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SAMOANA HANDS TAFUNA ITS FIRST LOSS OF THE SEASON



Francisco Mauigoa getting sacked immediately in the backfield by Daniel McMoore for a loss. [photo: TG]



Pa'apa'a Mauigoa of the Warriors trying to make a move against a Samoana defender during their JV match up last Saturday – the Warriors lost for the second time this regular season to the Samoana Sharks, this time by two points 6-8.

by T. Gasu

Samoa News Sports Correspondent

For everyone who's been praying for a post-season answered, thanks to principal Tupa'i Rod Atafua, head coach Pati Pati and the mighty Samoana Sharks who sent the Warriors packing in both divisional match-ups during the 8th week of the 2017-18 American a way past the Blue Empire's Samoa High School Athletics Association (ASHSAA) football season.

Amata.

The Blue Empire came out of a bye week, and delivered opening quarter of the game, Tafuna their first loss of the and Samoana spots a threatseason in the varsity division ening first and goal situation the final seconds of the match, came after a long pass caught which resulted in a game win- by Zephanaia Pati inside the red ning field goal by Elliot Lelei, zone. who had missed all his field this one: a game winner.

In the junior varsity division, the Sharks edged the Warriors in a two-point victory, 8-6, their second win over the Warriors in regular season, making Samoana the No.1 seed in the

The Warriors' injuries from their previous match ups took a toll on them, as the team wasn't able to field two of their star players, Panapa Filoiali'i and Fetu Gaoa – forcing them to JV squad, to be the Warriors workhorse last Saturday against the Sharks, pairing up with Ben

this season.

VARSITY DIVISION SAMOANA 15, TAFUNA 14

The Sharks defensive unit your prayers have been led by their strong front, Sonny Nakiso, Antonio Pule, Solomona Seiuli, and Sebastian Briski managed to shut down the Warriors in the opening quarter of the match, as Tala Sufia couldn't seem to figure out defensive wall.

Sufia, who hadn't thrown an interception all season, threw Coverage of this year's two last Saturday against the ASHSAA football is sponsored Sharks, and both were picked by Congresswoman Aumua off by the 'Black Panther' Kalisi Lotulelei.

1:14 remaining in the - through a desperate drive in on Tafuna's 1-yard line. This

Samoana's third and goal goal attempts this year, except situation and Anthony Feala muscled in their first touchdown of the game with a quarterback sneak, putting them in the lead. The field goal attempt by Elliot Lelei was no good, as his kick went far right of the goal posts.

Just when the Sharks thought they lit the flame of hope in the opening quarter, Tafuna's Sufia watered out those hopes after he bombed a long pass out to Pene Fa'avae who caught it inside Samoana territory. On first down, Sufia sent Ben Tuimove Koison Ozu up from the maseve straight up the middle for a 15-yard touchdown run for Tafuna.

The two point conversion - a Tuimaseve who also took snaps quarterback keeper by Sufia as running back throughout the was good enough to bring the whole game for the first time Warriors back to life, leading by

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American Samoa

HEALTH SURVEY 2017

The Department of Human and Social Services and the Department of Health are working together to conduct a very important survey in the community.

This entails surveying a selection of adults ages 18 and older from each county. Adults will be selected based upon a random sample of electric meters of households throughout the island.

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Villages to be surveyed: Fagatogo, Utulei, Gataivai, Fagaalu, Malaeimi, Mapusaga, Mesepa.





















Elliott, Cowboys await another hearing on 6-game suspension

Cowboys should soon find out if to play the rest of the season.

Monday to decide whether he'll serve a six-game suspension as a result of a yearlong NFL investigation that found he had multiple physical confrontations in 2016 with his girlfriend at the time.

"We need him, but what is shake," owner Jerry Jones said Sunday after Elliott ran for 150 yards and two touchdowns in a 33-19 victory over the Washington Redskins. "Zeke has in no way, by any standard, done anything wrong. He's done nothing wrong. We, the league, have tried to say that he's done something that we disagree with. We all don't agree with that. So I want him to get a fair shot. And he deserves that."

NFL Commissioner Roger Goodell suspended Elliott in August for six games, a ban that has been fought over in court since. Prosecutors in Ohio declined to pursue a criminal case, citing conflicting

"We've got a pretty good system in place in this country," Jones said. "It's called the legal system, and it has a lot of precedent and it's made a lot of mistakes, but it's the best one there probably is in the world in my view and for us to not basically recognize that, that's a concern."

With the 5-2 Kansas City Chiefs up next, the Cowboys hope they'll have Elliott, who has run for 100-plus yards in three consecutive games and has four rushing touchdowns over the past two weeks. Elliott believes he'll keep playing.

"I think we're confident in our argument," said Elliott, who the rest of the year."

Elliott has 690 yards rushing about how crazy it is.'

LANDOVER, Md. (AP) - and six touchdowns and 210 Ezekiel Elliott and the Dallas yards receiving with two scores this season. Although the the running back will be eligible 22-year-old voiced confidence in fellow running backs Alfred Elliott has another hearing Morris, Darren McFadden and Rod Smith, Dallas doesn't have someone else who can do what Elliott does at his level.

> Because of that, the Cowboys are eager for some clarity that is expected to come out of Elliott's hearing Monday.

"We'll deal with it and go important is that he gets a fair on, but, yeah, it'll be beneficial, I guess, to say we'll know if we have him or not," quarterback Dak Prescott said. "Hopefully we can get it all out the way. But it's out of my control and out of his control for the most part. It's up to the people that make those decisions, and we're going to take it as a team and I know he will the right way and move forward."

Some more things we learned from the Cowboys' victory at the Redskins:

REDSKINS' INJURIES

The Redskins have so many injuries along their offensive line that they were forced to use one player Sunday, Arie Kouandjio, who "just got out of his car yesterday" at the team facility, as coach Jay Gruden put it. Starters Trent Williams, Brandon Scherff and Spencer Long sat out against Dallas. A fourth starter, Shawn Lauvao, got a stinger and left the loss. The backup to Williams' backup also left the game. Two of the team's three active tight ends, Niles Paul (concussion) and Jordan Reed (right hamstring), departed, too. Getting some bodies back could make a big difference moving forward for Washington. "Never seen something like this before. Never, ever in my life," cornerback Josh Norman said. "This was the first time for me, to see these types of injuries. Shoot, will attend the hearing. "We're how many of our offensive confident I'll be on the field for linemen? Four? Five? ... It's crazy. Can't really say enough



Dallas Cowboys running back Ezekiel Elliott (21) is stopped by the Washington Redskins defense during the first half of an NFL football game in Landover, Md., Sunday, Oct. 29, 2017.

