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Renewal of museum, victim services contracts on council agenda

By STEVE REAGAN

Staff Writer

Big Spring's City Council is expected to renew contracts between the city and Heritage Museum and Victim Services, respectively, when it meets at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday in council chambers, located at 307 E. Fourth St.

In the first of two contracts

with Heritage Museum, the with its preservation projcity agrees to provide funding to the facility for the purpose of "preserving and restoring projects of historical interest in the city of Big Spring," according to a draft of the contract.

The term of the contract is two years and, during that time, the city will provide \$48,000 to the museum to help

The second of two contracts

with the museum deal with the operation of the historic Potton House, which is owned by the city but operated by the museum.

During the pact, which also runs two years, the city will pay \$16,000 to the museum for administration of the Potton

The city also is expected to renew its contract with Victim Services to provide for rape crisis counseling and other services to victims of crimes within the city limits. In return, the city will pay BSVS \$35,000 over a two-year period.

Also Tuesday, the council will take a second look at re-

vising hours of operation and fee schedules for food trucks and other mobile vendors within the city limits.

The council gave tentative approval, contingent on minor alterations, to new fee and operations schedules during their last meeting, and are expected to give formal approval to the changes Tuesday.

United

Chaplains: A prayer, and more

Local agency provides aid in times of crisis

By LYNDEL MOODY

Staff Writer

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the latest in a series of articles profiling agencies assisted by the United Way of Big Spring and Howard County.

Every time the Rev. Joel Miller receives a phone call requesting his service as an emergency chaplain, his first action is to pray.

"I tell my chaplains, No. 1 this has to be a call from God in order to survive the things you see wrecks and the here between the

cations," Milldeath notifi said. "No. 2., if you start praying you minthe call, by the get that time you get there, God's going to tell to do and you what what say."

Miller the program coordinator for the Howard County Emergency Services Chaplain Corps, a service to provide spiritual comfort to people in a crisis and first responders as well as provide one-time only financial assistance for people in an emergency situation.

"We are here to help anybody spiritually and financially if we can help them," Miller explained. "Spiritually, we do guidance, we do counseling, I do classes on different aspects of life. Other than that we help the (law enforcement) officers and wives. We counsel them. We take care of their families. We do that for anybody in the city.

"We have provided gasoline for people to go to work, buy groceries — all on a one-time basis,"

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How the pioneers did it



HERALD photo/Roger Cline

Kent Ivey demonstrates pioneer-style thread making Saturday at the Potton House Pioneer Pumpkin Patch event sponsored by the Heritage Museum of Big Spring.

BSPD masquerade



HERALD photo/Lyndel Moody

Cassandra Talvera and Mark DeArruda pose for a photo at the Big Spring Police Association's 2nd annual Masquerade Formal Ball. The event was held at the Settles Hotel Saturday night and money raised will be donated to fund breast cancer research and awareness programs.

Missiles land near destroyer

The Associated Press

terway in recent days.

DUBAI, United Arab Emirates — Two missiles fired from rebel-held territory in Yemen landed near an American destroyer in the Red Sea, the U.S. Navy said Monday, the second such launch targeting ships in the crucial international wa-

The missile launches Sunday came as a ballistic missile fired from Yemen apparently targeted a Saudi air base near the Muslim holy city of Mecca, the deepest strike yet into the kingdom by Shiite rebels and their allies.

Yemen's Shiite rebels known as Houthis and their allies offered no reason for the launches, though they came after a Saudi-led airstrike targeting a funeral in Yemen's capital killed over 140 people and wounded 525 on Saturday.

In a statement, the Navy said no American sailors were injured and no damage was done to the USS Mason, an Arleigh Burke class of guided missile destroyer whose home port is Norfolk, Virginia. Lt. Ian McConnaughey, a spokesman for U.S. Navy Forces Central Command, said that it's unclear if the USS Mason was specifically targeted, though the missiles were fired in its direction over an hour's time period, starting at around 7 p.m.

An American defense official said the USS Ma-

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Obituaries

Lida Frances Mason



Lida Frances Mason, 86, of Kemah, Texas, formerly of Sand Springs, died Saturday, Oct. 8, 2016, in a Webster, Texas, hospital.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 11, 2016, at Nalley-Pickle and Welch Rosewood Chapel in Big Spring with the Rev. Raul Garcia, pastor of First United Methodist Church of Coahoma, officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. Monday, Oct. 10, 2016, at the funeral home.

She was born Nov. 22, 1929, in Roxton, Texas, and married Burnis Lee Mason April 4, 1946, in Big Spring, Texas. He preceded her in death April 12,

Frances was a longtime resident of Sand Springs and moved to Kemah in April of 2005. She was a homemaker, wife and mother, and loved shopping, jewelry and traveling. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Coahoma.

Survivors include one son, Melvin Mason and wife Debbie of League City; one grandson, Jeffrey Mason and wife Melissa of Clear Lake City; a greatgranddaughter, Harper Kennedy Mason; two sisters-in-law, Lyn Nell Ray of Big Spring and Lee Ida Rainey of Austin; and several nieces and nephews.

She was also preceded in death by her parents, Edgar and Fannie Johnson; one sister; and two

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle and Welch Funeral Home and Crematory of Big Spring. Online condolences may be made at: www.npwelch.com.

Paid obituary

Gilberto Mendoza Silva

Gilberto Mendoza Silva, 60, of Big Spring, died Friday, Oct. 7, 2016, at Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

Burial will be at 10 a.m. Monday, Oct. 10, 2016, at Ackerly Cemetery.

He was born Aug. 22,1956, in Ciudad Juarez Chihuahua, Mexico, to Maria Guadalupe Mendoza Silva and Antonio Silva Gomez. He came to the United States when he was six years old and obtained his bachelor's degree at UTPB and his master's in Spanish, also from UTPB. He was certified to teach K-12 grade and taught for the Big Spring Independent School District. He had also worked for auto body and paint applying pin striping. He was Catholic.

He is survived by his mother, Maria G. Ponce of Roswell, N.M.; two brothers, Antonio Silva of Big Spring and Juan V. Silva of Katy; one sister, Maria S. Trivizo; and six great-nieces and great-nephews. He was preceded in death by his father Antonio

Silva, Sr. Arrangements are by Myers and Smith Funeral

Home. Pay your respects online at www.myersand-

Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following ac-

JOE-KYLE **JACKIE** KIRKHAM, 22, of 2410 Old West Highway 80 was arrested on warrants for speeding in a school zone and failure to appear.

