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Jerry Jones: Cowboys still exploring latest Elliott incident

FRISCO, Texas (AP) — Dallas Cowboys owner Jerry Jones said Tuesday the team is still gathering details over Ezekiel Elliott's involvement in an altercation at a Dallas bar, the latest off-field incident for the star running back.

Elliott, who was already facing a potential suspension over the NFL's investigation of a year-old domestic case, was involved in a dispute Sunday night that led to a man getting punched in the nose and being taken to a hospital. Dallas police said the 30-year-old man didn't know who punched him, and the report does not mention Elliott. Dallas police also are investigating the incident.

Jones said he didn't want to speculate about a possible suspension. An NFL spokesman said the league is looking into the latest incident "to understand the facts." One of Elliott's representatives didn't return a message seeking comment.

Authorities in Columbus, Ohio, declined to prosecute the former Ohio State star over a domestic dispute with his ex-girlfriend before Elliott's first training camp with the Cowboys last year. But the NFL's investigation continued, and the league hasn't cleared Elliott.

Elliott also drew unwanted attention last season when he visited a legal marijuana shop before a preseason game in Seattle. Last spring, he pulled down a woman's shirt during a St. Patrick's Day parade.

The 21-year-old Elliott, who led the NFL in rushing as a rookie and helped the Cowboys to the top seed in the NFC playoffs with a 13-3 record, can get suspended without any convictions.

"Because of his style, personality, (he's) like a rock star wherever he goes in terms of attention," Jones said. "Certainly Zeke is evolving and being subject to needing to learn how to deal with the media and social media the way it is today."

Jones said he had discussed Elliott's latest incident with the running back but declined to provide details. Elliott said during the offseason program that he was going out less while

understanding more the scrutiny he faces. But now he's had another incident.

"Like all of us, we do good some days and don't do good the others," Jones said. "That's not to be confused with tolerating bad behavior or illegal

behavior. That's not what I'm talking about. I'm talking about just learning that your every move will be scrutinized and how in this day and time it will be looked at from many vantage points."

Elliott was a star before the

Cowboys drafted him fourth overall last year, having led Ohio State the first championship in the four-team playoff. He ran for an Ohio State bowl-record 246 yards and four touchdowns in the title game on his future home field in the

NFL. With 1,631 yards rushing last season, Elliott powered the Dallas offense alongside fellow rookie sensation Dak Prescott, who took now-retired Tony Romo's job with the best debut season for a quarterback in franchise history.

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Davis hits 2 HRs, has 6 RBIs as Orioles beat Rangers 12-1

BALTIMORE (AP) — Chris Davis homered in a six-run first inning, added a grand slam in the fourth and finished with a career-high six RBIs to help the Baltimore Orioles breeze past the Texas Rangers 12-1 on Tuesday night.

It was the 19th career multi-homer game for Davis, making his fifth start since coming off the disabled list with an oblique strain. Baltimore's cleanup hitter hadn't gone deep since June 10 and has 16 home runs after hitting 38 last season.

The Orioles scored six runs against Tyson Ross (2-2) before making an out, and that was enough to send Baltimore to its second straight win over Texas following a three-game sweep by the Chicago Cubs.

Dylan Bundy (9-8) allowed one run and four hits in six innings to earn his first victory since June 24.

Vying to stay afloat in the AL playoff picture, Texas pitched poorly and sputtered at the plate. In addition, center fielder Carlos Gomez got his glove around Davis' first-inning drive before the ball escaped over the wall. Shin-Soo Choo homered for the Rangers, who have lost three in a row and scored only six runs in their last four games.

After Choo hit the 23rd leadoff homer of his career, Baltimore responded with gusto in the bottom of the first. Jonathan Schoop doubled in two runs, Davis followed with the drive that eluded Gomez's grasp and Trey Mancini capped the uprising with a two-run homer.

In the fourth, Ross was lifted after a single, an error and a walk loaded the bases. Davis hit the second pitch from Austin Bibens-Dirkx into the center field seats. It was his eighth

career grand slam, the first this season.

Ross gave up nine runs, eight earned, in 3 1/3 innings. He's 0-3 with an 18.23 ERA in eight career games against Baltimore.

Seth Smith homered in the eighth to complete the Orioles' most lopsided win of the season.

NO DAY TRADER

Rangers manager Jeff Banister isn't thinking about buying or selling as the non-waiver trade deadline nears. "We need to go out and win baseball games with these guys," Banister said. "We don't worry about where we are in the division. The bottom line is that we have to go out with this group of players. We believe in these guys."

TRAINER'S ROOM

Rangers: Banister said he's "not sold" on the idea of a rehab assignment for RHP Keone Kela (right shoulder soreness) before the reliever comes off the DL. ... LHP Jake Diekman (ulcerative colitis) is in a throwing program and still has hope of playing this season. ... RHP A.J. Griffin (oblique), on the 60-day DL and eligible to be activated on July 26, is set to pitch for Triple-A Round Rock on Wednesday. He pitched three scoreless innings Friday for the Rangers rookie league team in Arizona.

Orioles: RHP Hunter Harvey, the 22nd overall pick in the 2013 draft, is slated to start in the Gulf Coast League on Wednesday — his first outing since elbow ligament replacement surgery last summer.

UP NEXT

Rangers: Martin Perez (5-6, 4.55 ERA) starts Wednesday in the third game of the series. He's 3-0 in his last four starts and his ERA hasn't been this low since May 29.



Texas Rangers manager Jeff Banister is seen past Rangers catcher Jonathan Lucroy as he stands in the dugout in the second inning of a baseball game against the Baltimore Orioles in Baltimore, Tuesday, July 18, 2017.

(AP Photo/Patrick Semansky)

Pirates rally past Brewers 4-3 in Marte's return

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Francisco Cervelli and Josh Harrison homered during a sixth-inning rally and the streaking Pittsburgh Pirates welcomed outfielder Starling Marte back with a 4-3 victory over the Milwaukee Brewers on Tuesday night.

Marte went 1 for 3 in his return from an 80-game suspension for violating the performance-enhancing drug policy. He also walked in the sixth, coming around to score on Harrison's 11th home run of the season that tied the game. David Freese put the Pirates ahead to stay with an RBI single off reliever Oliver Drake (3-3) later in the inning.

Ivan Nova (10-6) survived six innings to get the win. Felipe Rivero worked out of a two-on, one-out jam in the ninth for his eighth save. Pittsburgh won its third straight and pulled within five games of the first-place Brewers in the crowded NL Central.

Travis Shaw went 3 for 4, including a three-run homer off Nova in the third but was ejected in the eighth for arguing with home plate umpire Mike Muchlinski. Eric Thames, Hernan Perez and Manny Pina all had two hits each but Milwaukee left eight runners on while losing its third straight for the first time since early June.

Marte admitted he was worried about how he would be received three months removed from a misstep that delivered an early gut punch to the Pirates, one from which they have only recently recovered. Judging by the ovation from the fans in the left field seats when the two-time Gold Glover jogged out to his post before the first pitch, all appears to be forgiven. The applause grew louder when he made a sliding grab on a sinking liner by Milwaukee's Ryan Braun - who still gets booed at PNC Park four years removed from his own PED suspension - to end the inning.

There was a small undercurrent of boos when Marte stepped into the batter's box in the bottom of the first as "El Tarjetero" played over the loudspeakers. Yet when popped out in his first at-bat in 91 days, the concerns about his return being a distraction - at home at least - disappeared and it was on to his team's current matter of business: trying to elbow its way into the division race behind the front-running Brewers.

Milwaukee pounded Nova over six innings but only managed three runs, all coming on a towering shot to the concourse in right-center field by Shaw with one out in the third, the third baseman's fifth extra-base hit in his last 11 at-bats against

Nova and 21st homer of the season.

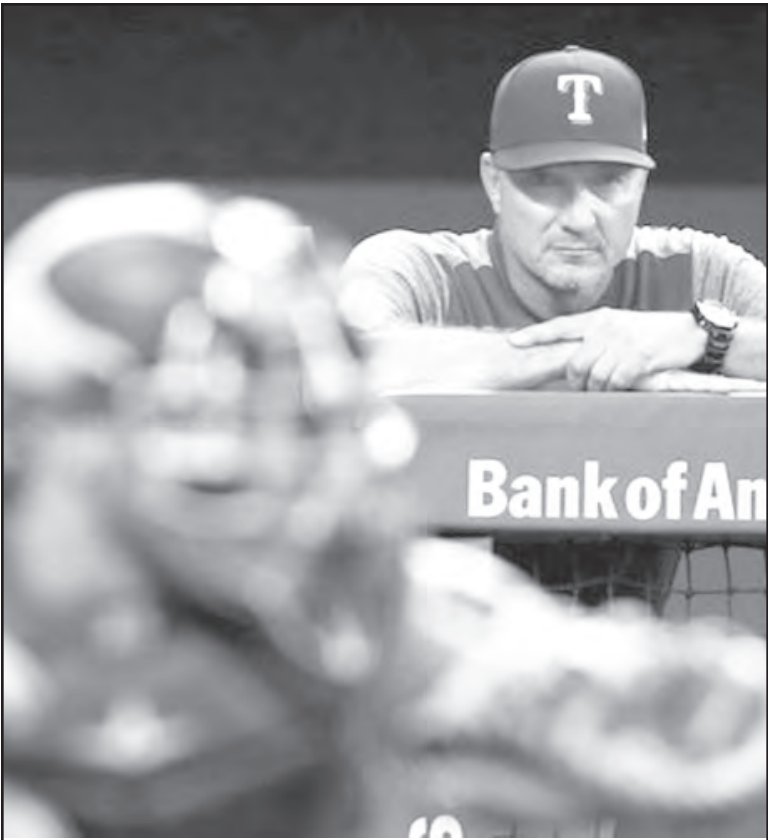
It could have been worse for the Pirates, but a single by Thames clipped teammate Domingo Santana between first and second and Perez was caught stealing later in the inning.

Still, it looked like it would be enough early as Junior Guerra faced the minimum over his first five innings in his return from a trip to the disabled list with a right shin contusion.

It all unraveled in the sixth. Cervelli led off with a home run and Marte started a two-out rally with a walk. Harrison tied it with a home run into the right-field seats and Freese gave the Pirates the lead when slapped a single to right off Drake to bring home Andrew McCutchen.

