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## Squealin' on the Square draws crowd

By TOM BERRY  
 Staff Writer

If you were one of the lucky ones that visited FreedomFest's new "Squealing in the Square" event last night in downtown Murray, you no doubt savored the chance to taste some of the best, eye-bulging, mouth-watering, tongue-smacking, finger-licking, country-smoked barbecue to be found on either side of the Mississippi.

However it certainly would have been wise to stop at showing your appreciation for the chef's skills by the big grin on your face and possibly the barbecue sauce on your upper lip, but by no chance should you have asked for their recipe. That information is more highly classified than the next Elvis sighting, the whereabouts of Jimmy Hoffa, or the location of Osama bin Laden.

"I'd tell you what it is, but then I would have to kill you. That's top secret stuff," said Frank Myers, of Myers Barbecue, as he served a long line of hungry customers. On the table next to him were more than a dozen trophies that he had won in barbecue competitions in and around his southern Illinois home during the past 10 years.

"Oh, I have a secret recipe," Myers said. "I use different spices in certain portions. It's been pretty successful, so I don't

tell anybody about it."

However, just down the street, Myers had some competition from The Hardwood Gang, of Paducah, who were also tight-lipped concerning what they do to, add to, or put on their delicious barbecue pork or chicken. To the Hardwood Gang, doing barbecue is a family affair.

"Sure I have a secret. Everybody here has," said Gary Walls, who has teamed up with his father, Terry Walls, and his son, Daniel, to produce some of what they call the best barbecue in the area.

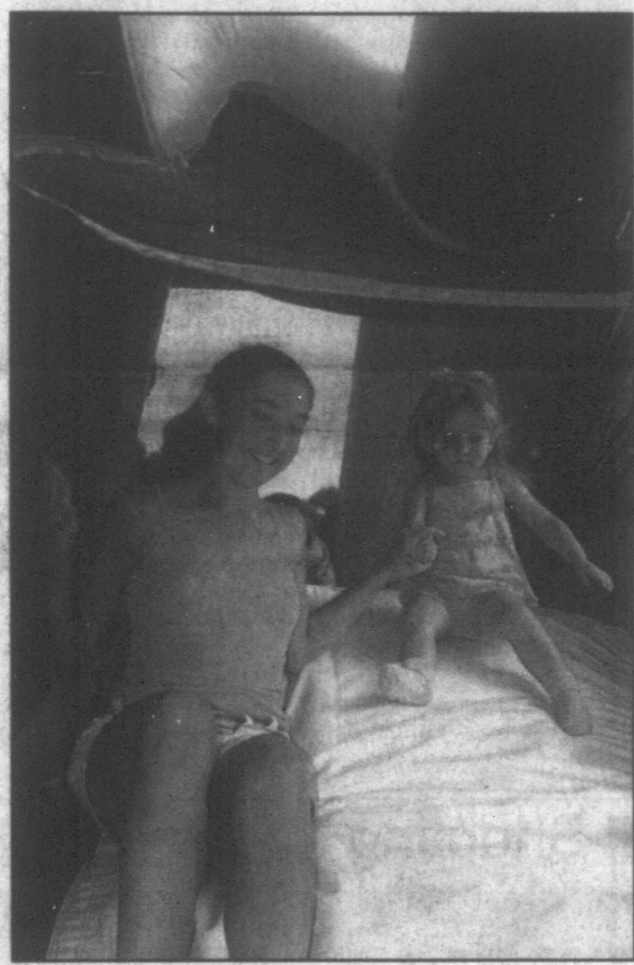
"This is my dad's recipe and we've been doing it for about 20 years," Wall continued, pointing out that they are called the Hardwood Gang because they cook with - hard wood.

"Hickory...oak, you know," he said with a laugh.

However, good chefs weren't the only talent around the square last night. Krit Stubblefield, an experienced amateur sauce maker, was found hawking his tasty invention - Kritter Stubblefield's Gourmet Barbecue Dipping Sauce - to all comers.

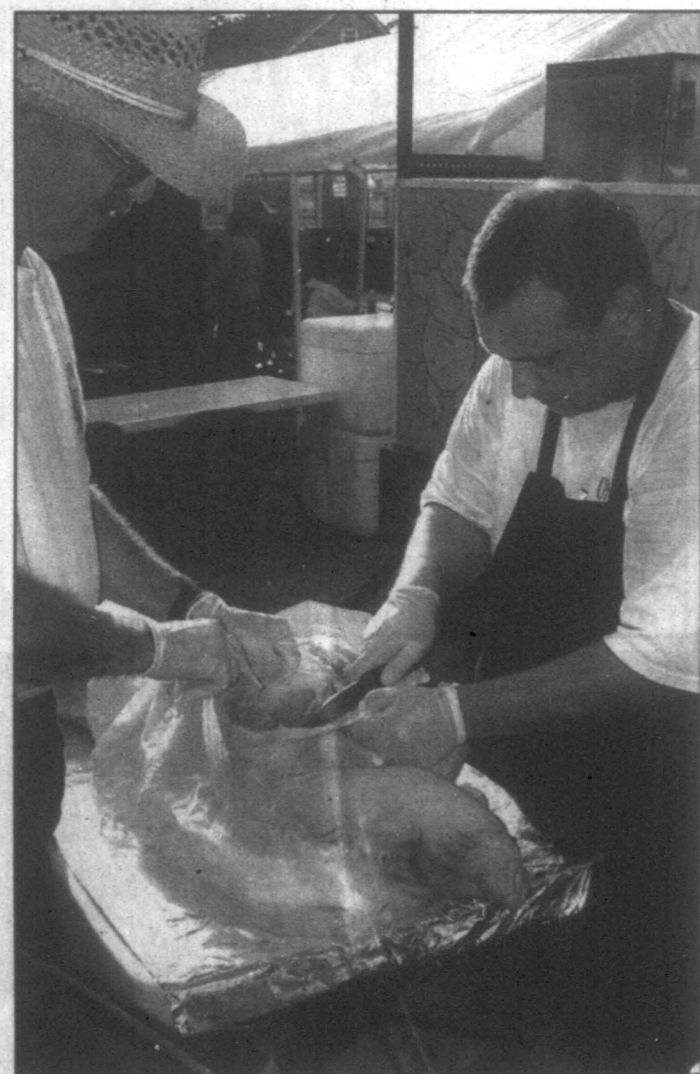
"It's not a new invention," Stubblefield said. "I've made it for years and years and years. In the past, I've given it to people

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JOHN WRIGHT/Ledger & Times Photos

Freedom Fest 2005 in Murray opened with an explosion of activity late Friday afternoon with most of the action at Chestnut Park. There, John Daie, pulpit pastor of Glendale Road Church of Christ and this year's Freedom Fest grand marshal cut the ceremonial ribbon to open the festivities, right, while Deana Wright, a Freedom Fest board member, watched from nearby. There were also many activities made available to children, such as this inflatable slide that Murray's Shelby Johnson enjoyed while guiding her younger cousin Rainie Troupe, left. Also involved was a spectacular display from the 101st Airborne Division's Screaming Eagles Parachute Team as its members showed their skills with a large crowd watching their every move. The festival continues today.



