CLARENCE SHANNON’S OBITUARY


July 30, 1928 — Sept. 21, 2015
Resident of Willow Glen in San Jose, born in San Francisco

In 1943 at the age of 15, Clarence dropped out of high school and lied about his age to join the Army Air Corps, where he served as a navigator in B-24 and B-25 bombers during WW II in the pacific and participated in the liberation of the Philippines and Okinawa. He became a Master Sergeant and was sent to Japan at the end of the war. Returning home he graduated from the University of San Francisco but remained in the Army Reserves, so Uncle Sam sent him to the conflict in South Korea, where he became a foot soldier in the famous Tropical Lightning Unit of the Army’s 25th Infantry Division.

When he was assigned as a liaison officer to the Turkish Forces in a reconnaissance unit he was wounded three times in action and said, “I was clumsy and forgot to duck.”

Clarence joined the San Jose Police Department in 1953 and became a Sergeant assigned to several units. He said he walked as many miles on the streets of San Jose as he did in the mountains of Korea. He served with distinction and retired from the Police Department in 1980.
Clarence enjoyed many years traveling throughout the United States, Canada and visited several other countries. He continued his association with the Army and became president of the 25th Infantry Division Association of California.

He is survived by Barbara Shannon, his stepson Michael Shannon, daughter-in-law Jonalyn Shannon and grandson Patrick Shannon.

His remains will be scattered by the family at sea in Hawaii, a place he loved greatly and visited often. A plaque in his honor will be installed at the Army’s Schofield Barracks on Oahu.

If you desire to honor Clarence by making a memorial donation in his name, please send it to: 25th Infantry Division Association, Northern California Chapter, c/o Mr. George Paul, Sec./Treas., 225 Mt. Herman Road, #154, Scotts Valley, CA 95066. Any remaining funds will be donated to a scholarship in Clarence’s name.

This very rare and unique man asked many years ago what he wanted in his obituary? He said, “Good bye. Aloha Nui Loa.”

The following was received from Bruce Fair who still lives in the Land of Flat (Emporia, Kansas)...

Two more stories about Clarence, can't confirm the first, but was there and observed the second:

Clarence was the records Sergeant on swing shift. One evening a guy who was overly impressed with himself came into the lobby wanting to "register his hands" because he believed he was a Karate bad-ass. Without batting an eye, Clarence said, "Certainly, come right this way." After rolling ink all over the guy’s hands, he pressed them onto the standard fingerprint cards. To massage the guy’s ego, Clarence asked if he also used his elbows in fighting. The answer was "Sure," so Clarence smeared ink on the guys elbows to register those "weapons" as well. By this time the ladies in Records got wind of what the Sergeant was doing and would find a reason to wander in with a sheet of paper for his "approval." They were barely able to contain themselves while Clarence continued to ink the guy. Word, of course, spread throughout the lightly staffed PAB, meaning a call was placed to the two Night Detectives in Juvenile and the four down the hall in the General Crimes. Being on a roll, Clarence asked the subject if he also used his forehead (head butting)? "Sure," was the answer, so more ink was applied to the guy's forehead, which also was "registered." Pant legs were then rolled up and the knees and feet were also "registered." By the time the Clarence was through feeding the guy’s ego he had fingerprint ink on most of his extremities. The Karate Kid was last seen carrying his shoes and socks with his pants rolled up and walking proudly out of the PAB covered in ink. I was working Night Detectives in Juvenile in 72-73. Unfortunately, I missed this incident, but heard it from several sources. I think I got it right.
There was a sandwich shop on the north side of W. San Fernando St., across from one of the new buildings in the downtown renovation/urban renewal projects. When the PD re-started the downtown walking beats, the late Tom Johnson and I were two of the eight selected. All of us quickly found the best places for free food, which would be the coffee rooms at the various banking institutions. They loved to have uniformed officers walking through the banks at various times. In fact Tom, married one the wonderful ladies we met.

The sandwich shop was one of many other haunts we would patronize. It was owned and run by a big foreigner, about 6-3, mustache, probably weighed in at 250+. He knew how to make a great sandwich with lots of meat. Tom (TJ) and I would meet there every now and then for lunch. The owner liked cops in uniform, and every now and then we would see Clarence sitting at a table in the rear of the place eating alone. I think he was working day shift Records.

One day TJ and I were in the place while Clarence was in the back when an entourage of about eight suits walked in. About half of them were speaking a foreign language which neither TJ or I could understand. They tried to place an order, but had no luck. Even the English speakers in the group were of no help. After a few minutes, Clarence, in uniform, stood up, walked over to the customers and spoke to them in a foreign language. They were ecstatic that someone could understand their language. Clarence translated to the owner what they wanted to order, then walked back to his table and sat down. When the foreigners received their sandwiches they took their plates and sat down at Clarence’s table where they enjoyed their meal while talking back and forth with Clarence. The English speaking suits in the party sat at another table. TJ and I later learned that the group was some sort of an economic delegation from an embassy in San Francisco. We never did learn what they were doing in San Jose or what language they were speaking.
Click on the links below to watch and read...

ABC 7 News: City Auditor Ponders Recruitment Problem in San Jose. Click HERE.

KTVU Channel 2: Recruiting Problem Points to Settlement Deal Held up While Other Unions Negotiate. Click HERE.

Mercury News: Audit Paints Tough Police Hiring Picture, But Officials Contend New Deal is the Solution. (This story appears in the Trials and Tribulations column below.)

Sacramento Bee: Chuck Reed Files Two New Ballot Measures. (A parallel story appears in the Pension News column below.) Click HERE for the SacBee’s version.

PENSION NEWS

Reed Comes Back with New Pension Reforms

—Ex-mayor hopes fresh take helps measure in statewide balloting—

By Joe Rodriguez <jrodriguez@mercurynews.com>
Mercury News — Oct. 6, 2015

SAN JOSE — A pension reform coalition that includes former San Jose Mayor Chuck Reed unveiled a pair of statewide ballot measures Monday to rein in retirement
benefits for government employees.