 CHELCI MALIKA GONZA-**LES**, 19, of 301 S. Furrh in Coahoma was arrested on warrants for expired registration and driving without being secured by a safety belt; and on another outstanding warrant.

Big Spring Fire Department/

• MEDICAL CALL was report-

ed in the 1000 block of Stadium.

One person was transported to

EMS reported the following ac-

• DANIEL JOSEPH DAWDY, 24, of 1425 E. Sixth St. was arrested on warrants for expired registration and failure to appear.

• PAULA JEAN BARBER, 53, of 1104 E. Fourth St. was arrested on warrants for driving with an invalid license and failure to ap-

• STEVEN AGUIRRE, 40, of 1514 Mesquite St. was arrested on warrants for displaying fictitious motor vehicle registration and failure to appear.

• TERRY LEE ZYLSTRA, 46,

of 2400 Williams Rd. was arrested on an outstanding warrant.

 BURGLARY OF A VEHICLE was reported in the 900 block of North Lamesa Highway.

 THEFT was reported in the 1700 block of South Gregg Street, the 1200 block of East 11th Place and the 900 block of Willia Street.

• BURGLARY OF A BUILD-**ING** was reported in the 700 block of Abrams Street.

 DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE was reported in the 1600 block of East Fifth Street.

Fire/EMS

Scenic Mountain Medical Cen-

· MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 1800 block of North Highway 87. One person was

transported to Scenic Mountain

ING was reported in the 1700 block of Runnels.

Medical Center.

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Take Note

this Wednesday, Oct. 12, from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. inside the high school library at 707 E. 11th Place. Visitors are welcome to donate to the high school drive, but must first register at the front office to receive a visitor's pass before heading to the library. Volunteer blood donors must be at least 16 years old, weigh at least 110 pounds and be in good health. Donors who are 16 must have signed permission from a parent or guardian. Appointments are strongly encouraged. For more information, contact Ms. Bryant at 264-3641 or Or 877-UBS-HE-RO (877-827-4376), or visit on-line www.bloodhero.

Big Spring High School will hold a blood drive

 Howard College will present the High Kicking Hawks Fall Dance Show, "Dancing Through the Decades, Celebrating 70 Years of Howard College" at 7:30 p.m. this Friday and Saturday, Oct. 14 and 15, at the Black Box Theater of the Hall Center for

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the Arts at Howard College. The show will feature the High Kicking Hawks Dance Team, the Howard College Cheerleaders,

and special guests. Donations will be accepted. The show will also feature a free costume contest for children 12 years

of age and younger. For more information or to reserve tickets, call Cynthia Weeks at 432-264-5161.

 The Salvation Army is taking applications for Christmas assistance for children ages 13 and younger, and seniors 55 and older. Applications will be taken from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, ending on Oct. 28. Applications will be taken at the Salvation Army office building,

811 W. Fifth St. To apply for Christmas assistance for children, parents should bring a picture ID, proof of address, and birth certificate, and proof of government assistance (food stamps, SNAP, housing, etc.). Those

who don't receive government assistance must show proof of income. Seniors do not need to provide proof of assistance or income, but should simply bring a picture ID showing

proof of age. In addition, clothing sizes and a wish for one desired toy or gift

should be provided.

For more information, contact the salvation army at 432-267-8239.

 The Coahoma Lion's Club will host their second annual Coahoma Trade Day on Saturday, Oct. 15. The Lion's Club is currently booking vendors for the event: Food, arts and crafts, antiques, collectibles, clothing, jewelry, and gift items are all welcome. 10-foot by 10-foot lots are available for \$15, while 10-foot by 20-foot lots are \$25. Contact Tammy or Lisa at Coahoma City Hall, 432-394-4287, for more information or to rent a lot.

• Food 2 Kids Big Spring needs you! It is time to start sacking food for Big Spring elementary students who do not receive adequate food over the weekends. Members of the community can be a part by volunteering to sack the food. It just takes a couple hours of your time and the work is very rewarding. To volunteer, just show up at the time and dates listed. For more information, call, 432-

The next sacking session will be at 5:30 p.m. Oct. 18 and 19 at the old Lakeview High School gym located at 1107 N.W. Seventh St. To get there, take Gregg Street north and turn left on Delaney, which is the block just past the Salvation Army retail store. Delaney turns into Seventh Street, you will go over the railroad tracks and the school is on the

If you want additional information about getting your child on this program please contact your child's school.

 Seniors and mature adults are invited to a dance on the first, third and fifth Friday of each month at the Dora Roberts Community Center.

Dances are from 7:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. with live bands. No alcohol or smoking permitted. There will be a pot luck as well so bring a dish if you want

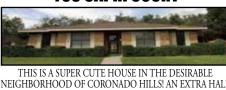
Cost is \$8 per person.



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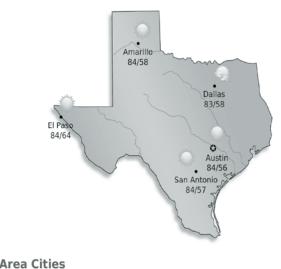


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Lana F. Anguino
Lana F. Anguino, 62, of Colorado City, formerly of Big Spring, died Monday, Oct. 10, 2016, at her home. Services are pending at Myers and Smith Funeral

Local 5-Day Forecast									
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Sunrise: 7:47 AM	Sunrise: 7:47 AM	Sunrise: 7:48 AM	Sunrise: 7:49 AM	Sunrise: 7:49 AM					
Sunset: 7:17 PM	Sunset: 7:16 PM	Sunset: 7:14 PM	Sunset: 7:13 PM	Sunset: 7:12 PM					

