have:
★★★★★Dynamic ★★ So-So
★★★★ Positive ★ Difficult
★★★ Average

This year, if you hit an obstacle, pull back. You could discover that your thinking isn't as clear as you might like, or that there was some misinformation. Shying away from risks might not always be the very best idea. Changing your home or making your domestic life work better is in your best interest, and others'. Happier, you will flex more. If you are single, don't rush into a live-in arrangement. If you are attached, the two of you might need to work through a problem, but you will get through it if you want to. AQUARIUS is like a bright bauble in your life.

Girls and Sports
By Justin Borus and Andrew Feinstein



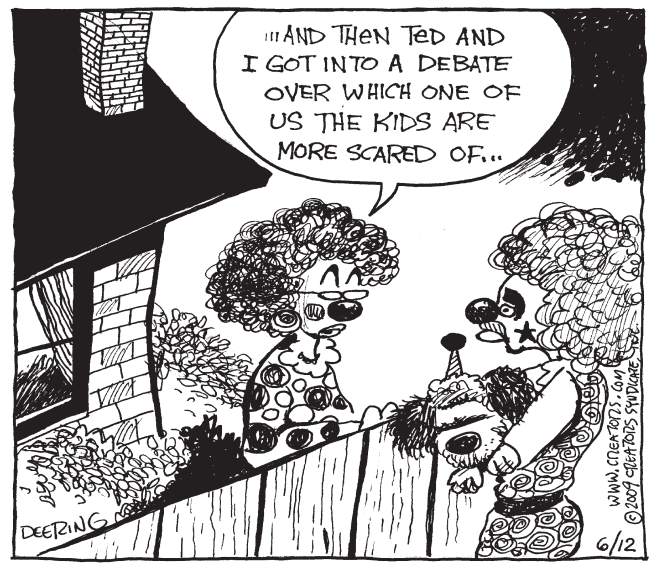
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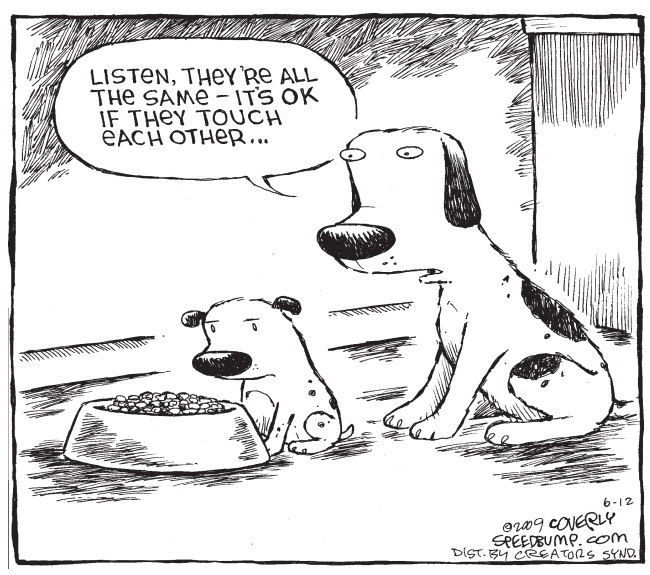
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Difficulty Level ★★★★

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1			6		5			3
		7				5		
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	5		4		6		8	

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SOLUTIONS TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

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

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By THOMAS JOSEPH

ACROSS

1 Second president
6 Long lunch
11 Jacket part
12 Newton's inspiration
13 Dote on
14 Cry of triumph
15 Tops
17 Shade trees
18 Pretzel topping
20 Become tiresome
22 Favoring
23 Pudding choice
26 Starting letter
28 Devoured
29 Corrida heroes
31 All the rage
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44 Turn outward
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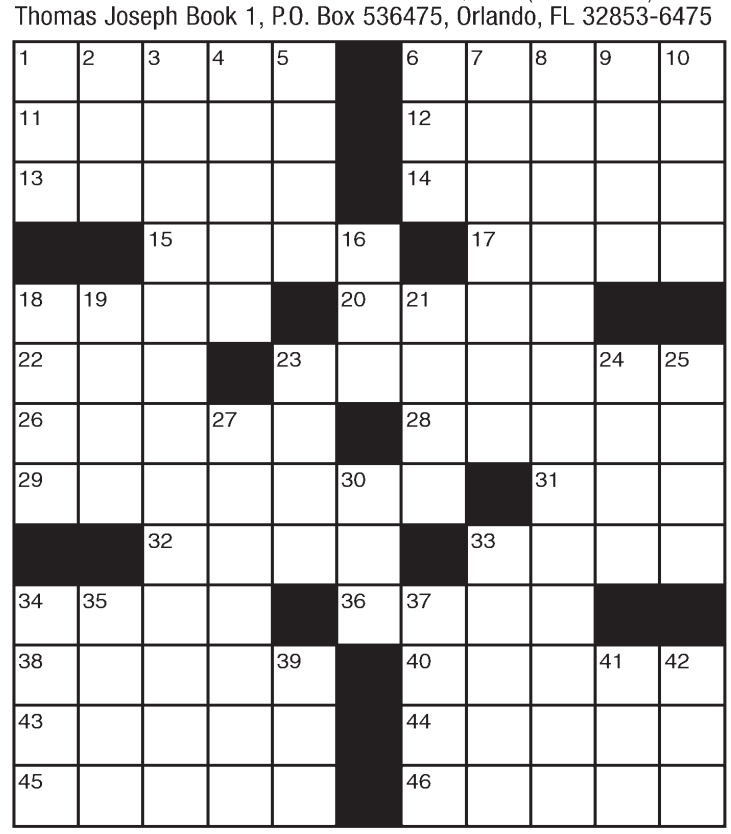
DOWN