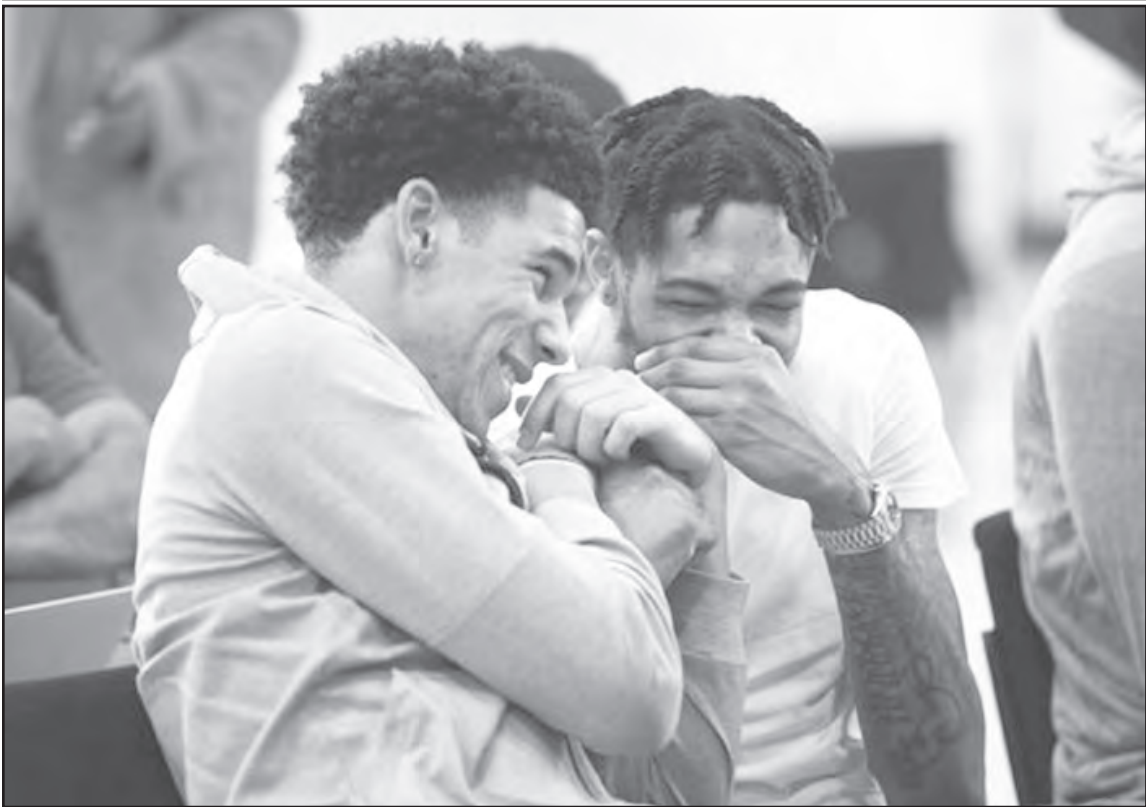
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Brewers: C Stephen Vogt is out for at least a month with a sprained left knee following a collision at home plate on Monday night. Manager Craig Counsell says Vogt will miss "significant time" after getting inadvertently bowled over by Pittsburgh pitcher Chad Kuhl on a play at the plate. The team recalled Jett Bandy from Triple-A Colorado Springs to fill in. Bandy hit .211 with six home runs and 18 RBIs during his first stint with Milwaukee this season.



Texas Rangers manager Jeff Banister is seen past Rangers catcher Jonathan Lucroy as he stands in the dugout in the second inning of a baseball game against the Baltimore Orioles in Baltimore, Tuesday, July 18, 2017.

(AP Photo/Patrick Semansky)



Los Angeles Lakers’ Lonzo Ball, left, and Brandon Ingram share a laugh while listening to Magic Johnson during a news conference held to introduce Kentavious Caldwell-Pope Tuesday, July 18, 2017, in Los Angeles.

(AP Photo/Jae C. Hong)

Lakers showing life with summer league title, KCP signing

EL SEGUNDO, Calif. (AP) — The Los Angeles Lakers’ impressive run to a Las Vegas summer league championship was still on Magic Johnson’s mind when he returned home to introduce Kentavious Caldwell-Pope, his biggest free agent signing to date.

When asked to explain why he was excited about adding the talented two-way guard to the young core that excelled in Vegas, Magic brought out a little Showtime.

“If we don’t defend, we can’t run,” Johnson said Tuesday, his voice rising with excitement. “And we want to run, run, run, run, run. You can’t do that unless you get stops. So I’m going to love to see him on one wing, B.I. (Brandon Ingram) on the other. (Lonzo) Ball is in the middle. Julius (Randle) trailing, (Brook) Lopez trailing after that — whoooooo! It’s going to be awesome.”

As president of basketball operations, Johnson is responsible for creating and executing a plan to return the Lakers to championship contention after the worst four-year stretch in franchise history. Yet he realizes he’s equally responsible for selling that plan to his players, potential free agents and the Lakers’ vast worldwide fan base.

Not many people can talk like the Lakers’ loquacious Hall of Famer, and Magic says he’s even better when he really has something to sell.

After Johnson’s coup in landing Caldwell-Pope last week was followed by an eye-catching performance in Las

Vegas from league MVP Ball and his summertime teammates, this long-struggling franchise is showing signs of life.

Magic intends to make sure everybody knows it.

“We’re already better,” Johnson said. “I’ll tell you what, I would not want to miss a Laker game this season, because it’s going to be exciting every single night.

Just like we saw in summer league, it was exciting every game, and it’s going to happen during the season, too. It’s going to be amazing.”

The Lakers entered the off-season at the lowest point in the 16-time NBA champion franchise’s history.

Los Angeles won just 91 games in the past four seasons combined, and owner Jeanie Buss blew up her front office last season while the Lakers missed the playoffs in four straight years for the first time ever.

When Johnson and general manager Rob Pelinka took over in February, they mapped out a plan to fix the franchise. They made a list of objectives, ranging from adding a pass-first point guard to preserving enough salary-cap space for two max contracts in 2018 free agency.

They traded D’Angelo Russell to create that cap room last month, and they subsequently drafted Ball and Vegas championship game MVP Kyle Kuzma to flesh out a young core that promptly won the summer league.

Their loyal fans packed Las Vegas for the past two weeks,

producing the league’s first sold-out game against Boston on July 8 and cheering on the youngsters who represent hope after the Lakers’ steady half-decade decline.

“I think what we saw in Vegas is that there is a new energy around the Lakers,” said Pelinka, Johnson’s constant companion from their pre-workout morning phone calls to their entire workdays spent in each other’s offices.

“We have to find greatness in the details before we can get another championship trophy, and that’s what everyone is committed to here.

I know each of our players that are here today are committed to that, and that’s what KCP is committed to as well.”

The Lakers’ team bus from summer league play returned to El Segundo moments before Caldwell-Pope’s introductory news conference, and the summer stars stayed in the gym to welcome their new teammate.

Ball sat in the front row next to Ingram, who stuck around in Vegas for the past two weeks to be with his teammates, even though his summer season ended after one game due to injury precautions.

Caldwell-Pope agreed to a one-year, \$18 million deal to keep open his options next summer, but the mere fact that the longtime Detroit starter would agree to join the rebuilding Lakers left Johnson visibly grateful.

Magic’s father back home in Michigan helped to sell him on Caldwell-Pope, who was Earvin Sr.’s favorite Piston.



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Irwin: Elway faces long shot to play in 2018 Senior Open

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (AP) — Hale Irwin knows all about switching from the grid-iron to the greens, so when he heard John Elway might try to qualify for the U.S. Senior Open next year, he just shook his head.

“Good luck. He’d better throw some tight spirals, I’m telling you,” Irwin cracked Tuesday at the tournament’s launch party at The Broadmoor.

“John’s an accomplished athlete, of course, but there’s been a number of guys that came out and were rudely awakened to how well these guys can play because they’re coming out now with very accomplished skills, very refined skills.

“And not that John doesn’t have them. But at the same time it would be — what’s the word just short of miracle? — I’d be pleasantly surprised if he made it,” Irwin continued. “It would be wonderful if he did. I hope he does, frankly.”

Elway, 57, certainly has the chops — he’s a 1.4-handicap golfer, well under the requisite 3.4.

“Well, you know, that’s great,” Irwin retorted good-naturedly. “That means absolutely zero to those guys out there that are ready to carve him up. It’s a different arena. It’s a different amphitheater, all of the things that you’re used to having, the creature comforts of playing with your friends and not worrying about throwing another ball down, hitting it, they’re gone.”

Elway will have a presence at the 39th U.S. Senior Open even if he’s not teeing off on the notoriously knotty East Course — he’s the tournament’s honorary chairman.

The ever-competitive Elway, who won two Super Bowls during his Hall of Fame playing career and another as the Denver Broncos’ gen-

eral manager, said last year that he’d love to play in the tournament but that he’d have to improve his putting.

“But I’m like every other amateur, too, you don’t go to the putting green, you go to the driving range, right?” Elway said. “If I went to the putting green it might help a little bit.”

Elway took up golf during the springs of playing career and refined his game after retiring in 1999, but he hasn’t had as much time to work on his putting since moving into the Broncos front office in 2010. His golf resume includes two Colorado Senior Open appearances and he is past president of Cherry Hills Country Club in Denver.

Irwin was a two-sport star at the University of Colorado, where he was a quarterback and cornerback in the mid-1960s before becoming the NCAA golf champion in 1967. The three-time U.S. Open winner is the leading money winner of the Senior PGA Tour.

At 72, Irwin said his own playing days are numbered, but he’s not planning on quitting anytime soon.

“Part of where I stand now in the game of golf is the carry the banner of golf. It’s not necessarily to see how many more tournaments I can play in, because that’s coming slowly to a halt,” he said. “But at the same time, you want to be active in the game that’s been so good to me.

“As a competitor when you’re stepping down, that’s a hard step. We mentioned John Elway. I think John will say the same thing: when we get in that arena, it’s hard to turn off that juice, it really is. And that’s been the hardest part for me.”



Hale Irwin speaks with children before teeing off on the fourth hole at The Broadmoor’s East Golf Course on Tuesday, July 18, 2017 in Colorado Springs, Colo. Irwin’s tee shot capped the launch party for the 2018 U.S. Senior Open, where Denver Broncos general manager John Elway will serve as honorary chairman.

(AP Photo/Arnie Stapleton).



Arizona Diamondbacks’ Reymond Fuentes (14) celebrates with third base coach Tony Perezchica (1) after hitting a three-run home run off Cincinnati Reds starting pitcher Lisalverto Bonilla in the seventh inning of a baseball game, Tuesday, July 18, 2017, in Cincinnati.