Texas at a Glance



City	Hi Lo Cond.	City	Hi Lo Cond.
Abilene	81 58 Sunny	Kingsville	88 58 Sunny
Amarillo	84 58 Sunny	Livingston	85 60 Sunny
Austin	84 56 Sunny	Longview	85 56 Sunny
Beaumont	86 67 Sunny	Lubbock	83 59 Sunny
Brownsville	89 65 Sunny	Lufkin	85 59 Sunny
Brownwood	80 53 Sunny	Midland	85 61 Sunny
Corpus Christi	87 67 Sunny	Raymondville	90 62 Sunny
Corsicana	84 56 M Cloudy	Rosenberg	84 64 Sunny
Dallas	83 58 P Cloudy	San Antonio	84 57 Sunny
Del Rio	81 59 Sunny	San Marcos	84 54 Sunny
El Paso	84 64 P Cloudy	Sulphur Springs	84 57 M Cloudy
Fort Stockton	85 62 Sunny	Sweetwater	82 61 Sunny
Gainesville	79 54 M Sunny	Tyler	85 56 Sunny
Greenville	83 55 M Sunny	Weatherford	80 57 Sunny
Houston	86 69 Sunny	Wichita Falls	81 58 Sunny
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Atlanta	77 51 Sunny	Miami	82 75 P Cloudy
Boston	58 43 Sunny	Minneapolis	73 57 Sunny
Chicago	71 58 Sunny	New York	65 47 Sunny
Dallas	83 58 P Cloudy	Phoenix	97 71 Clear
Denver	80 52 Clear	San Francisco	61 52 Cloudy
Houston	86 69 Sunny	Seattle	59 42 Cloudy
Los Angeles	84 61 Clear	Saint Louis	77 54 M Cloudy
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UV Index					
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Last

The UV Index is measured on a 0 - 11 number scale, with a

Full

Support Groups

MONDAY

 VA Alcoholics Anonymous support group, 7-8 p.m., Veterans Healing Center.

· Reformers Unanimous International is a faithbased addictions program helping people find freedom from addiction. Meetings begin at 7 p.m. Mondays at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Enter at the main entrance of the church.

 Alcoholics Anonymous, As Bill Sees it, 615 Settles, 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

TUESDAY

 Big Spring and Snyder Parkinsons Support Group meeting at the Big Spring Senior Center at 10:30 a.m. the second Tuesday of the month.

This is a group for all Parkinson's disease patients, spouses and caregivers.

For more information about the support group or about Parkinson's Disease, contact Jo Bidwell at the Lubbock APDA office at 806-785-0942

- VA Alcoholics Anonymous support group, 7:30-8:30 p.m., Veterans Healing Center.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; newcomers meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

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News in brief

Aid arrives in Haiti, but desperation grows in towns

JEREMIE, Haiti (AP) — Helicopters are ferrying in food and medicine to devastated southwestern Haiti, but almost a week after Hurricane Matthew's assault life here is still far from normal and desperation is growing in communities where aid has yet to arrive.

Power is still out, water and food are scarce, and officials say that young men in villages along the road between the hard-hit cities of Les Cayes and Jeremie are putting up blockades of rocks and broken branches to halt convoys of vehicles bringing relief supplies.

"They are seeing these convoys coming through with supplies and they aren't stopping. They are hungry and thirsty and some are getting angry," said Dony St. Germain, an official with El Shaddai Ministries International.

A convoy carrying food, water and medications was attacked by gunmen in a remote valley where there had been a bad mudslide, said Frednel Kedler, the coordinator for the Civil Protection Agency in Grand-Anse department. He said authorities will try to reach marooned and desperate communities west of Jeremie on Monday.

Aftereffects of Matthew to linger in North Carolina

FAYETTEVILLE, N.C. (AP) — Matthew was long gone from the Atlantic coast early Monday, but the devastation lingered, most notably in North Carolina, where flooded cities tried to dry out and those downstream kept a close eye on rising rivers.

The flooding disaster is forecast to slowly unfold over the next several days as all that rain — more than a foot in places — flows into rivers and downstream, likely causing more inundation in many of the same places devastated by a similar deluge from Hurricane Floyd in 1999.

Thousands of people found themselves suddenly trapped in homes and cars during the torrential rains. Rescuers in Coast Guard helicopters plucked some of them from rooftops and used military vehicles to reach others, including a woman who held on to a tree for three hours after her car was overrun by flood waters.

The storm killed more than 500 people in Haiti and at least 18 in the U.S. — nearly half of them in North Carolina. Most were swept away by flood waters.

Amid Syrian attacks, medical agency pleads for Aleppo access

BEIRUT (AP) — An international medical aid agency is pleading for access to treat the wounded in the eastern, rebel-held parts of Syria's Aleppo even as government forces press on with their offensive to retake that part of the city.

Doctors Without Borders, which supports

quarters, says only 35 doctors are left serving in eastern Aleppo, amid an estimated population of 275,000.

The organization, which also goes by its French acronym MSF, said on Monday that the medical workers in Aleppo are exhausted and

eight hospitals in Aleppo's besieged eastern

ing fuel shortage.
Syrian government forces and their allies have kept eastern Aleppo under siege since July. The U.N. has warned that the Aleppo bombardment by Syrian and Russian warplanes could leave thousands dead by the year's end.

facilities overstretched and facing an impend-

Taiwan president says won't bow to Beijing, calls for talks

TAIPEI, Taiwan (AP) — Taiwan's new president Tsai Ing-wen said Monday her self-ruled island will not bow to Beijing's pressure and that China should recognize her government's existence and engage with it in talks, in remarks likely to further anger China.

Speaking in a National Day address, Tsai acknowledged that ties between Taiwan and China in recent months have been bumpy.

"But we will not bow to pressure, and we will of course not revert to the old path of confrontation," she said at a ceremony outside the Presidential Office Building in central Taipei attended by 11,000 people, including more than 360 foreign guests.

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he said. "If there is a fire, we help the victims with a motel room. We provide basic necessities. We give them something called health kits with razors, deodorant, towels for babies. In general, anybody who needs quick help, we help."

About half of the Chap-

lain Corp's budget is provided from monies raised through the United Way of Big Spring and Howard County's annual campaigns.

"The bulk of our money

comes from United Way,"
Miller said. "If we ever
lost United Way funding,
we would have to cut way
back on our services."
Seven ordained or commissioned chaplains pro-

vide 24-hour service to the county on a rotational basis. All chaplains must have attended a basic Chaplain's Training Academy.

In 2015, Miller said the

Chaplain Corps assisted more than 200 individuals and/or families. Among the most basic services chaplains perform is to assist law enforcement in death notices.

"Generally we go out

"Generally we go out with an officer," Miller said. "Sometimes we are called out on the scene. Sometimes we are called to the residence. Sometimes we are called to the hospital. We stay with the survivors until they can get help."

And sometime those calls can last hours, he said.

"One of my calls was to assist a woman whose husband was killed in a wreck," Miller recalled. "She survived the wreck and was not hurt. She was air flighted to Midland. There wasn't anything wrong with her so the ER said they didn't need her anymore."

The survivor was 84 years old, he said. She and her husband were traveling through the area when the accident occurred.