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Paducah's Jay Tapscott, right, takes a knife to a whole hog carcass, while partner Joe Barbee of Columbia assists in holding the hog in place as they prepare for this weekend's competition in the first-ever Squealin' on the Square Friday evening.

## Court date set in Hazel shooting

By KRISTIN TAYLOR  
 Staff Writer

The man accused of shooting his Hazel neighbor made his first appearance in court Friday.

Wesley G. Sheridan, 23, was arraigned Friday morning in Calloway District Court. He is charged with first-degree assault.

Sheridan's is scheduled to appear in district court at 10 a.m. July 12 for a preliminary hearing. A court spokeswoman said

Sheridan planned to apply for a public defender. He remains in Calloway County jail on a \$50,000 cash, property or surety bond.

Sheridan is accused of shooting Joseph Thorn in his penis after a dispute erupted Thursday night between the neighbors and two other men. Sheridan had parked his vehicle — which was suspected in a nearby hit-and-run collision — on Thorn's property and became angry that

the car was towed.

Thorn, 30, was taken to Murray-Calloway County Hospital but transferred to Vanderbilt Medical Center in Nashville, Tenn., a few hours later. A Vanderbilt spokesman said Thorn was not in the patient database available to the public because he is a victim of violence and listed under an alias. The hospital has a privacy policy for all victims being treated as a result of violent crimes as a

way to deal with the city's high volume of stabbings, shootings and child abuse.

Thorn originally reported the vehicle parked on his property at 6973 State Line Road at 6:14 p.m. Thursday, according to the sheriff's department call log. The vehicle was involved in a hit-and-run accident in Henry County, Tenn., but deputies there only wanted the driver.

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## Warehouse Tire fire was accidental

Staff Report  
 Murray Ledger & Times

A male juvenile admitted involvement in the fire at Warehouse Tire last month, but the fire investigator said the blaze was accidental.

Murray Fire Marshal Dickie Walls said Friday the June 21 fire was accidental and

started because of discarded smoking material. No criminal activity was involved, he said.

Last week Walls said his investigation didn't initially rule out an accident, but said since then his information concluded otherwise.

The fire ripped through the northwest

corner of the building on Coldwater Road. Warehouse Tire owner Keith Fain said the building housed a couple thousand tires, but many of those were pulled out before they caught on fire. The ones that did ignite created black smoke above the building.

The business is planning to re-open Tuesday.

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## Squealin' ...

### From Front

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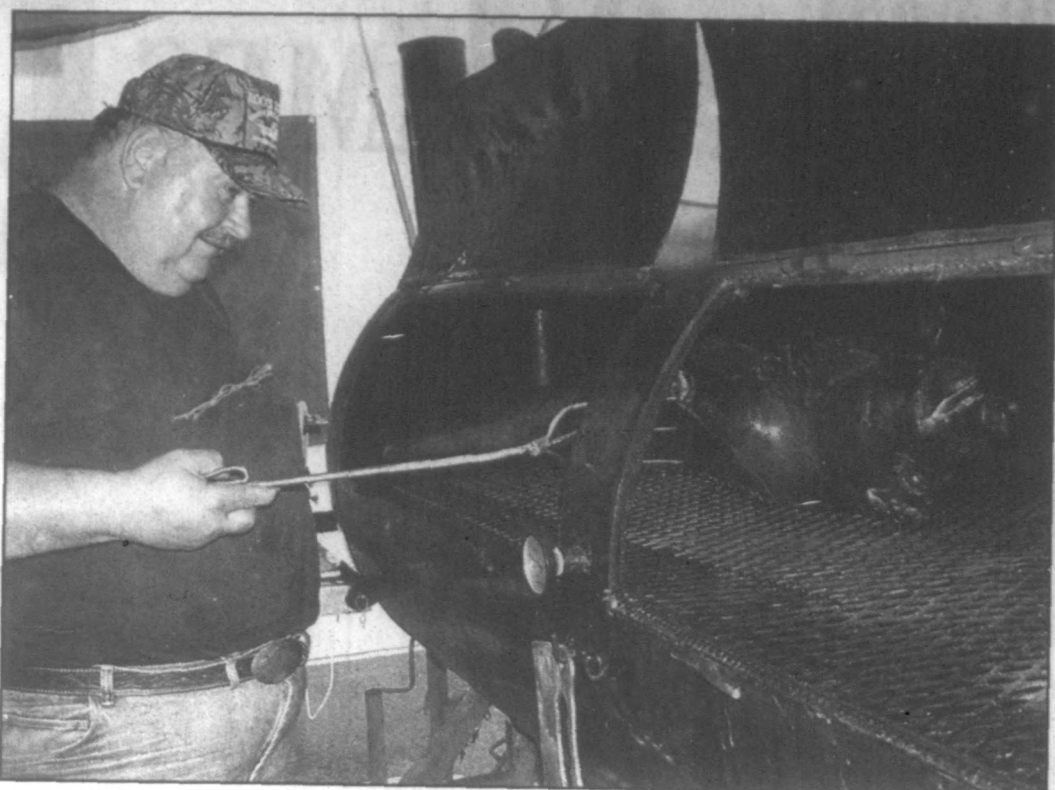
"We'll they kind of liked it and said we'll take it to the point of proving to you that we can reproduce your recipe on a large scale on our dime," he said, holding a bottle of the secret recipe in his hand.

Meanwhile, across the street, Paul Caldwell, a vocational education teacher for Graves County schools, was showing off one of his inventions - a Caldwell Cooker - that he has produced and shipped all over the region.

"I've built cookers ever since I was a kid," he said. "In the past I've built them out of old 55-gallon barrels when thing first got started and then went on. Of course, we've upgraded now. We ship them out of state and everywhere."

Caldwell said that he a shop just off Highway 94 where he produces and sells the equipment under the name Caldwell's Welding and Custom Barbecue Grills.

He also has a secret recipe for



Bob Marshall of the Big Bob's Team from Cobden, Ill., uses a long fork to check the whole hog being prepared in his smoker that will be submitted for judging during this weekend's contest in Murray.

JOHN WRIGHT/Ledger & Times photo

barbecue and he was willing to share it. Sort of.

"Oh, a little of this and a little of that," he laughed.

But the real testimony of how good the barbecue really is

comes from the satisfied customer, and Becky Jackson, an enthusiastic visitor from Dover, Tenn. was listed among those that were in hog heaven Friday night.

"Oh, I just love good barbecue," she said while chomping on a sandwich. "When I heard about this on the radio I just had to come...The hotter the better, for me."