The coalition, spearheaded by Reed and former San Diego City Councilman Carl DeMaio, wrote two propositions to improve its chances of winning a long-running battle with state Attorney General Kamala Harris, whose office is in charge of writing the titles and summaries of statewide ballot measures. The campaign plans to place only one measure on the November 2016 ballot after seeing how the attorney general summarizes them.

The coalition claims the Attorney General’s Office penned unfair summaries of previous measures it proposed because Harris, a Democrat, enjoys the political support of labor unions. Harris’ office denies this allegation.

So Reed and DeMaio dropped their most recent measure and returned with new alternatives. The first, called the Voter Empowerment Initiative, would require voter approval for any of the following: pension benefits for new government employees; increases in benefits for existing employees; or taxpayer subsidies of benefits of more than 50 percent.

The coalition also added a second initiative, called the Government Pension Cap Act. This measure would limit government contributions to new employees’ retirement benefits to 11 percent of base compensation. The percentage would rise to 13 percent for safety employees. Like its sister initiative, the Government Pension Cap Act would also prohibit the government from paying more than half the total cost of retirement benefits, unless voters say otherwise.

Despite the differences between the two approaches, the core philosophy is the same, Reed said Monday during a conference call with reporters.

“The cost is what’s driving our concern for the future of California,” Reed said. “The public understands that the skyrocketing cost of retirement benefits is a huge financial burden.”

The twin initiatives met fierce opposition Monday from Californians for Retirement Security, an alliance of several government labor unions. Dave Low, the group’s chairman, accused the reformers of “rewarding Wall Street” by trying to eliminate retirement security for millions of people.

“Their new proposals,” said Low, “would ultimately do what their previous failed attempts would have done: create billions of dollars in costs for the state’s pension systems; jeopardize the ability to attract and retain teachers, police officers and other public employees; and jeopardize a secure retirement for hardworking middle-class families.”
The pension reformers are prepared to go to court if the attorney general comes up with what they consider unsatisfactory titles and summaries for both new measures. DeMaio took a swipe at the attorney general in a news release, saying the initiatives are “simple enough for voters and lawyers writing titles and summaries to understand.”

Harris spokeswoman Kristin Ford responded: “As we’ve always done, we will issue a title and summary that is based on independent analysis and gives voters a clear and accurate description of the proposed initiative.”

DeMaio said he expects the Attorney General’s Office to devise the language for the measures in the next couple months. The coalition aims to choose an initiative by Christmas.

At that point, the campaign would have 180 days to gather about 580,000 valid signatures to qualify the measure for the ballot.

THETRIALS & TRIBULATIONS OF SAN JOSE AND THE SJPD

San Jose: Audit Paints Tough Police Hiring Picture, But Officials Contend New Deal is the Solution

—San Jose fire and police dispatchers reflect on the best and toughest parts of the job—

By Robert Salonga <rsalonga@mercurynews.com>
Mercury News — Oct. 6, 2015

SAN JOSE -- By the time a city audit scrutinizing lackluster police hiring lands on the City Council agenda this month, a solution could already be in the works for a problem that has compounded years of steady departures that have decimated the force.

Call it prescient governing or the stars aligning, but both police brass and union leadership say an agreement reached with the city over the summer -- ending years of grueling start-and-stop negotiations over pay and pension and disability benefits -- stands to wash away many of the agency's recruiting and retention difficulties.
The audit report, initially set for council review Tuesday but now deferred to later in October, details the shrinking of the San Jose Police Department by a third over the past seven years, starting with recession-spurred austerity measures followed by political turmoil over pay and pension reform. And it notes that in 2012 the department started running a manpower deficit as early retirements and resignations far outpaced new hires.

The report urges the department to increase its outreach and community engagement, boost hiring and retention bonuses and refocus on diversifying the police force to better resemble the city's population.

You'll find little disagreement in police circles. But the report doesn't mention what Officer James Gonzales, vice president of the San Jose Police Officers' Association, called the "elephant in the room."

"We know people want to work in San Jose. It's purely benefit and pay deficits that are the reasons people are not coming here," Gonzales said. "Once those are remedied, San Jose will become the employer of choice and we will fill those academies."

The audit was strangely timed, though by no fault of its producers. It was commissioned well before, and finalized around the same time, of the historic labor pact, which all sides agree will bring help bring in more new recruits.

"If the city and POA can lock arms and say kumbaya, we can work in a collaborative way to bring more recruits into the pipeline," city spokesman David Vossbrink said.

SJPD's staffing troubles have been well-chronicled. Since the police academies were revived in 2012 after a budget-spurred hiatus, the classes have progressively decreased in size from a high of 54 in 2013 to the latest crop that checked in at 16, all while the department has seen more than 100 officers go out the door each year. Today, there are about 950 sworn officers on the force, but not all are cleared for street duty. It's the department's lowest number in 30 years and is far under the 1,109 officers the city budget authorizes.

The deficit was not due to a dearth in applicants but rather a decrease in those who could pass through several layers of tests and backgrounding, coupled with outside police agencies routinely hiring away recruits before they even completed the academy.

To that end, the audit, glibly and somewhat obtusely, recommends the department increase its pool of qualified applicants. Assistant Chief Eddie Garcia said the decrease was a product of both the overhanging political cloud and the department refusing to adjust its entry standards even during crisis.

"We want to maintain the caliber of officer we have," Garcia said.

But a final resolution remains frustratingly out of reach: The new pay and benefit
framework cannot be implemented until the city finishes ongoing contract negotiations with nine other employee unions. There is no definitive timeline for their completion, but once that happens, Gonzales foresees "a ripple effect in the applicant pool that will help recruiting."