(AP Photo/John Minchillo)

Diamondbacks acquire All-Star OF JD Martinez from Tigers

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — J.D. Martinez had been the subject of trade speculation for weeks, and it reached such a crescendo Monday night that even his mom texted to ask if Detroit’s star outfielder had been dealt when he left a game in Kansas City with a sore back. Turns out she was only off by a day. The Arizona Diamondbacks acquired Martinez for a trio of prospects on Tuesday, hoping to solidify a trouble spot in the outfield with a sorely needed right-handed bat for a run at the playoffs. “I don’t think he was surprised,” Tigers general manager Al Avila said. “I think he was hoping it didn’t happen, quite frankly. I didn’t want it to happen. I wanted to be out here in first place. I think it was hard for him because, like he said, this is his home. This is where he became J.D. Martinez.” Martinez, who is making \$11.75 million this year and can become a free agent after the season, acknowledged he would likely be traded with the Tigers sliding from contention. The 29-year-old former All-Star is hitting .305 with 16 homers and 39 RBIs, making him one of the

premier right-handed bats on the market. “You knew it was going to happen. You don’t really know how you’re going to feel. It doesn’t hit you until they tell you,” he said. “It’s definitely tough. I love this organization. I love the fans. I love everything in Detroit. That’s home for me. I’ve always said that.” But as the Diamondbacks try to hold down the top spot in the NL wild-card race, their desire to make a playoff push led them to Martinez, who happens to provide exactly what they needed. “We’re excited to add a middle-of-the-order corner outfielder to our lineup,” said Diamondbacks general manager Mike Hazen, adding that he might not be done dealing ahead of the July 31 deadline. Avila also said more trades are possible. Tigers closer Justin Wilson has been drawing plenty of attention, and the club is hoping to shed payroll as it begins to rebuild. Martinez spent three mid-dling seasons in Houston before signing as a free agent with Detroit, where he became one of the top power hitters in the game. He hit 38 homers and

drove in 102 runs in 2015 and hit 22 homers in 120 games last season. More important for Arizona has been his success against left-handed pitching. The Diamondbacks are next-to-last in the majors with a .213 average against lefties, and top hitters Jake Lamb and David Peralta bat left-handed and have struggled against them. Those problems have been made even worse by a groin injury to outfielder Yasmany Tomas, who is not expected back anytime soon. Martinez is expected to slide into Tomas’ spot in left field. “It’s going to be weird — a new clubhouse, new players,” Martinez said. “They’ve got a great team over there. They’ve been good for a reason. I’m just hoping to go over there and hop on their train and just do what I can to help them keep doing what they’ve been doing.” The trade was nearly completed Monday night, when Martinez left late in the Tigers’ game against the Kansas City Royals. At nearly the same time, top Nationals prospect Victor Robles was removed from his game at Class-A Potomac,

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sending social media ablaze amid speculation that the two teams agreed to a trade. Martinez wound up having a sore back. Robles was pulled for a baserunning blunder. But those details only came to light after Martinez was inundated with text messages from friends and family — “Mom texted,” he said with a slight smile — asking where he had been traded. “The timing was really, really bad,” Avila said. “Here we were yesterday coming close to a deal and he comes out of a game. That was really awkward. The timing wasn’t the best. But they did a very thorough check and whatever thoughts they had were fine, because obviously they went through with the deal.” Detroit received Double-A third baseman Dawel Lugo, switch-hitting infield prospect Sergio Alcantara and shortstop Jose King in the deal Tuesday. Lugo, a sterling defensive third baseman with a solid bat, is regarded as the Diamondbacks’ No. 2 overall prospect. Avila said he wanted to bolster the Tigers’ farm system with position prospects and jumped at the chance to add three infielders. As for Martinez, the Tigers hope that one day he’ll return to Detroit. Martinez said the feeling is mutual. “Me and Al go way back. He’s like family to me, close to family as you can get in baseball. I know it was hard for him,” he said.



⊗ Detroit Tigers' J.D. Martinez looks skyward after rounding the bases after a solo home run during the eighth inning of a baseball game against the Toronto Blue Jays, Sunday, July 16, 2017, in Detroit. (AP Photo/Carlos Osorio)

Season's over for Twins righty Phil Hughes, put on 60-day DL

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Minnesota Twins right-hander Phil Hughes will miss the rest of the season because of persistent arm trouble related to a condition that required rib removal surgery a year ago.

The Twins put Hughes, who was 4-3 with a 5.87 ERA in 53 2/3 innings, on the 60-day disabled list before their game Tuesday against New York. Manager Paul Molitor said another operation is possible.

Hughes recovered from the thoracic outlet syndrome procedure for a spot in the rotation to begin the season, but he was placed on the disabled list after nine starts with a recurrence of shoulder discomfort and weakness. Hughes returned as a reliever earlier this month, making five appearances, but he was unable to pitch more than one or two innings before losing feeling in his fingers.

"The symptoms were still there, at least to some degree," Molitor said. "We haven't been able to stretch him out to see just how far he could go, and our focus is to try and have a healthy Phil Hughes heading into the camp next year."

The Twins needed space on the 40-man roster for right-hander Bartolo Colon, who was to start against the Yankees and needed to be added because he was initially signed to a minor-league contract. The Twins also sent first baseman/designated hitter Kennys Vargas to Triple-A Rochester and returned left-

handed reliever Craig Breslow from the disabled list.

Hughes is making \$13.2 million this season, as part of a three-year, \$42 million contract extension he signed after a strong debut season with the Twins in 2014. Since then, his career has been derailed by injuries. But the Twins will owe him another \$13.2 million in 2018 and 2019, so there's plenty of reason to give the 31-year-old time to consult again with doctors and figure out the best way to return his arm to full strength.

Hughes had a long talk Monday with Molitor, chief baseball officer Derek Falvey, general manager Thad Levine and pitching coach Neil Allen about the practicality of him trying to contribute as a mop-up reliever and the likelihood of another procedure.

"It all points to something's going happen in that regard, and therefore you're looking at potentially a two-to-four-month rehab," Molitor said. "I think it would be very unrealistic to think that he's going to have a chance to pitch this year. We're trying to focus on next spring."

Breslow missed 17 games with rib soreness. He has a 5.28 ERA in 29 innings, with 10 walks and 18 strikeouts.

Vargas has been sent to Triple-A four times this season, including his assignment the day before the season opener. He's hitting .244 with eight home runs and 30 RBIs in 50 games.



FILE - In this April 7, 2017, file photo, Minnesota Twins starting pitcher Phil Hughes throws against the Chicago White Sox during a baseball game in Chicago. Hughes will miss the rest of the season because of persistent arm trouble related to a condition that required rib removal surgery a year ago. The Twins put Hughes on the 60-day disabled list Tuesday, July 18, and manager Paul Molitor said another operation is possible. (AP Photo/Kamil Krzaczyński, File)



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A MANDATORY Pre-Bid Meeting for all contractors will be held on July 27, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. at the Department of Procurement- Conference Room. Bids will not be accepted from bidders who are not present at the pre-bid meeting.
- 4. CONTRACT DOCUMENTS**
Electronic copies of contract documents, including Plans and Scope of Work can be examined or obtained from the Office of Procurement during regular business hours free of charge.
- 5.** The American Samoa Government reserves the right not to accept the lowest or any bid.
- 6.** The American Samoa Government reserves the right to waive any informality in bidding as may be in the best interest of American Samoa Government.


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Foul! NJ gov Christie catches ball at Mets game, gets booed

NEW YORK (AP) — Fans at the Cardinals-Mets game cheered when a man neatly caught a foul ball at Citi Field — until they realized it was Chris Christie.

The New Jersey governor then got loudly booed Tuesday night.

The ovation quickly turned sour after Christie stood up and slapped hands with another fan. No matter that Christie gave the souvenir to a kid.

Christie was sitting in the third row, near the New York dugout. In the third inning, St. Louis rookie Paul DeJong lifted a high foul that bounced in the stands, and Christie reached out with his left hand and snagged it.

The embattled Republican recently tried out for a spot on popular sports talk radio station WFAN in New York.



FILE - In this May 28, 2016, file photo, Seattle Storm's Sue Bird (10) smiles as she leaves the court for a timeout during a WNBA game against Connecticut, in Seattle. Bird will start in the WNBA All-Star Game in front of her home crowd after she was selected Tuesday, July 11, 2017, as a starter. Bird will be making her 10th All-Star appearance, tying her with Tamika Catchings, who retired last year.

(AP Photo/Elaine Thompson, File)

Ogwumike, Griner, Stewart headline WNBA All-Star reserves

NEW YORK (AP) — There will be a lot of fresh faces in Seattle for the All-Star Game this weekend, including reigning rookie of the year Breanna Stewart.

The Storm's leading scorer was one of six reserves announced on Tuesday night who will be playing in their first All-Star contest.

She's joined on the West team by Los Angeles' Nneka Ogumike and Chelsea Gray, Dallas' Skylar Diggins-Smith, Minnesota's Seimone Augustus and Phoenix's Brittney Griner.

Griner, the league's leading scorer, won't play though after injuring her ankle and knee last week. WNBA President Lisa Borders will announce a replacement for Griner on Wednesday.

Stewart and Gray will be playing in the game for the first time. The East has four reserves competing in their first All-Star contest. Atlanta teammates Layshia Clarendon and Elizabeth Williams will be making their first appearances. So will Chicago's Allie Quigley and Connecticut's Alyssa Thomas. They are joined by Chicago's Stefanie Dolson and Indiana's Candice Dupree to round out the East reserves.

With starters Tiffany Hayes, Jonquel Jones and Jasmine Thomas all playing in their first All-Star Games, the East has seven first-timers.

Dupree and starter Tina Charles are the only two players on the East team who have been selected more than twice since Elena Delle Donne is out with an injury. She too will be replaced by Borders on Wednesday. "It's great to see so many new faces and we'll have a good time out there," Charles said of all the All-Star rookies. DuPree is the third player to make the All-Star Game with three different teams, doing it with Chicago, Phoenix and now Indiana. She joins Cappie Pondexter and Tina Thompson.

While Charles is the lone representative from New York, for now, Atlanta and Connecticut each have three players competing.

"I'm so, so excited to be part of the All-Star team this year," Williams said. "It's even more exciting that I get to share this time with two of my teammates, Tip (Tiffany Hayes) and Lay (Layshia Clarendon). Seattle is an awesome basketball city so I'm looking forward to a great weekend."



IN THE COMMUNITY

Pago Pago Lions Club – Installation of new officers.
(Photos: Leua)





People dive into the Charles River during the “City Splash” event, Tuesday, July 18, 2017, in Boston. For the fifth year in a row, intrepid swimmers get a rare chance to beat the summer heat with a dip in the once notoriously filthy Charles River, where conservationists are working to build a permanent swim park.

(AP Photo/Elise Amendola)

Wacha tosses 3-hitter, Cardinals top error-prone Mets 5-0

NEW YORK (AP) — Michael Wacha threw a three-hitter for his first career shutout, Matt Carpenter had four hits, and the St. Louis Cardinals beat the New York Mets 5-0 Tuesday night.

Wacha (7-3) has won his last four starts. He struck out eight and walked one in his 99th career start.

The 26-year-old right-hander, who was ineffective last season, had not won four straight starts since the 2013 playoffs when he helped lead St. Louis to the World Series.

Wacha and the Cardinals

capitalized on a show Wednesday, July 19, 2017 Mets defense that let down starter Rafael Montero (1-6) with three errors. Montero allowed four runs, two earned, in six innings. New York has lost three straight and eight of 11.

