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Manchester United striker Anthony Martial scored the winning goal against Tottenham Hotspur after a flowing move that saw only three touches between the ball leaving goalkeeper David de Gea's foot to reaching the back of the opposition net.

PHOTO: AFP

Juve bury Milan

AFP, Milan

Gonzalo Higuain scored in either half to bring his tally of Serie A goals to 101 as Juventus went top of the Italian league with a 2-0 win that plunged AC Milan further into crisis on Saturday.

Higuain opened after 23 minutes in front of a capacity crowd at the San Siro Stadium and grabbed a second on 63 minutes for the six-time reigning champions.

Juventus move provisionally top with 28 points from 11 games just ahead of Napoli -- who host Sassuolo on Sunday -- on goal difference.

"When they disallowed the goal against SPAL, we said it was my destiny to score the 100th at San Siro! Now it's 101, not bad," Higuain told Sky Sport Italia.

"We're a strong team and when we play like that it's difficult to beat us," said Higuain. "It was essential not to concede a goal."

"I don't listen to criticism, I just always try to be myself and today we had a great team effort."

Vincenzo Montella's Milan, who had ended their run of three consecutive defeats at Chievo midweek, had little answer for their northern Italian neighbours.

The future looks increasingly bleak for Montella whose side are now in eighth position, 12 points behind the leaders, and far below their objective of Champions League football next season.

Milan captain Leonardo Bonucci was absent as he completed his two-match ban against his former club.

After early pressure from the hosts Juventus got into their stride with Paul Dybala weaving his way through for fellow Argentine Higuain to blast in his 100th league goal after 22 minutes.

Juventus defender Giorgio Chiellini risked an own goal as he nodded just wide when anticipating Nikola Kalinic.

Croatian striker Kalinic had Milan's best chance just before the first half whistle but his effort was deflected by goalkeeper Gianluigi Buffon onto the crossbar.

Higuain's second came after Kwadwo Asamoah crossed to Dybala who let the ball pass between his legs for the Argentine marksman to trick Ricardo Rodriguez and rifle past Gianluigi Donnarumma after 63 minutes for his sixth league goal of the season.

"Milan perhaps started stronger, but we played like a great team, we deserved the victory."

"The coach said games never end at San Siro and that is absolutely true. We stayed focussed for the full 90 minutes and made only one mistake, when they hit the bar."

"Now we have to recuperate and focus on the Champions League in Lisbon."

Leaders Napoli can reclaim top spot when they travel north to Sassuolo, who are just two points above the relegation zone, on Sunday.

Man City maintain lead

Tottenham Hotspur crash at Old Trafford

AFP, London

Manchester City manager Pep Guardiola was heartened by the way his side stayed five points clear at the top of the Premier League table despite making hard work of a 3-2 victory away to West Bromwich Albion on Saturday.

Guardiola left City's joint all-time leading goal-scorer Sergio Aguero on the bench but his side still struck twice in a frantic five minutes at the Hawthorns which featured three goals in all.

Leroy Sane's stunning strike gave City a 10th-minute lead only for Jay Rodriguez to equalise soon afterwards.

But come the 15th minute, City were 2-1 up after Fernandinho let fly with a speculative shot that deflected off Gareth Barry and went in off the post.

City substitute Raheem Sterling gave the visitors a two-goal lead in the 64th minute only for the Baggies' to pull a goal back late on through Matt Phillips after a defensive blunder by Nicolas Otamendi.

"You cannot win all the time by four, five, six goals, that is unrealistic," said Guardiola, whose side have won 28 points from a possible 30 in their opening 10 league games this season.

"It's important when you make a good performance you win comfortably and when you don't play at the high level you're able to win."

Second-placed Manchester United and Tottenham Hotspur started the day level on points but Jose Mourinho's men edged ahead after substitute Anthony Martial's goal nine

minutes from time gave them a 1-0 win over a Spurs side missing injured England striker Harry Kane.

"LAST BALL OF THEIR CAREERS" "Today, every ball looked like the last ball of their careers," said United manager Mourinho, who slammed his players' attitude following a shock 2-1 loss to Huddersfield last week.

This was Spurs' second defeat of the week after their League Cup loss to London rivals West Ham.

"It was our mistake," said Spurs boss Mauricio Pochettino after his defence failed to deal with a long clearance from United goalkeeper

David De Gea that Romelu Lukaku headed on to Martial.

Arsenal moved to within a point of north London rivals Spurs after coming from behind to see off struggling Swansea 2-1.

The Gunners fell behind when Sam Clucas put the visitors 1-0 up in the 22nd minute.

But Arsene Wenger's men were back on level terms early in the second half at the Emirates when Sead Kolosinac rifled a shot past former Arsenal goalkeeper Lukasz Fabianski from 15 yards out.

Kolosinac then turned provider for Aaron Ramsey as the Wales midfielder made it 2-1 in the 58th minute.

Chelsea in turn went level on points with Arsenal after Eden Hazard's 51st-minute goal proved decisive in a 1-0 win away to Bournemouth in Saturday's late kick-off.

Liverpool, fresh from an embarrassing 4-1 loss to Tottenham, beat Huddersfield 3-0 despite Mohamed Salah missing a first-half penalty in a match that pitted Reds manager Jurgen Klopp against Terriers boss David Wagner -- the best man at his wedding.

"NICE DAY FOR LIVERPOOL" Daniel Sturridge broke the deadlock five minutes into the second half before Roberto Firmino doubled Liverpool's lead in the 58th minute with a header.