"I stayed with her until some of her people from Colorado could come down to take care of her," he said.

The Chaplain Program is administered through the offices of the Chief of Police, Fire Chief, and Howard County Sheriff. Chaplains are available to serve public safety departments, Victims Services, Scenic Mountain Medical Center personnel, and the families and citizens of Big Spring and Howard County. They are called on to attend to various physical, spiritual, and other related duties as assigned.

For more information on the program or to request services, contact Miller at 432-213-1221 or contact the law enforcement dispatch at 264-2244 or 264-2550 and ask for the chaplain on call.

Contact Staff Writer Lyndel Moody at 263-7331, ext. 234, or email citydesk@bigspringeherald.com.

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son used onboard defensive measures after the first missile was fired, but it wasn't clear if that caused the missile to splash harmlessly into the sea. The destroyer at the time of the missile fire was north of the Bab el-Mandeb Strait, which serves as a gateway for oil tankers headed to Europe through the Suez Canal, the official said.

The official spoke on condition of anonymity to discuss details of the incident that haven't been made public.

However, the Houthicontrolled SABA news agency of Yemen quoted an anonymous army official denying its forces fired on the USS Mason, without elaborating.

Last week, an Emiratileased Swift boat came under rocket fire near the same area and sustained serious damage. The United Arab Emirates described the vessel as carrying humanitarian aid and having a crew of civilians, while the Houthis called the boat a warship.

U.S. Navy officials declined to immediately discuss what kind of rockets were used in the USS Mason incident.

Analysts with the Washington Institute for Near East Policy suggested in a report that the Houthis may have targeted the Emirati ship with an Iranian anti-shipping cruise missile, based on purported video of the attack.

Shiite power Iran has supported the Houthis, but denied supplying them with weapons. Any Iranian involvement could stoke tension between the Islamic Republic and the U.S., which already have had a series of tense naval encounters since the nuclear deal with world powers.

Meanwhile, Saudi state television aired a brief clip of what appeared to be a projectile that was said to have landed in Taif in the ballistic missile attack. The video shows the flash of an explosion, followed by images of

emergency vehicles. Taif is home to Saudi Arabia's King Fahd Air Base, which hosts U.S. military personnel training the kingdom's armed forces.

The Saudi military said the missile fired late Saturday night was intercepted and caused no damage. The U.S. military's Central Command, which oversees troops in the Middle East, did not immediately respond to a request for comment.

Al-Masirah, a satellite news channel run by Yemen's Shiite rebels known as the Houthis, identified the missile as a local variant of a Soviet-era Scud missile. It said the Volcano-1 missile targeted the air base.

The Houthis have fired a series of ballistic missiles in Saudi Arabia since a kingdom-led coalition of Arab countries has launched an offensive against them in Yemen in March 2015. Most of those ballistic missiles have hit areas far closer to Saudi Arabia's border with Yemen, like an attack Fri-

day night that targeted the southwestern city of Khamis Mushait.

In the Taif attack, however, the missile struck a target more than 520 kilometers (325 miles) from the border. Taif also is just outside of Mecca, which is home to the cube-shaped Kaaba that all of the world's Muslims pray toward.

The Saudi military also said it earlier intercepted another ballistic missile fired Sunday on the Yemeni city of Marib.

The Houthis gave no reason for their targeting of Taif, but it comes after a Saudi-led airstrike Saturday targeting a funeral in Yemen's capital, Sanaa. On Sunday, thousands marched through the streets of Sanaa to protest the strike, one of the deadliest single attacks in the impoverished Arab country's relentless civil war.

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The Saudi Foreign Ministry said its U.N. mission sent a letter on Sunday to the Security Council, expressing the kingdom's "deep regret of the reported attack" on the funeral. Saudi officials have promised to investigate the bombing.

Yemen's war is largely overshadowed by the conflict against the Islamic State group elsewhere in the Middle East, though rights groups have mounted increased criticism of the Saudi-led airstrikes in recent months.

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Top college takeaways: Vols run out of magic, Houston upset

The Associated Press

If the first six weeks of the college football season have taught fans anything, it's this: Never turn off a Tennessee game.

The Volunteers remained

America's most interesting college football team, though not undefeated. Navy upset the playoff race and Charlie Strong had another bad, bad

Thoughts, takedowns and takeaways from Week 6:

1. If you were looking for-

of talking about whether No. 6 Houston could or should be selected for the College Football Playoff, Navy just ruined it for you. The dream is not quite dead for the Cougars, but it is on life support.

2. Best-case scenario for

ward to a couple of months Houston: 12-1 with an American Athletic Conference championship game victory against a USF team with only one loss coming in. Oklahoma wins the Big 12. Louisville, which plays at Houston in November, doesn't lose another game. Could that re-

sume be good enough to get Houston into the playoff if a bunch of Power Five conference teams finish the regular season with multiple losses?

3. The other big winner with Houston losing: No. 19

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Cowboys run wild



Dallas running back Ezekiel Elliott (21) runs 60 yards for a touchdown during the third quarter of the Cowboys' victory over Cincinnati Sunday in Arlington.

Elliott leads the charge in Dallas' 28-14 victory

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — These rookie-led Dallas Cowboys keep winning without Tony Romo and Dez Bryant.

Ezekiel Elliott ran for 134 yards and two touchdowns, fellow rookie Dak Prescott threw for a score and ran for another TD, and the Cowboys beat the Cincinnati Bengals 28-14 on Sunday for their fourth consecphia. They are guaranteed utive victory.

"Zeke ran really, really well, but a big part of this game was the efficiency of our passing game," coach Jason Garrett said. "Dak read things out well, threw it to the right guy, and was accurate. ... He's grown with the experience he gets. He's goes about it the right way. We're lucky to have him.'

Without Romo, hasn't played yet after his fourth back injury in just less than four years, the Cowboys (4-1) have already matched their victory total from a year ago. Bryant has missed two games with a hairline fracture in his right knee.

The Bengals (2-3) have a losing record a year after being 8-0 midway through the season.

"Everybody needs to take a deep look at their self," said Bengals cornerback Adam Jones, who was still known as Pacman when he played for the Cowboys.

Romo could be ready to play when the Cowbovs play their next home game Oct. 30 against Philadelto have a winning record then, going to Green Bay next week before their bye.

Prescott had his first turnover, a fumble when he was sacked late in the third quarter. But the fourth-round draft pick was 18-of-24 passing for 227 yards, and extended his NFL rookie record to 155 passes without an interception to start a career.

