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Louisville's Malik Williams brings the ball up after a steal from Florida State during the second half of an NCAA college basketball game Wednesday, Jan. 10, 2018, in Tallahassee, Fla. Louisville won 73-69.

(AP Photo/Steve Cannon)

## Louisville snaps No. 23 FSU's 28-game home win streak

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (AP) — Louisville got off to a slow start on the road against Florida State for the second straight year. This time though it was able to overcome it.

The Cardinals trailed by nine points 2 minutes into Wednesday night's game against the 23rd-ranked Seminoles and were down by 13 at halftime before rallying for a 73-69 victory, which snapped FSU's 28-game home winning streak. "That's as good a road win as we've had in the past couple years," Louisville coach David Padgett said. "We didn't get rattled and did a good job of being resilient and battling back."

The Cardinals trailed 14-0 in last year's game and were never able to climb back before losing 73-68. At one point late in the first half of Wednesday's game they trailed by 17. Deng Adel scored 16 points and Ray Spalding added 15 for the Cardinals (12-4, 2-1 Atlantic Coast Conference), who got their first road win against a ranked team since March 5, 2014, against SMU to snap an 11-game skid.

Louisville was 13 of 28 from the field in the second half, including 6 of 13 on 3-pointers. Ryan McMahon, who scored 11 points, had three 3-pointers in the final 20 minutes. He gave the Cardinals their first lead (64-62) with a 3 with 4:55 remaining and had another that pushed it to 71-66 with 59 seconds left.

"We got off to a slow start but we were able to trust the offense and stick to the game plan," McMahon said.

Louisville trailed 45-32 at halftime but steadily stormed back as the Seminoles missed five of their first six from the field in the second half and committed six turnovers in the first 6 minutes. A 3-pointer by Adel with 9:04 remaining tied it at 55 before the Cardinals took the lead on McMahon's 3-pointer.

After Louisville had a five-point lead in the final minute, Braian Angola made a 3 to pull FSU within 71-69. The Seminoles had a final chance to tie after a Cardinals' turnover, but Terance Mann missed a layup with a second remaining.

McMahon then made both free throws to put the game away.

"They made some very, very timely 3s in the second half. And we made some untimely turnovers that gave them extra possessions that they took advantage of. That's what talented teams will do," Florida State coach Leonard Hamilton said. "Obviously we went cold from the perimeter and they did a very good job of contesting our ability to drive to the basket and finish." Mann tied a career high with 25 points and Angola added 18 for Florida State (12-4, 1-3), which had its first home loss since an 86-80 defeat to Georgia Tech on Feb. 17, 2016.

The Seminoles had nine of their 14 turnovers in the second half and were 8 of 26 from the field after going 18 of 39 in the first half. "We weren't playing to win," Mann said. "We were hesitant. We didn't know if this was a good shot or not."

### BIG PICTURE

Louisville: This is the largest deficit the Cardinals have rallied from to win on the road since they came back from 14 down to defeat Ohio State 72-64 on Jan. 4, 2003.

Florida State: The Seminoles are 13 of 48 from beyond the arc in their last two ACC games after going 26 of 61 in their first two.

### TURNING POINT

Padgett said that Louisville switched to a matchup zone in the second half, which really affected Florida State's perimeter shooting. The Seminoles were 6 of 14 from beyond the arc in the first half but 2 of 10 in the second.

### STAT OF THE NIGHT

Louisville came into the game second in the nation in blocked shots, averaging 7.7 per game. It had eight against Florida State with six coming in the second half. Center Anas Mahmoud, who is fourth in the nation (3.93), had four, including three in the final 1:26.

### ROLE PLAYER

Florida State junior center Christ Koumadje had nine points and eight rebounds in his second game back from a foot injury. Koumadje had missed 11 games before returning in last Sunday's loss at Miami.



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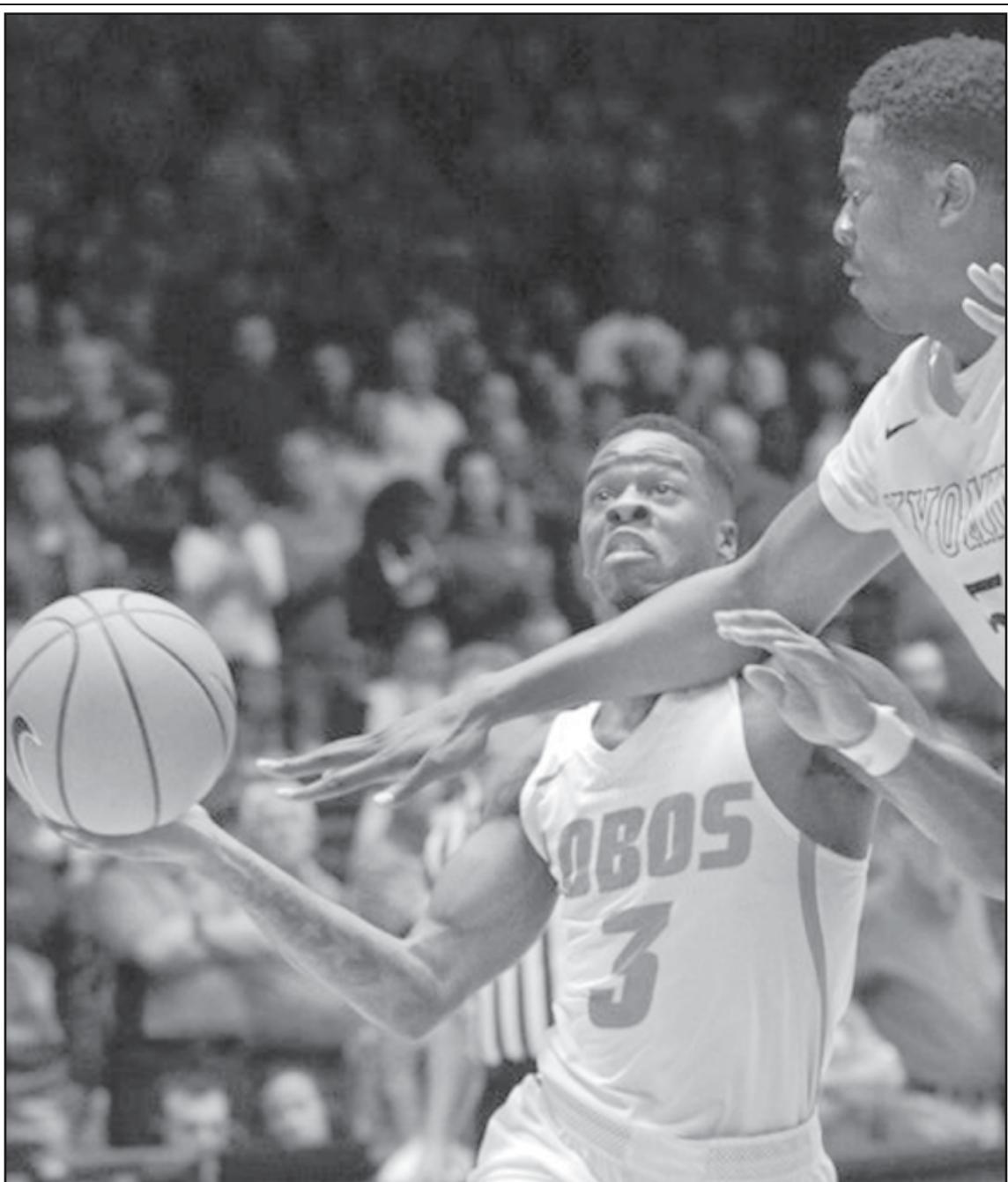


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# IN THE COMMUNITY

(Photos: Leua)



New Mexico's Antino Jackson drives against Wyoming's Alan Herndon, right, during an NCAA college basketball game in Albuquerque, N.M., Wednesday, Jan. 10, 2018.