(AP Photo/Mark Tenally)



FILE - This Jan. 1, 2017, file photo shows then San Francisco 49ers quarterback Colin Kaepernick speaking at a news conference after the team's NFL football game against the Seattle Seahawks in Santa Clara, Calif. NFL spokesman Joe Lockhart says the league expects Colin Kaepernick to be invited to the next meeting between owners and players to discuss social justice initiatives. Lockhart adds that the meeting probably will take place next week. (AP Photo/Marcio Jose Sanchez, File)

Eagles' Jekins: NFL owners declined meeting with players

PHILADELPHIA

 Philadelphia Eagles safety Malcolm Jenkins, one of the a report Sunday on Slate.com founders of The Players Coalition, said the next proposed iced out of discussions between meeting between the owners owners and players. Jenkins and and players to discuss social other players had said Kaeperjustice initiatives has been nick was invited. canceled.

our invitation," Jenkins said Kaepernick. Sunday. NFL players proposed to meet Monday in Philadelcited scheduling and logistical tions," he said. issues.

in their court," Jenkins said. that he was not signed because "We'll continue to do what of collusion by owners who we've been doing. Guys are working around the league."

League spokesman Brian McCarthy said Sunday night: "Nothing is set, but the league is eager to continue the dialogue with the players."

last week in New York to dis- Sunday, said Kaepernick told cuss player demonstrations him he would attend if invited. during the national anthem and other issues.

football; we want to move past in the NFL," Reid said. "He told anthem demonstrations," Jen- me that he was explicitly told he kins said. "But to do that, we had no place being there. The need to be able to replace the NFL wants the protests to end. platform that we have.'

awareness of social issues.

this," Jenkins said. "We'd love to have a different platform and we think that's something we could work collaboratively with fist during the national anthem, the NFL to create, to actually draw awareness to the issues we're doing, to use the NFL as a vehicle to make real change."

began kneeling during the of our country." national anthem before the

(AP) meeting last week.

Jenkins declined to address that said Kaepernick had been

McCarthy also made it clear "The league didn't accept the NFL would like to include

"We would welcome Colin at a meeting, but it's the players phia. Jenkins said the league who are extending the invita-

Kaepernick has filed a griev-"At this point, the ball is ance against the NFL, alleging wanted him out of the league because of the protests.

> Jenkins said the players want Kaepernick "to be a part of the conversation."

San Francisco safety Eric Reid, who took a knee during The league and players met the national anthem again

"I know Colin has been fighting to get in the room to "They want to get back to speak to the appropriate people It's bad for their business. But Jenkins wants a venue out- it's ridiculous that they don't side the stadium and not during want Colin to be there being the anthem for athletes to raise that he was the first one to start protesting. If we have to force "We don't really enjoy doing him into the room, that's what we'll do."

Chargers linebacker Russell Okung, who has been raising his said the league has "amazing political and economic power" and hoped it would walk with the players "to will that power in Colin Kaepernick, who a way that changes the dynamic

Jenkins and Eagles' team-2016 season and currently is out mate Rodney McLeod raised of the NFL, did not attend the their fists during the national

Sunday. Kneeling anthem across the field on the San Francisco 49ers sideline were Reid, Eli Harold, Adrian Colbert and Marquise Goodwin.

All but 10 members of the Houston Texans took a knee during the national anthem Sunday, as the vast majority of the team protested the owner's "inmates running the prison" comment. Before this week, no Texans had protested during the

"It's already a sensitive issue," Jenkins said. "What am I proud of is, I feel like the voice of the players has been pretty concise and consistent. Even when you've had responses the president, responses from different owners that have not been in the good spirit of solidarity. The players have remained pretty level-headed. We're more concerned about getting actual work done and change and going about the right steps to do that."

Jenkins said he did not know when players and owners might meet again.

"I feel like we've done everything that we needed to do to really try to work in a collaborative effort with the league," Jenkins said. "We've showed up at meetings that they've requested. We've had the conversations they wanted to between us."

Jenkins was among a group of Eagles that made a trip last week to the state capitol in Harrisburg and met with legislators to discuss criminal justice reform.



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Florida head coach Jim McElwain talks on the sideline with quarterback Feleipe Franks (13) during the second half of an NCAA college football game against Georgia, Saturday, Oct. 28, 2017, in Jacksonville, Fla. Georgia won 42-7. (AP Photo/John Raoux)

Florida, McElwain agree to part ways after 3rd straight loss

The paperwork for Jim just leave it at that." McElwain's departure hadn't the Gators to be fun again.

That surely starts with an the last week as leverage. improved offense. The school and McElwain agreed to part tenure will be remembered ways Sunday, a day after a third consecutive loss and nearly a week after McElwain said his players and their families had received death threats.

coordinator Randy Shannon nationally for the third time in the team's interim coach for the McElwain's three seasons. final four games.Stricklin said in principle to settle McElwain's \$12.5 million buyout, until the deal is signed.

"This is more than just wins

GAINESVILLE, Fla. (AP) and losses," Stricklin said. "I'll

Florida (3-4, 3-3 Southeven been completed when eastern Conference), which is Florida athletic director Scott still paying former coach Will Stricklin announced a motto for Muschamp, hoped to signifihis coaching search: He wants cantly reduce McElwain's sum and likely used his actions over

McElwain's Regardless, for failing to fix a floundering offense. Three years ago, McElwain proclaimed he could win with his dog at quarterback. The Gators currently rank 113th Stricklin named defensive in total offense, in triple digits

"When Florida has been the sides reached an agreement really good, from a distance, it has looked really fun and I want it to be really fun," Stricklin but he declined to reveal details said. "Our fans, they deserve it to be really fun. I want our players and student-athletes to have a lot of fun, like this is a rewarding experience to come here and get a degree from a top-10 public university and to play at one of the storied football programs in the country."

> McElwain went 22-12 with the Gators, including 4-9 against ranked teams, and became the first coach in league history to take a team to the SEC championship game in his first two years. Florida was eliminated from contention in the Eastern Division with a 42-7 loss to rival Georgia on Saturday. It was Florida's most lopsided loss in the series since 1982.