Elliott, on only 15 carries, became the first Cowboys rookie with three consecutive 100-yard rushing games. He also had three catches for 37 yards.

"It doesn't surprise me. He'll deal it up any way you want to have it," Cowboys owner Jerry Jones said. "You saw that speed take care of itself out there."

Elliott put the Cowboys ahead to stay with a 13yard TD run on their opening drive. Then on their first offensive snap of the second half, Elliott busted through the middle and into the open on the way to a 60-yard score, punctuating the play with what might be called a Jerry-World jump, leaping up a few feet to celebrate with fans sitting in field-level suites in the end zone.

Prescott ran 5 yards for a touchdown in the second quarter. Then he was scrambling to his right halftime before when he threw on the run to Cole Beasley for a 14-yard score.

It was a homecoming of sorts for Bengals quarterback Andy Dalton, who went to TCU about 20 miles away from AT&T Stadium. The 2011 second-round draft pick was visiting the Cowboys for the first time in a regular-season game.

But the Bengals trailed 28-0 before Dalton threw a 7-yard touchdown pass to Brandon LaFell with about 10 minutes left. That duo hooked up again for a 5-yard score with 2:39 left.

Dalton finished 29 of 41 for 269 yards.

"They got us in longer situations on third down and we weren't able to keep moving the ball," Dalton said. "They took some things away, and we weren't able to overcome

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CHASING DALTON

Dallas defensive end De-Marcus Lawrence made his season debut following a four-game suspension for violating the NFL's substance-abuse policy.

Texas exits playoffs

TORONTO (AP) — Josh Donaldson's mad dash moved the Blue Jays into the next round of the playoffs.

Donaldson raced home from second base after Rougned Odor bounced a double-play relay in the 10th inning and Toronto beat the Texas Rangers 7-6 on Sunday night to sweep their AL Division Series.

Donaldson, the reigning AL MVP, led off the 10th with a double into the right-center field gap and Matt Bush intentionally walked Edwin Encarna-

After Jose Bautista struck out, Russell Martin hit a grounder to shortstop Elvis Andrus, who tried to start a double play with a feed to second base. After making the turn, second baseman Odor short-hopped his throw to first baseman Mitch Moreland and the ball skipped away, allowing Donaldson to sprint home and beat Moreland's throw with a dive across the plate.

"I was at third base when the throw was being made," Donaldson said. "Once I saw (Moreland) miss the pick, I felt like I had to take a chance

The wild-card Blue Jays are headed back to the AL Championship Series after beating Texas in an ALDS for a second straight year and will face the winner of the Cleveland-Boston series. The Indians lead 2-0, with Game 3 scheduled for Monday following a postponement Sunday.

Blue Jays president Mark Shapiro, who spent 24 years with Cleveland before joining Toronto last fall, said he'd already reached out to one former Indians colleague about a potential ALCS meeting.

"It's something I've tried not to think about," Shapiro said, "but I texted (Indians GM) Chris Antonetti a two-word text about 10 minutes ago: Your turn."

bench emptied and Toronto's swarmed around Donaldson near home plate after his dramatic dash, while Bush kneeled in the infield and watched the celebration. The umpires huddled to review the play at second base, but after a brief delay, the crowd of 49,555 went wild as crew chief Joe West signaled the run counted.

"You're like 'Oh gosh, let's not have a technicality ruin this moment for us right here," Martin said. "It was a little bit of a buzzkill at the time."

Donaldson had two doubles among

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Topsy-turvy day at Charlotte tightens NASCAR's playoffs

CONCORD, N.C. (AP) — It should have been catastrophic nearly any way Joey Logano looked at his situation. His wrecked race car was in the garage during the opening race of the second round of the playoffs, his crew frantically trying to get him back on track. At the moment, Logano's only

saving grace was that Kevin Harvick had his own disabled vehicle and was stuck watching Sunday's race at Charlotte Motor Speedway roll on without them.

Then Austin Dillon wrecked, Chase Elliott, too. Denny Hamlin lost an engine and Martin Truex Jr. had a pit road miscue.

In all, five drivers finished 30th or worse Sunday, meaning the field remained bunched enough that everyone has an equal shot to recover.

There are two more races, at Kansas and Talladega, before this field of 12 is whittled to eight, and only eight points separate Hamlin, in the cutoff position, from Harvick, who is last in the standings. Logano, who got back on track to finish 36th, is two points ahead of Harvick and only six behind Hamlin.

"I feel better about it," Logano said of the standings. "My team did a good job fighting to get back out there and I think we gained two points by doing that, and that could be the difference when it's all said and done."

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No one was immune Sunday,



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Aquarius Moon of Perspective

A lot of strife happens when people are not creative enough to think of more solutions. They fight as though the conflict is a tug-of-war situation, with one long rope and two sides. But the conflict has many sides. Then again, as the Aquarius moon steps us back to the larger sense of things, maybe there is only one side, and we are all on it.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). Like a masterful actor, when you fulfill a role very thoroughly and perfectly, people see the role and not the person playing it. Still, their eyes are trained on you, and their ears are open to all you have to offer.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). You're still getting to know someone -- how thrilling. Proceed in the way that feels right. How much should you share? This is probably not one of those times when less is more. More is more.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Your powers of empathy are turned up, and you can't help but pay close attention to the highs and lows of others. You can feel the heart throb in all you witness.

CANCER (June **22-July 22).** Even though the fantasy world in your mind is a wondrous and much-needed escape, you keep it in its special place, refusing to let it interfere with the realities of your life and the truths you chase there.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). It won't make sense right away, but figuring things out is half the fun. You have a talent for staying cool and letting those wheels in your mind spin. They'll work it out best when you're doing something unrelated to the

Tomorrow's Horoscope

problem.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). People choose their own fascinations. If that fascination happens to be you, so be it. Relax and enjoy the attention you get without worrying about whether or not you deserve it. It's really not for you to decide.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). You will be more susceptible than usual to temptation, so don't put yourself in direct line of it. Balance your service to others with self-care. Make yourself happy. You'll avert disaster and gain fans by doing just that.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). It's the kind of day that begs to be filled with laughter and warm feelings. Make long-distance calls. And as for those near, don't hold back! Be mushy! Loved ones long to hear it from you.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). You do your best to explain what you think is true, and the other person does his or her best to negate it. This is how you'll grow in knowledge and influence.