(Jim Thompson/Albuquerque Journal via AP)

## Jackson's career high lifts Lobos past Wyoming 75-69

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — Antino Jackson had a career-high 20 points and Joe Furstinger added a double-double as New Mexico overcame a sloppy performance to beat Wyoming 75-66 Wednesday night.

The game turned at the start of the second half when Jackson scored the first eight points for New Mexico (8-10, 3-2 Mountain West) followed by a 3-pointer from Anthony Mathis for an 11-0 run that put the Lobos up 38-32. New Mexico was able to hold the lead the rest of the way, despite turning it over 20 times.

"He made some big shots early in the second half when we were still trying to find our rhythm offensively," New Mexico coach Paul Weir said of Jackson. "And he made some tough shots that I thought opened up the game a little bit and allowed our offense to flow from there."

Justin James scored a career-high 31 for the Cowboys (11-6, 2-2).

"James was obviously incredible (Wednesday)," Weir said. "That was as good an individual player in the conference that I've seen yet with his performance. He really picked up the slack. Going into the game we were really trying to limit (Hayden) Daulton. James hurt us tremendously."

New Mexico got scoring from just five players, but four of them finished in double digits with Furstinger scoring 17 with 10 boards and Makuach Maluach adding 17 points.

### BIG PICTURE

Wyoming has yet to win on the road in conference, dropping to 0-2. The Cowboys have lost five straight road games overall.

New Mexico's win keeps it perfect at home during conference play at 3-0 and moves it into fourth place in the Mountain West. It's the Lobos' first win over a team with a winning record since beating Evansville Nov. 29.

"It was our best win of the season. I really don't think there's much question about that," Weir said. "I think this team is finally buying into and seeing that you can win with emotion. You can win with passion. You can win with toughness. You can win with work ethic."

### STATS

New Mexico entered the game with the conference's best turnover margin at plus-5. But while the Lobos surpassed their 12.6 average in the first half with 13 and finished the game with a minus-2 margin, they only had seven turnovers in the second half.

"We had just as many turnovers as deflections at half-

time which is unfathomable to me," Weir said. "Thirteen deflections and 13 turnovers at halftime, which is completely unacceptable."

Wyoming, the worst offensive rebounding team in the conference, finished with just four off the offensive glass. And the Cowboys failed to make a 3-pointer in the second after going 4 of 8 before halftime.

### SIDELINES

James showed little wear from taking a knee to the groin area in Wyoming's previous game, a win over Boise State, scoring the Cowboys first seven points. Forward Jordan Naughton missed his third straight game with an injured back.

New Mexico leading scorer Sam Logwood missed his second game with an arm injury. Guard Troy Simons, who missed the last game with a conference-mandated suspension for twice being ejected for double technicals, also sat out Wednesday at Weir's discretion, sitting in the stands. There was no update to the status of either player moving forward, Weir said.

### UP NEXT

Wyoming is next at home Saturday against Colorado State.

New Mexico next travels to Fresno State on Saturday.

# Paul's season-high 37 leads Rockets over Blazers 121-112

HOUSTON (AP) — With James Harden injured, the Houston Rockets are figuring out different ways to make up for the offense the league's leading scorer normally provides.

On Wednesday night, that meant Chris Paul took 29 shots and finished with a season-high 37 points to help the Rockets to a 121-112 win over the Portland Trail Blazers.

Paul tied his career high for field-goal attempts in a regulation game. He took 33 shots and scored 42 points in a double-overtime game with New Orleans in 2008.

His 37 points were the most by a Rocket besides Harden since Jeremy Lin had 38 against San Antonio on Dec. 10, 2012.

Paul, who made 13 field goals, was asked if he realized he'd come close to taking the most shots in his career.

"I don't know," he said. "It kind of felt like it. Like goodness. I missed a lot, too. That's what I'm mad about."

Portland coach Terry Stotts said Paul was tough to stop.

"He was exceptional," Stotts said. "He really controlled the game, like he can do. His shot-making was as good as I've seen."

Eric Gordon added 30 points as the Rockets withstood a late run to win their second straight.

The Blazers used a big run to cut a 14-point deficit to three with about three minutes left. Houston responded with a 6-2 run, capped by a 3-pointer from Paul, to make it 111-104 about a minute later.

Damian Lillard made a layup on the other end, but Paul cut through three defenders to make an off-balance layup to push the lead to 113-106.

The Blazers couldn't get the ball in after a timeout, Houston got the ball back and Clint Capela added two free throws to secure the victory.

The Rockets won their second straight and improved to 3-2 in five games without Harden, who is out for at least two weeks with a hamstring injury.

Lillard scored 29 after missing the last two games with a strained right calf, and C.J. McCollum added 24 points as the Blazers saw a three-game winning streak snapped.

Paul had 11 assists, seven rebounds and three steals, and Capela added 13 points with eight rebounds.

Gerald Green scored all of Houston's points in a 5-2 run that extended the lead to 103-89 midway through the fourth period. He finished with 12 points and has scored in double

digits in seven straight games for the first time since 2015.

"We're having to manufacture points in different ways," Paul said. "Gerald continues to be great and be aggressive. ... James averages 30 and we're just doing it by committee."

Lillard scored the first seven points of an 11-0 spurt that got the Trail Blazers within 103-100 with about 3 1/2 minutes left.

Paul received a technical in that span for arguing about a foul called on P.J. Tucker.

The Rockets led by nine entering the fourth quarter and were up by 11 with about 7 1/2 minutes remaining after Gordon scored four points. He made a layup before missing a shot on the next possession, only to grab it with one hand and finish with a dunk that made it 98-87.

Portland's Ed Davis was called for a flagrant foul late in the third when he hit Tarik Black in the right eye as Black dunked. Black remained on the court for a couple of minutes before being helped to his feet and escorted to the locker room, holding a towel over his right eye. The team said he had an abrasion to his right eye and he'll miss Friday's game.

Paul made the free throw on that play, and Tucker added a layup after that to extend the lead to 84-74.