McElwain's downfall was more about relationships than records.His already-strained rapport with administrators reached a new low last Monday when he mentioned the death threats. The bombshell shocked Stricklin, who had not been notified about a potentially harmful situation.Stricklin met with McElwain later that day, and the coach rebuffed a request to provide more information about the threats. The school's position was this: If there were death threats and administrators did nothing about them, the Gators would be legally liable if something horrible happened. If McElwain exaggerated the threats or made them up altogether, then he essentially sullied an entire fan base without merit.McElwain made the situation even worse two days later when he said he would provide more details about the death threats "when it becomes unmanageable."

McElwain seemed resigned to his fate Saturday night, probably because his problems started long before last week.

The former Alabama assistant and Colorado State head coach complained publicly about Florida's facilities shortly after taking the job and openly questioned the school's commitment to the football program two years later.



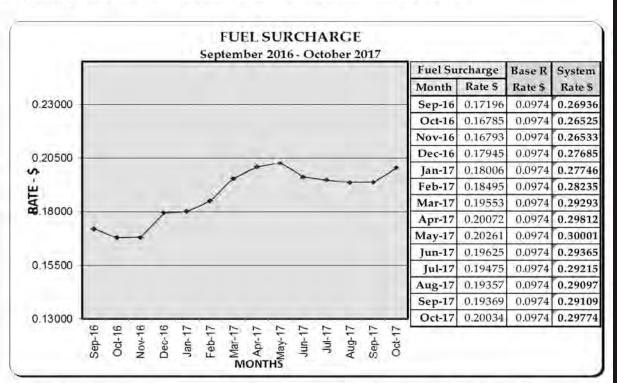
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October 12, 2017

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Reduction" savings. There are seven active sites, with more sites in progress to increase ASPA's renewable energy portfolio. As ASPA increases renewable energy capacity, more savings will be realized and passed on to customers.



Nuggets Denver guard Gary Harris (14) tries to strip the ball from Brooklyn Nets guard D'Angelo Russell (1) as Russell dribbles during the first half of an NBA basketball game, Sunday, Oct. 29, 2017, in New York. Nuggets center Mason Plumlee (24) and Nets center Jarrett Allen (31) watch, right.

(AP Photo/Kathy Willens)

Murray, Jokic lead Nuggets to 124-111 win over Nets

Denver Nuggets.

beat the Brooklyn Nets 124said, 'Coach right now I'm a (mononucleosis) was out. broken arrow," Nuggets coach you're not. You're going to be fine. Just stay with it. I believe in you and you have to believe in yourself.' Tonight, he came out and imposed his will on the game and was fantastic for us."

Wilson Chandler added 18 points for the Nuggets, who have won two straight games.

Spencer Dinwiddie tied a career-high with 22 points, Rondae Hollis-Jefferson had 18 points and Joe Harris tied his season-high with 16 points for the Nets.

The Nuggets went on a 22-4 run to begin the third quarter as Brooklyn missed 10 of its first 11 shots. Chandler carried Denver in the third with 14 points as the Nuggets took a 100-84 lead into the fourth quarter and never looked back.

"I thought that third quarter was phenomenal," Malone said. "That was by far our best quarter of basketball on both ends of the floor. We outscored them 40-21 and to hold them to only 40 percent for the game was terrific."

While the third quarter was Denver's best quarter of the season, it was arguably Brooklyn's worst of the season.

"It's just the defensive end, really," Harris said. "You can't give up 40 points in one quarter. Obviously they got comfort able, came off with a little more energy than we did and that was the game right there."

Hollis-Jefferson Brooklyn with 16 points at the half as the Nets took a 63-60 lead into the locker room. Brooklyn's 63 points matched a season-high for points in the first half previously done in the season opener against Indiana. Emmanuel Mudiay led Denver with 15 points at the half.

Brooklyn's 36 first quarter points marked its most in an opening period this season. TIP-INS

Nuggets: Malone believes his young backcourt will be the key to success this season. "The biggest challenge for us is going to be when you have a 21-year-old backup point guard

NEW YORK (AP) — After and a 20-year old starting point (left groin strain) are day-to-day. getting a pep talk from his guard, there are going to be Jeremy Lin (right knee) was coach, Jamal Murray came inconsistencies. Can we try to also out. ... Timofey Mozgov through with a big game for the help them and speed up their has now made two 3-pointers maturation as players? Because in seven games, which is more Murray scored 26 points, we have big plans, we want to than he totaled the previous Nikola Jokic had 21 points and be a playoff team and when you two. ... Jacob Wiley made his 14 rebounds, and the Nuggets have two young guards who are NBA debut. going through growing pains at 111 on Sunday."Before the times, it doesn't make it always game this morning (Murray) easy." . Juancho Hernangomez Monday. Denver then begins a

Nets: Coach Kenny Atkinson

UP NEXT

Nuggets: Visit New York on six-game home stand.

Nets: Host Phoenix on Mike Malone said. "I said, 'No, said DeMarre Carroll (right Tuesday. Brooklyn then hits the ankle soreness) and Quincy Acy road for five consecutive games.

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Washington Wizards guard Bradley Beal, right, drives against Sacramento Kings guard BuMonday, October 30, 2017 Hield during the first half of an NBA basketball game Sunday, Oct. 29, 2017, in Sacramento, Calif.

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Wall, Wizards lead early and roll past Kings 110-83

fourth-quarter meltdowns put from getting closer than 27 the the Wizards in a hole on their current road trip. It also set the stage for Washington's most and Kelly Oubre Jr. had nine lopsided win of the season.

A defense that forced 20 turnovers and an offense that set a season high with 17 3-pointers

John Wall scored 11 of his 19 points in the first quarter and had nine assists, Otto Porter Jr. had 16 points and the Wiz-110-83 on Sunday.

"It was probably the best that we've played on both ends of the court," Washington coach Scott Brooks said. "Hopefully we can continue that trend."

The 27-point victory kept the Wizards out of the record games were decided by five points or fewer; no team had ever opened the season with six.

Wall made it a moot point off the bench during the fight. early by making his first four shots, including three 3-pointers, as never threatened.

"I haven't been shooting the that instead of letting me get into the paint and get to the basis it makes our team a lot better and it makes us tougher to guard."

on 6-of-11 shooting for Washington after being fined \$50,000 for his role in a fight with Dray-Warriors on Friday.

Calif. advantage early in the third — Two consecutive quarter and prevented the Kings rest of the way.

Mike Scott added 13 points points and seven rebounds to help Washington snap a twogame losing streak.