(Dec. 22-Jan. 19). What you do today you don't do alone. Your actions will not occur in a vacuum. They are not a mono-

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logue but a conversation, one that you'll gladly bring others into.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). You feel that without certain people, your life would be incomplete. That is the way you want to feel about a precious friend. When you have many people you feel this way about, life is good indeed.

PISCES (Feb. **19-March 20).** Part of the day will require you to go it alone. You're good company. Besides, people can be annoying. You'll get to the point where you prefer the solitude -even crave it.

TODAY'S BIRTH-DAY (Oct. 10). The next 10 weeks represent an exciting phase of a project. In January you'll finally bring it home to the tangible reality. New people will endear themselves to you in 2017 through acts of love and respect. A

spring fitness goal will benefit more than your health. Wedding bells will ring in July. Aquarius and Gemini adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 45, 4, 19, 33 and 20.

ASTROLOGICAL QUESTION: "I'm thinking of going to business school because I enjoy numbers and managing people, but I can't make up my mind regarding which industry might be best for me. Is there any way to find this in my astrological chart?" The three indica-

tors you should look at in your chart are the placements for your rising sign (ascendant), Mars and Mercury. The ascendant will tell you where your interests might lie. Mars suggests where you might charge ahead to victory, and Mercury will clue you in to your communication style. Look at the houses and signs in which these planets are located, as well as any favorable aspects (trines, conjunctions, sextiles) between them. Let's say your first house has Pluto in Sagittarius, your 11th house has Mars

in Libra, and your seventh house has Mercury in Taurus. This tells me you might enjoy working in the fields of education, international affairs, media or law. You would be well-liked by your subordinates, would probably do very well taking on community projects and would communicate easily and reliably with a business partner. **CELEBRITY**

PROFILES: Happy birthday to Dale Earnhardt Jr., who carries on his family's NA-SCAR legacy as one of the most popular drivers in racing. The Libra was born when five luminaries were in Libra, signifying a true love of working with others and being in harmonious relationships and teams. His Leo moon is the sign of a showman, someone who is comfortable in the spotlight. Saturn in Cancer speaks of otherworldly intuition.

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Newlyweds Can't Sleep Together

Dear Annie: My husband and I are newlyweds. The first year of marriage has been amazing, except for one thing. Our sleeping preferences are dramatically different. I enjoy a very cold room with a heavy plush comforter, whereas he would be happy sleeping in a warmer room with a

He complains constantly about our comforter's being too hot. When I tell him to

lighter-weight blanket.

throw the blanket off, he complains it's too cold in the room. The other night, he said he was so uncomfortable that he slept in the quest room with a small blanket and the temperature set to 75. In the morning, he crawled into bed and said he'd missed sleeping next to me. We love sleeping next to each other and cuddling. It's just the actual falling and staying asleep part that is a struggle. -- Sleeping Beauty Needs Her Shut-eye

Dear Sleeping Beauty: Prince



By Steve Becker

Famous Hand

South dealer. Both sides vulnerable **NORTH** WEST EAST **↑**10962 ♥J87 **♥**1096 **♣**A K 10 9 5

The bidding: South West North East Pass Pass Pass Pass Pass Pass Pass Dble There are hands played in the

annual world championship where the outcome is the same at both tables and therefore receives little notice. But some deals merit attenparticularly tion nevertheless when both teams fall from grace and duplicate their sins. One of the most

startling cases of this sort occurred in the match between Brazil and the United States in 1973

When a Brazilian pair held the

North-South cards, the bidding went as shown. North's two-diamond response to South's opening diamond bid was systemic and indicated a very good hand. The bidding was fairly natural from that point on, but, although South indicated his willingness to stop at five diamonds, North could not resist the temptation to bid six. West doubled, and declarer went down one

When a U.S. pair sat North-South, the bidding went: South West North East Pass 3 **♠** 4 **♥** Pass Pass Pass Pass Pass Pass Dble At this table, South passed origi-

nally, but then tried to make up for it by bidding strongly later on. North's one-diamond bid, rather than one spade, was also systemic. South finally bid six diamonds after North's two slam tries, and again this ignominious contract got doubled. So the outcome was a tie, each declarer going down one doubled, and no blood was spilled. It does seem odd, at this level of

competition, that both pairs should undertake a slam missing the A-K of trumps, but it just goes to show that even the world's best players are only human.

Tomorrow: A very valuable signal. ©2016 King Features Syndicate Inc

Annie's Mailbox ®

Charming needs his shut-eye, too. But rest easy; it's common that married couples have to iron out their sleeping differences. There are plenty of options to make this work.

There are blankets specifically designed for couples in your situation, where half the blanket is heavy and the other half is light. You can find these for sale online, or if you're at all crafty, you can stitch two different-weight blankets together yourself. If that's not enough, consider buying two twin beds and pushing them together to make a king-size bed. That way, your bed will have your blanket and his will have his.

Science is on your side with the thermostat. Dr. Christopher Winter, medical director at Charlottesville Neurology and Sleep

Medicine, says the ideal temperature at which to sleep is between 60 and 67 degrees Fahrenheit, as cooler body temperatures allow for deeper sleep. But seeing as your husband prefers it warmer, perhaps you could compromise at 70.

Congratulations on your first year of marriage. If this is the biggest problem in your relationship, you're doing well.

Dear Annie: My spouse is the head of a company and receives gourmet food gifts from large corporations. What is the proper etiquette regarding these gifts? The gifts are addressed to my spouse. Are the gifts to be shared with everyone in the office? Are the gifts to be brought home? I don't want to be rude. -- Unsure

Dear Unsure:

These baskets are addressed to your husband, so if he'd like to take them home, that would be perfectly OK. But what would be even better is if he shared at least some of them with the office. Any goodwill this might establish between him and his employees would be priceless, and it would cost him nothing.

Dear Annie: I was disappointed when I read your answer to "Hearing Gibberish," the gentleman who complained about people talking too fast for him to understand. That is a huge red flag that suggests he may be experiencing hearing loss. If not diagnosed and treated for hearing loss, he might withdraw, quit trying to communicate and fail to respond to loved ones. These behaviors have frequently

been interpreted as dementia. If hearing loss is caught soon enough and treated, the social damage can be corrected, and the world won't lose this guy. There are tools to help with this, such as closed captioning, assistive listening devices, hearing aids and captioned telephones (CapTel). Your state may provide a captioned phone free or at reduced cost. For more information about hearing loss, contact the Hearing Loss Association of America (http://www. hearingloss.org). --**Hearing Again**

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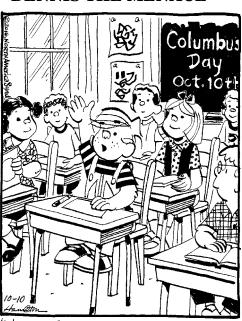
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Why was Columbus only friends with the Indians? Didn't he know any Cowboys?"