Both Gonzales and Garcia contend that dozens of former officers who left the department for better pay stability at other Bay Area police agencies are eyeing a return to SJPD once the new terms are enacted.

"There's a lot of promise, and we're anecdotally hearing a lot of officers want to come back," Garcia said. "But they're not going to pull the trigger until they're assured the framework is put into place."

The assistant chief added that the new landscape projected by the settlement could also reverse a trend of veteran officers leaving the moment they are eligible to retire.

"Let's not kid ourselves here," Garcia said. "If we put the framework in place and continue to work on compensation, some of these recruitment issues are going to fix themselves."

MAIL CALL

This is a reminder request from the Sept. 20th Mail Call column...

Hi Bill,

Could you put a blurb in the next couple of Farsiders for our Vice Intel Alumni Party on Monday October 12 at 4:00 p.m. It’s at the Four Points Sheraton at 211 S. 1st St. (The old Montgomery Hotel) at the Bocce courts. People can contact me if they have any questions.

Thanks

Pete (Scanlan) <petescanlan@yahoo.com>

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Oct. 5th

Bill:

It would be interesting to know how much taxpayer money was spent for attorney's fees for this endeavor and to attack City employees with proposition B. It's the legacy of former Mayor Reed who is now championing another statewide proposition to attack
the pensions of all public employees statewide. I wonder if the ‘champion of the people’ — the San Jose Mercury News — will ever investigate and publish the costs of the Mayor’s ill fated ideas. The citizens ought to know the costs this man and the majority of the City Council incurred in pursuing the political ambitions of these elected officials.

Phil (Norton) <ponorton2008@gmail.com>

Included with Phil’s message was the following link:

Supreme Court REJECTS San Jose Appeal Over Oakland Athletics Move

Oct. 6th

Bill,

I’m a subscriber of the Bill Whittle “Afterburner” series on YouTube because of his conservative views, but I nearly canceled my subscription after listening to the first 45 seconds of his latest video. But as I was about to push the Delete button everything changed. Watch this and you will see why.

Red State <red.state@comcast.net>

Click HERE to watch the “Afterburner” video Red is talking about.

Ed. — For the record, I still think The Donald is a buffoon who knows how to “play” his supporters. I’m still waiting for him to answer a question in detail, like how he plans to deport millions of illegals, or make Mexico pay for the “beautiful fence” he plans to build on our southern border, or how he plans to reduce our 18.5 trillion dollar debt, or dozens of other serious issues. When asked a question, instead of answering it directly, he always pulls out his book of words such as stupid, great, wonderful, idiots, clowns, etc. But I digress. Disagree? Write in and share your thoughts.

OCTOBER VANGUARD NOW AVAILABLE

Click HERE to download it to your desktop, then double click the icon if it doesn’t open on its own...
CAN ANYONE I.D. THE SAN JOSE COP ON THE TROMBONE?

Bonnie Janson, the daughter of the late (retired) Officer Ernie Barozzi, posted the following on Ivan Comelli’s “Vintage San Jose Police” Facebook page...

Squawk! Toot! Screech! Honk! Wah-Wah-Wah!

I don't think any of these guys could really play, but they sure had fun trying! Taken at a Policeman's Ball social function in the late 1950s/early 1960s.

My dad, Ernie Barozzi, is second from left, on the piccolo. I believe that is George Dwyer behind him on the saxophone. Can (anyone) identify any of the other 'musicians?'

Roy Sanfilippo — who can lay claim to being the “most elderly” SJPD Facebook member — saw the pic of these guys enjoying themselves and I.D.'d them as follows:
“From left to right: Danti Provasi, Ernie Barozzi, Tom Kinny (oldest living retiree D.O.B 2-10-21), and Chuck Schaffer. Of the trombone player, I can't see enough of his face to say who he is.”

**IS THIS WHAT WE CAN EXPECT FROM 200,000 REFUGEES?**

*When we received from Dewey Moore the following article it didn’t cite a source, other than to say the Sept. 6, 2015 posting was by the “TNO Staff in Europe.” It took some searching, but we found that the article appeared on “The New Observer website,” which can be seen HERE. So how credible is this website? Click HERE and look at the assortment of articles on its home page, then decide for yourself.*

**Third World Invasion: Eyewitness Description, September 5, 2015**

*September 6, 2015 by TNO Staff—in Europe*

An eye-witness account from Kamil Bulonis, a Polish travel blog writer, who was present on the Italian-Austrian border on September 5, 2015, as swarms of Third World nonwhites poured across the border to invade Austria and Germany (A translation from Polish):

Please note: all pictures from the Hungarian-Austrian border.

"Half an hour ago on the border between Italy and Austria I saw with my own eyes a great many immigrants ...

With all solidarity with people in difficult circumstances I have to say that what I saw arouses horror ... This huge mass of people – sorry, that I’ll write this – but these are absolute savages ... Vulgar, throwing bottles, shouting loudly “We want to Germany!” –
and is Germany a paradise now?

I saw how they surrounded a car of an elderly Italian woman, pulled her by her hair out of the car and wanted to drive away in the car. They tried to overturn the bus in I traveled myself with a group of others. They were throwing feces at us, banging on the doors to force the driver to open them, spat at the windscreen ... I ask for what purpose? How is this savagery to assimilate in Germany?

I felt for a moment like in a war ... I really feel sorry for these people, but if they reached Poland – I do not think that they would get any understanding from us ... We were waiting three hours at the border which ultimately could not cross.

Our whole group was transported back to Italy in a police-cordon. The bus is damaged, covered with feces, scratched, with broken windows. And this is supposed to be an idea for demographics? These big powerful hordes of savages?

Among them there were virtually no women, no children—the vast majority were aggressive young men ... Just yesterday, while reading about them on all the websites I subconsciously felt compassion, worried about their fate but today after what I saw I am just afraid and yet I am happy that they did not choose our country as their destination. We Poles are simply not ready to accept these people – neither culturally nor financially.