The first of Carpenter’s four hits was a first-inning double into the right field corner. He advanced to third on third baseman T.J. Rivera’s throwing error and scored on Jedd Gyorko’s sacrifice fly.

The Cardinals took advantage of two more errors during a three-run second inning.



Swinney: Clemson’s McCloud likely limited early in practice

CLEMSON, S.C. (AP) — Clemson receiver Ray-Ray McCloud will be limited when the Tigers start practice as he recovers from an injured wrist.

McCloud needed a pin placed in his wrist this off-season. Tigers coach Dabo Swinney said McCloud will be able to practice when the national champions return to the field for fall camp on Aug. 3. But Swinney said McCloud likely will not be full-go for a week or so as he continues to recover. McCloud is a 5-foot-10 junior from Tampa, Florida, projected to be one of Clemson’s starting wideouts with the departures of Mike Williams and Artavis Scott.

McCloud has had 78 catches for 723 yards and three touchdowns the past two seasons. He’s probably best known for dropping the ball early before crossing the goal line to negate a punt return TD against Troy last year.

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Mata'utia tulaga ua i ai fualaau fa'asaina i totonu o Amerika Samoa

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O le iloiloga a le Komiti o le Puipuiga o le Saogalemu Lautele a le maota o sui, ma le Fa'atonusili o le Matagaluega o le Puipuiga o le Saogalemu Fa'alotoifale a le malo i le taeao ananafi, na fa'amanino ai e Samana S. Veavea le tulaga mata'utia ua i ai le fa'afitauli o fualaau fa'asaina i totonu o Amerika Samoa i le taimi nei, talu ona amata mai su'esu'ega a se vaega fa'apitoa a lona Ofisa.

E mafua ona mata'utia le tulaga ua i ai le fa'afitauli o le fualaau fa'asaina i le atunu'u e pei ona saunoa Samana, ona o ni isi o tagata o lo o a'afia i le aumaia atoa ai ma le fa'atauina o fualaau fa'asaina, o tagata o lo o galulue i totonu o Ofisa a le malo ma pisinisi tua. "Ua matua le iloga se auala e ulufale mai ai fualaau fa'asaina i le atunu'u, e le gata ua sau i va'alele, o va'alalo ae ua oo lava fo'i i va'a fagota alia, ma ua ave nei mau auala eseese ua mafua ai ona fa'atupulaia fualaau fa'asaina i le atunu'u ma a'afia atu ai ma fanau aoga", o le saunoaga lea a Samana. "I le aoga lava ia a Fagaitua, e le gata ua i ai fanau aoga ua a'afia ae o lo o a'afia ai fo'i ma ni isi o faiaoga i le fa'atauina atu o fualaau fa'asaina, o totonu o afioaga ua a'afia ai fo'i ni isi o Pulenu'u, i su'esu'ega a lo'u Ofisa o lo o fa'agasolo pea lava i le taimi nei, ua manino mai ai o lo o iloa uma lava e aoga ma afioaga ia faiaoga ma Pulenu'u o lo o a'afia i lenei fa'afitauli, ae o le fa'alavelave e

fefefe i latou e talanoa mai e uiga i lenei mataupu, ma afai la e tu'u ai lava fa'apea e le faia i ai se galuga, ona atili ai loa lea ona mata'utia lenei fa'afitauli".

Saunoa atili Samana e fa'apea, soo se nofoaga lava i le atunu'u o lo o masalomia le i ai o fualaau fa'asaina, e mautinoa fo'i lava o lo o tele ai ma a'upega fa'asaina, ma o lona popolega numera tasi lena o lo o i ai i le taimi nei, o le saogalemu a lana aufaigaluega o lo o gafa ma le su'esu'eina o lenei mataupu, aua e leai ma se isi o i latou o i ai se a'upega e puipuia ai lona ola. O le fa'afitauli lea ua tula'i mai i le taimi nei, talu ona galulue le Ofisa o le Puipuiga o le Saogalemu Fa'alotoifale e su'esu'e ma sailiili fa'amatalaga e uiga i fualaau fa'asaina e pei ona saunoa Samana, ua amata ai ona tula'i mai fete'enaiga i le va o tagata faigaluega a ni isi o Ofisa a le malo, ma latou fesiligia ai le aia e su'esu'e ai fua e lona Ofisa lenei mataupu. "O isi taimi a tau fesiligia atu sui o le Ofisa o Tiute ae fa'asaga mai ma fesiligia lo'u Ofisa, o fea tou te o i ai, ma ua tau tula'i mai ai tulaga fete'ena'i i galuega fa'atino, ae o le agaga atoa e pei ona finagalo i ai le ali'i kovana, ia fa'aitiitia le fa'afitauli o fualaau fa'asaina i Amerika Samoa", o le saunoaga lea a Samana.

Na fa'amaonia e Samana i luma o le komiti, le i ai o tagata faigaluega a le Ofisa o Tiute ua masalomia lo latou auai i le aumaia fa'anana o

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Le Faatonusili o le Matagaluega o le Puipuiga o le Saogalemu Fa'alotoifale, Samana S. Veavea.

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Nisi o sui o lo’o auai i Amerika Samoa i le fonotaga lona 104 a Pulega o Uafu ma Taulaga o lo’o ua aofia ai le Pasefika.
[ata: Leua Aiono Frost]



O se va’auga i le tausala Lalelei o Amerika Samoa Antonina Lilomaiava i le taimi o le siva a le Petesa Uta CCCAS Youth.
[ata: Leua Aiono Frost]

► Mata’utia tulaga ua...

fualaau fa’asaina i le atunu’u, ma ua mae’a ona silafia e lana aufaigaluega tulaga ia.

Sa ia fa’amaonia atili i lana molimau i luma o le komiti a le maota o sui, o va’alele mai Samoa atoa ai ma le va’alele mai Hawai’i, o isi ia auala o femalagaaiga ua maua e lana aufaigaluega o lo o ulufale mai ai fualaau fa’asaina i le atunu’u, e o o lava fo’i i va’a fagota alia, e na o le sau lava o le va’a alia ma lana uta lafoa’i mai i le isi va’a i Tutuila nei ona toe malaga ese atu lea e aunoa ma se isi na te iloa, ma o tulaga uma ia o lo o galulue i ai lona Ofisa ina ia su’esu’eina ma fa’amautu lelei mau e lagolagoina ai.

Na fesili le sui fofoga fetalai ia Fetui Fetu Jr pe i ai ni fa’amaoniga o nei molimau, ae na saunoa Samana, e i ai fa’amaoniga ua mae’a ona maua e lona Ofisa, ae le mafai ona ia fa’amatu’uina atu i luma o le komiti, ona o puipuiga lava i ola o le aufaigaluega o lo o gafa ma le fa’atinoina o su’esu’ega.

Na fesili le afioga i le tama’ita’i faipule ia Vui

Florence Saulo pe fa’apecta uta o lo o aumai i totonu o containers i luga o le uafu, pe ua i ai ni fualaau fa’asaina ua maua ai talu ona aumai masini e su’e ai uta (scanners) a le malo, ae na saunoa Samana e fa’apea, ua i ai ni isi o containers ua maua i ai fualaau fa’asaina talu ona fa’aaoga masini a le Ofisa o Tiute e su’e ai, ae o le isi fo’i tulaga lea ua maitauina e lona Ofisa, e le o containers uma e ulufale mai i totonu o le atunu’u e siaki e le aufaigaluega a le Ofisa o Tiute, ma o le mea moni, e iloa loa o le container o loo aumai ai fualaau fa’asaina ona fa’aui ese loa lea i le isi itu.

Ina ia foia fa’afitauli i fualaau fa’asaina, na taua e Samana le mae’a lea ona tu’uina atu o se talosaga a lona Ofisa i le vaega a le feterale o loo auala mai ai le latou alagatupe fesoasoani, e fa’atau mai ai se va’a e fesoasonai i le latou galuega i luga o le sami, ina ia mautinoa latou te mata’ituina tulaga o loo masalomia le auala mai ai o fualaau fa’asaina i le atunu’u.

Tatala aloaia fonotaga lona 104 Uafu & Tulaga in Pago Pago

tusia: Leua Aiono Frost

O le taeao ananafi na tatala aloaia ai le fonotaga lona 104 a Pulega o Uafu ma Taulaga o lo’o ua aofia ai le Pasefika i a latou ala o tautua fa’avaomalo ma o le lona 104 lea o nei fonotaga, lea o lo’o talimalo ai Amerika Samoa i le Fale Laumei i Utulei.

E ese mai pulega o Uafu ma Taulaga, sa aofia ai ma sui o kamupani va’aolua,

va’a suau’u ma kamupani Suau’u i lea fo’i fonotaga taua.

O nisi o nei kamupani va’a e aofia ai le Matson ma le Humburg Sud, o se fonotaga sa i ai a latou folasaga sa fa’atulaga, aua ua fa’afogaina ai,

e taumafai i latou e taofi mau le tautua lelei ma ia saogalemu le fela’ua’iga o uta mo le mamalu o tagatanu’u o atumotu o le Pasefika ua latou tautuaina, fa’atasi ai ma le fa’amoemoe maua, ia le faia ma ni soligatulafono tau fela’ua’iga o oloa i luga o le vasa ma fa’aoo atu i uafu a malo ta’itasi o lo’o latou tautuaina.

O se tasi o fa’amatalaga sa fa’amauiina mai folasaga amata o le aso, lea sa tu’uina lea ia Amerika Samoa, sa fa’aioa ai,

“O Singapore o le Malo lea o lo’o numera tasi i le lalolagi i le latou fa’atulagaga o le tautua mo Uafu ma Taulaga, i femalaga’iga o va’a oloa, va’a la’u pasese laiti ma Meli tetele, va’a la’u sua’u ma va’a fagota.”

O le Uafu fo’i o Amerika Samoa, o se tasi o Uafu ua faia ma so’otaga o fela’ua’iga o Oloa i le va o le Iunaite Setete ma atumotu o le Pasefika. Peita’i,

o nisi o Va’a Oloa ma Meli la’u pasese tetele ua fa’aaogaina e i latou Aukilani i Niu Sila e uia mai, a’o le’i fa’asolo mai a latou malaga i malo fa’a-atumotu o le

va’a ma latou paese e i le va o le 600-3,700 tagata maimoa e malaga mai ai, ma maimoaina toe fa’atau oloa a le atunu’u. O se si’itaga fo’i lea i le tamaoiga tausii o Amerika Samoa.

I le avanoa mo le folasaga a Greg Chu o le Matson Shipping Company, na iloga ai sa amatalia le tautua a leni Kamupani Va’a la’u Oloa i le tausaga 1882 lea na amata mai i le fa’aaogaina o la, se’ia o’o ina latou fa’aaogaina le penesini e tafu mai le malala.