Georginio Wijnaldum then added a third late on and Klopp said: "We were more direct (in the second half) and now it is a nice day!"

Wilfried Zaha's goal in the seventh minute of stoppage time saw basement club Crystal Palace come from 2-0 down to salvage a 2-2 draw with West Ham at Selhurst Park.

"It feels like a defeat," said under-pressure Hammers boss Slaven Bilic, but Roy Hodgson reckoned a draw was the least his Palace side deserved from a game "where you only faced two shots and you've had 20-odd, and hit the post and had one cleared off the line".

Elsewhere, Darren Fletcher's 16th-minute goal gave Stoke City a much-needed 1-0 win at Watford.

South coast duo Brighton and Southampton meet on Sunday when Leicester play Everton in former Saints boss Claude Puel's first game in charge of the Foxes.

Burnley welcome Newcastle to Turf Moor on Monday.

Woods pleads guilty

REUTERS, Florida

Tiger Woods on Friday pleaded guilty in a Florida court to reckless driving and entered a program for first-time offenders, avoiding a conviction on the charge of driving under the influence (DUI) last spring.

The 41-year-old professional golfer was found asleep in May behind the wheel of a Mercedes-Benz, which was parked alongside a road not far from his home on Jupiter Island.

Woods entered his plea and accepted the conditions, including 12 months of probation. He will now enter a diversion program offered in Palm Beach County for first-time DUI offenders.

Woods told police officers at the time of his arrest that he was returning from Los Angeles, but could not remember where he was going, even though his car was headed away from his home, the arrest report showed.

Woods had five drugs in his system when he was arrested, but no alcohol, according to a toxicology report.

In a statement after his arrest, Woods apologized to fans and blamed the incident on prescription medication he was taking to manage pain from a recent back surgery.

U-17 WORLD CUP FINAL Eng crush Spain

AFP, Kolkata

Manchester City starlet Phil Foden scored twice as England came from behind to crush Spain 5-2 in the Under 17 World Cup final on Sunday.

On top of Foden's second half brace, Liverpool's Rhian Brewster scored his seventh goal of the tournament and Morgan Gibbs-White and Marc Guehi also pierced the normally solid Spanish defence at the Salt Lake stadium in Kolkata.

Gibbs White's low shot in the first minute of a fierce-paced final in front of 66,600 fans produced a lightning reflex save from Alvaro Fernandez in the Spanish goal. But Spain captain Abel Ruiz masterminded the first goal in the 10th minute, heading the ball down in the goal area for Barcelona teammate Sergio Gomez to push the ball in the net.

On 31 minutes Ruiz again opened the England defence and laid the ball on for Cesar Gelabert who found Gomez on the other side of the area waiting to rocket a shot past goalkeeper Curtis Anderson.

England fought hard to get back into the game. Callum Hudson-Odoi fired a right foot shot onto the post with Fernandez beaten.

The pressure paid off in the 44th minute when Steven Sessegnon crossed from the right and an unmarked Brewster headed past Fernandez.

The second resumed at a furious pace with England pushing hard for an equaliser. The breakthrough came in the 58th minute when Foden took the ball into the Spain penalty area and laid it on to Sessegnon who found Gibbs-White with plenty of space to fire the ball past Fernandez.



QUICK SINGLES

The following are a few samples of stories that did not make the print edition. However, if they pique your interest, you can always read them online on The Daily Star website by simply scanning the QR codes listed below:

Valencia stay on Barca's heels

Valencia maintained their stunning revival under Marcelino Garcia Toral to move to within a point of La Liga leaders Barcelona with a hard-fought 2-1 win at Alaves thanks to Rodrigo's penalty 24 minutes from time.

Business as usual for Catalonia trip: Zidane

Real Madrid will travel "as normal" coach Zinedine Zidane insisted for their La Liga clash at Girona despite the political turmoil engulfing Catalonia.

Retirement not on Hamilton's mind

Lewis Hamilton hailed one of his "best drives" despite being outpaced by Daniel Ricciardo during second free practice for this weekend's Mexican Grand Prix, where he hopes to claim his fourth drivers' world title.

Stokes real hero?

AFP, London

England all-rounder Ben Stokes has been hailed a "real hero" for stepping in and protecting a gay couple in the incident which threatens his place on the Ashes tour.

The 26-year-old will not travel to Australia with the rest of the England squad on Saturday as he waits to learn whether he will face criminal charges over an incident outside a nightclub in Bristol in September.

However, Kai Barry and Billy O'Connell told The Sun on Saturday that Stokes had been their white knight by stepping in to stop a group of revellers hurling homophobic abuse at them.

Barry and O'Connell said Stokes bought them drinks when they met him and fellow England team-mate Alex Hales in a club that evening.

"We were so grateful to Ben for stepping in to help. He was a real hero," 20-year-old O'Connell told the newspaper. "Kai feared he could be attacked. If Ben hadn't intervened it could have been a lot worse for us."

Barry added things could have got ugly if the England star hadn't intervened.

"I'm not a fighter and we didn't want a fight," said Barry, 26. "We could've been in real trouble. Ben was a real gentleman."

Barry said they hadn't realised the fall out for Stokes until they received a visit from a police officer this week.

O'Connell said he hoped Stokes would get to play in Australia.

"Ben is a really nice guy and I hope he can still play for England in the Ashes," said O'Connell. "It would be awful (if) his career was ruined over this. He was just trying to help defend Kai."

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