The Rockets led 55-45 at halftime.

## TIP-INS

**Trail Blazers:** Lillard had eight assists and five rebounds and made 10 of 12 free throws. ... Portland had six blocks, led by Jusuf Nurkic's three.

**Rockets:** Black tied a season high with 13 points. ... Nene missed his fourth straight game with a bruised right knee. ... Gordon has scored 20 or more points in 21 games this season after doing so in only 19 games last season.

## NICE PUTBACK

Gordon's teammates were impressed with his dunk in the fourth quarter. Paul called it "sick."

"I surprise myself sometimes," Gordon said with a laugh. "When I saw it floating in the air, I just went after it."

## HE SAID IT

Lillard on being unable to combat Houston's runs: "When you're dealing with a team that shoots 3s as much as them and as well, you can't give them extra possessions and I thought we did that on too many occasions."

## UP NEXT

**Trail Blazers:** Visit New Orleans on Friday.

**Rockets:** Visit Phoenix on Friday.

## In The High Court of American Samoa FAMILY, DRUG AND ALCOHOL COURT DIVISIONS FDA/JR 21-17 IN RE: A CHILD. NOTICE/FA'AALIGA

TO: Mr. Feleti (unknown last name)  
Pago Pago Village  
Pago Pago, American Samoa 96799

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TCU coach Raegan Pebbley celebrates the team's 79-77 win over Texas in an NCAA college basketball game Wednesday, Jan. 10, 2018, in Fort Worth, Texas.

(AP Photo/Tony Gutierrez)



## American Samoa Government OFFICE OF PROCUREMENT

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Chief Procurement Officer

# TCU women upset No. 7 Texas 79-77 on Kianna Ray's late FTs

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — TCU guard Kianna Ray stood at the free throw line with 6 seconds left and a chance to beat her hometown team.

Ray made both free throws, giving the Horned Frogs a huge upset, 79-77 over No. 7 Texas on Wednesday night for their first win over a Top 10 team in more than eight years.

"I really wasn't," said Ray, the sophomore from Austin, when asked what she was thinking then. "We shoot those every day. ... Just take deep breaths and shoot it like I do every time."

Ray was fouled by Ariel Atkins on a drive to the basket. That came after Atkins tied the game, and the second time in the final 38 seconds the two traded baskets. Atkins had made a short runner in the lane before Ray's open 3-pointer put Frogs up 77-75.

TCU (11-5, 2-3 Big 12) had lost its last 13 games against ranked teams, and hadn't beaten a Top 10 team since a 56-54 home victory over No. 10 Texas A&M on Dec. 12, 2009.

"It's just a fun win. It's a fun win, and I don't really know how you can define a signature victory in the moment," fourth-year TCU coach Raegan Pebbley said. "I think you have to see what happens after it. So we're just going to love on it right now and go to work."

Atkins had 25 points to lead Texas (13-2, 4-1), which had won six in a row since its only loss at Tennessee a month earlier. Lashann Higgs had 18 points, though her desperation 3 at the buzzer was way off the mark, and Audrey-Ann Cardon-Goudreaux had 11.

"I'm not shocked at all, actually," Higgs said. "We didn't come to play. We didn't play defense like we know how to play."

The Longhorns had a 10-point lead late in the first quarter, and then trailed by 12 before halftime. They led 69-64 with 4 1/2 minutes left after consecutive jumpers by Atkins.

"They played with more urgency and a lot more passion

to win," Texas coach Karen Aston said. "We played in spurts. ... Really good in some spurts and disinterested in some spurts."

### BIG PICTURE

Texas: The Longhorns were streaky shooters, making eight in a row early and having 11 misses in a row in the second quarter. Twice in the third quarter, they made four in a row.

TCU: The Frogs had been competitive in their Big 12 games. They led in the fourth quarter in two of their three losses, including against then-No. 9 West Virginia at home in their conference opener two weeks ago.

### LUCKY 13

Moore scored six straight points in the middle of a 13-0 run that put TCU ahead in the second quarter. The Frogs had their first lead after Moore grabbed a blocked shot and made a layup. Texas missed 11 straight field goals in the quarter.

"We could have really set the tone for this entire game in the first quarter because we were playing well offensively," Aston said. "And we just didn't care to really guard them, and we allowed them to get some confidence and shots stopped going in for us, and we let that affect us."

### HELPING OTHERS SCORE

Texas senior Brooke McCarty, who entered the game averaging 14.2 points, was scoreless in the first half. She did score nine points after halftime, and also had 11 assists. It was her second time in three games with 10 assists after none in her career before that.

### UP NEXT

Texas is home Saturday on Kansas, two days before No. 1 UConn visits the Longhorns for a Big Monday matchup.

TCU goes to West Virginia to play the No. 15 Mountaineers for the second time in just over two weeks. West Virginia was ranked ninth when it won the Big 12 opener 87-82 in Fort Worth.

# Kevin Durant becomes 44th player to join 20,000 point club

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — Kevin Durant became the 44th player in NBA history to score 20,000 career points Wednesday night. Durant reached the milestone on a pull-up jumper from the left wing at the 1:41 mark of second quarter. The Warriors announced his accomplishment on the main scoreboard and Durant received a standing ovation, shaking his head in acknowledgment while still very much in game mode.

The NBA Finals MVP

returned from a three-game absence with a strained right calf and scored 25 points in the first half against the Clippers — KD's biggest half of the season. He came in needing exactly 25 points for 20,000.

Durant, who had a four-point play during the second quarter on the way to 14 points in the period, is at 29 the second-youngest player behind LeBron James and the first to reach the 20,000 mark as a member of the Warriors.



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E le'i tu'uvale faiva o tama o le atunu'u, ua lagona e le fa'amasinoga a le Feterale i Honolulu, o lo'o i ai se mau lelei na fuafua toto'a e tama o le atunu'u e soifua i tatou i o tatou vaitau nei.

Lea ua toe sologa malie le folaua, ae ua mati'e fo'i faiva o tamaita'i sa matua tutula'i ma le mau, "Ia va'ai toto'a i le tamaoaiga tausi o aiga o nei fai-faiva latou te fa'afaigaluega, ma le lautele o le atunu'u i a latou lava faiva mo le fofoga taumafai e masani mai ai tagata Samoa." O le mau a nei fo'i tina sa iloa mai ai, e le faigofie ona fa'atautaia pisini tau faigafaiva i le atunu'u. Ua tula'i ese atu le isi Kamupani I'a a le Samoa Tuna, ua atili ona to'atele aiga e tau le maua ni galuega e tausia ai i latou, ae soso'o mai ma le sala a le Kamupani I'a a le Star Kist, taofia galuega, pe afai fo'i la ae toe afaina atu ma le tamaoaiga o latou kamupani Faifaiva, o fea ea a maua ai se mapusaga a le to'atele o aiga tau fa'asoaso le tamaoaiga o Amerika Samoa.