## Town Crier

### NOTICE

The Murray Sanitation Department will be closed Monday for the Independence Day holiday. All Monday customers should have containers for pickup ready on Tuesday. All other customers should set their containers out on regularly-scheduled days. The City of Murray Transfer Station will also be closed Monday.

The Calloway County Courthouse will be closed Monday for Independence Day.

To report a Town Crier item, call 753-1916.

# Travel 'promising' despite high gas prices

CHARLESTON, S.C. (AP) - Tens of thousands of visitors flocked to the South Carolina coast Friday for the long Fourth of July weekend amid expectations of a record year for the \$15 billion tourism industry, the state's largest.

"We're trending toward one of the best, if not the best year we have ever seen," said Brad Dean, president of the Myrtle Beach Area Chamber of Commerce.

"It looks pretty promising," said Marion Edmonds of the state Department of Parks,

Recreation and Tourism.

That despite the highest gas prices on record for Independence Day, which, in years past, has been considered the busiest tourist weekend of the year.

Gas prices are a quarter a gallon higher in South Carolina this year than a year ago - about \$2.06 a gallon, up about 6 cents a gallon from Memorial Day. Yet it is still the cheapest gas in the nation and 11 cents less than the record levels reached last spring, according to AAA Carolinas.

The prices were welcome news for newlyweds Kyle and Julie Rairigh of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., who flew into Charleston last weekend and rented a car to

drive around the area on their honeymoon. Gas at home, they said, is \$2.42 a gallon.

"We came down here and saw the gas was only \$2.05. That's disgusting," Julie Rairigh said as the couple walked in near 90-degree heat in Charleston's Market district.

Heather Realbuto, 29, drove down for one night from Hendersonville, N.C., but waited until crossing the state line to fill up. "We got it for two bucks a gallon. Not bad," she said.

Her friend Kerry Corlis, 37, said the price hasn't gotten high enough to change her travel plans but at some point, it will. "For some reason \$3 a gallon sticks in my head. Then it seems more of a luxury," she said.

This year's prices don't seem to be really affecting holiday tourism. Travel is expected to be up 2.5 percent from last Fourth of July with half a million South Carolina drivers hitting the road.

Gas prices are not having much of an effect," said Sarah Davis, a spokeswoman for the AAA motor club.

"They aren't having an impact at all," agreed Perrin Lawson, deputy director for the Charleston Area Convention and

## PoliceLogs

### Murray Police Department

- A burglary was reported at First Presbyterian Church on Main Street at 8:51 a.m. Thursday.
- A purse was stolen from the pool at Central Park at 7:02 p.m. Thursday.
- Matthew Lee was arrested Thursday for trafficking drugs within 1,000 yards of a school.
- Crystal D. Hutchison was arrested for fourth-degree assault Thursday.
- Jessie Mohnen was arrested for fourth-degree assault after officers responded to a domestic complaint at 12:24 a.m. Friday at 100 S. 13th St.
- A structure fire was reported at 1011 Watergate Drive at 3:36 a.m. Friday. Off-duty firefighters were paged out at 3:47 a.m.

### Murray State University Police Department

- A lost or stolen MSU credit card was reported at 1:43 p.m. Thursday at Alexander Hall. The case is under investigation.

Information is obtained from reports, logs and citations from various agencies.

## House fire reportedly started by cigarette

### Staff Report

Murray Ledger & Times

Murray Fire Marshal Dickie Walls said a cigarette started a house fire early Friday morning on Westgate Drive.

Walls said the fire started in a sofa, where it appears someone was smoking a cigarette.

Murray Fire Department responded to the blaze at 3:36 a.m. Friday and spent more than two hours on the scene before having to return about 8 a.m. because hot spots developed and threatened what little was left of the house.

The residence at 1011 Westgate Circle was considered a total loss, Walls said.

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## Shooting ...

### From Front

Thorn was advised he could have the car towed at the owner's expense, according to the log.

Thorn's friend, Michael Salmon, reported Sheridan throwing things at him and Thorn at 9:37 p.m., according to the log, then he said Thorn had been shot. Six Calloway County deputies, three Henry County

deputies, a Murray Police Department officer and a Tennessee state officer responded to the scene.

Affidavits from Salmon and Thorn's brother - both of whom were present for the argument - indicate the dispute escalated when Sheridan learned his car was towed from

Thorn's property. Sheridan lives at 6837 State Line Road. Sheridan told police he was involved in an altercation with Thorn and two other men when he left and returned with his .22-caliber rifle, according to his arrest citation. Police said Sheridan shot a warning shot, which ended up striking Thorn.

The citation said alcohol was involved, and both witness said in their affidavits Sheridan smelled of alcohol.



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**Obituaries**

**Mrs. Ella Maye Read**

A memorial service for Mrs. Ella Maye Read will be Monday at 11 a.m. at First Presbyterian Church, Paducah. The Rev. Lynn Shurley Jr. will officiate.

Expressions of sympathy may be made to American Heart Association, Ohio Valley Affiliate, Kentucky Region, 333 Guthrie St., Suite 207, Louisville, KY 40202 or St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Mrs. Read, 75, Paducah, died Wednesday, June 29, 2005, at 7 a.m. at Lourdes Hospital, Paducah.

She trained at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music and taught piano, organ and flute. She was the first general manager in 1979 of the Paducah Symphony Orchestra and choir director at First Presbyterian Church, Paducah. For 24 years she also played at several other churches and at Temple Israel; was an accompanist for the Paducah Symphony Chorus and Children's Chorus; and was a member of Paducah Symphony Orchestra.

Her parents were the late John W. and Sophie Thorpe McDonald. Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Lisa Vanarsdel, Clarksville, Tenn.; two sons, Philip Read, Lawrenceville, Ga., and David Read, Knoxville, Tenn.; one brother, John W. McDonald Jr., Washington, Pa.; one grandchild.

**Mrs. Robbie L. Sykes**

Mrs. Robbie L. Sykes, 87, Riverview, Mich., died Wednesday, June 15, 2005.

Preceding her in death were her husband, Clyde Sykes; one son, Ronald Sykes; three sisters, Beatrice Kniffen, Beaton Underwood and Wanda Coy; and three brothers, Coffield Vance, Edwin Vance and Troy Vance.

She was the daughter of the late Clancy Vance and Allie Williams Vance.

Survivors include two daughters, Jeri Katal and Glenda Hudok and husband, Richard; daughter-in-law, Beverly Sykes; seven grandchildren, Denise McCuaig, Ronald Sykes, Viola Damron, Marlene Danko, Cari Kadamus, Jim Hudok and Mike Hudok; 16 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

Also surviving are one sister, Mrs. Frances Paschall, Murray, Ky.; one brother, James Vance, Almo, Ky.; several nieces and nephews. A family memorial service will be held at a later date.

**Fletcher's chief of staff searched in hiring probe**

By JOE BIESK

Associated Press Writer

FRANKFORT, Ky. (AP) -

Investigators searched the office of Gov. Ernie Fletcher's former chief of staff on Friday, continuing the attorney general's probe into the administration's hiring practices of state employees.