Beal was surprised to be playing at all. The veteran guard expected to be suspended after the fight with Green late in the first half of Friday's 120-117 loss to the Warriors. Beal ards beat the Sacramento Kings and Green received technical fouls and were ejected from the

> "I was really happy I wasn't suspended," Beal said. "I knew I was going to get fined one way or the other. It is what it is. Now I can put this behind me."

While Beal played, Washbooks. Washington's first five ington was without forward Markieff Morris and guard Carrick Felix. Both received onegame suspensions for coming

Not that it mattered.

The Kings shot 27.9 percent Washington in the first half and trailed by jumped to a 13-0 lead that was double digits for the final 43 minutes.

"Once they got on us, our ball well so far this season," young guys got a little frantic Wall said. "If I make shots, and then the wheels kind of teams are willing to live with came off," Kings coach Dave Joerger said.

Brian Bogdanovic scored basket. If I'm able to knock 15 while Kosta Koufos added down shots on a consistent seven points and 10 rebounds for Sacramento.

ALL THOSE 3S

Of the 85 shots attempted Bradley Beal added 15 points by Washington, 34 came from beyond the arc. That accounted for 40 percent of the Wizby the NBA earlier in the day ards' shooting. The 17 made 3-pointers were one shy of the mond Green of the Golden State franchise record. "We were aggressive off the dribble and The Wizards were up 63-32 they did a good job of closing at halftime, had a 36-point in their defense," Beal said.



Seattle Seahawks quarterback Russell Wilson, left, scrambles away from Houston Texans' D.J. Reader in the second half of an NFL football game, Sunday, Oct. 29, 2017, in Seattle. The Seahawks won 41-38. (AP Photo/Elaine Thompson)

What defense? Seahawks and Texans combine for wild shootout

often Richard Sherman and 72, 59 and 20 yards. Earl Thomas spew compliments of an opponent, especially a for 469 yards passing and runrookie.

Watching the Seahawks defense get torn apart against Seattle — and willingby rookie quarterback Deshaun ness to attack secondary stars Watson and the Houston Texans like Sherman and Thomas on Sunday had Sherman, was validation that going for-Thomas and their teammates ward he can star against any issuing praise rarely heard from defense in any environment. one of the top defenses in the league."I'm not surprised at all. of playmakers, future Hall of I think I ran my mouth too much Famers, All-Pros, a lot of vetthis summer when we chilled," eran guys, a very good team," Thomas said of Watson. "We Watson said. "A very, very got the same agent, spent a lot smart team. They make you of time together. I expect that earn it."Here's what else to out of him. He did that against know about the wild game: Alabama in a big game. He tried to do it today."

Watson and Seattle's Russell leading rusher with 30 yards. Wilson put together two of the The rest of Seattle's rushers best regular-season quarter- combined 3 yards on 17 carries. back performances in league It was a pathetic performance history in Seattle's wild 41-38 in the run game that would be win over the Texans on Sunday. a bigger issue if not for Wil-The Seahawks entered the week son's late heroicsIn four of with the best scoring defense seven games this season, Seattle in the league, and proceeded to has failed to reach 100 yards allow 21 points in the first 21 rushing as a team. "We didn't minutes of the game.

the second most allowed by the roll said. "We wanted to get our Seahawks in a regular-season rhythm and get going." game since coach Pete Carroll's first season in 2010. Shootouts need to stop focusing the have not been part of Seattle's majority of their attention on winning formula, yet Sunday DeAndre Hopkins. showed they have the capability entirely because of Wilson.

seconds left to take the lead.

Seattle's defense said Wilson's has been playing his (tail) off," performance bailed out the Hopkins said. Seahawks. Wilson disagreed.

way to win," he said.

more against the Seahawks, from the issue.

SEATTLE (AP) — It's not including touchdown passes of

Watson was responsible ning. Watson's first five starts Seattle were fantastic. His performance

"The whole defense has a lot

NO RUNNING: Seattle's got to get its run game fixed. Defense was optional as Wilson was the Seahawks think that was going to happen The 38 points was tied for at all," Seattle coach Pete Car-

ALL TDs: Perhaps teams

Will Fuller has 13 total receptions for the season and Wilson was responsible for seven of those have gone for 472 total yards passing and touchdowns. He had two long running. Houston's defense TDs against Seattle, including a had shown vulnerability, espe- 59-yarder on Houston's opening cially with the loss of J.J. Watt drive, and another long catch and Whitney Mercilus for the down to the 2-yard line. Fuller season due to injuries. But Wil- missed the first three games son's performance was special, due to a collarbone injury, but capping it by going 80 yards in has been nearly unstoppable barely a minute and no time- from finding the end zone outs, and hitting Jimmy Graham since returning. "When guys on an 18-yard strike with 21 want to cheat to my side, you have to watch Will and Bruce Sherman and others on (Ellington) as well. But Will

PROTESTING: All but 10 "It's not about bailing any- members of the Texans took body out. It's about finding a a knee during the national anthem, as the vast majority of Even more impressive is the team protested the owner's what Watson did to Seattle's "inmates running the prison" defense. The Seahawks pride comment. Left tackle Duane themselves on not allowing big Brown said a meeting with plays, yet surrendered 509 total owner Bob McNair went "not yards to Houston. The Texans too well," but the Texans were had 10 plays of 20 yards or able to put aside any distraction



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Jr. Tanielu releasing a screen pass just seconds before getting sandwiched by two Tafuna defenders, during their JV match up last Saturday morning. Tanielu led the Sharks in a 8-6 victory over the Warriors. [photo: TG]



▶ There will be a...

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two points with 5:02 remaining by Samoana's Antonio Pule. in the opening half.

were on the move again. Samoana's first down at midfield, and Feala tosses a screen play pass to David Mikaele who broke three tackles on his way down the sidelines to score his first touchdown of the game – a 55-yard attempt for six.

Warriors.

2:33 remaining in the ball last. game, and the Warriors finally answered back - Tafuna's first caught a touchdown pass during down at their own 35-yard the opening of the second line, and Sufia bombed a long quarter, but was called back due one out to Fa'avae who beat to a holding penalty, managed Lotulelei's open field coverage to catch another one in the end and caught the pass for another zone, this time, it was for six. Tafuna touchdown.

The two point conver- touchdown of the game. sion hand off to Tuimaseve field for a loss.

Less than a minute remaining in the ball game, the Sharks was a roll out quarterback keep were clearly inside Warrior ter- by Tanielu which secured an 8 ritory, and Feala opted to go point lead with 3:33 remaining with Mikaele on the running in the second quarter. game to gain yardage and run down the clock.

to kick the winning field goal downfield. from Tafuna's 30-yard line. lead by a point.

in the game, and Sufia looked points of the game. to fire another touchdown pass.