O galuega nei e tua i ai le vaivai pe maulalo o le a'aoaga. O le tomai e iloa ona fagota, malosi le tino e fa'ato'a ai fa'ato'aga ma fagota ia tausia ai aiga." O lea se mau na iloga ona taula i le fa'afogofa a le fa'amasinoga, ma ua afaina fo'i le ola ma le soifua lautele o tagata ma latou olaga fa'assamoa pe a taofia pe fa'aititia le latou sone fagota.

O se isi a latou mau na ta'ua ai, "Ina ua tutula'i ese atu le to'atele o kamupani Va'a I'a ma o ese ua le toe maua ai avanoa faigaluega o matou tama fanau, o fea a o i ai i latou e fa'aoaga ai se iloa ua latou maua i le faifaiva? Ua matou tutumau peia i lo matou atunu'u, ma la loto ina ia fefataua'iia matou tamaoaiga maua i o matou gataifale ma le vaomatua, o mea ua matou masani mai ai a'o ola a'e i Amerika Samoa nei."

"E ui ina faigata, ae o le olaga ua matou masani ai, e ui fo'i ona afaina ai le soifua i nisi taimi, ae o mea e o'o mai i le olaga o le tagata taumafai ia fa'aolaola se auauaga e to'omaga i ai tagata e to'atele o lona atunu'u e saili ai le tamaoaiga tausi o latou aiga ma fanau. A lelei ona sapai fanau, e suia le lumanai i le manuia ma fa'afaigofie faiva o le tausia aiga," o se fa'amatatalaga lea a Lutu Sanchez.

O lenei vasega o tama'ita'i i le Faifaiva, ua latou fa'ailoa

(Faauau itulau 7)

## Tofiga a Kovana Lolo mo fa'atonu o matagaluega e lua a le malo

**tusia: Fili Sagapolutele**

Ua taoto atu nei i luma o le Fono Faitulafono mo lana fa'amaoniga, tofiga a le kovana mo fa'atonusili o le Matagaluega o Paka ma Malaetaalo ma le Matagaluega o Auaunaga mo Tagata ma le Soifua Manuia Lautele (DHSS).

I lana tusi i le aso 4 o Ianuari 2018 na tofia ai e le afioga i le Kovana Sili, Lolo Matalasi Moliga, Kenneth Soala Tupua e avea ma fa'atonusili o le Matagaluega o Paka ma Malaetaalo. I se vaega o lana tusi, i ta'ita'i o le Fono Faitulafono, sa taua ai e Lolo e faapea, o Tupua ua silia i le 30 tausaga o lona tomai masani i galuega tua atoa ai ma galuega a le malo. Ma sa maua lona tikeri o Pulega o Fa'amasinoga i le 1983 ma amata galue ai loa mo le malo o Amerika Samoa seia o o i le 1989.

Na toe fo'i mai Muavaefatasi ma galue i le malo o Amerika Samoa i le tausaga e 1994 e avea ma fa'atonu o le Ofisa o Tagata Matutua (Agency on Aging). Mo galuega tua, o le tomai o Muavaefatasi e aofia ai lona avea ma peresitene ma le pule sili o le Polynesia Shipping Service mo tausaga e iva.

Na galuega o ia i le DHSS mo le 14 tausaga ma na amata avea ma faatonu lagolago o le matagaluega i le tausaga e 2009.

E pei ona taua i tuisusiga ua tuuina atu i le Fono Faitulafono sa galuega foi Muavaefatasi i le Ofisa o Paleomavaega Eni i le vaitaimi o avea Paleomavaega ma faipule o Amerika Samoa i le Konekeresi.

O tofiga nei e lua ia Tupua ma Muavaefatasi a le kovana sa fa'auluina i le vaitaimi lenei i le Fono faiulafono. Ma o le taeao nei e fa'atautaia ai iloiloga mo le fa'amoniga o ia tofiga i luma o le Maota Maualuga ma e amata i le itula e 9a.m.

I le Maota o Sui, o iloiloga mo Muavaefatasi e faia i le taeao nei ae mo Tupua ua fa'atulaga i le aso taeao (aso Farale.)



O se tasi o galuega sa matele ina tautua ai Eti Sa'aga i lona o'o mai i Amerika Samoa o le saunoa lea i luga o ala leo o le KSBS FM lea sa suia mai fo'i e tama'ita'i lalelei o faletua o e ona lea Kamupani, Tina & Flo Sene.

[ata: Leua Aiono Frost]



# TALA I VAIFANUA

tusia: Leua Aiono Frost

**"LO'U OLAGA FA'AAURO I LE FONO" - REP. FIALUPE FIAUI LUTU**

I le tatalaga o le tauaoiaga lona tolu a le Fono Faitulafono i le aso Gafua, o le ulua'i fonotaga lea ua ulufale ai le tina Faipule o Fialupe Felila Fiaui Lutu o se sui e filifilia e fa'aauauina le tofi o le itumalo o Sua i le Maota o Sui.

Sa mataina si ona aiga ua auai fa'atasi, e aofia ai ma ona matua fa'ale-agaga. O le tala'aga o lana tautua matavela i le Fono Faitulafono na amata mai ia le tausaga e 1965 lea na mua'i faigaluega ai i le Senate ma le Maota o Sui o se tasi e siakia tusitusiga o pili fa'aulu mo tulafono tau fa'aofi po'o suiga fo'i o pili o lo'o mana'omia ona fa'apasia. Na muta lana tautua i lena tofiga i le tausaga e 1969, ae faigaluega loa na'o le vaega ale Senate i le siakiga lava o tusitusiga uma e aga'i atu ma fa'asolo mai i fafo mai le Maota Maualuga. Na amata ai o ia i le tausaga e 1973 se'ia o'o mai i le 1990, o faigaluega ai lava i le Senate o se siaki tusitusiga, soso'o ma le avea ma tama'ita'i Ofisa, soso'o ai ma le avea ma Sui Failautusi a le Senate, ae mulimuli ai avea ma Failautusi a le Senate. Tausaga e 1999, ua avea o ia ma Ofisa Sinia a le Maota o Sui, ae o le tausaga 2017 lenei ua ulufale mai ai i le Maota o Sui o se Sui filifilia mai lona itumalo ina ia se'e i fai ma leo o lona itumalo i tauaoiaga a le Fono Faitulafono, ae ua atoa fo'i i ai le 75 tausaga o lona soifua. O le afioga le Faipule tamaita'i o se alo e fa'asino i le afioga Paopaoailua Fiaui Muli-tauapele ma le faletua o Pavela Tagoa'i Fiaui, mai le afio'aga o Auto. E lua fa'aipoipoga a lenei Sui o le Maota. O lona aiga muamua na fa'aipoipo atu ai i le afioga Soli Salanoa Aumoeua-logo, sa avea fo'i le tama ma Faipule o le Itumalo o Vaifanua i le taimi o le la'ua mafutaga. Peitai o lana afioga o le Loia. O le la'ua mafutaga na amata mai i le tausaga 1964 se'ia o'o i le 1968. O lana fa'aipoipoga lona luna na mafuta atu ai i le tofa Taesaliali'i Fa'asuka Lutu, o le Faipule o le Itumalo numera 8 o Fagatogo lea. E tele fo'i tausaga o lea mafutaga mafana. Peita'i ua maliu fo'i le tama o le aiga.