1 Copying
2 June honoree
3 The moon was its target
4 Deserve
5 Winter glider
6 Go left
7 Hamlet's love
8 Harlem landmark
9 Steal
10 Informal OKs
16 Relaxing spot
18 Tiff
19 Singer Guthrie
21 Jungle group
23 Movie plantation
24 Corp. bigwigs
25 Colony members
27 Toast start
30 Hoary
33 Cry from the audience
34 Runner Zatopek
35 Be bold
37 Pindar poems
39 Brood watcher
41 Blunder
42 Pig's digs

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NEWS OF THE WEIRD
BY CHUCK SHEPARD

■ Nelson Blewett, 22, was treated for serious burns in Port Angeles, Wash., on May 18 after playing a game of TAG-tag with pals. They were spritzing each other with TAG body spray and then striking matches, creating mostly lower-risk flames. Then, perhaps inspired by too much beer, one friend added lighter fluid to the game. Blewett was afire for 30 to 45 seconds until he leaped from a second-story porch and rolled on the ground. (He survived but with "excruciating" second- and third-degree burns.)

■ The Aristocrats! (1) Charles Williams, 37, and his wife, Gretchen, 33, were arrested in Greenville, S.C., in April after a domestic dispute, culminating in a gunfight in which they shot each other. (2) Two fathers (Enrique Gonzalez, 26, in Fresno, Calif., in April and Eugene Ashley, 24, in Floyd County, Ga., in May) were charged with forcibly tattooing their young sons. Gonzalez allegedly held down his 7-year-old while a tattooist inked a gang symbol, and Ashley allegedly inked "DB" (for Daddy's Boy) personally on his 3-year-old's shoulder.

TODAY IN HISTORY

1929 Holocaust diarist Anne Frank was born in Frankfurt.

1939 the National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum was dedicated in Cooperstown, N.Y.

1963 civil rights leader Medgar Evers, 37, was fatally shot in front of his home in Jackson, Miss. (In 1994, Byron De La Beckwith was convicted of murdering Evers and sentenced to life in prison; he died in 2001.)

1987 President Ronald Reagan, during a visit to a divided Berlin, publicly challenged Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev to "tear down this wall."

1994 Nicole Brown Simpson and Ronald Goldman were slashed to death outside her Los Angeles home. (O.J. Simpson was later acquitted of the killings in a criminal trial, but was eventually held liable in a civil action.)

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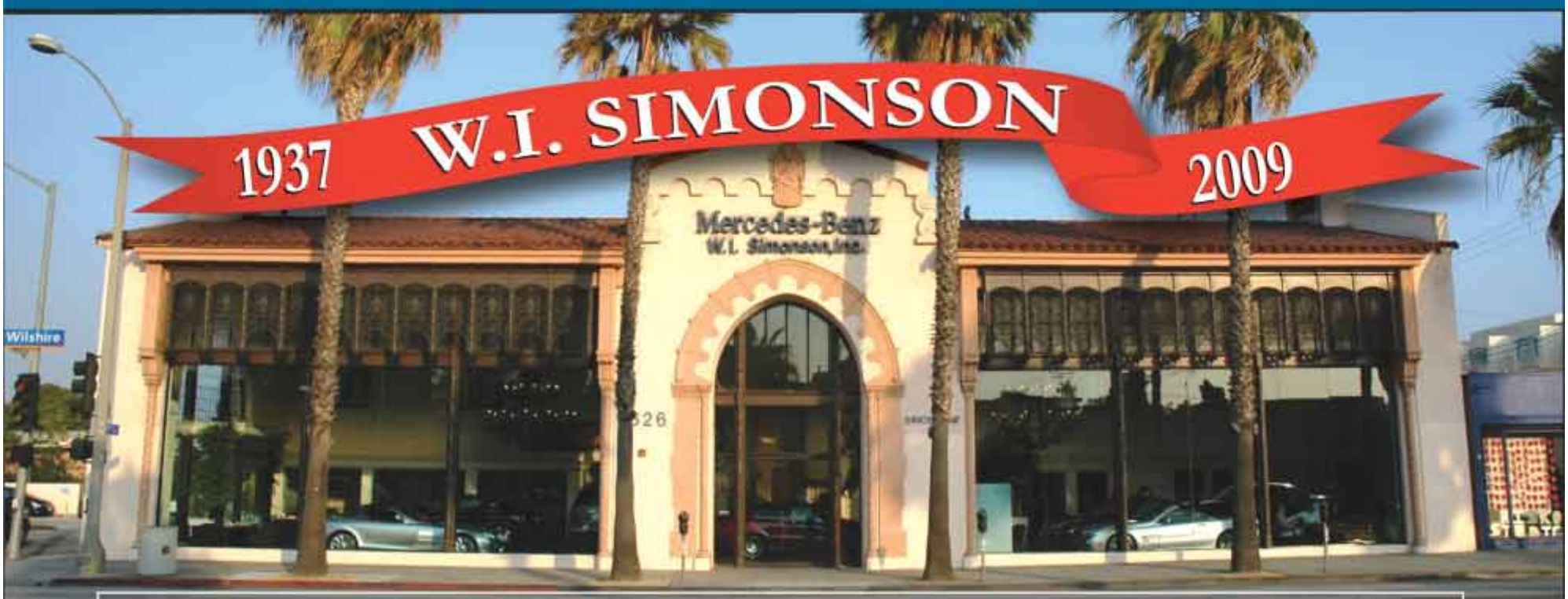
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