I do not know if anyone is ready. To the EU a pathology is marching which we had not yet a chance to ever see, and I am sorry if anyone gets offended by his entry ...

I can add that cars arrived with humanitarian aid – mainly food and water and they were just overturning those cars ...

Through megaphones the Austrians announced that there is permission for them to cross the border—they wanted to register them and let them go on—but they did not understand these messages. They did not understand anything.

And this was the greatest horror ... For among those few thousand people nobody understood Italian or English, or German, or Russian, or Spanish ... What mattered was fist law... They fought for permission to move on and they had this permission— but did not realize that they had it!

They opened the luggage hatches of a French bus—and everything that was inside was stolen within short time, some things left lying on the ground ...

Never in my short life had I an opportunity to see such scenes and I feel that this is just the beginning."
THIS MAY SURPRISE YOU...

Ed “Gramps” Tennant contributed this history lesson for the edification of all of us...

How the Internet Started, According to the Bible
Don’t try to Google this or check its validity with Snopes as both will lie to you.

In ancient Israel, it came to pass that a trader by the name of Abraham Com did take unto himself a healthy young wife by the name of Dorothy. And Dot Com was a comely woman, large of breast, broad of shoulder and long of leg. Indeed, she was often called Amazin Dot Com.

And she said unto Abraham, her husband, "Why dost thou travel so far from town to town with thy goods when thou canst trade without ever leaving thy tent?"

And Abraham did look at her as though she were several saddle bags short of a camel load, but simply said, "How, dear?"

And Dot replied, "I will place drums in all the towns and drums in between to send messages saying what you have for sale, and they will reply telling you who hath the best price. The sale can be made on the drums and delivery made by Uriah's Pony Stable (UPS)."

Abraham thought long and decided he would let Dot have her way with the drums. And the drums rang out and were an immediate success. Abraham sold all the goods he had at the top price, without ever having to move from his tent.

To prevent neighboring countries from overhearing what the drums were saying, Dot devised a system that only she and the drummers knew. It was known as Must Send Drum Over Sound (MSDOS), and she also developed a language to transmit ideas and pictures - Hebrew to The People (HTTP).

And the young men did take to Dot Com's trading as doth the greedy horsefly take to camel dung. They were called Nomadic Ecclesiastical Rich Dominican Sybarites, or NERDS. And lo, the land was so feverish with joy at the new riches and the deafening sound of drums that no one noticed that the real riches were going to that enterprising drum dealer, Brother William of Gates, who bought off every drum maker in the land. Indeed he did insist on drums to be made that would work only with Brother Gates' drumheads and drumsticks.

And Dot did say, "Oh, Abraham, what we have started is being taken over by others." And Abraham looked out over the Bay of Ezekiel, or eBay as it came to be known. He said, "We need a name that reflects what we are."

And Dot replied, "Young Ambitious Hebrew Owner Operators." "YAHOO," said Abraham. And because it was Dot's idea, they named it YAHOO Dot Com.

Abraham's cousin, Joshua, being the young Gregarious Energetic Educated Kid (GEEK) that he was, soon started using Dot's drums to locate things around the countryside.

It soon became known as God's Own Official Guide to Locating Everything (GOOGLE).

That is how it all began. And that's the truth.

I would not make up this stuff.
Being airborne approximately thirty minutes on an outbound evening Air Lingus flight from Dublin, the lead flight attendant nervously made the following painful announcement in her lovely Irish brogue:

"Ladies and gentlemen, I'm so very sorry, but it appears that there was a terrible mix-up one minute prior to take-off by our catering service. I don't know how this happened, but we have 103 passengers on board and, unfortunately, we received only 40 dinner meals. I truly apologize for this mistake and inconvenience."

When the passengers' muttering had died down, she continued, "Anyone who is kind enough to give up their meal so that someone else can eat will receive free, unlimited drinks for the duration of our 4-hour flight."

Her next announcement came about 2 hours later: "Ladies and gentlemen, if anyone would like to change their minds, we still have 40 dinners available."

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A woman of advanced age visited her physician to ask his advice on reviving her husband's libido.

'What about trying Viagra?' asked the doctor.

"Not a chance," she said. "He won't even take an aspirin."

"Not a problem," replied the doctor. "Give him an Irish Viagra."

"What is an Irish Viagra?" she asked.

"It's when you drop the Viagra tablet into his coffee. He won't even taste it. Give it a try and call me in a week to let me know how things went."

A week later she called the doctor, who immediately inquired as to her progress. The poor dear exclaimed, "Oh, faith, bejaysus and begorrah! T'was horrid! Just terrible, doctor!"

"Really? What happened?" asked the doctor.

"Well, I did as you advised and slipped it in his coffee and the effect was almost immediate. He jumped straight up with a smile on his face, a twinkle in his eye and with his pants a-bulging fiercely! With one swoop of his arms, he sent me cup and saucer flying, ripped me clothes to tatters and took me then and there passionately on the tabletop! T'was a nightmare, I tell you, an absolute nightmare!"

"Why so terrible?" asked the doctor, "Do you mean the sex your husband provided wasn't good?"

"Freakin' jaysus, it was the best sex I've had in 25 years! But sure as I'm sittin' here, I'll never be able to show me face in Starbucks again."
Sept. 30: The New York Times Magazine just did a big profile on Donald Trump, who some say is still the front-runner for the Republican nomination. And get this, it turns out that he usually gets only four hours of sleep at night. Which explains why today he looked in the mirror and said, “You're tired.”

The story says that Donald Trump gets so little sleep, he actually suffers from sleep deprivation. Then again, so do most people who think about Donald Trump becoming president.

NSA leaker Edward Snowden joined Twitter yesterday, and immediately got more followers than the NSA. Which raises an interesting question: Who’s following the NSA on Twitter?

