NFL roundup

Washington keeps pace with Cowboys with 38-14 victory

Sparked by Timmy Newsome's 52-yard tightrope act with just 47 seconds remaining in regulation, the Cowboys remained the NFL's lion tamers and the Buccaneers still were at the other end of the whip.

Newsome's TD catch forced an overtime and Dallas' Rafael Septien kicked a 42-yard field goal 4:38 into the extra period to bring the Cowboys an amazing 27-24 victory over hard-luck

Tampa Bay.

The Cowboys, who remained a game in front of Washington in the NFC east, remained the NFL's only unbeaten team while the Buccaneers and the Hous-ton Oilers are the only winless

With the Buccaneers leading 24-17, Newsome caught the ball in the left flat and appeared headed out of bounds in order to stop the clock. But he stopped just short of the sideline and then headed downfield, staying just inbounds and hurdling a would-be tackler along the way.

Tampa Bay suffered the

half against Green Bay the pre-vious Sunday but appeared to have at least partially atoned for that showing by outplaying the

At Chicago, Tony Galbreath and Darrin Nelson scored on long touchdown runs and Ben-Ricardo kicked three field goals to lead the Vikings, 4-2. Galbreath, who rushed for 104 yards on 16 carries, scored on a 52-yarder and Nelson scampered 52 yards for a score on the

third play of the game.
At Baltimore, Mike Pagel passed 68 yards to Curtis Dickey for a touchdown and ran for three key first downs to spark the Colts. The Baltimore defense recovered two fumbles, intercepted a Steve Grogan pass at the goal line and recorded a safety with less than two minutes

At Miami, Joe Danelo kicked a 36-yard field goal with just 62 seconds left in overtime and Joe Ferguson tossed a career-high

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embarassment of giving up an NFL record 49 points in the first 4-2. Uwe von Schamann missed two field goals in overtime for the Dolphins, who received three TD passes from rookie Dan Marino.

At San Francisco, rookie Eric Dickerson, the NFL's leading rusher, scored on a 15-yard TD run and rookie Chuck Nelson added a 41-oRd!fyered with a league-leading 645 yards rushing, carried 22 times for 142 yards including a 49 yards. 142 yards, including a 49-yarder that set up his touchdown.

At East Rutherford, N.J. Ron Jaworski and Mike Quick teammed for two touchdown passes to guide the Eagles. Quick finished with six catches for 72 yards and Jaworski hit 16-of-31 passes for 241 yards and no interceptions.

At Los Angeles, Marcus Allen, who earlier threw for a touchdown, recovered a fumble in the end zone with 8:29 remaining to lead the Raiders, 5-1. The Chiefs had a chance to win when Nick Lowery tried a 48yard field goal in the closing linebacker Ted Hendricks.

At San Diego, cornerback Andre Young returned an interception 40 yards with just over two minutes remaining to lift the Chargers. San Diego's Dan Fouts completed 28-of-36 passes for 331 yards and one touch-down and backup Ed Luther threw for another TD as the Chargers improved to 3-3.

In other games, Cleveland nipped the New York Jets 10-7, Washington crushed St. Louis 38-14, New Orleans edged Atlanta 19-17, Detroit clobbered Green Bay 38-14, Denver topped Houston 26-14, Minnesota downed Chicago 23-14, Balti-more beat New England 12-7, Buffalo shaded Miami 38-35 in overtime, the Los Angeles Rams held off San Francisco 10-7, the Los Angeles Raiders nipped Kansas City 21-20 and San Diego beat Seattle 28-21. Pittsburgh is at Cincinnati Monday

At Atlanta, Morten Andersen kicked a 35-yard field goal with no time remaining to spark New Orleans, 4-2, to its best start. The Falcons, 2-4, had taken the lead with only 1:16 left when William Andrews capped an 80-yard march by diving across from two vards out.

At Cleveland, Matt Bahr drilled a 44-yard field goal as time ran out to lift the Browns. Cleveland, leaders in the AFC Central, got the ball with 1:24 left after New York tied the score on Richard Todd's 15-yard pass to Bruce Harper.

At St. Louis, John Riggins rushed for a season-high 115 yards and three TDs to power the Redskins to their fifth straight victory. It was the 10th consecutive road triumph for Washington — one away from the NFL record set by the San Diego Chargers. The Cardinals



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DeBerg leads Den past slumping Oile

United Press International HOUSTON — Experience may be the best teacher, but for now million-dollar rookie John Elway will have to wait

It paid off for the Denver Broncos, at least in the present, for Elway to watch sevenyear pro Steve DeBerg operate Sunday against the Houston Oilers.

DeBerg, who had played behind Elway over the first five games this season, passed for two touchdowns and used der's burst to break a threegame losing streak by a 26-14

Elway said he hated watching instead of playing.

"The way Steve played to-day, I don't know when I'll get another chance," he admitted. 'So I'll prepare myself as the backup and make sure I'm ready whenever coach (Dan) Reeves needs me."

DeBerg passed for 149 yards without an interception. He allowed the Broncos to control the ball. The Broncos did not have to punt until the third quarter - a startling development for a team that had rated as the league's worst

offense through five games.

He credited the Broncos'
253 yards rushing with the
win. Sammy Winder collected 165 yards on 29 carries.

"They didn't know where we were coming from. Our offense was more diverse, and the Oilers couldn't figure out where we would hit them next. Plus, we executed," De-Berg said. The Oilers, 0-6, lost their

13th consecutive game. Coach Ed Biles pointed to four lost fumbles, but it was his defense's inability to slow the Broncos' running at key times that doomed his team.

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Dallas Hillcrest High helped aid the Aggies! by finishing fourth in mile course on the

"Aaron Ramirez/7th Treat(13th) and Stark(16th) all ran go and have run consists son," Nelson said. The Aggies next me Texas Invitational in

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