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TO SPICE

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WHY DO THEY

CALL FALL 'FALL'?

WIZARD OF ID



"Tell me a story, Daddy, but make sure it's got a boy in it iust like me.

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DIGNITY ...



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BLONDIE





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WOULD YOU CARE TO ELABORATE?

This Date In History

Today is Monday, Oct. 10, the 284th day of 2016. There are 82 days left in the year. This is Columbus Day in the United States, as well as Thanksgiving Day in Canada.

Today's Highlight in History: On Oct. 10, 1966, the Beach Boys' single "Good Vibrations" by Brian Wilson and Mike Love was released by Capitol Records.

On this date:

In A.D. 19, Roman general Germanicus Julius Caesar, 33, died in Antioch under mysterious circumstances, possibly from poisoning.

In 1845, the U.S. Naval Academy was established in Annapolis, Maryland.

In 1913, the Panama Canal was effectively completed as President Woodrow Wilson sent a signal from the White House by telegraph, setting off explosives that destroyed a section of the Gamboa dike. In 1935, the George Gershwin

nera "Porgy and Bess" featuring an all-black cast, opened on Broadway, where it ran for 124 performances.

In 1938, Nazi Germany completed its annexation of Czechoslovakia's Sudetenland (soo-DAYT'-uhn-land).

In 1943, Chiang Kai-shek took the oath of office as president of China. In 1956, the New York

Yankees won the World Series,

Brooklyn

defeating the Dodgers, 9-0, in Game 7 at Ebbets Field. In 1967, the Outer Space Treaty, prohibiting the placing of weapons of mass destruction

on the moon or elsewhere in

space, entered into force.

In 1973, Vice President Spiro T. Agnew, accused of accepting bribes, pleaded no contest to one count of federal income tax evasion, and resigned his office.

In 1985, U.S. fighter jets forced an Egyptian plane carrying the hijackers of the Italian cruise ship Achille Lauro (ah-KEE'-leh LOW'-roh) to land in Italy, where the gunmen were taken into custody. Actordirector Orson Welles died in Los Angeles at age 70; actor Yul Brynner died in New York at age 65.

In 1997, the International Campaign to Ban Landmines and its coordinator, Jody Williams, were named winners of the Nobel Peace Prize.

In 2005, Angela Merkel struck a power-sharing deal that made her the first woman and politician from the ex-communist east to serve as Germany's chancellor.

Ten years ago: The Bush administration rejected anew

direct talks with North Korea in the wake of the communist country's nuclear test, and suggested it was possible the test was something less than it appeared.

Five years ago: Christopher Sims and Thomas Sargent of the United States won the Nobel Prize in economics. Albert Pujols had one of the biggest postseason nights of his career in Game 2 of the NL championship series, going 4 for 5 with a home run, three doubles and five RBIs as the St. Louis Cardinals beat the Milwaukee Brewers 12-3 to even the series at 1-1. Nelson Cruz hit the first game-ending grand slam in postseason history, lifting the Texas Rangers over the Detroit Tigers 7-3 in 11 innings for a 2-0 lead in the AL championship series.

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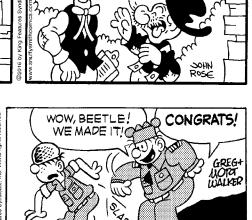


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Newsday Crossword

ACROSS

- or wheat
- 22 Stinging insects
- 28 Small swimsuits
- the ocean
- 32 Parking-lot
- setting: Abbr.
- short
- 36 Entertain
- 37 Tiny bit
- 38 End of a
- college's
- 39 Without an
- escort

- 53 Rant and
- **55** __ Major

- 1 Stare at
- 5 Tread heavily 10 "Shoo!"
- 14 Beach bucket **15** Less diluted
- 17 Otherwise
- 18 Rome's country 19 Farmer's corn
- 20 Get the sniffles
- opening
- 35 Life stories, for

- 40 Engine
- 43 Have faith in
- 44 Police officers
- 47 Sneaky tactics
- (show anger)
- (Big Dipper constellation)

56 Above

- 16 Grains in
- Cheerios
- 23 Stadium levels
- 24 Prohibited thing 25 Aspects
- 31 Spots of land in
- 34 Chicago clock

- email address
- 41 Danger signal
- 45 Fern seed
- 49 Narrow escape
- **54** Brag

- - 57 Remove the soap from
- 58 Jump 59 Scratches up
- 60 Make a
- change to

61 Has a meal **DOWN**

- 1 Oil cartel letters
- 2 Elaborate party
- shopper's sheet 4 Those voted
- instructor

- 3 Grocerv
- into office
- ginger

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- 5 Cinnamon and
- 6 One-on-one
- 8 Blend together
- 7 Verbal exams
- **13** Sugar amounts: Abbr. **21** Top-10 tunes

10 Copycat

11 Capital of

Nevada

12 On the roof of

comment

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- 24 Pleasant 25 Bran substance
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- 32 Urban air

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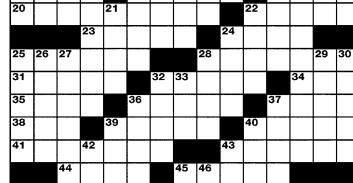
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Boise State and Western Michigan. Both those unbeaten Broncos will be competing with the Cougars for the Group of Five's automatic bid to a New Year's Six Bowl.

- 4. Because this is college football, somewhere there is at least one Houston fan complaining that Tom Herman is all hype and just might not be the guy to get the Cougars over the top.
- 5. Speaking of Herman, let's talk Texas.
- 6. Charlie Strong, a former defensive coordinator, took over those duties at Texas this week. The Longhorns allowed 672 yards in a loss to Oklahoma, the third consecutive game of more than 500 and five yards shy of the most the Sooners have ever gained against Texas. So who
- gets replaced now? 7. At some point the negativity around a program can become so overwhelming, success seems impossible. Texas seems very close to reaching that point.
- 8. How will No. 9 Tennessee have anything left for No. 1 Alabama next week after emotional rallies against Florida, Georgia and now Texas A&M? The Vols couldn't complete the deal against the Aggies.
- 9. Hard to see the Vols beating the Crimson Tide in Knoxville, but chances are decent it is entertaining.
- 10. Alabama is so good it is

driving fans of other teams a little crazy.