There’s been some hoaxes going around on Facebook lately that say you may need to pay money in order to keep your status private. And this is cool, just by mentioning that on the show, I won a free iPad!

A new study found that David Beckham and his wife Victoria Beckham are actually richer than Queen Elizabeth. Or in other words, Posh Spice is doing better than Old Spice.

Oct. 1: Much to the dismay of many Republicans, a new report said Donald Trump is still leading in the polls, and one voter was quoted as saying, “Unfortunately, I'm leaning toward Trump.” Even worse, that voter was Jeb Bush.

Congrats to the Toronto Blue Jays for making the playoffs for the first time in 22 years. Nothing says “America’s pastime” more than a bunch of guys from the Dominican Republic playing for a team in Canada.

I read that after facing protests, Whole Foods announced that it will no longer sell food that has been prepared by prison inmates. Customers were like, “This is great news — wait, WHAT?!”

Donald Trump’s wife Melania just gave an interview where she said their 9-year-old son Barron wants to grow up to be a golfer, a businessman, and a pilot. When Melania told him that’s very unlikely to happen, he replied, “Dad’s in first place for president, anything can happen.”

Oct. 2: I read that Donald Trump’s hotel chain may have experienced a data breach that may have exposed people’s debit and credit card information to hackers for more than a year. When asked how he planned on fixing the situation, Trump was like, "I’m going to build a huge firewall."

Ben Carson continues to rise in the polls. But a lot of people think he’s a little too laid
back, or sleepy, to be president. When asked about hurricane Joaquin this week and how he would prepare, he said, "uh. I don’t know." Is he talking about a hurricane or did he just drink a hurricane?

More of Hillary Clinton's e-mails were just released, and one shows that she had made a list of talking points for a trip to L.A. in case she ran into Ellen DeGeneres, which is ironic because Bill does the same thing in case he runs into Hillary.

Oct. 5: Last week, the firefighters' union announced that it was no longer supporting Hillary for president. You know your campaign's in trouble when firefighters are like, “Even WE can't put out that many fires.”

In an interview with Al Sharpton, Hillary Clinton said Donald Trump just says whatever he needs in order to “stir up the passions of people.” Then Al Sharpton was like, “You know you're talking to ME, right?”

At a speech in Tennessee, Trump talked about his decision to run for president, and said, quote, “I didn't want to do this, I had to do this.” Then he was immediately sued by Jeb Bush for stealing his campaign slogan.

A new report found that Donald Trump is no longer the most liked candidate on Facebook, and Ben Carson now has the most likes with over 4 million. Yeah, you can tell Carson was pretty excited because when he found out he actually opened BOTH eyes.

The third movie in the “Thor” series is going to be called “Thor: Ragnarok.” Mainly because calling it “Thor Three” would give everyone a speech impediment. "Theriously?"

Oct. 6: Congrats to Barack and Michelle Obama, who just celebrated their 23rd wedding anniversary. I guess that explains why this morning, Barack was seen running toward the Rose Garden with a vase and a pair of scissors. “Of course I remembered!”

Everybody's still talking about Donald Trump. A recent poll had voters describe Trump in one word, and a lot of them used the words “idiot,” “buffoon,” “clown,” and “jerk.” And those are the people voting for Trump.

Of course, they also used other words, like “Still,” “better,” “than” and “Jeb.”

Martin O’Malley, ex-governor of Maryland, is running for president. He’s at 2 percent in the polls. He’s been in the race eight months, and he’s only tied with low-fat milk.

A lot of people think that when the Republican field clears it will come down to Jeb Bush and Donald Trump. Kind of like the race between the tortoise and the bad hair.

Republicans say the economy is bad. So bad, in New York over on Park Avenue, I saw a woman with real breasts and a fake Gucci bag.
Sept. 30: It was just announced there are nearly 30,000 fewer inmates now in California's prisons. Here's the bad news: They all escaped.

While visiting America, Pope Francis secretly met with Kim Davis, the county clerk who denied marriage licenses to gay couples. At first she refused to meet with the Pope because she was told, “There's a guy in a dress named Francis here to see you.”

Donald Trump's wife, an immigrant from Slovenia, says she lets Trump be himself. She said, in return, he lets me be in America.

Governor Bobby Jindal's presidential campaign is angrily insisting that the "Duck Dynasty" cast supports him and not Donald Trump. And that is the current report on the state of the Bobby Jindal campaign.

Tesla has debuted a new car which is equipped with a device that instantly clears the air of toxins. Basically you activate it when you're driving behind a Volkswagen.

Oct. 1: A word association poll found the words most associated with Donald Trump are idiot, jerk, stupid, and dumb. In other words, he really could be our next president. He's got everything it takes.

Hurricane Joaquin is set to hit the East Coast. Could cause historic rainfall. East Coast residents are concerned. California residents are jealous.

Due to Hurricane Joaquin Governor Christie has declared a state of emergency in New Jersey. Christie spent the day stocking up on tons of groceries — and then he heard about the hurricane.

Today is World Vegetarian Day. There were supposed to be rallies but nobody had the energy.

A man in Canada has pled guilty to trespassing into a home and doing laundry and feeding the owner's cat. The man is being described by authorities as marriage material.

In Russia a man injected himself with 3.5 million-year-old bacteria in hopes of becoming immortal. His funeral is Thursday.

Burger King has begun bottling its own Merlot and they call it Whopper Wine. Not to be outdone, 7-Eleven has begun selling a product fermented for six months. They call it a hot dog.

Oct. 6: Yesterday Hillary Clinton criticized Donald Trump during an interview on Telemundo. Clinton knew if there was one place she could criticize Trump without him finding out about it, it's on Telemundo.

It's being reported that Donald Trump is mentioned on social media seven times more often than any other Republican candidate. And that's just by Donald Trump.

A controversial 1,200-year-old document has been found that shows evidence that Jesus was married. I don't believe it. What married guy gets to spend all his free time
with his 12 buddies?