Mai le vaitausaga o le 1990 na fa’alautele ai le tautua mai le la’u pasese i le aofia ai ma va’a oloa ma le felaua’iga o meli. I le vaitau o Taua i le lalolagi, sa matele ai ina tele le fela’ua’iga o tagata po’o pasese ona o le fevesia’i o le lalolagi i taua - 1920-1930.

I le vaitausaga o le 1940, taimi lea o le taua lona lua i le lalolagi, ma ua suia ane ai le auauanaga i le fausiga o va’a tau, ma ua matele ai ina fa’aaogaina va’a ia mo le fela’uaiga o meatau ma tagata tau. Ua fa’aitiitia ai le tele o va’a mo fela’ua’iga o pasese ma oloa.

Vaitau o le 1950-1970 ua o’o ina fausia va’a mo le fela’ua’iga o Pusa Oloa tetele mo fefa’ataua’iga o Oloa eseese. Fausia fo’i lea o va’a suau’u muamua lava a le Matson i le vaitausaga 1960.

I le 1970 na fausia muamua ai e le Matson le va’a na fa’aigoaina “Hawaiian Enterprise” o se vaa oloa sili lea ona tele sa fausia i totonu o Amerika.

Peita’i i le vaitau leni ua toe o’o mai ai le Matson e fa’aleleia atili lana auauanaga i totonu o le Vasa Pasefika i Saute.

1980 na amatalia ai lana auauanaga i le va’a o

“Maui and Kauai.” I le 1992 na amatalia ai malaga a le “R.J. Pleiffer” o le va’a e fa’aaoga ai le Diesel,

1996 na amata ai le Tau-tuaina o Guam ma e aofia ai ma atumotu i CNMI ma FSM.

2003 - 2006 na amata ai malaga o va’a oloa e fa ua maea fausia e Sofia ma tekonoosi

fou mo femala’iga saogalemu i luga o le vasa. 2006 amatalia le fela’uaiga o oloa i le malo o Saina.

Mai lea auauanaga lava a le Matson, sa fa’aofi atu ai loa ma le toe tatala o le so’otaga ma Niu Sila ma ua fa’amautu ai nei le Ofisa auto mo Pasefika i Saute Aukilani o lo’o alaala ai Chu, o se tama na soifua a’e i Hawaii ma a’oga ai, ao le’i sailia lona fa’aioaga maua i luga i le U.S. Merchant Marine Academy

i Kings Point ma lona MBA fa’apisinisi i le Iunivesite o Loyola Marymont. O ia lea sa tutula’i mo lana lea folasaga e tusa o le auauanaga a le Matson lea ua toe fa’alautele, fa’aleleia ma fa’atelea’i atili mo tatou fela’ua’iga. O le folasaga na soso’o ai o le tama’ita’i lea o Isabel Hudson, o le tama’ita’i na soifua a’e i Amerika Samoa ae ua avea nei ma sui o le kamupani a le Humburg Sud’s North America Inc.

Sa ia fa’aioa fo’i le umi ona tautua Amerika Samoa, Samoa ma Tonga e lea kamupani va’a tele mo fela’ua’iga o latou Pusa Oloa mo fefa’ataua’iga.

Ina ua ma’ea le sauniga amata e tatala ai le aso ma saunoa le tama’ita’i fa’atonusili o Malaeva’alele, Uafu ma Taulaga o le tatou Malo,

Taimalelagi Dr. Claire Tuia Poumele ma sa ia fa’aioa fo’i le agaga fiafia o le faigamalo a Amerika Samoa mai ona ta’ita’i, le kapeneta ma le mamalu lautele o le atunu’u, e talimalo i leni fa’amoemoe taua.

Na saunoa le afioga i le Sui Kovana, Lemana Peleti Mauga mo lana saunoaga fa’afeiloa’ia le au usufono. O fa’afiafiaga sa saunia e le Autalavou a Petesa Uta EFKAS ma sa taua luga lea fa’afiafiaga matagofie e le Tausala Lalelei o Amerika Samoa,

Antonina Lilomaiava. Mata’ina i le vasega o malo mai fafo lea fo’i agaifanua a le tatou atunu’u, ma sa latou fa’aalia muamua lava, a’o le’i amatalia folasaga amata o le fonotaga.



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Leai se ripoti a Leoleo fa’asaga mataupu aafia ai fanau aoga mai i Leone

tusia Ausage Fausia

O le iloiloga sa faia a le Komiti o Aoga a le Senate ma sui o le Matagaluega o Aoga a le malo i le taeao ananafi, na manino ai i saunoaga a molimau le leai o se ripoti a le Ofisa o Leoleo fa’asaga i le mataupu lea o lo o tu’u fesili ai le to’atele, i le faiaoga mai le Aoga Maua-luga a Leone lea o lo o fa’asaga i ai tu’uaiga, i lona faia lea o ni uiga mataga i ni ali’i aoga talavou.

O le Sui Fa’atonusili o Aoga a le malo ia Philo Jennings, atoa ai ma le Puleaoga a le aoga maualuga a Leone na molimau i le iloiloga sa fa’atautaia e le ta’ita’ifono o le Komiti o Aoga a le Senate, afioga i le ali’i Sen- atoa ia Faiivae Iuli A. Godinet.

O le mataupu leni sa ripotia e le Samoa News i ni nai masina e le i mamao atu, i le mae’a ai lea ona fa’amaonia mai e se sui sinia o le Matagaluega o Leoleo, le faigata lea ona faia o su’esu’ega a le Ofisa o Leoleo fa’asaga i leni mataupu, ona e le o mafai e le foma’i sa ia faia le suega fa’asaga i le tamaititi aoga na a’afia ona ia fa’amatu’u mai fa’amatalaga e fa’atatau i le suega, ma talosagaina ai loa le fesoasoani a le atunu’u lautele mo le tu’uina atu o ni isi fa’amatalaga e fa’atatau i leni mataupu.

E le gata sa taua i le ripoti a le Samoa News le fa’amaonia i le suega sa faia a le falema’i, le a’afia o le tamaititi i faiga fa’afeusuaiga (STP), ae o le faiaoga fo’i o lo o tu’uaia i leni mataupu, o se Fa’afafine, lea e talitonu ua ia tuua le atunu’u ae ua malaga atu nei i se vaega o Amerika.

Na taua e le afioga i le ali’i Senatoa ia Paepae I. Faiiai i le taimi o le iloiloga e fa’apea, o se ripoti sa ia faitau ai i le nusi- pepa i se taimi ua mavae atu e uiga i le mataupu leni, na mafua ai loa ona ia talosagaina le Komiti o Aoga a le maota mo se iloiloga, se’i fesiligia ai le tulaga ua o o i ai le su’esu’eina o leni mataupu, ae pe ua i ai fo’i se fa’aiuga a le Ofisa o Aoga ua faia i le faiaoga o lo o tu’uaia.

Na fa’amanino e Jennings i luma o le Komiti e fa’apea, ua mae’a ona logoina Ofisa uma a le malo e gafa ma le su’esu’eina o leni mataupu e aofia ai ma le Ofisa o Leoleo, i le ulua’i taimi na logoina ai le Ofisa autu o

Aoga e fa’atatau i le mataupu leni.

“Pau le tala mulimuli na ou toe maua lata mai, e le o mafai e le Ofisa o Leoleo ona su’esu’eina leni mataupu, ona e le o mafai e le falema’i ona fa’amatu’u fa’amaumauga e fa’atatau i le suega sa faia i le tamaititi na a’afia, ona o puipuiga mo le tamaititi e laititi i lalo o le tulafono”, o le sau- noaga lea a Jennings.

Na fa’apupula atili e le afioga a Paepae i le taimi o le iloiloga e fa’apea, na avea fa’amatalaga e fa’atatau i le fa’amaonia i le suega a le falema’i sa faia le a’afia o le tamaititi aoga i faiga fa’afeusuaiga, ma itu na mafua ai loa ona mapuna a’e fa’amatalaga e uiga i leni mataupu, peita’i e foliga mai o lo o faigata galuega a Leoleo ona o tulafono o lo o puipua ai fanau e laiti i lalo o le tulafono.

Na fa’amanino e le Puleaoga a le aoga maualuga a Leone le fa’atolu lea ona fesiligia e le Ofisa a le aoga le faiaoga o loo tu’uaia e tusa ai o leni mataupu, ma ia teena fa’atolu ai fo’i lona faia o tulaga e pei ona tu’uaia ai o ia.

Na taua fo’i le faia o se suega a le faiaoga i le falema’i, peita’i e le o manino mai le fa’aiuga o lea suega sa faia.

Ina ua taumafai atu afioga i Senatoa e fesiligia le sui faato- nusili o aoga, i se tulaga ua oo i ai le tamaititi na a’afia, atoa ai ma le faiaoga o loo masala- lomia, ae poo le a se isi gaioiga a le Ofisa o Aoga e fesoasoani ai i taumafaiga a Leoleo mo le su’esu’eina o le mataupu, na pau le tali na tu’uina atu e le sui fa’atonusili o aoga i luma o le komiti, e le o i ai lava sona silafia i tulaga uma e fa’atatau i leni mataupu, vagana ua toe talii mai le Fa’atonusili o Aoga o loo malaga ona fa’atoa toe maua lea o se isi tulaga lata mai e fa’atatau i leni mataupu.

Na taua e le afioga i le ali’i senatoa ia Paepae e fa’apea, o le a le muta ai galuega a le komiti, ae o le a su’esu’e pea ina ia mautinoa e manino le tulaga tonu e uiga i leni mataupu.

Sa ia talosagaina fo’i le sui fa’atonusili o aoga ina ia fa’amalosia foi i taimi e faia ai fonotaga tuufaatasi a le matagaluega ma faiaoga ituaiga mataupu faapenei, ina ua mai-

(Faauau itulau 12)



Le Puleaoga a le Aoga Maualuga a Leone fa’atasi ai ma le Sui Fa’atonusili o Aoga ia Philo Jen- nings i le taimi na lulu aao ai ma afioga i Senatoa, ina ua mae’a le iloiloga a le Komiti o Aoga a le Senate i le taeao ananafi.

[ata AF]

Leai se puipuiga pisinisi ma atina’e o loo tua i ai tamaoaiga tagata atunu’u

tusia Ausage Fausia

O le avanoa lea o lo o maua e tagata mai fafo e pei o Asia e avea ai ma tagata faipisinisi fa’apea ai ma tagata fai fa’atoaga i Amerika Samoa, ua manino mai ai le leai lea o se puipuiga a le malo i pisinisi ma atina’e o lo o tua i ai le tamaoaiga ma le ola soifua lelei a ona lava tagata.