- 11. Texas A&M had been 5-0 each of the last three seasons, but couldn't get to 6-0. The Aggies now have a week off before playing at Alabama with house money. Trevor Knight, who accounted for five touchdowns against the Vols, does have a history of success against the Crimson Tide. Small sample size, but
- 12. Michigan coach Jim Harbaugh said he wasn't trying to give Jabrill Peppers a chance to shine in his home state of New Jersey, but there was no doubt the prime-time blowout of Rutgers was the do-it-all star's opportunity to get some Heisman Trophy traction.
- 13. Harbaugh called Peppers the finest player in the country, said the junior "in my humble opinion" looked like a Heisman winner, and when asked if he could ever remember a more versatile player than Peppers the coach came up empty at first. Then it dawned on him. "Maybe Jim Thorpe. That's a good comparison."
- 14. It was easy to see what was coming between No. 5 Washington and Oregon, but still it was worse than expected. The Ducks can only hope this was the bot-
- 15. At the midway point of the season, the College Football Playoff favorites are clear: Alabama, Clemson, Washington and the winner of the Ohio State-Michigan game.
 - 16. No. 10 Miami lost a heart-

breaker to No. 23 Florida State. It came down to a blown kick. After all those wide rights and lefts, Bobby Bowden had to be smiling.

17. Is Gus Malzahn off the hot seat at Auburn after the Tigers crushed Mississippi State ? Things look good at 4-2 heading into an off week, but ahead is No. 16 Arkansas, road games at No. 14 Mississippi and Georgia, and of course, the Iron Bowl. That 4-2 could still turn into 6-6.

18. Maybe the most surprising result of the weekend happened in Chapel Hill, North Carolina: Virginia Tech 34, North Carolina 3. The Tar Heels came in averaging 7.47 yards per play, fifth best in the nation. Bud Foster's defense held UNC to 2.11 yards per play and eight first

19. Ohio State held Indiana to 4.13 yards per play and had a key fourth-and-1 stop near the goal line in the fourth quarter in the latest smothering defensive performance by the rebuilt Buckeyes' defense. Nice resume builder for new defensive coordinator Greg Schiano, who is hoping to land another head coaching job.

20. Thanks to Sam Darnold, the thought of USC winning the Pac-12 South doesn't sound so crazy.

21. SEC Commissioner Greg Sankey said that the LSU-Florida game "needs to be played." At some point Sankey is going to have to tell the schools that and make this decision instead of waiting for them to compromise.

TEXAS

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his three hits and is batting .538 through four postseason games, all wins for the Blue Jays, who had to beat Baltimore in a wild-card game to get to the ALDS.

"We definitely feel good about where we're at," Donaldson said. "We're pitching well, we're playing good defense and right now we've been able to hit the homer. That's a big positive for our offense."

The Blue Jays now get four days off before the ALCS begins Friday, and they're happy to get

"Some people like to say a couple of days off might throw our timing off," Martin said. "I really don't believe in that. At this point in the year, a couple of days off can do wonders."

Bautista's homer and emphatic bat flip in Game 5 was the lasting image from Toronto's ALDS win over the Rangers last season. On May 15, Odor famously punched Bautista to spark a brawl in Texas, and the broadcast of Sunday's game showed a fan-made sign declaring "I would rather get punched in May than get knocked out in October."

Bush had thrown two scoreless innings in relief prior to beginning the 10th. It was the longest career outing for the 30-year-old rookie, who was crucial in the bullpen while Texas finished with the AL's best record.

Closer Roberto Osuna threw two perfect innings to get the win. His appearance capped 4 1/3 scoreless innings of one-hit ball by Toronto's bullpen after starter Aaron Sanchez allowed six runs.

Encarnacion had a two-run homer and Martin a solo shot in the first inning for Toronto, which swept a postseason series for the first time.

"Unfortunately didn't click at the right time," Andrus said. "They hit the ball well and never let us feel comfortable."

Andrus hit a solo homer in the third and Odor added a two-run shot in the fourth. They were the only two homers of the series for Texas.

"We got cold at the worst moment," Adrian Beltre said.

RACE

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not Chevrolet, Ford or Toyota. The longshots Dillon and Elliott were wrecked, the favorites Harvick and Logano fallen by broken parts or tire issues.

The big winner? Why, Jimmie Johnson, who suddenly has a recordtying seventh championship in reach.

Hendrick Motorsports has been underwhelming this year, Johnson stuck in a 24-race losing streak. This Chase so far had been a Truex and Harvick show, Johnson just the driver of a car that seemed to have some speed but was no ultimate match with the others.

His win Sunday showed otherwise, and he stamped his name into the third round of the playoffs. Johnson had failed to advance to the round of eight each of the last two years, but he's got his slot now, and that's the first step in winning that elusive seventh title.

He sounded hungry after the race, his eighth win at Charlotte and 78th of his career.

"We can't sit back and celebrate too much,"

Johnson said. "We've got to buckle down and get to work and keep advancing our race cars."

DOUBLE-HEADER: The race was originally scheduled to run Saturday night, but Hurricane Matthew washed out almost the entire weekend. So all racing was pushed to Sunday, which turned into an 800-mile doubleheader with the Xfinity Series.

Logano went on to win the Xfinity Series race, which was the eliminating event in the inaugural Chase for that series. Ty Dillon was knocked out by Bubba Wallace by one point, and Brennan Poole, Ryan Sieg Brandon Jones were also eliminated.

The second round of the Chase is a reprieve a miserable season for for Erik Jones, the preplayoff favorite who fell into a deep hole in the opening race and is now back to even.

KENSETH TO KAN-SAS: Matt Kenseth left with a concussion.

Charlotte on solid footing for the first time in the elimination system via a second-place finish to Johnson.

The stop in Charlotte had been his downfall the last two years. He tackled Brad Keselowski in the garage following a disappointing finish in 2014, and was second-to-last a year

So to leave in decent shape, with the pressure not nearly as high this weekend at Kansas, Kenseth felt OK.

"Honestly, last two years in a row, pretty much Charlotte has kind of taken us out of the Chase - mostly my doing," he said

HENDRICK RE-TURNS: This had been Hendrick Motorsports, by its own standards. Only two of its four drivers made the Chase this year and Dale Earnhardt Jr. is sidelined

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