O lana tautua i le Malo o Amerika Samoa na amatalia lea i le tausaga e 1963 ae fa'ato'a tu'ua e ia i le tausaga e 1970 ae malaga i fafo. I lona taliu mai i fanua ae fa'ato'a amata ai lana tautua i le Fono Faitulafono i le tausaga e 1973 i le Senate.

Ina ua fesiligia o ia i lona avea ai ma faipule o lona itumalo, ae soisoi le tama'ita'i faipule ma fa'ailoa mai, "E le o mea fou le galue i le Maota o Sui, o lea ua iloa lelei uma sui o lo'o matou galulue nei. Peita'i, ua ou va'aia, ua tatau ona i ai galuega e faia mo le matou itumalo o Sua, ua tatau foi ona aga'i i ai le va'ai patino

a lo'u sui, aua o le itumalo ua latou filifilia a'u mo lenei faiva. Fa'afetai fo'i i lo'u avanoa ou te aoga ai i lo'u itumalo."

## FA'ATUAI TATALA LE FA'ASA O TALO MAI SAMOA

Ua fa'ailoa mai o lo'o taoifolia pea lava e le tatou malo le toe tatala atu o le maketi mo talo mai Samoa. Peita'i, o le tala mai le Ofisa o Fa'ato'aga a le tatou malo, i se vaitau ua te'a atu, o lenei lava vaitau o lo'o va'ai toto'a fo'i le tatou Matagaluega, po'o a mai le sapalai o le talo ma le fa'i mo le fofoga taumafa o le atunu'u, pe afai o le a le toe tatalaina maia lea avanoa.

Ina ia maua pea e o tatou tagata faifa'ato'aga lea avanoa e sapalaia ai le tatou Maketi i Fagatogo, sapalai fo'i fale'aiga uma o i le atunu'u, fa'atasi ai ma faletalimalo lea o lo'o aofia le fa'i ma le talo i a latou lisi o mea tausami, o se mafuaga sili lea ona taua ia i latou o ta'ita'i i lea itu o le malo. "Afai ae o'o mai fo'i le talo mai Samoa, e le toe fia fa'atauina fo'i e tagata fa'atau le tatou fua o fa'aeleleaga mai faifa'ato'aga a le tatou atunu'u. O le mea sili lea ona taua, e fagaina fo'i aiga o nai fa'ato'aga latou, ma fa'aleleia atili latou fa'ato'aga ma aiga, ona o fua o latou fa'aeleleaga ua tauilia lelei ma ua fa'atau e le mamalu lautele.

Lua o lo'o taoifofia ai fo'i le tamaoaiga o le tatou Malo i totolu o i tatou lava." O lo'o i ai lava nisi o lo'o fa'asea ona o le taugata o le talo i le maketi, ua si'itia ai fo'i ma le tau o le fasitalo i le lisi o mea tausami i totolu o fale'aiga. Peita'i e le mafai ona tatala le fa'asa ona o nei mea, ae ua mafai ona tatala pe a va'aia ua amata ona le toe lava le sapalai o le talo mo le atunu'u atoa. O se tala mai a le susuga Lopao'o Natanielu Mu'a le Minisita o Fa'ato'aga ma Fagafafaiva, "Ua leva ona tulaga lelei le talo i Samoa, e leai se fa'afitaui o le avatua o le talo i Pago mo fefataua'iga, peita'i e pule mai lava Amerika Samoa i lana matagaluega o fa'ato'aga i le taimi e matala mai ai eltafototo'a." I le taimi nei, e na'o Amerika Samoa lava lea e taofia le fa'aulufaleina mai o le talo mai Samoa mo fefataua'iga. Peita'i o lo'o tatala lava maketi i fafo e pei o Niu Sila, Ausetalia, Hawaii ma isi setete o Amerika, aua ua mae'a ona va'ai i latou i le lipoti na taua'aoina e Samoa i le verusi sa manatu o a'afia ai le talo, ma ua pasia mai e le USDA le fa'aulufaleina atu i maketi i Hawaii ma isi setete uma, a'o le teritoro Amerika Samoa e pule lava i latou ma le latou fa'asa.

Peita'i ua fa'ailoa mai, i nisi feutaga'iga muamua, o lo'o tatalia pea se toe siakiga o le sapalai ole ali i totolu o le tatou Malo, po'o a mai le pitola'au a le aufaifa'ato'aga, ona tapena lea e tatala lea sa i le masina o Mati 2018, e pei ona talanoaina i le fonotaga mulimuli a Samoa Na Lua ia Tesema 2017.



*O le va'aiga i le tina matua sa tele ina fa'atina i ai Eti ma si ana fanau, i le mae'a ai o le sauniga mo lana susuga le Tusitala Eti Sa'aga.*

[ata: Leua Aiono Frost]

## → Toatolu...

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mai, "O i matou ua taumafai taumafai ma fa'aolaola pea le i matou e galulue fa'atasi i le faiva sa soifua a'e o fa'atautaia fa'atautaiga o matou pisinisi e o latou tua'a. E le faia ona o i "Fa'atautai o Tai Loloto" ia le matou, ae ona o le alofa ia mafai ona fa'atupe mea uma i le li'o o matu'u le fa'amoemoe, ae ia ona fo'i matou tagata faifaiva i le pisinisi ae maise le aiga."



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Villanova's Jalen Brunson (1) drives to the basket against Temple's Quinton Rose (13) and Josh Brown (1) during the first half an NCAA college basketball game, Wednesday, Dec. 13, 2017, in Philadelphia.

(AP Photo/Michael Perez)

## Josh Brown scores winner as Temple stuns SMU in Dallas 66-64

DALLAS (AP) — Quinton Rose and Obi Enechionyia combined for 39 points and Josh Brown scored the game-winner as Temple — winless in Amer-

ican Conference play coming in — upended SMU 66-64 Wednesday night and broke a 33-game home win streak for the Mustangs in Dallas, second longest in the NCAA.

Brown took an inbound pass with 23.1 seconds left, dribbled down the clock, drove the left side of the lane and made a jump hook with 1.5 seconds to go for a 66-64 lead. SMU's pass to midcourt was tipped out of bounds at 0.4. The Mustangs couldn't get off a shot before the final buzzer.

The loss is the first at home for SMU (12-6, 2-3) since Feb. 10, 2016 and the first for coach Tim Jankovich. A win would have tied the program record of 34 straight home wins.

Shake Milton led SMU with 25 points and he scored the last six for the Mustangs. Jarrey Foster and Ben Emelogu added

11 each.