O lea tulaga na mafai ona fa’aailoia i le iloiloga sa faia a le Komiti o le Soifua Maloloina a le maota maualuga, fa’apea ai molimau e to’alua mai le malo sa valaau e molimau i ni isi o mataupu o lo o atugalu i afioga i Senatoa, e pei o le mataupu i tagata fai faiva o lo o fa’atau a latou tau i’a i tafatafa o le alatele.

O le afioga ia Fuiavaiiili K. Lafaele ma Motusa T. Nua na avea ma molimau a le malo i leni iloiloga, lea sa la taua ai le tataua lea ona i ai se tulafono e puipua ai le soona galulue o tagata mai fafo i pisinisi ma atina’e e tataua ona fa’apitoa lava mo tagata o le atunu’u.

Ina ua talanoaina tulaga i fa’atoaga ma faiga faiva, na taua ai e le afioga i le ali’i Senatoa ia Magalei Logovi’i le tataua lea ona i ai se tulafono e puipua ai tagata mai fafo mai le o mai ma ave alamanuia o lo o fa’alagolago i ai manuia o aiga o le atunu’u.

Na fa’atula’i e Magalei se fa’ata’ita’iga o lana folasaga, ona sa ia sapolaiina le fa’i mo le falema’i i Faga’alu mo le 7 tausaga, peita’i ua ia le toe

mauaina lea avanoa, ina ua manumalo le tauofoga a se ali’i fai fa’atoaga mai Filipaina ia te ia, ma sapolai ai loa e le ali’i Fil- ipaina le fa’i mo le falema’i, e ui e leai se fa’atoaga a lea ali’i mai Asia.

Saunoa Magalei e faapea, afai ae i ai se tulafono a le malo e puipua ai tulaga nei, ona mafai ai loa lea ona patino lava ituaiga pisinisi ma atina’e nei e pei o fa’atoaga ma faiga faiva i tagata Samoa lava ia.

Na lagolagoina e le afioga a Fuiavaiiili le fautuaga a Mag- alei, ona o aso ua mavae sa na o tagata Samoa na galulue i pisinisi ma faleoloa i le atunu’u, peita’i o le taimi nei, ua pulea atoa e tagata mai Asia pisinisi ma faleoloa i le atunu’u.

E o o lava fo’i i fa’atoaga, sa na o tagata Samoa na gal- ulue ma faia a latou fa’atoaga, peita’i o le taimi nei, ua matua to’atele lava tagata mai Asia ua aumai ma galulue i le totoina o fa’atoaga eseese, ma ua faigata ai i tagata o le atunu’u ona fa’amanuiaina i latou i tulaga tau fa’atoaga, ae i le tulaga o faiga faiva, e to’alua tagata Asia na taua e le ali’i Fa’atonusili ua i ai ana va’a fagota alia, ma ua foliga mai o le a aga’i mai fo’i tagata Asia i le atina’e o le faiga faiva. E i ai le tulafono a le malo o Samoa e pei ona saunoa Fuiavaiiili, e fa’apitoa ai lava ituaiga atina’e ma pisinisi mo na o tagata Samoa, e pei o pisinisi o pasi ma taxi la’upasese, e le mafai ona agava’a ai tagata mai

isi atunu’u.

“O se tulaga lelei pe afai e fausia sa tatou tulafono fa’apena, ina ia fa’apitoa ai lava fa’atoaga ma faiga faiva i tagata Samoa, ma taofia ai tagata mai isi atunu’u i lo latou ulufale mai ma taumafai e fai mo latou a tatou atina’e o lo o tua i ai le tamaoaiga o aiga ta’itasi”, o le fautuaga lea a Fuiavaiiili na fa’aalia ai le ioeina e ni isi o afioga i Senatoa.

I le taumafai ai pea o le malo e tu’u atu le fesoasoani i le aufai fa’atoaga a le atunu’u, na taua ai e Fuiavaiiili le i ai o se polo- kalame ua galulue fa’atasi ai le Ofisa o Fa’atoaga faapea ai ma le Vaega a le Land Grants mai le Kolisi Tuufaatasi, atoa ai ma faletupe i le atunu’u, e fesootai atu ai i tagata fai fa’atoaga ma le aufai faiva i nu’u i tua, e ala i le tau sailiina o ni alagatupe e fesoasoani ai i le fa’atuputeleina o a latou atina’e ma pisinisi laiti.

“O le agaga atoa o leni tau- mafaiga, ia maua le avanoa e fa’agaioi ai i latou nei ni a latou pisinisi laiti ma le fa’amoemoe e maua mai ai se tupe fa’asili, ma fa’aauau ai pea ona latou galulue fa’atuputeleina ia atina’e ma pisinisi mo le manuia o le aiga”, o le saunoaga lea a Fuiavaiiili.

O se tasi o fa’afitauli e pei ona taua i le iloiloga, ua avea le naunau o tagata Asia i le atina’e o le fai fa’atoaga ma auala ua fa’atupulaia ai tagata mai fafo ua ulufale mai ma nonofo i le atunu’u.



Notice for Proposed Registration of Matai Title

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 6.0105 of the Revised Code of American Samoa that a claim of succession which has been filed with the Territorial Registrar's office for the registration of the Matai Title **SALA** of the village of FAGASA by MATAESE SAMUELU of the village of FAGASA, county of ITUAU, EASTERN District.

THE TERRITORIAL REGISTRAR is satisfied that the claim, petition by the family and certificate of the village chiefs are in proper form.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that anyone so desiring must file his counterclaim, or objection to the registration of this matai title with the Territorial Registrar Office before the expiration of 60 days from the date of posting. If no counterclaim, nor any objection is filed by the expiration of said 60 days, the matai title SALA shall be registered in the name of MATAESE SAMUELU in accordance with the laws of American Samoa.

POSTED: JUNE 5, 2017 thru AUGUST 4, 2017

SIGNED: Taito S.B. White, Territorial Registrar

Fa'aaliga o le Fa'amauina o se Suafa Matai

O le fa'aaliga lenei ua faasalalauina e tusa ma le Maga 6.0105 o le tusi tulafono a Amerika Samoa, e pei ona suia, ona o le talosaga ua faaulufaleina mai i le Ofisa o le Resitara o Amerika Samoa, mo le fia faamauina o le suafa matai o SALA o le nu'u o FAGASA e MATAESE SAMUELU o FAGASA faalupega o ITUAU, falelima i SASAE.

Ua taliaina e le Resitara lea talosaga, faatasi ma le talosaga a le aiga faapea ma le tusi faamaonia mai matai o lea nu'u, ma ua i ai nei i teuga pepa a lea ofisa.

A i ai se tasi e faafinagaloina, ia faaulufaleina sana talosaga tete'e, po o sana faalavelave tusitusia i le Ofisa o Resitara i totonu o aso e 60 mai le aso na faalauiloa ai lenei fa'aaliga. Afai o lea leai se talosaga tete'e, po'o se faalavelave foi e faaulufaleina mai i aso e 60 e pei ona taua i luga, o lea faamauina loa lea suafa matai i le igoa o MATAESE SAMUELU e tusa ai ma aiaiga o le tulafono a Amerika Samoa.

06/19 & 07/19/17

NOTICE FOR SEPARATION AGREEMENT

TO Members of the ALAI'ASA Family and to all whom these present may come!

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that THERESA NAOMI LAITA & FA'ALETUSA UGA ALO FONOTI of FALENIU has offered for recording in this office an instrument in writing which seeks to separate a certain structure which is or to be erected, on land **IFITOFOGA** allegedly belonging to ALAI'ASA FAMILY of the village of FALENIU. Said land IFITOFOGA is situated in or near the village of FALENIU in the County of TUALAUTA, Island of TUTUILA, American Samoa.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that any interested person may object to the recording of such instrument by filing in the Territorial Registrar's Office in Fagatogo, a written objection to the recording of said instrument. Any objections thereto must be filed with in 30 days from the date of posting of this notice.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that if no such objections are filed within the said 30 day period, the instrument will be recorded and shall be valid and binding on all persons. The said instrument may be examined at any time at the Territorial Registrar's Office.

POSTED: JUNE 27, 2017 thru JULY 27, 2017

SIGNED: Taito S.B. White, Territorial Registrar

FA'AALIGA O LE FEAGAIGA MO SE TU'U'ESEINA

I tagata o le aiga sa ALAI'ASA, ma i latou uma e silasila ma lauiloaina lenei fa'aaliga!

O le fa'aaliga lenei ona o THERESA NAOMI LAITA & FA'ALETUSA UGA ALO FONOTI o le nu'u o FALENIU ua ia fa'aulufaleina mai i lenei ofisa se feagaiga tusitusi e fa'aiiloa ai se mana'oga fia tu'u'eseina o se fale ua/po o le a, fa'atuina i luga o le fanua o IFITOFOGA e fa'asino i le aiga sa ALAI'ASA, o le nu'u o FALENIU. O lenei fanua e totonu pe latalata ane i le nu'u o FALENIU, itumalo o TUALAUTA, ile motu o TUTUILA, Amerika Samoa.

O le fa'aaliga fo'i e fa'apea, so o se tasi e iai sona aia i lenei mata'upu e mafai ona fa'atu'i'iese ile fa'amauina o lenei feagaiga pe a auina mai i le ofisa ole Resitara o le Teritori of Amerika Samoa i Fagatogo, sana fa'atu'iese tusitusia. O fa'atu'iesega uma lava e ao ona fa'aulufaleina mai i totonu o aso e 30 faitauina mai i le aso na faiaalia ai lenei fa'aaliga.

Afai ole a leai se fa'atu'iesega e fa'aulufaleina i totonu o aso 30 e pei ona ta'ua i luga, o le a fa'amauina loa lenei feagaiga e taualoaina ma 'a'afia ai tagata uma.

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Le Fa'atonusili o le Ofisa o Atina'e ma Alamanuia a le malo ia Fuiavailiili K. Lafaele ma le Fa'atonusili o le Soifua Maloloina ia Mlotusa T. Nua, i le mae'a ai o le iloiloga sa molimau ai i luma o le Senate i le taeao ananafi.

[ata AF]

► Leai se ripoti a leoleo...

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tuina e fa'amamafa i faiaoga fa'apenei i fanau, ona o loo matua i faiaoga mo le aoaoina o le le tatau lea ona faia ituaiga tuuina atu uma le fa'atuatuaga a a latou fanau.

Onosa'i I Mea Tiga

Tusia: Akenese Ilalio Zec
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Alo maia, o le a toe fa'aauau atu la tatou tala, ae ia manuia lou alo atu i faiva ma tiute o le a feagai ai ma oe i lenei aso. Ua uma nei le fa'aipoipoga a Matanuifeagaimaleata ma le ali'i Palagi o William, ma ua alu nei le tafaoga a le ulugali'i fou i Amerika, se i o'o Mataniu i le aiga o Viliamu.