Feala and the Sharks offense 6:07 in the third quarter, and came on to the field in victory Anthony Feala and the Sharks formation and took a knee to end this one - their fourth straight win of the regular season, but Tafuna's first loss.

JUNIOR DIVISION SAMOANA 8, TAFUNA 6

The Sharks didn't hesitate to go to their 'air-attack' to open things up, as Jr. Tanielu and his The two point conversion, offense were trying to click on a halfback pass from Lotulelei the way downfield, testing the to Sebastian Briski was no limits of Tafuna's defensive good as it was broken up by the unit. The Warriors were able to hold down the fort, but it didn't

Avery Seumanutafa, who

It was Samoana's opening

Seumanutafa caught was stopped immediately by leaping pass from Tanielu on a 'Bunky' Misitana in the back- fourth and goal situation from Tafuna's 10-yard line.

The two point conversion

To open things up for Tafuna in the second half, Francisco With just 33 seconds Mauigoa tucked and ran with remaining, the Warriors up by the ball on numerous plays two, it was up to Elliot Lelei as he marched the Warriors

4:03 remaining in the third, Pati sounded the snap and and Mauigoa, who played a Lelei's kick was good to pull second and long situation inside the Sharks back up to take the Sharks territory, couldn't find an open receiver so he decided Samoana fans rushed the to tuck and run the ball himself field in excitement, which led to for a 15-yard touchdown, which a penalty. 27 seconds remaining gave the Warriors their first six

The two point conversion But this time, Samoana was was disrupted immediately in ready for it. Sufia's pass to the backfield by Masaichi Aviu Pulenu'u Fono was caught, but and Daniel McMoore as they as Fono made his way towards secured their two point lead the end zone, Kalisi Lotulelei into the final quarter of play, delivered a touchdown saving winning their second match up tackle that knocked the ball out against Tafuna in the regular

of Fono's hands and recovered season. McMillen wins Top Fuel at **NHRA Toyota Nationals**

LAS VEGAS (AP) — Top the Championship. Fuel veteran Terry McMillen Speedway.

McMillen had a 3.870second pass at 253.99 after Brit- Chevrolet Camaro. tany Force got a red light in her Monster Energy dragster.

"This is the stuff you dream of as a small kid," McMillen said. "To have that opportunity is truly an amazing feeling. Hats Chevrolet Camaro. off to my crew."

Motorcycle) also won their Arana Jr. respective categories at the fifth of six playoff events during of the season at Auto Club the NHRA Mello Yello Drag Raceway at Pomona, Cali-Racing Series Countdown to fornia, from Nov. 9-12.

Hagan earned his fourth vicearned his first career victory tory of the season and No. 26 for Sunday at the NHRA Toyota his career. He drove his Dodge Nationals at Las Vegas Motor Charger R/T to a run of 3.942 at 329.42, edging Courtney Force's 4.020 at 320.05 in her

Anderson, the Pro Stock points leader and event No. 1 qualifier, defeated KB Racing teammate Bo Butner for his 90th career win. Anderson had to go out there and get that win a pass of 6.698 at 204.70 in his

In Pro Stock Motorcycle, Matt Hagan (Funny Car), category leader Krawiec rode Greg Anderson (Pro Stock) his Harley-Davidson to a 6.924 and Eddie Krawiec (Pro Stock at 193.16, defeating Hector

Next up is the final event



Fitu Amani intercepts a pass from Mauigoa inside the end zone - literally going up for the grab and taking it away from Pa'apa'a Mauigoa for a touchback - during the opening quarter of their JV match last Saturday morning. Amani helped the Sharks to a 8-6 win.















Wheeler scores 3 of Jets' 5 goals in 1st to rout Pens 7-1

 A blowout win over the twotime defending Stanley Cup to Blake Wheeler than his own outstanding performance.

Wheeler scored three of Winnipeg's five first-period goals and added an assist in the third as the Jets routed the Pittsburgh Penguins 7-1 on Sunday night.

"It's all about getting two points. I think we've got every guy pushing in that direction," he said. Brendan Lemieux scored his first career goal for Winnipeg on a slap shot from the point at 12:20 of the third. The son of Claude Lemieux made his NHL debut Oct. 20 after being called up from the livan said. "We talk about doing Manitoba Moose of the AHL.

"It feels great," he said. "Obviously, really fortunate to have been able to get one and really excited. Every day I'm up here has been a blessing and I'm just trying to run with it."

and Mark Scheifele also scored Murray early. Connor Hellebuyck made 31 saves.

open.

Penguins (7-5-1),playing back-to-back road games after losing 2-1 in Minnesota on Saturday, were on their heels from the start and didn't score until Evgeni Malkin's fifth of the season late in the second period.

"We were fortunate to get the day off yesterday," Wheeler said. "It's tough when you're playing a back-to-back and the back end of a three (games) in four (days). It takes a little bit of time to get going and luckily we had our legs early."

The Jets have played their this season, outscoring opponents 16-8.

WINNIPEG, Manitoba (AP) scored 21-10 in the opening 20 minutes.

"If I had an answer, we'd champions was more important probably cure it," coach Mike Sullivan said. Copp opened the scoring with his first of the season on a short pass in the slot from linemate Sean Matthias at 1:20. The Jets remained on the attack but Murray stymied them until 13:58, when Scheifele fed Wheeler at the side of the net for his second goal of the season.

He added another at 17:44 and Murray barely had time to take his stance again before Armia made it 4-0 at 18:07. Murray was pulled and lost in regulation for the second time this season.

"It's disappointing," Sulthe right things. We talk about managing the puck the right way. We talk about staying on the right side of people and then we go out and our actions are just the opposite."

The hats rained down 11 sec-Andrew Copp, Joel Armia onds after that when Wheeler made it 5-0 at 18:18 with a goal for the Jets, who chased Matt against Murray's replacement, Casey DeSmith.

The Jets lost 2-1 in overtime Winnipeg (5-3-2) scored Thursday at Pittsburgh, one of three times in a span of 34 sec- two overtime losses for them onds late in the first to break it this week following a win at Minnesota. Winnipeg returned to Hellebuyck's hot hand in goal. He has all five Jets wins this season. Pittsburgh tried to regroup in the second period and outshot the Jets 15-4, thanks partly to a string of minor penalties on Winnipeg. But the Penguins not get one past Hellebuyck until Malkin scored his power-play goal at 17:02.