Temple (8-8, 1-4), which snapped a five-game skid, led by as many as 13 after half-time when SMU began a 17-4 rally with a Foster dunk and an Emelogu 3-pointer — off a Foster defensive rebound. A sequence with another Foster dunk, an Emelogu layup and a Foster fast-break drive off a steal, made it 59-58 with 3:41 left. SMU made 6 of 10 shots in the rally with six steals and just one turnover.

Milton gave the Mustangs a 60-59 lead, their first in more than 20 minutes, with a pair of free throws and his jumper with 1:21 to go made it 64-62.

Rose led the Owls with 23 points, Enechionyia added 16, including a 3-pointer and jumper to tie with just under a minute and Brown scored five points.

## Nixon with 26 points, Colorado State beats Utah State 84-75

LOGAN, Utah (AP) — Prentiss Nixon scored 26 points and Colorado State halted a two-game skid, beating Utah State 84-75 on Wednesday night.

A contentious first half gave way late as Logan Ryan and Lorenzo Jenkins drained 3-pointers as part of a 15-6 run that took the Rams (9-9, 2-3 Mountain West Conference) from a one-point lead to a 41-31 advantage at intermission.

Colorado State led throughout the second half and

a Nico Carvacho 3-point play followed by a Che Bob jumper helped stretch it to 60-38 with 14:31 to go.

Nixon was 8 of 14 from the field, 4 of 6 from distance and made all six of his free throws. Bob added 19 points and seven rebounds and Carvacho had 10 points and 15 rebounds for his third double-double this season.

Sam Merrill scored 18 points to lead the Aggies (10-8, 3-2). Koby McEwen added 11 points, seven boards and four assists.



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TAFUNA HIGH SCHOOL PTA will hold its first meeting for 2018 this Thursday, Jan 11th @ 5pm inside the Music Room. Light refreshments will be served. We encourage all parents/teachers and supporters of THS to attend. For more info, pls call 699-1006. Looking forward to seeing you Thursday. [01/11]

The Republican Party of American Samoa will hold its General Meeting on January 15, 2018 at 5:30 pm at the Famous Restaurant (behind SSS Gas Station) in Tafuna. Please contact John Raynor 258-0693. O le a usu le Fonotaga Faalaua'itele a le Pati Ripapilikana i le aso 15 o Ianuari, i le 5:30 pm. O le a faia lea i le Fale'aiga a le Famous (tua ane o le pamu kesi a le SSS) i Tafuna. Fa'amolemole fa'afesoota'i Tina Ioane 254-3426. [1/12].

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ARE YOU UNDER 18 AND NEED A PLACE TO STAY? Do you feel unsafe at home? Call 699-4357 (HELP) or message us on Facebook @PasefikaYouthProject. All contacts and information are strictly CONFIDENTIAL. Remember to call 911 if you have an emergency. American Samoa Runaway & Homeless Youth Shelter.

MANA COMMUNITY SUPPORT SERVICE is now holding support groups for people who suffer from mental illness or any form of disability. Join me every Friday @ 12Noon @ the Alliance office in Nu'uuli. For more info call Liz Mailo @ 272-3257 or 699-0272.

FEELING ALONE? Come to SURVIVORS TAKING ACTION THROUGH SHARING, a support group for victims of violence (physical or sexual). Join me every Thursday at 12:00 noon @ the Alliance office in Nu'uuli. You don't have to do it alone. For more info, call Liz Mailo @ 272-3257 or 699-0272.

PARENTS OF CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS NETWORK. A parent to parent support group for families with children with disabilities. Contat Sandy 731-3959 (English), Ivorie 770-6678 (Samoan).

SAMOAN SAINTS ORGANIZATION Roadside Clean Up on the 21st and 29th of this month until the end of the year. All are welcomed. Meet in front of Lupelele Elementary School, 5:30pm, rain or shine. Do it for our beautiful island. Contact Jay @ 254-0651 for more info.

URGENT HOMES NEEDED FOR ADULT DOGS being trapped at Lyons Park!! Majority of adult dogs trapped are healthy & very friendly but will be humanely euthanized if no one claims them after 48 hours of being held. PLEASE HELP! Call Mona at 258-4116 or 699-9445.

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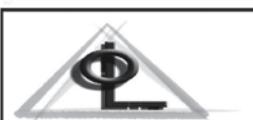
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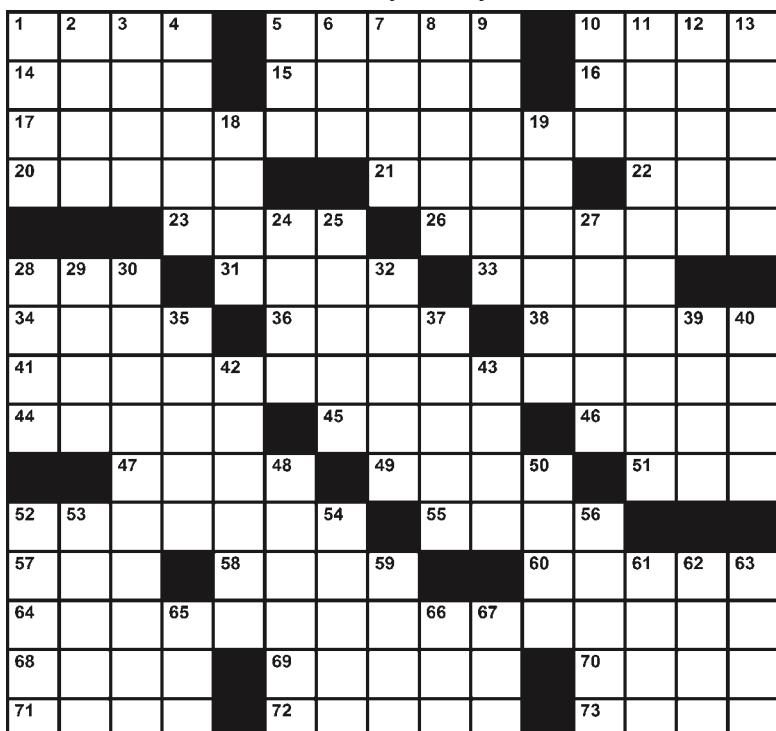
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 15 Hawk's  
 home  
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 17 NHL award  
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 20 Joined a  
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 21 "... \_\_\_,"  
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 will be..."  
 22 Caviar  
 23 Cocoon's  
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 26 Least fit for  
 the family  
 28 "... a big \_\_\_  
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 31 Spork part  
 33 "Ah me!"  
 utterance  
 34 Go for \_\_\_  
 (go swimming)  
 36 It's a  
 terrible thing to waste  
 38 Perform a  
 nightly ritual  
 41 Bejeweled  
 Elizabeth II?  
 44 Number of  
 Roma's hills  
 45 Dollar  
 overseas  
 46 Sweepstakes  
 numbers  
 47 Prefix  
 meaning six  
 49 It's volcanic  
 in Sicily  
 51 Bar's juicer?