A search warrant was served at the Capitol office of Daniel Groves, now a senior adviser to Fletcher. Five investigators who said they were with the Kentucky Bureau of Investigation, an arm of Attorney General Greg Stumbo's office, left Groves' office carrying three boxes, a stack of flat cardboard boxes and what appeared to be a leather briefcase.

On his way out of the Capitol, Fletcher told reporters the development "just seems to be more of the same." Fletcher again criticized the investigation, claiming it was politically motivated.

"It's all orchestrated quite well to get the most play from the media out of this," Fletcher said.

But KBI commissioner David James said a judge deter-

mined there was enough probable cause to approve a search warrant.

"To say that there's grandstanding and this is political play is an insult to the judiciary and an insult to the judge," James told reporters.

Stumbo's office has been investigating allegations that the Fletcher administration illegally based employee hirings and firings within the state Merit System on politics instead of qualifications.

Documents and e-mails produced from Friday's search indicated Groves was approached on different occasions regarding prospective job candidates. But the e-mails show Groves forwarded the correspondences to other people in the administration for further review.

In one instance Groves wrote to Dick Murgatroyd, the former deputy transportation secretary, about a possible candidate for a state highway job. Groves said three different county judge-executives approached him about the candidate and asked Murgatroyd for an update on the situation.

**Third shark attack in less than week**

BOCA GRANDE, Fla. (AP) - A shark bit an Austrian tourist on the ankle Friday as he stood in chest-deep water in the Gulf of Mexico, days after sharks killed one tourist and seriously injured another elsewhere in the state, authorities said.

Armin Trojer, 19, of Baden, Austria, was upright in the water when he was bitten, said Lee County sheriff's spokeswoman Ileana LiMarzi. He was airlifted by helicopter to Lee Memorial Hospital in Fort Myers, where he was in good condition, hospital spokeswoman Pat Dolce said.

"People on the beach saw that he was in distress, but first they thought he was clowning around," said Jim Tucker, publisher of the weekly newspaper Boca Grande. "A woman on the beach, who happened to be a nurse, saw him coming in and saw that he was limping badly and went out to assist him."

Tucker headed for the beach from a nearby museum when someone came in to report the attack. He said Trojer was bitten on the outer edge of the right ankle, leaving his foot intact.

The nurse "had to keep pressure on it," he said. "As soon as she took pressure off, it spurted."

The teen remained conscious as paramedics tended to the bite and ran an intravenous line.

"He was kind of shaken but not really in shock or anything," Tucker said. "He was talking. He was responding to questions."

The teen's father, Werner Trojer, also from Baden, Austria, stood by as the medical crew worked on his son on the

beach near Amory Chapel at Gasparilla Island State Park and prepared him for the flight to the hospital.

"He was calm," Tucker said of the father. "He was mostly just reassuring the kid, talking to him, keeping him calm."

The type and size of the shark was not immediately known, but LiMarzi said, "Someone else in the water saw a shark." She said paramedics also indicated the wound was consistent with a shark bite.

Experts believe bull sharks attacked the other two teens bitten in the Florida Panhandle.

"We are out there right now letting people know, notifying people on the beach about what happened,"

LiMarzi said. The beach was not closed to swimmers.

A sheriff's helicopter was making regular flights along Lee County beaches, and no large number of sharks had been spotted, said sheriff's Deputy Angelo Vaughn.

Part of the state beach already had been closed to protect sea turtle nests and nesting terns and skimmers, Tucker

said.

Two other young people have been bitten since Saturday in gulf waters off Florida.

The latest incident was

about 280 miles from an attack Monday on a 16-year-old Tennessee boy who lost his leg

and about 350 miles from the spot where a 14-year-old Louisiana girl was killed Saturday.

Sharks attacks in Florida are relatively rare, with 30 in 2003 among the millions of people who hit the state's beaches. Most attacks produce minor bites on the feet or ankles.

Last year, when four hurricanes kept many visitors away, there were 12 attacks.



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|--------------------|-------|---------------|
| 1994               | 29    | 0             |
| 1995               | 42    | 0             |
| 1996               | 20    | 0             |
| 1997               | 31    | 0             |
| 1998               | 26    | 1             |
| 1999               | 38    | 0             |
| 2000               | 52    | 1             |
| 2001               | 50    | 3             |
| 2002               | 47    | 0             |
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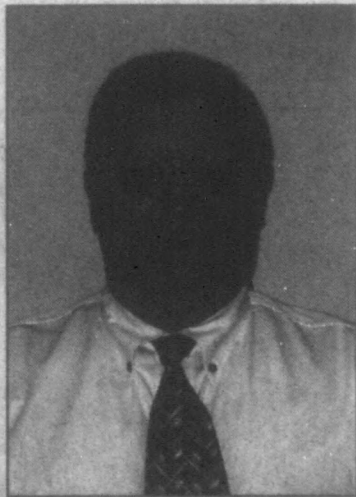


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# FORUM

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## Let's Move On

Democrats, after taking it on the chin over Sen. Dick Durbin's remarks comparing U.S. interrogation tactics at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, to those used by Hitler, Stalin and Pol Pot, are trying to change the subject by jumping all over White House deputy chief of staff Karl Rove.

**Cal's Thoughts**  
By Cal Thomas  
Syndicated Columnist

In a speech last Wednesday to the Conservative Party of New York, Rove drew what he said was a distinction "between conservatives and liberals" in the area of national security. He said, "Conservatives saw the savagery of 9/11 and the attacks and prepared for war; liberals saw the savagery of the 9/11 attacks and wanted to prepare indictments and offer therapy and understanding for our attackers."

Rove added, "Conservatives believed it was time to unleash the might and power of the United States military against the Taliban. Liberals believed it was time to submit a petition."

Democrats cried foul, and worse, but Rove wasn't talking about Democrats, not all of whom are liberal. He was talking about liberals - and he was right, at least about some of the more prominent ones.

Liberal groups opposed military action against the Taliban following the 9/11 attacks. MoveOn.org circulated a petition appealing to the president to use "moderation and restraint in responding to the recent terrorist attacks against the United States." And billionaire George Soros said, "War is a false and misleading metaphor in the context of combating terrorism."

Rep. Dennis Kucinich, Democrat from Ohio and also a liberal, said, "Afghanistan may be an incubator of terrorism, but it doesn't follow that we bomb Afghanistan." Now there is a man in need of therapy.

That great spiritual guru and camera-chaser, the Rev. Al Sharpton, engaged in liberalism's favorite pastime: Blame America first. Sharpton said the attacks on the World Trade Center were evidence that "America is beginning to reap what it has sown."

Rove didn't mention Democrats, so if the Democratic leadership responded to his critique of liberals, I guess those feigning outrage must be considered liberals.