Scheifele scored in the third when he one-timed a pass from Wheeler during a 4-on-3 power play at 10:28 to make it 6-1. Lemieux's goal about two minutes later completed the scoring.

Winnipeg coach Paul Maubest hockey in the first period rice is happy with the way his team has played defense recently, but acknowledged Pittsburgh has been out- Sunday night was an anomaly.

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Francisco Mauigoa tucked and ran this one in for six -Tafuna's first touchdown of the game - during their JV match up against the Sharks last Saturday morning. Samoana defeated the Warriors 8-6. [photo: TG]

Hardaway, Knicks give Cavs 4th loss in 5 games, 114-95

CLEVELAND (AP) comfort.

"What month is this for me? October? I'm not about to go crazy over it right now. It's too long of a season. I've been a part of this way too many times," James said after Sunday night's 114-95 loss to the New York Knicks.

Tim Hardaway Jr. scored 34 points, Kristaps Porzingis had 32 and the Knicks won for the that covered 10 games. second time after losing their first three games.

out by Orlando at home and lost fully we can be in the playoffs to Brooklyn during this stretch, fell below .500. The Cavaliers were routed 123-101 in New Orleans on Saturday.

"Tonight's loss and the last couple are unacceptable," coach and hit 5 of 10 3-pointers. Tyronn Lue said.

to return to the NBA Finals for the fourth straight season, but one go down opens up a lot." their issues continued, particularly on the defensive end.

"Guys are scoring at will against us," James said. "Our defense is pretty bad right now."

New York, after winning 15 points. its first game Friday over the Nets, led 89-71 late in the third quarter. Cleveland cut it to 94-88 on James' drive, forcing New York to call a timeout with 8:21 left.

Courtney Lee scored on After the Cavaliers' fourth loss a drive and hit a 3-pointer, in five games, LeBron James helping the Knicks make it 103is turning to the calendar for 88. New York took its largest lead, 114-93, in the final minute.

> "We could have folded against a veteran team like that, but we made some big shots and pulled it out," New York coach Jeff Hornacek said.

New York beat Cleveland for the first time since Oct. 30, 2014 — James' first game back with the Cavaliers after playing four seasons in Miami — a span

"It's nice to finally beat the Cavs for the first time in my Cleveland, which was blown career," Porzingis said. "Hopewhere that really matters."

Hardaway came in shooting 27 percent in four games but scored 24 points in the first half. He was 11 of 19 from the field

"I did a lot more attacking," The Cavaliers are favorites Hardaway said. "I took the 3s when they were there. Seeing

Kevin Love led the Cavaliers with 22 points while James had 16. Derrick Rose returned after missing four games because of a sprained left ankle and scored

Cleveland led 13-10, but Hardaway scored 10 points, including two 3-pointers and a dunk off an alley-oop pass from Jarrett Jack, as New York went on a 14-0 run.



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Manatua fo'i, o le ulumatua teine o Mataniufeagaimaleata e le o se afafine moni o Lilo, ae e le o iloa e le teine e o'o mai i le taimi lea. Pau le mea o lo'o iloa e Mataniu, o ona matua o

o lo'o tupu.

E o'o fo'i la i fanau teine Na muta mai la tatou tala, ina e to'atolu a Lilomaiava ma e Onosa'iimeatiga mai lona ua fai nei le pisinisi a le tama Loleta fa'apea ma le tama o aiga, e tufa uma e le Faletua, se Tiaseuoali'i, fai mai, ua tanumia lava i le palapala nei mea uma, ona o le alolofa i a Mataniu, ae maise fo'i o Loleta. Pau tagata ni mea tausami e le mafai ona o lo'o iloaina lenei mea, ua na o Lilo, Loleta, Filipina, Luisa, Vesi ma matua o Lilo, pau lea, a'o a latou fanau, e leai se tasi o iloaina lea tulaga. Ua le toe mana'o lava Lilomaiava, e toe talanoaina lea mataupu, ua uma le taimi, ma ua manuia le olaga o Mataniufeagaimaleata, e ala i si ona to'alua, le ali'i papalagi o William.

Ae fai mai, e le mafai ona Fai mai le tala, ua iloa e galo i le teine ona matua, o Tiaseu ma ua mautinoa fo'i i a mea uma e iloa e Mataniu e tatau ona fai, e alu ane lava e asi ona matua ma o latou talatalanoa ai. E le gata i lea, ae ua fa'apea fo'i lona alofa i si ona uso la'ititi o Tiga. E le mafai ona tu'u 'ese e Mataniu si ona uso lea, ona ua iloa e le teine, e mativa ma le tagolima si ona uso, i luga o le galuega.

O lea e le misi ai atigipusa Lilomaiava ma Loleta o le ma mea uma e fa'amautu ai le galuega a Onosa'iimeatiga ma lona to'alua, le Fa'afeagaiga o Peniamina. E leai se isi o le aulotu e le o iloa lea tulaga, aua Fai mai, ua 'ata Tiaseuoali'i ma ua o latou mautinoa fo'i, e tu tilotilo ane i si ona tuafafine, e Lilomaiava ma Loleta pau lea. lelei le aiga o le Faletua, e ala i pele i lona loto. E leai fo'i se leo o lo'omatutua pisinisi ma fa'atoaga, ae maise

o Filipina ma Luisa, e tau mate- fo'i o le tula'i mai o le tama o mate ai e Mataniu e i ai se mea le Faletua i le tofi Faipule o le itumalo.

Fai mai, o a mea e maua atu i vagana ai o ni seti nofoa ma le TV po'o nisi mea fa'apena, ona tu'u lea e le Faletua, ae afai o taumamafa le Faifeau ma lona Faletua, ae le i tufaina i si a la aulotu, ae maise fo'i o nai tuaoi.

Fai mai le tala, na fa'ate'ia le Faifeau ma lona Faletua ina ua sosolo atu se ta'avale fou lava ma le matagofie i luma o le la fale, ae toe va'ai mai i tua, o alu atu ai le ta'avale a le tuafafine o le tama o le Faletua, le lo'omatua o Filipina. Fai mai, na ona tu lava o ta'avale nei e lua i luma o le fale o le Faifeau, tilotilo ane uma i ai tagata.