52 Distinguished  
 musician  
 55 Dog's cry  
 of anguish  
 57 Noah's  
 yacht  
 58 Tightly  
 pulled  
 60 "Duck,  
 duck, \_\_\_"  
 64 Camelot's  
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 68 Hebrew  
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 "red"  
 69 Video game  
 pioneer  
 70 Bibliographic  
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 as a table  
 72 Opposite  
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 73 Sticks up  
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 3 Early Briton  
 4 "For  
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 13 To date  
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**FACE CARDS** By Timothy E. Parker

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**THE FAMILY CIRCUS**

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"I did, but I think He's busy workin'  
 with somebody else."

# EUGENIA LAST

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**Happy Birthday:** Personal and professional situations will intertwine as you forge into the year with anticipation, hope and a desire to reach your goals. Added stamina and discipline will encourage you to go after your life goals passionately and without hesitation. Change can be good as long as you have done your homework and are prepared to follow your dreams to fruition. Your numbers are 6, 14, 21, 25, 32, 37, 42.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19):** Rely only on facts that you can verify, not hearsay. Take your position seriously and only make decisions that have been well-thought-out. Hard work will pay off, so don't give up before you get started. \*\*\*

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20):** Personal gains look promising. You'll find interesting ways to improve your skills or qualifications. Learn all you can, set up meetings and travel to destinations that are related to your plans. Personal improvements are encouraged. \*\*\*

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20):** A short trip or a meeting will help you gather information necessary to make an honest appraisal. Work hard to bring about a change you've been longing to put into play. Avoid unnecessary purchases or paying for someone else's mistake. \*\*\*

**CANCER (June 21-July 22):** Socialize and explore new interests. Your creative imagination will be in overdrive, sparking all sorts of ideas. Share your thoughts, collaborate and be open to partnerships. Children will offer unusual insight. Love and romance will improve your personal life. 5 stars

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22):** Personal improvements should be made. Whether it's updating your look or picking up valuable skills, the changes you make will give you a better chance to excel. Being reliable should come first when dealing with others. \*\*

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22):** Make alterations to your living arrangements based on your intuition and emotional needs. You have plenty to gain if you broaden your outlook and explore your options. Personal improvements will lead to greater confidence and popularity. \*\*\*\*

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22):** Reevaluate what you have been doing up until this point in your life and consider your options. If things aren't going according to plan, seek sound advice from a trusted source. Take better care of your health. \*\*\*

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21):** Emotions will lead the way, and unique ideas and plans can be set into motion. Plan a trip or make positive adjustments to your lifestyle. Healthy activities will push you in a positive direction. Romance is highlighted. \*\*\*

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21):** Don't disclose where you keep your valuables or personal information. Try to be a good listener to avoid being asked questions you probably shouldn't answer. Intelligence and information are powerful tools when negotiating. \*\*\*

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19):** Make suggestions and be prepared to follow through with your promises. Engage in bringing about positive changes and putting your best interests into play. Make a point to form partnerships and to work alongside those trying to make a difference. \*\*\*

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18):** It's OK to be secretive with regard to your plans. Being prepared will make a difference to the outcome. Someone's emotional negativity will put a dent in your progress. Avoid unnecessary communication and travel. \*

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20):** Personal alterations will pay off and make you feel good. Dedication to a cause and using your powers of persuasion to get others to pitch in will make you a welcome candidate for advancement. Romance is highlighted. \*\*\*\*\*



# Dear Abby

by Abigail Van Buren

## RUNAWAY GRANDDAUGHTER AVOIDS GRANDMA'S ATTEMPTS TO CONNECT

**DEAR ABBY:** My 18-year-old granddaughter ran away twice last year. She's now living with her boyfriend and refuses to have any contact with her dad. I know my son is very strict, and I'm pretty sure she could just no longer live by his rules. Her mom passed away eight months ago, and my son is all she has besides her sister.

She opened a Facebook page. I was able to write to her a couple of times and she responded. She isn't answering my messages now. I suspect her boyfriend is controlling and is preventing her from contacting her family. I'm also afraid she may be involved with drugs now. She and the boyfriend were recently arrested for shoplifting, and this just isn't typical of my granddaughter.

I have trouble sleeping at night worrying about her. I know she's an adult, but I don't want her to give up on her family who loves her. Do you have any suggestions? Should I go to the house and try and see her, or must we just sit back and wait for her to grow up? Any advice will be appreciated. -- WORRIED NANA

**DEAR WORRIED NANA:** Do not just sit back. By all means, visit your granddaughter! She needs to know you love her and will be supportive if things don't work out with her boyfriend.

Because she's 18 and now considered an adult, you can't force her to reunite with her father, whose heavy-handed parenting may or may not be the reason she left home. But you can, however, point out that if she needs something, there are better ways to go about acquiring it than shoplifting. You should also encourage her to find a job. If she does, it will increase her independence, not only from her father, but also her boyfriend, if it becomes necessary.

**DEAR ABBY:** I was recently diagnosed with a stage four cancer. My surgeon has offered me an opportunity to be part of a clinical trial, which my family is aware of. They do not, however, know the details of how far the cancer has spread.

The prognosis for patients in this trial is about two more years. My wife thinks I should share this information with my extended family and friends immediately (although there are few signs that I'm ill). I prefer to remain silent until the disease catches up with me and my time gets closer. Your advice or reader response would be greatly appreciated regarding this very emotional decision. -- KEEPING IT TO MYSELF

**DEAR KEEPING IT TO YOURSELF:** I'm sorry about your diagnosis. I'm sure when your letter is published there will be a tsunami of reactions -- both pro and con -- from readers.