Just to complete the connec-

tion between the liberals and the Democratic Party, last March Senate Minority Leader Harry Reid and Dick Durbin participated in a Washington rally with MoveOn.org. Durbin and Reid were joined by Sens. Edward Kennedy, Barbara Boxer, Chuck Schumer and Robert Byrd. Byrd raised \$800,000 through MoveOn.org for a possible re-election campaign next year.

The Roll Call newspaper reported in April that Democratic House Leader Nancy Pelosi and/or members of her staff "have calls and meetings on a weekly basis with representatives of MoveOn."

There are few, if any, statements I could find from any leftist organization endorsing military action as a response to the 9/11 attacks. Virtually all of them urged the type of approach to the killers that Karl Rove ridiculed in his speech.

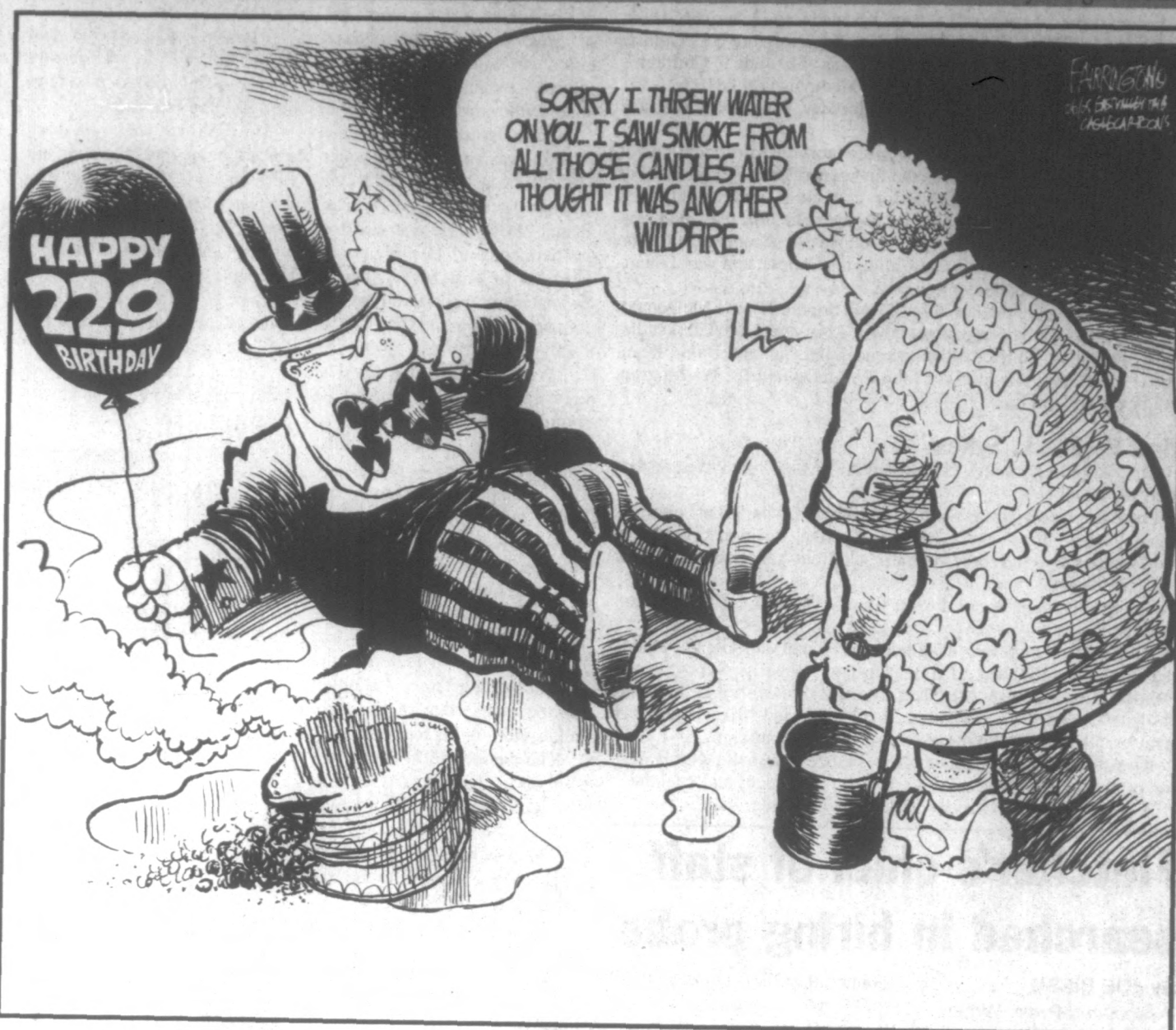
There is a big difference between Durbin's remarks, which called into question the tactics and honor of American military interrogators at Guantanamo (for which Durbin has apologized, sort of) and Rove's remarks about a general philosophical difference between liberals and conservatives over the response to 9/11.

Sen. Durbin is an elected official who should know that such comments are not only wrong, but that they help the enemy. Remarks like those from Durbin and other vocal war opponents are played throughout the Middle East and encourage those killing and trying to kill American forces to continue the job.

This is the valid comparison between Vietnam and Iraq. Political and media opposition wears down public support and gives psychological aid and comfort to the enemy, who thinks he just has to hang on a short while longer and America will leave with its tail between its legs.

This gotcha sound bite game must stop. Now some liberal Democrats are calling for Rove to resign. How about everybody resigning? We can start over and rebuild the government the way the Founders intended. If that's not going to happen, can we please layoff this childish rhetorical back-and-forth and get back to killing insurgents and capturing terrorists?

This isn't and should not be about politics. This is about victory over the enemy, which will take a lot of energy and commitment. Right now, energy and commitment are being wasted on petty political yapping that helps no one, except our enemies.



## Advice to Die For

We have attended more funerals than weddings, and our family members almost always remark, "Someone has to die to get us all together," or "This has been fun. Let's do it more often." We love the southern tradition of transforming funerals into family and community gatherings. Virtue is leavened by hospitality and humor.



**Southern Seen**  
By Larry McGehee  
Syndicated Columnist

No self-respecting matron would specify an open casket for her funeral without giving advanced thought to what to wear and to having her hair done. When we lived near Dresden, Tenn., back in the '70s, there was a large mansion that had been converted into a funeral home, and its back rooms had been converted into a beauty parlor named, appropriately, "The Final Touch."

Down in Greenville, Miss., a couple of long-time natives have pondered the peculiarities of funerals in their historic river town which, lacking much else, luxuriates in its history (defined by "the Wah-wuh"), its religion (Episcopal, Methodist, and Baptist, in descending order), and its ancestor worship (reservations are required in the old city cemetery).

Gayden Metcalfe, founder of the Greenville Arts Council, and Charlotte Hays, retired gossip columnist, have collaborated in a book that combines funeral parody and practicality: *Being Dead is No Excuse: The Official Southern Ladies Guide to Hosting the Perfect Funeral* (Miramax Books, 2005, 243 pp.).