Bud Light has created a new device that alerts you when the beer supply in your fridge is running low. The device is known as your roommate Chad.

Sept. 30: Facebook has gone down three times in the past week. So lately Facebook's status has changed from "Working" to "It's complicated."

Loads of people had to go hide in their exes’ bushes just to stalk them. People were outraged.

There's one guy who wishes that Facebook had stayed down. That's John Mogan of Ohio, who was arrested after robbing a bank and then instead of, you know, hiding, he posted photos of himself posing with the cash on his Facebook wall.

Oct. 1: Jeb Bush, the front-runner who's currently losing — if he won, Jeb Bush would be America's third Bush president. Three presidents from the same family. Even I think that's messed up, and I come from a country that still has a queen.

Ben Carson talks like he forgot he had a press conference and just took a load of Benadryl. This guy is a retired surgeon. Apparently, instead of giving his patients anesthesia, he just talked to them until they passed out.

Ben Carson has made a lot of controversial statements. He's said prison turns people gay and that Obamacare is the worst thing to happen to our country since slavery. And that was just to his waitress at breakfast.

This is what happens when you give Donald Trump attention: Everyone else seems reasonable in comparison. Ben Carson is over here saying "You're Hitler!" "Obamacare is slavery!" And we're like, "Finally, an adult in the room!"

Oct. 5: The baseball playoffs start this week, and last week there was a baseball game in Arizona where some girls in the stands were taking so many selfies, it caught the attention of the commentators. These girls took about 20 pictures in 10 seconds at a baseball game. The guys who landed on the moon took like, three total pictures.

I can picture them coming home and their friends being like, "How was the game?" "Oh, it was so intense. Bottom of the ninth, I didn't think we were going to pull it off. My battery was at 3 percent but then Sarah found a charger."

More people have died taking selfies than have been killed by sharks. It is tragic, not only because you're dead, but because you’ll never be able to see how many "likes" that picture got.

My policy is, you should treat selfies like you treat drinking. Try not to do it alone, definitely don't do it while you're driving, and if you take more than two or three a day, you should probably seek help.
Oct. 6: There's been a lot of discussion lately about comfort animals — they provide emotional support to people who are dealing with anxiety. It's like medical marijuana on a leash.

A few months ago, a woman on a US Airways flight was famously kicked off the plane when her emotional support pig refused to stop squealing and defecated in the cabin. Yeah, honestly, pigs can fly.

The truth is, they already make a pig that comforts you. It's called bacon.

According to The New York Times, universities are receiving requests for guinea pigs, ferrets, lizards, and some of these students are even bringing tarantulas as comfort animals. Here's a rule that we should all follow: You can't have a comfort animal that is also a Halloween decoration.

Where is this going to end? I'll tell you. It never ends because eventually you're going to need a comfort hawk to feel at ease around your roommate’s comfort tarantula.

Sept. 30: Forbes Magazine released their annual list of the "Forbes 400" ranking the wealthiest people in America. Bill Gates, 22nd year in a row he's number one, $76 billion. Yet, he still has an $11 haircut.

Donald Trump finished 121 on the list and he's not happy about that. Forbes says he has a net worth of $4.5 billion, but he says that's wrong, "I'm worth $11.5 billion." This is what makes him relatable to voters.

Forbes stands by their estimate but Trump said they're trying to make him look as poor as possible. Saying someone has $4.5 billion makes them look poor? Underprivileged maybe, but not poor.

I like Donald Trump's way of thinking. It's not how much money you have, it's how much money you feel you have.

The Santee Sioux Tribe is getting ready to open what they call America's first marijuana resort, further cementing South Dakota's status as party capital of the U.S. They claim this will be the first marijuana resort, but there are already thousands of marijuana resorts in this country. They're called colleges.

Last week Pope Francis carved time out to meet with Kim Davis, the woman who refused to issue the same-sex marriage license in Kentucky. The reason they met is the Pope wanted to deliver a message to Kim about God, which was "Fire your stylist."

Oct. 6: General Mills is recalling a number of Cheerios products because some boxes that were labeled gluten-free were not gluten-free. As a result, 1.8 million boxes of Cheerios and Honey Nut Cheerios are being removed from the shelves at stores. This sounds to me like the work of that evil dictator, Vladimir Gluten.

This does affect those people who are allergic to gluten and also those who pretend to
be allergic to gluten. When someone's in a bad mood now, just ask, “Who put gluten in your Cheerios?”

It’s Fashion Week in Paris and all of the latest fashions are on display. The new trend that’s getting a lot of attention is something called human backpacks. This is the work of a designer named Rick Owens. It’s people wearing other people. Gives a whole new meaning to the question, "Who are you wearing?"

Sept. 30: Lawyers for Kim Davis say the embattled county clerk was given a secret audience with Pope Francis last Thursday. And since it was a workday, her schedule was wide open.

In an interview today, Kim Davis said that her meeting with Pope Francis last week “kind of validates everything.” Well, except for a lot of marriage licenses.

Trend experts are reporting that New Yorkers have started holding “juice crawls,” where dozens of people gather together and visit three to five juice bars. They’re called “juice crawls” because the participants are generally too weak to walk.

The CDC is accusing Big Tobacco of using different flavors of e-cigarettes to try and lure in young people. They’re especially concerned about the newest flavor, Cheerios in a Ziploc Bag.

This weekend people in Los Angeles were treated to free food from the Pancake Selfie Express, which is a food truck that can print photos in batter. So now you can be reminded of what you used to look like before you started eating free pancakes from a truck.

Oct. 1: New Jersey Governor Chris Christie has declared a state of emergency in preparation for Hurricane Joaquin. And Donald Trump declared a state of emergency as soon as he heard the name “Joaquin.”

Today is World Vegetarian Day. So if you’re a vegetarian … we know. You already told us.