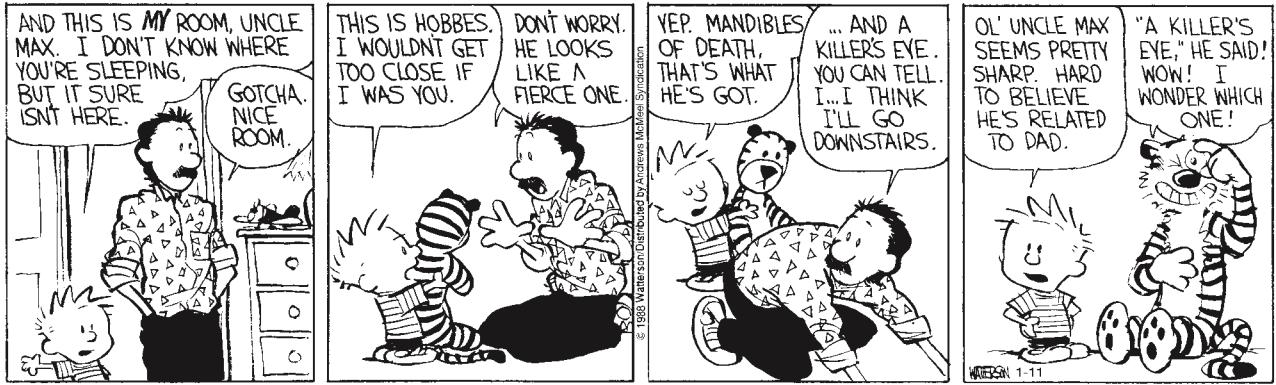
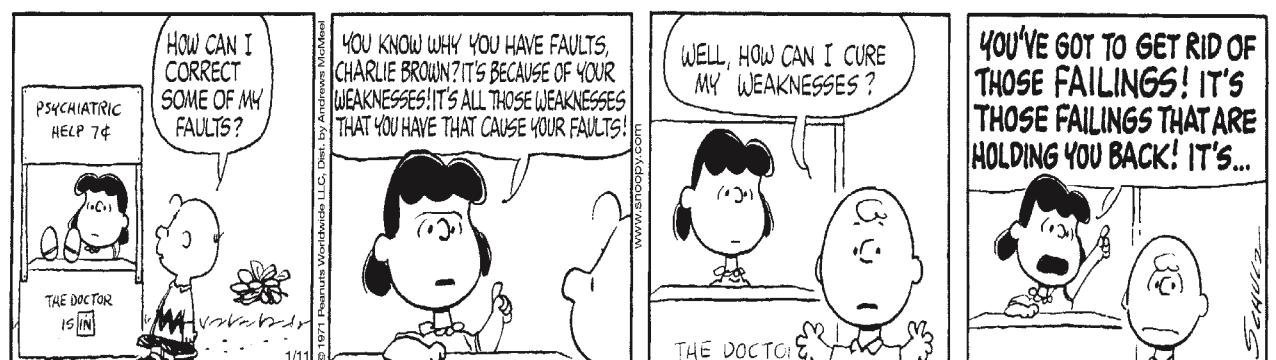
Of course your wishes should be respected, but since you asked, I am inclined to agree with your wife. Your illness affects not only you but also the rest of your family and friends. If you reveal your prognosis now, it will give the people who love you an opportunity to step up to the plate and offer emotional support, not only to you, but also to her and your family.

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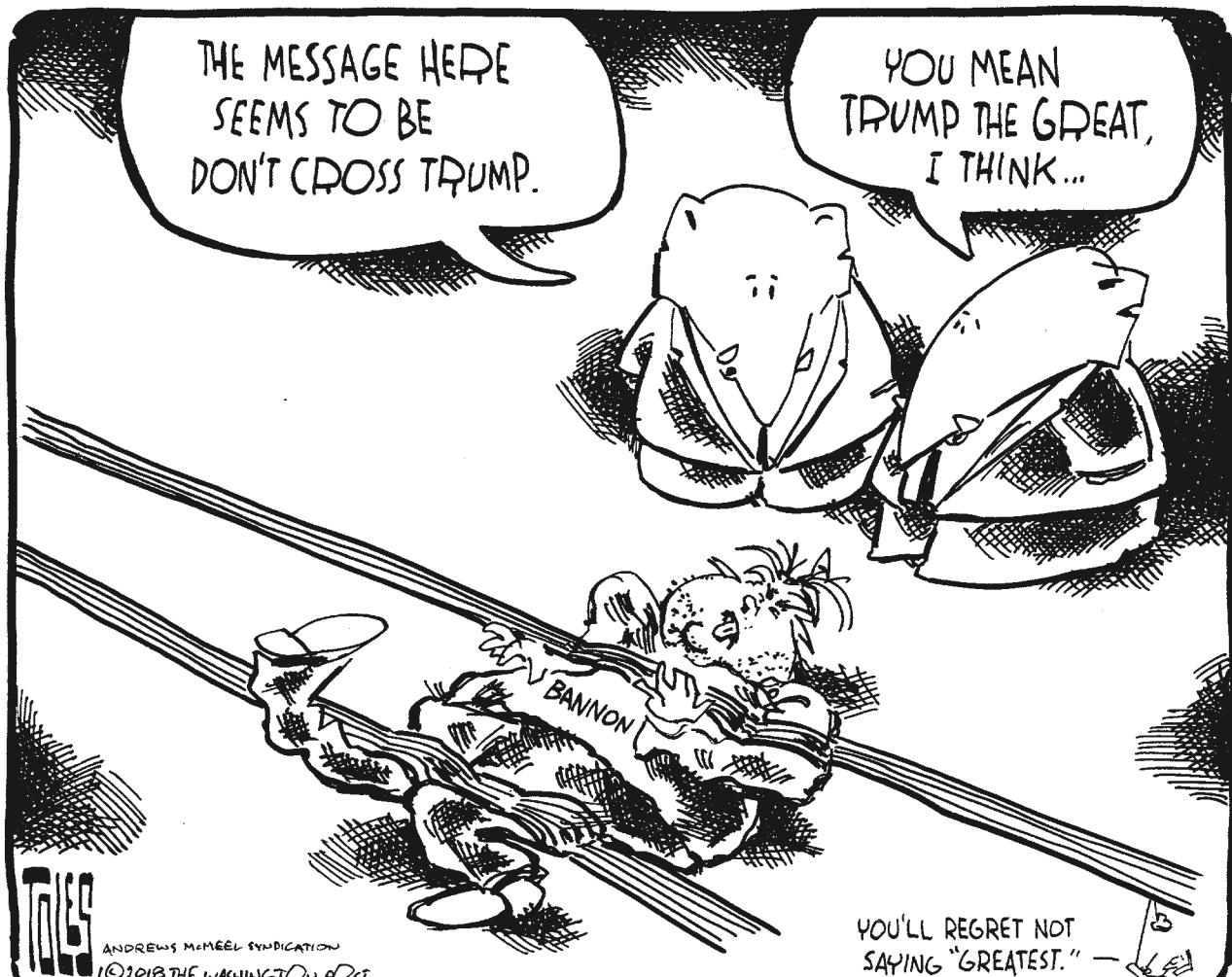
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Wednesday's Puzzle Answer

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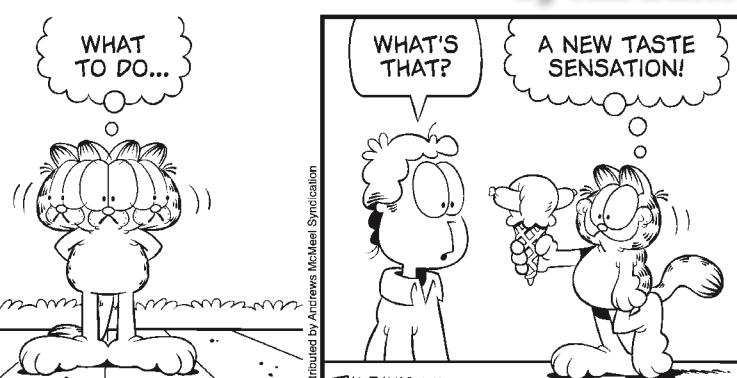
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