Ua tu lelei fo'i le tama'ita'i o Filipina ma si ana tama o Ali'ioaiga ina ua uma ona tatala le la faleoloa fou, lea ua fa'aigoa nei i a Mary's Family Store i totonu o le nu'u. A'o le i faia lea fa'aiuga a le tama'ita'i, na muamua talanoa i ai lona tuagane o Lilo, ona o nisi tulaga e ono tutupu mai ai.

“Filipina, ou te le taofia oe, o mea lelei na, e tausi ai aiga ma maua ai fo'i se lua seleni ma si au tama, ae o tulaga fo'i fa'apenei, e alu alu lava i'u ina toe tapuni, ae afai lava o lou loto lea, ia fai ia lelei.”

Ua fa'apea lava ona fai, fai mai, e alu alu fo'i tau oso le toto maualuga ma le ma'i suka o Filipina, e fai o le au fai aitalafu, ae o le fa'anoi fo'i ia. Ae e le fa'avaivai ai le tama'ita'i. Fai mai e ta le lima o le vaveao, ua matala le faleoloa, ta le sefulutasi i le po ua tapuni.

E uma a'e le aso, ua matua'i oloa lu'ulu'u lava Filipina, ae o le na fo'i seleni e toe alu e toe fa'atumu mai ai fata o le faleoloa. O le mantu o le teine, afai ae manuia a'oa'oga a si ana tama, o le mea lea e tua i ai Ali'ioaiga ma sa'ili ai sona lumana'i. Ua sefululua nei tausga o Ali'ioaiga, fai mai le tala, o le tuputupu a'e o le tama, ma atili ai ona lalelei.

Ae e le gata i lea, a'o le mafau-fau o le tama e matua'i atamai lava le ali'i. O se mitamita lea ia Filipina, ua fa'asolosolo fo'i ina matutua Lilo ma Loleta, o Filipina, o Vesi ma Luisa, ae ua ola a'e fanau, o se mitamita lea mo i latou.

Fai mai, e aveave sili lava Ali'ioaiga i tausaga uma, o le fanau fo'i a Vesi ma Luisa, e fa'apena fo'i tamaiti. O le galuega e le mafai ona tu'ua e Lilo, Filipina ma Luisa, o le taulaga lea a nai o latou matua o Mose ma Luisa i Aso Sa uma. O le tausiga fo'i o Fa'afeagaiga e le fa'apito le tausiga, o Fa'afeagaiga uma lava o lo'o i totonu o le nu'u, e le mafai ona misi i le tausiga a Lilomaiava ma lona aiga.

A tonu, o le mafua'aga fo'i lea, ua manuia ai si o latou aiga, ona o lo latou lima foa'i i so'o se tasi. Ua olaola a'e lava le

faleoloa o le tama'ita'i o Filipina, fai mai, ua le toe i ai se faitoto'a fo'i lea e susu'e ona tu mai lea o le tagata i fafo ma fai lana fa'atau, ua leai.

Ua tioata atoa le faleoloa o Filipina, ma ua amata fo'i ona fai ana tagata faigaluega e galulue e fesoasaoi ia te ia. Ua le gata la i le faleoloa, ae ua o'o atu le galuega a Filipina i le fa'atoaga, ona i le va'ai a le teine, ua matutua fo'i Vesi ma Luisa, ae e sii pea fai se isi fua-fuaga ina ia fa'amausali ai pea le tamaoiga o lo'o maua, aua le tausiga o nu'u ma Ekalesia.

E o'o mai i le taimi lea, e le i toe faia lava se isi to'alua o Filipina, ae e to'atele fo'i taulele'a na o'o ane i a Lilo, ae tasi lava le tala a Filipina, e le toe fa'aluaaina le tama o lana tama. ia ua ta'atia ai lava fa'apea, ae e le o iloa atu e Lilo, ia tatalo ma talosaga a Filipina, ina ia alofa le Atua ma fa'amagalo i a Roger, ia foa'i fo'i le loto onosa'i ma le loto fa'amagalo ia te ia.

Fai mai, ua amata ona fesilisili Ali'ioaiga, i lona tina, po'o fea o i ai lona tama, ua le va'ai i sona tama. Fai mai, e tasi lava le tali a Filipina, “O lou tama o lo'o alu i Amerika, e sau se taimi ona toe fo'i mai lea.”

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Universal Crossword

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ACROSS

- 1 Courtroom happening
6 Blacksmith's shop
11 Dad's room, often
14 Hair color to dye for
15 Gale's friend Piccolo
16 "Now ____ seen everything"
17 Not yet pledged
19 Darn things
20 Massive sports facilities
21 Natural habitat
23 Steps in
26 Wooster's bane
27 Grounded Aussie
30 Piedmont wine center
31 Wee bit of residue
32 Palindromic dogma
34 ____ sapiens
36 Asian food starch
39 How ballet dancers move
41 Mixture
43 Beach stuff
44 Charitable handouts
46 Prolonged attack
47 Exceedingly
49 "Clumsy mel!"
51 Rather or Aykroyd

- 52 Spill over
54 Extremely well off
56 "The greatest of ____!"
58 List of literary goofs
62 Loo
63 Not in the party?
66 It comes after 12 daily
67 Desert respite
68 Kick out of a residence
69 Sign of assent
70 Noshers' bite
71 Crusoe's creator
DOWN
1 "In this way ..."
2 Landlord's due
3 South American of yore
4 Battery terminal
5 Protect a document, in a way
6 DNA testers, often
7 Doggie bag bit
8 Marriages, christenings, etc.
9 Scottish Highlander
10 Take to one's heart
11 Out of gear?
12 Calendar notation

- 13 Small salamanders
18 Porch items
22 Breakfast cereal
24 Kind of alcohol
25 Brazil tourist city, briefly
27 Airport guesses, briefly
28 Prefix with "bucks" or "mansion"
29 Not participating
31 Perignon's title
33 Firstborn, among siblings
35 ____-Dixon line
37 Crazed with passion
38 Sign of the future?
40 Install, as a carpet

- 42 Alleged
45 Bovine sound
48 African chargers, briefly
50 Place for a seaside stroll
52 Beauty business
53 Grassy plain
54 Group known for its brains
55 Automatic selection?
57 Bellyache
59 "Like that would actually happen!"
60 Burrito alternative
61 Join the poker game
64 Shot for a photog
65 Seek an answer

PREVIOUS PUZZLE ANSWER

D	I	N	G	R	A	M	P	S	B	I	B
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EUGENIA LAST

Wednesday,
July 19, 2017

THE LAST WORD IN
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Happy Birthday: Only change what isn't working for you. Don't feel the need to be impulsive or to keep up with someone else. It's important to follow your dreams and to decide what's important to you, not how others see or judge what you do. Truth lies within and striving to be the person who makes you happy is all that counts. Your numbers are 1, 8, 13, 26, 30, 34, 41.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Look at all aspects of a situation before you sign up to take part. If you want to alter the way you live, make sure you aren't going to upset someone in the process. Communication will clear a passageway to progressive action. ***

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Improve your home environment. A cozy place to put your feet up and read a good book or watch a movie will help ease your stress and give you a chance to rethink the personal changes or contributions you want to make.***

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Expressing the way you feel and what you would like will help you open a window of opportunity. Look at all your options and consider how you can stay under budget and get what you want. Romance is highlighted. ***

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Dealing with others can be tricky. Concentrate on getting what needs to be done out of the way and move on to the activities and events that are most meaningful to you. Children and seniors will make valid suggestions.***

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Expand your interests by helping others. What you physically do will be far more penetrating than offering cash. Use your connections and your experience to make a difference to someone or something you believe in. Romance will improve your personal life. ***

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Keep your mind on what's important. Don't let emotions take over or your love life put a dent in your ability to get things done. Discipline and hard work will help you avoid being criticized or blamed for incompetence.***

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Get firsthand information. Someone will try to sidetrack you if given the chance. Make personal improvement plans. Aim to make a physical change or one that will improve your attitude. Romance is featured. Initiate your plans. *****

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Personal improvements can be made. Take the initiative and get into shape or begin a project that will challenge you enough to bring about positive change. Learn something new that you can incorporate into your work. ***

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Treat partnerships with care. If something doesn't add up, ask questions. Someone is likely to hide the truth from you. Be open and honest about the way you feel and what you want. Communication will help eliminate doubt. ***

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Gather information, facts and knowledge that will help you avoid a financial mistake. Don't let someone take advantage of your time, talent or experience. An open and honest discussion can help you stop someone from taking advantage of you. ***

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): You can make some awesome changes at home and to your own personal appearance with a little imagination and flair. Let your creative side take over and your physical attributes help you turn your dream into a reality. *****

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Emotional problems will surface due to withholding information or dealing with someone who has something to hide. Proceed with caution and refrain from making promises you won't want to keep. Focus on personal changes and gains. **



MAN IS READY TO SHOP AROUND FOR NEW SOURCE OF 'LATTES'

DEAR ABBY: My wife and I have been married for 17 years. For the first 16 years, my wife would make me lattes without being asked. Last year, she announced she would no longer make any more lattes for me. When I asked her if she expected me to go the rest of my life without one, she said yes! Do you think it would be OK if I found another female to make lattes for me? Wouldn't that woman be doing my wife a favor? Hint: I am not really talking about lattes. -- NO MORE LATTES IN KOKOMO

DEAR NO MORE LATTES: Before outsourcing your latte business, it is important that you find out from your wife why her attitude has changed so drastically. Has she lost interest in that kind of beverage preparation? Has making lattes become painful for her? Could there be other issues in your relationship that have made her less interested in giving you your favorite treat? If the answer to these questions is yes, perhaps she should discuss them with her doctor -- or the two of you talk about them with a licensed marriage counselor. Hint: I'm really not advising you about lattes, either.

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DEAR ABBY: After 33 years of what I thought was a near-perfect marriage, my husband walked out and filed for divorce. That was 12 years ago. Since then, I've done my best to move on and find my "next chapter." I'm now in the process of downsizing to move into a smaller house. While going through my filing cabinet, I ran across some very sweet and touching love letters my ex had written to me -- some of them just a few weeks before he left me. I am having a hard time deciding whether to throw them away or keep them. I know there's no perfect answer, but any advice you could offer to help me make that decision would be appreciated. It's a sensitive topic for me. -- LOVE LETTERS IN TEXAS

DEAR L.L.: I'll bet it is. How does reading those touching love letters make you feel? Be honest. If they bring back warm memories, hang onto them. However, if they have the opposite effect, do yourself a favor, dispose of them and continue looking forward into your next chapter.