Southern food makes southern dying more palatable. In Greenville, the Top Ten Funeral Foods include tomato aspic with homemade mayonnaise, fried chicken,

stuffed eggs (most of us say dressed eggs), Virginia's butter beans, Can't-die-without-it caramel cake, homemade rolls, banana nut bread, Aunt Hebe's coconut cake, Methodist party potatoes, and tenderloin. (Surprisingly, ham does not make the list—but it and other delicacies such as Bing Cherry Congealed Salad with Coca-Cola are not ignored at all in the book.)

Episcopal food, determined by high standards of St. James' Church, is of a different order than Methodist food. Episcopal funeral food is served on freshly shined "best silver" and is made from scratch, not relying on Bisquick, Jello, Ritz crackers, or mushroom soup, and sandwich crust are always cut off. Methodist funeral food is usually casseroles using canned soups topped with canned French fried onions. Baptists seem inclined to use miniature marshmallows a lot.

While focused mostly upon funeral foods, featuring an impressive inventory of recipes, Metcalfe and Hays detour occasionally.

They prescribe funeral attire—e.g., every southern lady has two dresses hanging in readiness for funerals, one for summer and one for spring.

And there are lists of "acceptable" hymns to sing, the choices varying according to the denomination of choice. Episcopalians insist upon somber dignity, as in "For All the Saints" or "O God Our Help in Ages in Past", while Methodists favor "Sweet Beulah Land" or "Amazing Grace." Baptists are increasingly inclined to experiment with hymns written since 1940—a no-no at St. James—such as "On Eagle's Wings", but also favor "In the Garden" and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere." "Abide with Me" is popular with all three groups.

There is even advice on coffin choices (those with university athletic team themes are frowned upon, as are those with the Last Supper painted on the inside cover), on what to do with cremation ashes (be certain

the lid is tight), and on writing obituaries for the newspapers (if you lie about the deceased being Rotarian of the Year, pick a year where no one is alive to contradict you).

But the humor and class-consciousness of the book is off-set by more than half of the book consisting of authentic recipes (even if some of the titles of the recipes are funny): bourbon boiled custard, pickled shrimp, Mary Mac's rolls, lace cookies, Episcopal cheese straws, fried walnuts, Lowery's fudge cake, million-dollar pound cake, Mason-Dixon curried chicken salad, ham mousse, avocado mayonnaise, Methodist chicken lasagna Florentine, poulet John Wesley (fried chicken), Martha Jane Howell's pineapple casserole, and so forth.

Recognizing that funerals have to be planned and executed in three days, whereas southern weddings are years in the making, the true community-minded lady will have on hand and ready, in addition to her two funeral dresses, an "Eternal Pantry" of such funeral necessities as Duncan Hines yellow cake mix, tomato juice, Knox unflavored gelatin, Rotel tomatoes, evaporated milk, condensed milk, canned shrimp, Durkee Famous Sauce, Lea & Perrins Worcestershire sauce, Tabasco sauce, canned artichoke hearts, sliced water chestnuts, jars of pimientos, slivered almonds, whole Blue Lake green beans, French's canned French-fried onions, Ritz crackers, chicken stock, Kraft mayonnaise, Hellman's mayonnaise, and a well-stocked bar and wine closet.

Having offended just about everyone in Greenville, authors Metcalfe and Hays seem not to be suffering reprisals. The test of whether they are ostracized or embraced by their hometown—the latter being the likely option—will come years hence, when they die and a count is made of how many people show up for their funerals.

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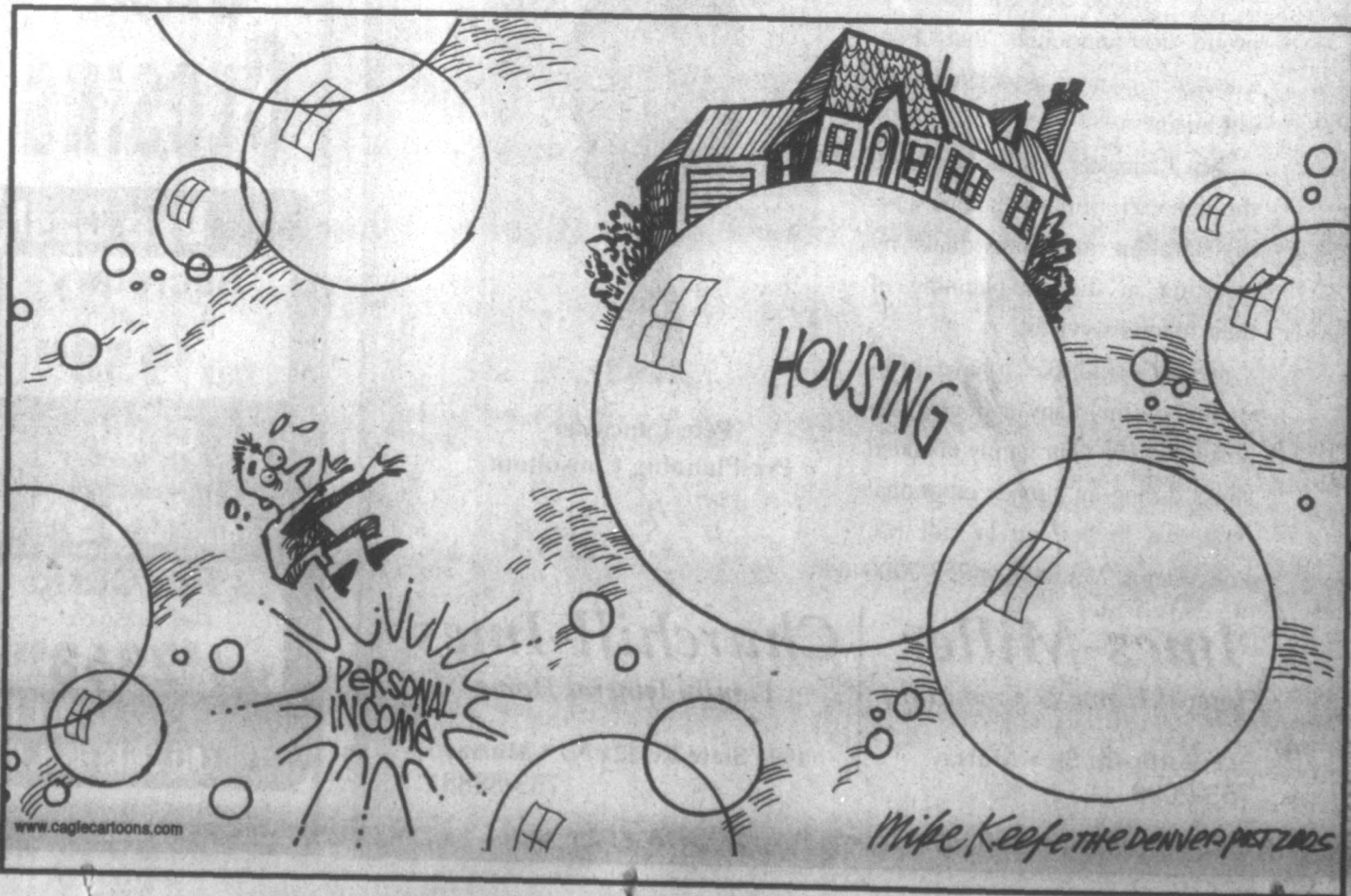
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# High court's first woman retires; Bush pledges quick successor

By GINA HOLLAND  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sandra Day O'Connor, the first woman on the Supreme Court and a swing vote on abortion as well as other contentious issues, announced her retirement Friday. A bruising Senate confirmation struggle loomed as President Bush pledged to name a successor quickly.