A new app has launched called Peeple which will allow users to give zero- to five-star ratings of their friends and acquaintances. It works like this: If you join that site, you get zero stars.

A processing company that supplies chicken to KFC was fined this week after an employee lost two fingertips while on the job. Which explains their new slogan, “It’s Finger Losin’ Good!”

Oregon’s recreational marijuana shops began selling to the public today. Experts expect it to be a big hit, followed by a bunch of coughing.

Oct. 5: For the first time this primary season, a national poll has placed Dr. Ben Carson as the Republican front-runner. Carson was so excited about the news, his eyes almost
Hillary Clinton said this weekend that the record turnout for Bernie Sanders’ rallies is great for the Democratic Party. And it wasn’t easy for her to say that, because at the time, she was biting a cinder block in half.

Donald Trump confirmed in an interview today that he operates his own Twitter account. However, his mouth and his brain are run by interns.

Republican presidential hopeful Chris Christie said this weekend that he would rather jump off the Brooklyn Bridge than be in Congress. And just to be safe, Mayor de Blasio issued a tsunami warning for Lower Manhattan.

Researchers have begun collecting data to develop a pill that will allow users to experience the benefits of exercise without having to work out. Said Americans, "So I have to get up, get a glass of water, unscrew the pill cap? No, thank you. Not interested."

Oct. 6: Dr. Ben Carson hosted a Facebook Q&A last night, and said the loss of gun rights is more devastating than seeing people die from gun violence. So if Ben Carson is your doctor, definitely get a second opinion.

Dr. Ben Carson spoke with Kanye West recently and said that he is “very impressed” with Kanye’s knowledge of business. And Kanye said that he is very impressed with Kanye’s knowledge of business.

McDonald’s began serving all-day breakfast nationwide today. Great news for people who probably don’t get a lot of great news.

Executives from Hasbro have announced that the Transformers movie franchise will get four more films in the next decade — unless their demands are met.

The author of the “Twilight” series has written a new gender-reversed version of her first novel with corrections to grammatical errors in the original books. Asked why she wrote it, she said, “I want more money and I have no more ideas.”

Sept. 30: Right off the bat, I’d like to apologize because the show’s been on for almost 30 seconds and I have yet to say the words "Donald Trump."

Donald Trump is slumping in the polls. Don't leave me, Donald. Don't you understand, if you go away, I'm going to have to talk about those other boring people. I'm going to have to learn their names.

I think one of them is Marco Rubio. Am I saying that right? Is it Marco Rubio, or is it Mark O’Rubio? And for the record, I was just crossing two cultures.

CNN will break new ground by live streaming the next primary debate in virtual reality. With the help of a virtual reality headset, users can actually watch the debates from the
perspective of an audience member. It'll feel like you're seeing Hillary Clinton right in front of you, but she's not actually there — just like the real Hillary Clinton!

Oct. 1: The Iowa caucuses are just a scant four months away. Meaning the presidential election is just around the corner from the corner we haven't gotten around yet.

Today is the day all candidates have to report to the Federal Election Commission how much money they've received in the past three months. The big news is that Vermont senator and rooftop beekeeper Bernie Sanders took in a whopping $26 million. That's more than twice as much money as Jeb Bush pulled in, even though this summer I gave Jeb Bush $3.

There's another breakthrough moment in campaign fundraising. Florida Sen. Marco Rubio's website already features some great merchandise like a Marco Polo shirt, or a water bottle that says "Water great nation."

The fundraising breakthrough on the Rubio website is that for $250 you can adopt a Rubio staffer for a day. That really pulls at the heart strings. I wasn't going to donate to Marco Rubio but I can't let his staff who are evidently orphans go unpurchased.

Oct. 2: I do think Donald Trump is honest in his own way. He is honestly an egomaniacal billionaire.

This this week in New Hampshire, Trump demonstrated he will not tolerate dishonesty from his opponents, like Jeb Bush and Marco Rubio. Mr. Trump, to answer your call for political honesty, you're not going to be president. It's been fun. It's been great. I love you!

Oct. 5: Whole Foods will no longer sell products by prison inmates. Reform advocates say Whole Foods is profiting off of the sale of products prepared by inmates who aren't paid much. Prison labor? But everything at Whole Foods is supposed to be cage-free!

I can't believe this. The whole time, I thought Farmer Bob was making my goat cheese. Turns out, it was some guy named "Spider." Their motto, "Our cheese is aged 25-to-life."

Oct. 6: McDonald's began serving breakfast all day long. I hope you're with a loved one right now. I learned this alone. It's the sort of news that changes a man. The only reason I ever got up before 10:30 a.m. was to make it to the McDonald's breakfast deadline. If I didn't make it in time, what then?

I went out and saw the number one movie in America this weekend, "The Martian." It's a sci-fi thriller that takes place in the near future where — here's the twist — NASA has a budget.

I wasn't alone in loving it. It pulled in $100 million in its opening weekend. And $2 million of that was just from me buying popcorn and Junior Mints.

"The Martian" is expected to do particularly well when it launches in China. ... This movie is a natural match for China. Because not only is the planet Mars red, I believe it has more oxygen than Beijing.
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THE LIGHTER SIDE AND OTHER ODDS & ENDS

Large Player or Full Screen format advised for YouTube videos.