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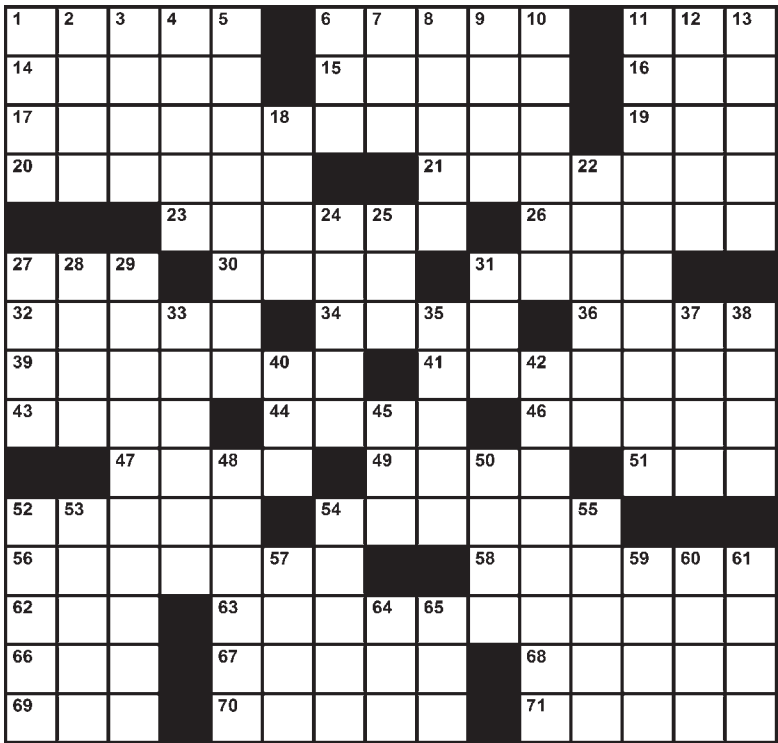
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DEAR ABBY: I live in a mobile park, and in the park is a group that collects money and runs fund-raisers to help the low-income people who live here. They deliver one bag of food to about 10 families once a month. This group does not disclose how much money was collected -- ever -- and are very secretive about how much they have in their fund. Some of us who live here have raised the question as to how much money they are holding, but they refuse to give us any information. They say they are not a nonprofit, so they don't have to report to the IRS. Is there anything we can do to make them tell us how much is in there? -- MONEY MATTERS

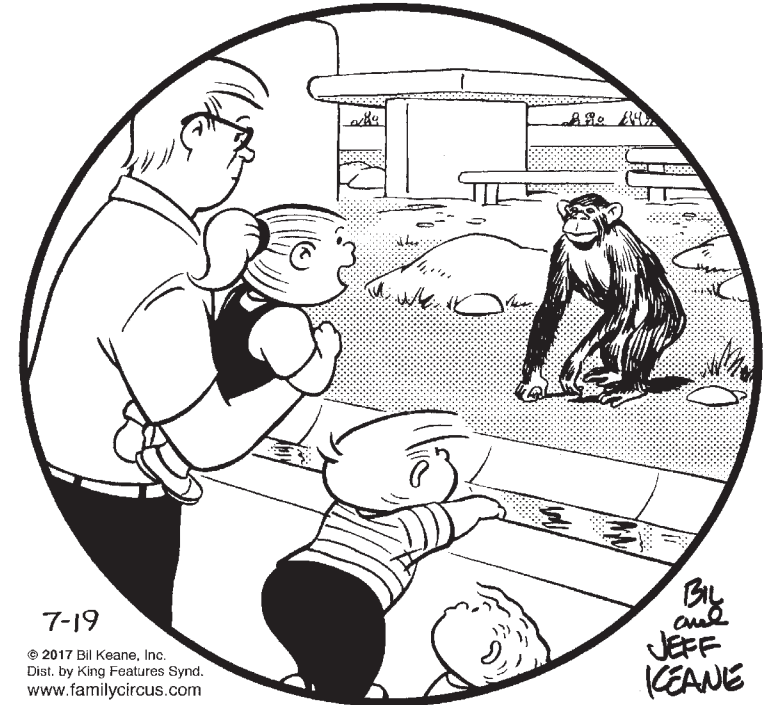
DEAR MONEY MATTERS: There absolutely is. Poll how many of your neighbors feel the way you do, and then, as a group, stop contributing money. If enough residents do that, the money will dry up and the fund will close. Because only 10 families need this kind of help, you and your neighbors should consider selecting families to help and do it directly.

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"If the chimp is the smartest of all the animals, do they pay him the most money?"

Ripley's Believe It or Not!



IN CELEBRATION OF CHARLIE CHAPLIN'S 128TH BIRTHDAY, 662 FANS DRESSED UP AS HIS "TRAMP" CHARACTER AND GATHERED IN FRONT OF HIS FORMER SWITZERLAND HOME.

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ONE OF THE BEST THINGS ABOUT SUMMER IS GOING TO SLEEP WITH THE FAN ON.

THE GENTLE BREEZE BLOWING THE DRONING HUM...EVERYTHING SEEMS SAFE AND SERENE WHEN THE FAN IS ON.


IT'S COOL AND LULLING AND PERFECT FOR SLEEP.

IT ALMOST LETS ONE FORGET HE HAS A HEAVY FUR COAT FOR A BUNKMATE.

IF YOU DON'T LIKE IT, THERE'S PLENTY OF ROOM ON THE FLOOR, BUSTER.

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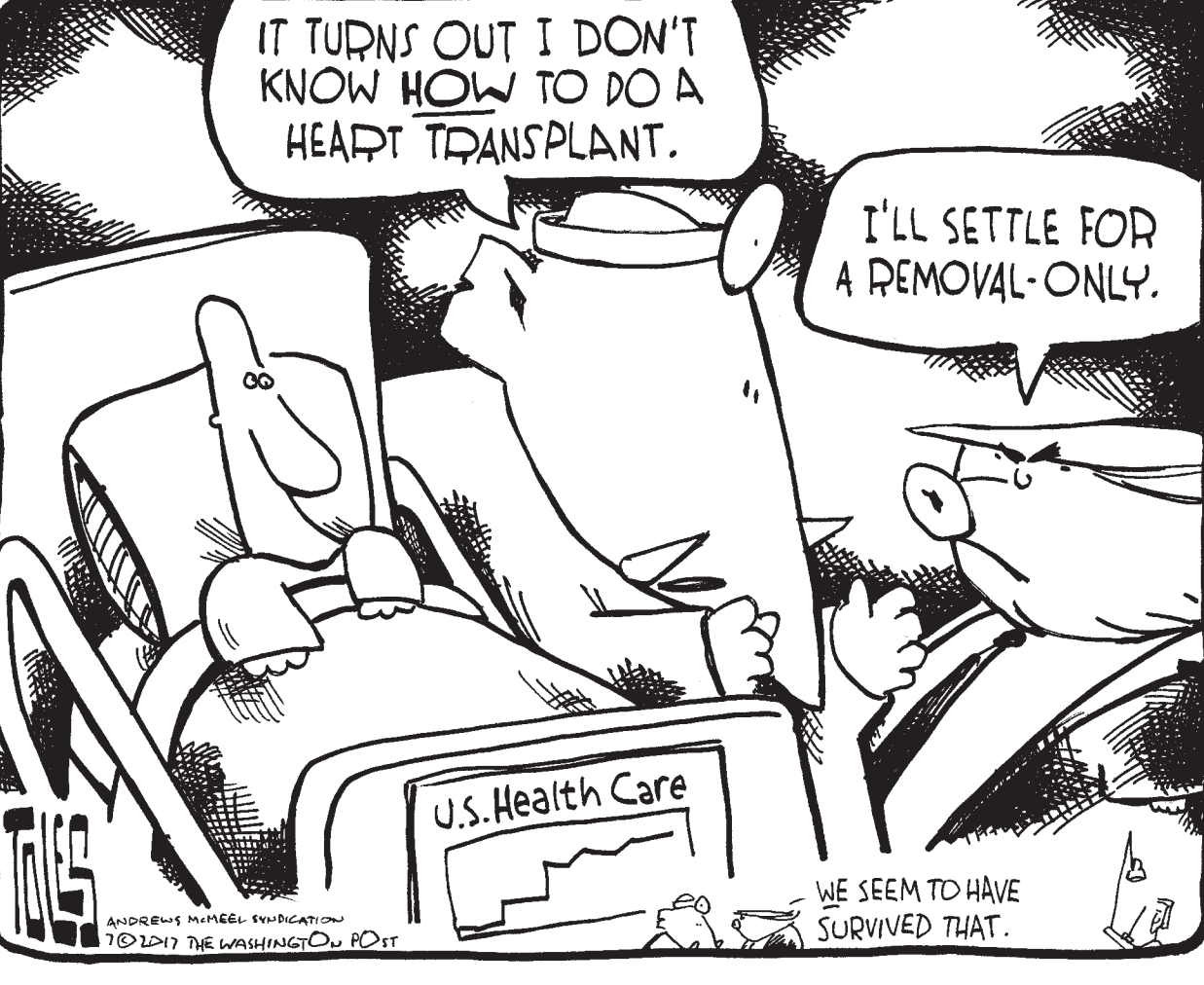
BEETHOVEN NEVER WOULD HAVE MADE IT IN NASHVILLE!

WHAT DID YOU SAY?



BEEP!!

I SET HIM UP GOOD FOR THAT!



IT TURNS OUT I DON'T KNOW HOW TO DO A HEART TRANSPLANT.

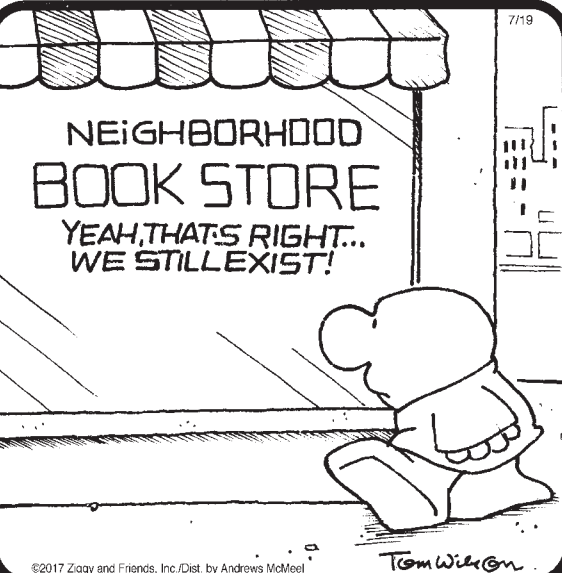
I'LL SETTLE FOR A REMOVAL-ONLY.

WE SEEM TO HAVE SURVIVED THAT.

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YEAH, THAT'S RIGHT... WE STILL EXIST!

Hagar the Horrible ©

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I JUST HAD AN AMAZING RUBDOWN BY A BEAUTIFUL MASSEUSE AND GUESS WHAT? NO MORE PAIN!

THAT'S WHAT YOU THINK!

GARFIELD ©

by Jim Davis



WHOA! TAKE IT EASY THERE, ODIE!

BETTER

Sudoku Pacific

Complete the grid so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains every digit from 1 to 9 inclusively.

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

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Tuesday's Puzzle Answer 7/18

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

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