Ua oso mai i fafo le tama o Tiaseuoali'i lea na uliina le ta'avale fou, ma o lo'o ti'eti'e atu ai ma le to'alua o Filipina, le toeaina o Roger, ua tu nei ma le ta'avale a le lo'omatua o Filipina i tua, lea e o atu ai ma Mataniufeagaimaleata. Na ona tu lava o le ta'avale fai mai ua tamo'e mai nei i fafo Onosa'iimeatiga ma tilotilo mai i le solo lea ua alu atu nei. "Oka, ta'i manaia lau ta'avale fou a Tia, ia toaga e faigaluega, e maua ai mea lelei."

Warriors handed second loss at home, fall 115-107 to Pistons

old, dominant selves again, even if so much seems to be next possession. going wrong so far.

foul fest. The defending chamflaws — and coach Steve Kerr the next time down. is calling out his team to be far more composed.

at this early stage of the season, that followed, then just five on the second night of a SoCalfalling 115-107 to the Pistons on Sunday night as Avery Bradley scored 23 points for Detroit.

Right now it just doesn't seem to matter. Our guys are lacking in energy and focus and discipline," Kerr said.

"We finally started caring with six minutes left when we were threatened and we immediately cut it to three because we cared. But the right team won, karma was in the right place tonight."

Tobias Harris hit a 3-pointer with 1:27 remaining that all but sealed it after Kevin Durant fueled a late Warriors rally.

Durant hit consecutive 3-pointers to get Golden State energy rises on defense I think on his own," Kerr said.

Stephen Curry believes the the next time down to make it Warriors are close to being their 103-96 with 4:40 to go before finding Thompson for a 3 on the again initially, passing well and

Durant's dunk at 2:12 made One night, it's offensive it 108-105. Curry had a steal The Warriors shot 57.1 perrebounds surrendered. Another, and drive with 1:51 left but cent with 29 assists and were it's turnovers. Or, an all-out couldn't convert, then missed a at a 63.5-percent clip midway 3 as Golden State kept possespions are showing some serious sion. Durant missed from deep allowing the Pistons back in the

The Warriors lost only twice Curry and Golden State got their 2015 championship year Bradley made five 3-pointers times at home on the way to NorCal back-to-back. another title last season.

keeping us from really opening up the gates in games like comfortable lead in the third quarter."

Klay Thompson scored 29 points and became the 11th player in franchise history to eclipse 9,000 career points. Durant wound up with 28 points and Curry 27.

6:56 left put the Pistons up

"When our intensity and

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) back within 101-94 then dunked we're a pretty good team," Johnson said.

Golden State looked efficient making better decisions, but it was sloppy down the stretch. through the third quarter before

Reggie Jackson scored 18 of total at Oracle Arena in both his 22 points in the first half and handed a second home defeat and again in the 73-win season for the Pistons, who impressed

Detroit beat the Clippers "We're really close to being 95-87 on Saturday to hand "It just has to matter enough. ourselves," Curry said. "For the Los Angeles its first defeat and most part those little things are leaving no more undefeated NBA teams.

> With 11 blocks, Golden State tonight where we had a pretty has gone seven straight games with at least seven blocks.

THOMPSON'S PLEDGE

Thompson is donating \$69,000 to Northern California fire victims and relief efforts from the devastating wildfires in the North Bay.

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"I love that he's doing that

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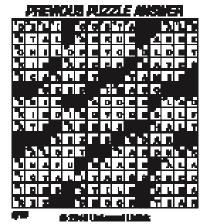
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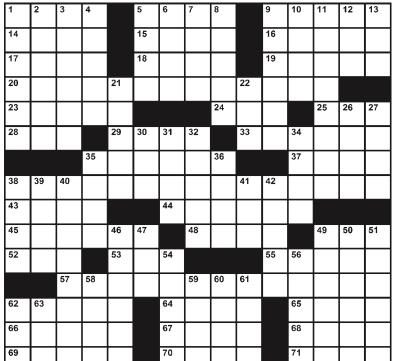
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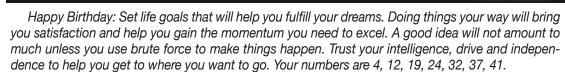


"I wasn't trying to SCARE PJ, just SURPRISE him."



Monday, October 30,





ARIES (March 21-April 19): Keep your conversations direct and simple. You'll be misunderstood if you are vague or inconsistent. Concentrate on personal improvements and getting along with partners, friends and those who can influence your life. A positive change to your status is featured. ★★★

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Partnering with people who have similar ambitions will make it easier to achieve your goals. An opportunity to work with someone interesting will prompt you to make personal changes as well. Listen and learn, but don't offer personal information in return. ★★★★

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Gullibility will be your downfall. Don't be conned by someone's emotional manipulation or by people trying to press you to part with your cash. Smart talk and research will help you avoid being taken advantage of. ★★

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Interacting with people from different backgrounds will be enlightening. The information you pick up will help shape the way you live. Diversification will prompt you to participate in unique events. Partnerships will lead to fortunate rewards. ★★★★

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Keep life simple and live within your means. Overdoing it may be enticing, but could lead to regrets. Remain intent on doing what will bring you the highest returns. Change the way you present your ideas or update your appearance. ★★★

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Travel plans, discussions with partners and putting your heart and soul into the things you enjoy doing most will pay off. You can address issues concerning relatives, friends or neighbors in order to put your plans in motion. ★★★

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You'll thrive on change, but before you get started, make sure you have considered the end result. Knowing what you want will make it easier for you to achieve your dreams. Partnerships will undergo changes that will improve your future. ★★★ SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Make changes at home that will improve your relationships with the

people you live with. Getting along with others will help you when it comes to getting the approval needed to make changes to your surroundings or community. ★★★ SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): If you crave change, start within. Personal growth, updating

your living quarters or your appearance will give you a sense of accomplishment. Knowing what you want will ward off someone trying to manipulate you. Make health and fitness a priority. ★★ CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Take your work seriously. You'll gain insight into using alternative

methods to get your work done faster and more efficiently. What you accomplish today will buy you time to deal with personal matters that are causing you grief. *** AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Take in all the information you can. Work with what you've got and avoid any clashes with people just because they do things differently. Protect against injury, illness

and financial loss by being cognizant of what's happening around you. ★★★ PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Expand your knowledge concerning finance, investments, medical conditions and legal matters. The more you know, the easier it will be for you to find opportunities to build a brighter future. Explore your options. ★★★



SECOND HUSBAND FAILS TO EARN HIS SISTER-IN-LAW'S APPROVAL

DEAR ABBY: My sister "Eileen" is married to her second husband, a man I'll call Harry. He's nice, but some of his choices landed him in jail for a while. I'm polite when we see him, but I don't trust him.