Two down, fifteen to go. THIS clever morphing video of the contenders for the GOP primary was created in mid-July, before Walker and Perry ran out of dough. But it was so well done we thought we’d toss it into this week’s mix anyway. (1:33)

On the subject of our beloved politicians, did any of you happen to catch THIS talk that our Secretary of State gave to members of the U.N.? It just might cause you to change your mind about the Iran Nuke Deal. Or maybe not. (2:20)
How much have things really changed in the past 47 years? In THIS episode from Dragnet 1967, Joe and Bill talk to three naive teens who want to leave the U.S. and create their own country. (3:00)

Want to see what it’s like to be a member of the Navy’s Parachute Team (a/k/a the Leap Frogs) and drop into Petco Park in San Diego for the Padres Home Opener. THIS is what it looked like from 3 of the SEAL’s perspective last year, one of whom is wearing a GoPro camera on his helmet. Note how low they have to get in order to hear the cheers from the crowd. (2:44)

Virsky is the Ukraine’s national folk dance ensemble that travels the world performing Slavic dances. Before you say you’re not interested and move on to something else, consider watching this rehearsal that is usually reserved for the grand finale of their shows. It is considered their most difficult dance to pull off. The athleticism and
stamina it takes to dance at **THIS** level can often be overlooked, but it’s impossible not to recognize when you see it up close. (4:04)

Chuck Blackmore was impressed with the performance of this high-flying Russian couple, and those of you who know him are aware that the retired sergeant is not easy to impress. Be that as it may, **THIS** clip is certainly worth a look. (5:22)

We agree with Joe Suske that **THIS** Rube Goldberg Machine-type ad from Beneful dog chow is among the best of its kind. (1:20)

Steven Boyd, a disabled vet, and an Australian cattle dog scheduled to be euthanized, crossed paths and later bonded to become best friends. The dog, which Steven named Djaingo, **REFLECTS** with his owner about the blessings of God. (1:07)
We’ll wager that you have not heard this 9/11 story about a Port Authority employee who relies on a guide dog to assist him in day-to-day life. **THIS** video features the remarkable story of Omar and his dog, Salty, who guided him to safety from the 71st floor of the World Trade Center during the 9/11 terror attacks. (6:31)

If you or someone you know plans to adopt a little lamb, try to choose one that’s a little smarter or can hear better than **THIS** one. (0:37)

It’s a Mission Impossible jail break. Set up a perimeter and **STOP** every critter you see trying to flee the area. (2:53)
Meet Kumbali and Kago, a Cheetah Cub and a rescued Lab. When Kumbali was just a little Cheetah cub, he was removed from his mother because she wasn’t producing enough milk for him to stay healthy. As Kumbali grew, he got stronger every day, but there was one **PROBLEM**: He had no one to spend the day with. Enter Kago, a 10-week old rescue Lab who is now Kumbali’s best friend. (4:42)

Do big cats purr? **THIS** fully grown Leopard certainly does, especially when he or she is receiving a massage. (2:24)

Say hi to "Hercules." He’s not the cutest or youngest **ORANGUTAN** you will ever meet, but he’s a lucky critter in that he was rescued and has been allowed to roam one of the river islands near an Orangutan sanctuary in Borneo. (3:01)
When it comes to science and biology, **THIS** video ranks among the most fascinating I’ve have ever seen. It’s about a giant ant colony that was filled with cement, then excavated so scientists could see how big it was. They were stunned to find that the colony covered an area of over 530 square feet and traveled 26 feet into the earth. (3:15)

When we watched this clip received from Alice Murphy, two things came to mind: 1) Incredible. 2) We hope **THESE** guys are not indicative of the men who serve in the Chinese military. If they are, we might as well purchase some white flags from France and surrender. (5:35)

If you were an Elvis fan **THIS** borders on blasphemy. How dare this foreigner mimic The King in an attempt to peddle Walker’s Poppadums, a snack that is popular in Europe and available at Amazon. (0:30)
When we first saw the title of **THIS** clip — “How They Swing in Russia” — we assumed it was a video posted on YouTube by Bob Kosovilka. We were wrong. Turned out to be something far different. (The sound track is “Mind Heist” by Zack Hemsey.) (2:00)

We’re thinking that Alice Murphy should have passed **THIS** video about school lunches on to Michelle Obama instead of us if the First Lady really wants to improve the school lunch experience for kids here in the U.S. But since we have it, you might as well take a look. We think you will be amazed at the difference between “them” and “us.” (8:55)

School lunches seem to be in vogue this week. Check out **THIS** one from Bert Kelsey about an Italian grade school where four opera singers disguised as canteen staff broke into song that brought the cafeteria to a standstill with a rousing medley of Italian classics by Verdi, Puccini and Rossini. (3:31)
If you eat fast food, have you noticed that the burger you get seldom looks like the ad on TV? There’s a solution to that, watch THIS. (3:34)

Planning to travel to New York City to see a play or visit another venue where you would have to wait in line? The solution is simple: Hire a professional line waiter. Starting at $25 for the first hour and $10 for every half hour after that, they can make up to $1000 a week to stand in line for you during peak seasons. They’ll wait for tickets, tech or anything else you can think of. Click HERE to meet these intrepid entrepreneurs. (1:55)

Word has it that Roger Coen is thinking about investing in one of these to ensure he has an ample supply of firewood THIS winter. Me? I plan to order two boxes of Presto Logs from Amazon when the weather turns chilly. (10:05)
This is about those pesky Crop Circles. Could **THIS** clip have substance, or is it evidence of one of the most elaborate crop circle hoaxes to date? We report you decide. (6:03)

If you have a granddaughter whose dream is to become a fashion model, show her **THIS** clip and you might save her from some major league embarrassment and possibly a twisted or broken ankle. (3:18)

If you ever have the need to hire a helicopter pilot for some heavy lifting, **THIS** guy is probably an excellent candidate. (5:10)
Model airplanes sure have evolved since I was a kid and flew one round and round in circles. Now extinct, they were known as U-Control airplanes back then. Model aircraft are now flown by radio control like THIS mammoth 747 that probably caught the attention of Richard Branson. (6:18)

This week’s closer from Don Hale is for those of you who enjoy beautiful photography and music. Behold these award-winning panorama PHOTOS from around the world. (7:07)
THE FARSIDER SUBSCRIPTION ROSTER as of 10/8/15

Additions and changes since the last published update (alphabetical by last name):

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