"It has been a great privilege indeed to have served as a member of the court for 24 terms," the 75-year-old justice wrote Bush in a one-paragraph resignation letter. "I will leave it with enormous respect for the integrity of the court and its role under our constitutional structure."

Little more than an hour later, Bush praised O'Connor as "a discerning and conscientious judge and a public servant of complete integrity." He said he would recommend a replacement who will "faithfully interpret the Constitution and laws of our country."

O'Connor's decision — so closely held that a son did not know in advance — marked the first retirement in 11 years on an aging court. It came as a modest surprise, particularly since Chief Justice William Rehnquist has been the subject of retirement rumors for months. Rehnquist, 80 and ailing with thyroid cancer, has offered no hint as to his future plans.

O'Connor's decision capped a pioneer's career. President Reagan broke nearly 200 years of tradition when he tapped her — a top-ranked graduate of Stanford law school — for the high court.

Over time, she evolved into a moderate conservative, but more importantly, a majority maker.

She voted with a 5-4 majority, for example, on the case that effectively awarded the disputed 2000 presidential election to Bush. She was on the winning side again when the court upheld the right of women to have an abortion if their health were in danger.

She expressed her views pungently at times. Last week, in a dissent in a 5-4 ruling that let local governments take personal property to build malls and other businesses, she wrote that the majority had unwisely handed more power to the powerful.

"The specter of condemnation hangs over all property," O'Connor wrote. "Nothing is to prevent the state from replacing ... any home with a shopping mall, or any farm with a factory."

Bush pledged to send a nomination to the Senate in time for a vote by the time the court begins its new term in October, but aides said it would not be before he returns from a scheduled trip to Europe on July 8. He said he and his administration would consult with lawmakers, and said "the nation deserves a dignified" confirmation debate.

Officials said the president did not know until around 9 a.m. Friday that O'Connor was stepping down, although his top lawyer, Harriet Miers, was alerted on Thursday to expect news of some sort from the court.

O'Connor's retirement leaves Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg as the only woman among eight remaining justices. One official said Bush's "short list" had included only men, and suggested a quick move to expand the roster of contenders.



O'Connor

O'Connor, in a separate one-sentence statement, cited her age and said she "needs to spend time" with family. She and her husband, John, a former classmate at Stanford, have three sons, Scott, Brian and Jay. She had breast cancer in 1988. Her resignation takes effect when a successor is confirmed.

Already, battle lines were forming in anticipation of a summer confirmation struggle in the Senate — judicial philosophy, not gender, the key factor among outside groups as well as lawmakers.

"We'll look back on Justice O'Connor as someone who put reason ahead of ideological fervor, which stands her in stark contrast to many of the judges who might replace her if the radical right gets its way," said Nancy Keenan, president of NARAL Pro-Choice America.

Progress for America, a conservative group, instantly launched a humorous Web-based advertisement meant to

anticipate attacks on Bush's as-yet-unknown choice and mock them at the same time.

"The president nominated George Washington for the Supreme Court. Democrats immediately attacked Washington for his environmental record of chopping down cherry trees," it said.

Nowhere was O'Connor's judicial reasoning more widely studied than when it related to abortion — an issue that divides the court as it does the country.



AP File Photo  
Sandra Day O'Connor is sworn in as an Associate Justice by Chief Justice Warren Burger at the Supreme Court in Washington, D.C., Sept. 25, 1981. Holding two family bibles, at center, is husband John J. O'Connor. O'Connor, the first woman appointed to the Supreme Court, said Friday she is retiring.

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## SeniorActivities

BY TERI COBB  
Activities director

Murray-Calloway County Senior Citizens are now in our facility at the George Weeks Community Center, 607 Poplar St., Murray. We invite you to check our facility and the many services offered. Our telephone number is 753-0929.

We invite you to come and join us for lunch which will be served Tuesday through Friday at 11:30 a.m. for a donation of \$1.50. Lowfat milk, coffee and ice tea are our daily choices of beverages. Meals are also sent to private homes.

The center offers transportation on a daily basis from 9:15 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. If you live in the city limits and need a ride to our center, the doctor, grocery store, bank or pharmacy, call at least one day ahead of time to schedule your ride.

Our exercise room is open Tuesday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Those who are 60 and older are invited to exercise at no cost. We also have two indoor Shuffleboard Courts available. Our basketball court is also open for a variety of games and times. Times are also set aside for women only. Contact the center for more details.

Activities and menus for the week of July 4-8 have been released as follows:

**Monday** - The center will be closed today in observance of the Independence Day holiday.

**Tuesday** events include Strength and Stretch Class from 8 to 9 a.m. and Ping Pong at 12:30 p.m. in the gym. Those who have signed up for the Kentucky Opry trip should be prepared to leave the center at 10:45 a.m. Our Book Club will meet at 1 p.m. in the second floor board room. Women's Issues will not meet. Chicken strips, au gratin potatoes, broccoli, roll, margarine and ice cream will be on the lunch menu.