Eileen and Harry live beyond their means. They rent a large house and buy luxury cars rather than something more economical. These are my observations; I never mention them to my sister. Although she's happy to give advice on what's wrong with my life, she becomes defensive if anyone else says anything about how she lives.

My concern is, she refuses to visit or spend time with me and my family without her husband. Before our mom's death a few years ago, I offered to buy her an airline ticket to fly here for a few days to visit. Because she's very organized, I recently invited her to come -- at my expense -- and offered to pay her to help me declutter my house. She declined both invitations because I wouldn't buy a ticket for Harry. (I didn't have the money.)

I think my sister's marriage is very co-dependent. Abby, what should I do? -- WANTS SOME SISTER TIME

DEAR WANTS SOME SISTER TIME: While Harry may have made some poor choices in the past -- for which he has paid the penalty -- he seems to make your sister happy. Assuming that you have told her you love and miss her and would like to be able to spend "sister time" with her, I think it's time to accept that they are a package deal and stop trying to separate them.

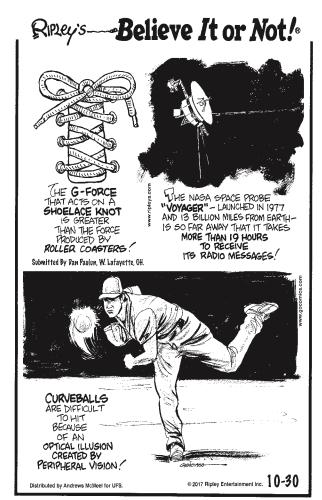
Because you crave sister time, offer to go there and visit her. She seems to be happily living the life she has chosen, so stop putting negative labels on her relationship with her husband.

DEAR ABBY: I never thought I'd be writing you, but I have a situation that needs an objective

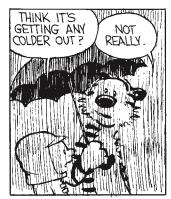
My husband works for a small company owned by a nice couple. They have a teenage daughter who keeps asking to baby-sit our three kids. Abby, we have a special needs child and a new baby. Although the girl seems to be kind and responsible, our children would be a challenge for an adult, let alone a teenager.

Also, we are on a very tight, one-income budget with money needed for therapies. I don't want to mention it because I don't want to insinuate they aren't paying my husband enough, but it is a serious deterrent. How can I gracefully decline her offers without offending my husband's employer? Keeping him in good standing with his company is my primary concern because he works hard and loves his iob. -- ANONYMOUS IN THE USA

DEAR ANONYMOUS: Explain your refusal as an abridged version of what you wrote to me. Thank the girl for her kind offer and tell her that because your older child has special needs and the baby requires constant supervision, you prefer not to have anyone baby-sit until they are older. The explanation is reasonable, logical and the truth.



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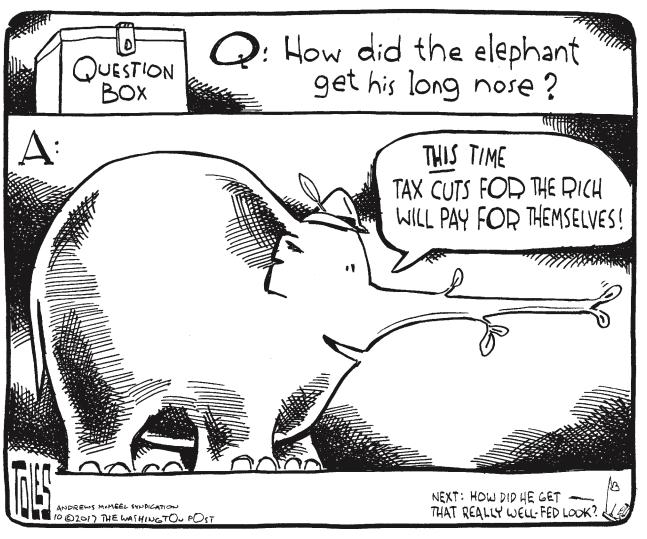








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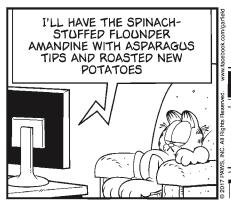
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Steelers lean on D, Smith-Schuster in 20-15 win over Lions

DETROIT (AP) — JuJu rookie receiver ran for about 70 Steelers forced the Detroit end zone. Lions to turn the ball over on downs twice in a 20-15 win had that much speed," Roeth-Sunday night.

The AFC North-leading didn't, either." Steelers (6-2) go into their bye week with a three-game winning streak.

"We weren't perfect, obviously, but boy we showed fight," coach Mike Tomlin said.

Detroit (3-4) was coming off its bye and lost for the fourth towel-twirling fans cheering for time in five games.

Pittsburgh's defense put up a curtain in front of it end zone, forcing the Lions to settle for field goals. When they went stopped them.

Detroit coach Jim Caldwell chose to go for it on fourth down away. from the Steelers 1 trailing by one in the third quarter. Matthew Stafford was sacked as he stepped up out of a collapsing pocket and tried to run up the middle.

"Just as I thought I could do said.

A snap after missing widethe ensuing drive, Roethlisberger dropped back into his a pass to Smith-Schuster. The end Cameron Heyward said.

Smith-Schuster scored on a yards after the catch, running 97-yard touchdown pass from past cornerback Quandre Diggs Ben Roethlisberger late in the and pulling away from safety third quarter and the Pittsburgh Glover Quin on his way to the

> "I told him I didn't know he lisberger recalled. "He said he

Matt Prater kicked his fifth field goal on the next possession after Caldwell didn't want to go for it on another fourth down from the Pittsburgh 1, drawing boos from a crowd that included a lot of black-and-yellow clad, the visitors.

"We tried to be aggressive the first time," Caldwell said. "And then it was later in the game, so we kicked it. We gave for touchdowns, the Steelers ourselves a chance to win the game."

Then Golden Tate gave it

Detroit got the ball back with a chance to drive for a go-ahead TD, but Tate blew it with an unforced fumble at the Steelers 24. "It just slipped," Tate said. 'It was just a bad play by me."

The Lions' defense forced something, I got hit," Stafford Pittsburgh to punt again and they failed to take advantage. After the 2-minute warning, open tight end Jesse James on Stafford threw an incomplete pass from the Pittsburgh 8.

"Our red zone defense was end zone and perfectly lofted amazing," Steelers defensive



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