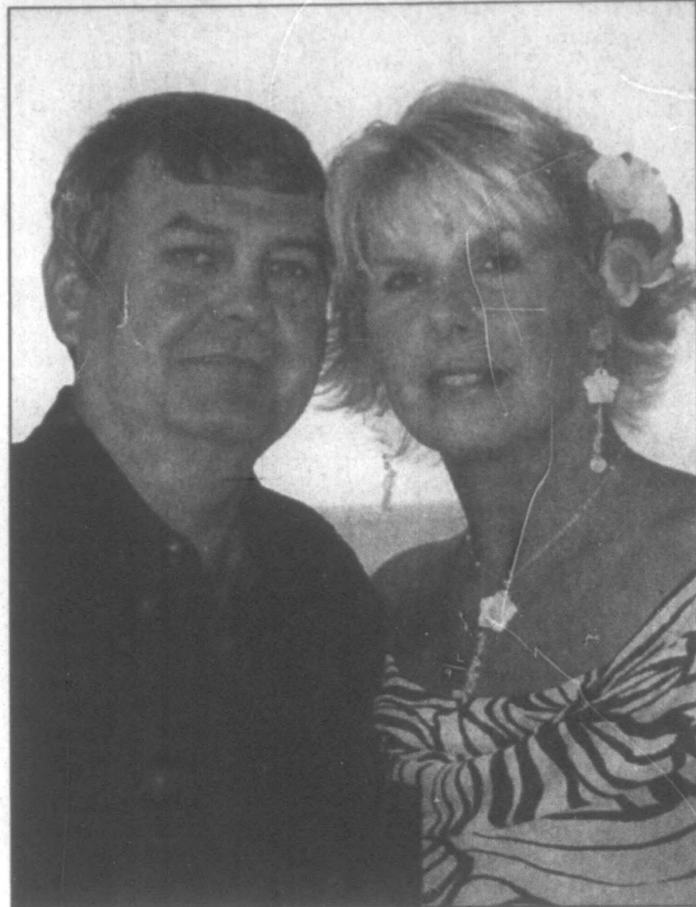
**Wednesday** events include Armchair Aerobics at 9:30 a.m., Stride with Pride Walkers at 10 a.m., Powder Puff Pool from 10 to 11:30 a.m. and Pinochle Club at noon. On the lunch menu will be chopped steak with mushroom gravy, mashed potatoes, tomatoes and zucchini, biscuit, margarine and cantaloupe.

**Thursday** events include Strength and Stretch Class at 8 a.m. and Shuffleboard League play at 9:30 a.m. Ham and beans, cole slaw, sliced onions, corn bread, margarine and bread pudding will be on the lunch menu.

**Friday** events include Armchair Aerobics Group at 9:30 a.m., Stride with Pride Walkers will not walk today and Open Bridge at noon. Our Scrabble Club will play in the education room with tables to be set up from 10 a.m. to noon. Those who have signed up for the Paducah shopping trip should be prepared to leave the center at 8:45 a.m. On the lunch menu will be hot chicken salad, peas, tossed salad, wheat roll, margarine and banana.

Murray-Calloway Senior Citizens is a United Way agency.

## Anniversary



### Mr. and Mrs. Windsor

Freddy R. and Denise Windsor of 2122 Southwest Dr., Murray, will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary on Sunday, July 3, 2005.

The couple was married in a private ceremony on July 3, 1980. Bro. Mike Littrell officiated. Attendants were Alesa Walker and Ronnie Wilson.

Mrs. Windsor is the daughter of the late Charles and Wanda Howard. She is employed at Murray State University.

Mr. Windsor is the son of the late R.B. and Loretta Windsor. He is employed at the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co., Union City, Tenn.

They have one son, Chad Windsor.

The couple celebrated their anniversary in April by renewing their wedding vows on Waikiki Beach, Oahu, Hawaii. The ceremony was conducted by a Kahu (Hawaiian minister).

Mrs. Windsor's brother and sister-in-law, Darren and Jenise Howard, were present for the ceremony.

## North Elementary lists dates for registration



Jo's  
Datebook  
By Jo Burkeen  
Community  
Editor

North Elementary School will have "Pick-Up Registration Packets Day" on Tuesday from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and Thursday from noon to 6 p.m.

The school fee will be \$15. Kindergarten and new students that registered in the spring will also need to pick up packets.

Registration and Back to School Night will be July 14 from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. Students will turn in completed registration packets, pay school fee, receive classroom assignments and meet their teachers. For information call 762-7335.

### West Fork plans service

West Fork Baptist Church will have a special patriotic service Sunday at 11 a.m. The service will begin with a military color guard and a musical tribute to all veterans and their branch of service. Soloists will be Kaci Underhill and Halee Greer. The choir will sing with Lee Wells as soloist.

### Al-Anon Family Group will meet

Al-Anon Family Group will meet Monday at noon at St. Leo Parish Center, located on Payne Street behind St. Leo Catholic Church. This group is meeting anonymously to give comfort to families and friends of alcoholics. The only requirement for membership is that there be a problem of alcoholism in a relative or friend.

### Masonic lodge to meet Monday

Murray Lodge No. 105 Free and Accepted Masons will meet Monday at 7:30 p.m. at the lodge hall, St. Rt. 121 North and Robertson Road North, Murray.

### Parent Support Group will meet

Parent Support Group, formerly called Parents Anonymous, will meet Monday from 6 to 8 p.m. For more information call 753-7004.

### Temple Hill Lodge will meet

Temple Hill Lodge No. 276 of Free and Accepted Masons will meet Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the lodge hall on Highway 464, east of Almo.

### Al-Anon meeting is Tuesday

Al-Anon will meet Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at First United Methodist Church. Please enter from the southside rear door located near the playground. The only requirement is that there be a problem of alcoholism or addiction in a relative or friend.

### Singles will meet Tuesday

Murray Singles (SOS) will meet Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the annex of Calloway Public Library. This is open to all singles. For information call Mike at 759-3180, Helen at 761-3141 or Roger at 474-0600.

### TOPS Chapter will meet

A new chapter of TOPS (take off pounds sensibly), a non-profit weight-loss support group has been organized. The chapter will meet each Tuesday in the annex of Calloway Public Library. Weigh-in will be from 8:30 to 9 a.m. with the meeting to be held from 9 to 10 a.m. For more information call Joyce at 761-1491 or visit www.tops.org.

### Health Express lists stops

Health Express of Murray-Calloway County Hospital will offer blood pressure and pulse checks and blood sugar screenings on Tuesday from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 to 3 p.m. at Save-A-Lot, Murray, and on Thursday from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 to 3 p.m. at Lowe's in Murray. For information call 762-1383.

### Clothes Closet open on Tuesday

The Clothes Closet will not be open on first Monday, but will be open Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Dexter Baptist Church. For information call Linda Young, coordinator, at 437-4890.

### Four Rivers Group will not meet

Four Rivers Music Friends will not meet on Sunday as scheduled. For more information call Velvleen at 753-6979.

### Fire District changes meeting

Calloway County Fire Protection District will not meet Monday because of the Fourth of July holiday, but will meet July 11 at 6 p.m. at the No. 1 fire station of Calloway County Fire-Rescue on East Sycamore Street.

### Dexter-Almo meeting changed

Dexter-Almo Heights Water District has changed its meeting to July 11 at 7 p.m. at the district water office at 351 Almo Rd., Almo.

### History books have been mailed

The Lynn Grove-Harris Grove Family History books were all mailed on Tuesday, according to Ruth Cole of the Calloway County Genealogical Society. A few other books are available and can be picked up at 812 Main St., Murray.

### Softball team plans promotion

West Kentucky Lady Diamonds traveling softball team will have a car wash today from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Pizza Hut, Murray.

## HospitalMenus

"Heart-Smart" is the program for the menus in the cafeteria of Murray-Calloway County Hospital.

Anne Newberry, dietitian, said the menus are designed to help those restricting saturated fats and sodium in their diet.

Menus, subject to occasional change, for the week of July 4-10 have been released as follows:

**Monday** - \*herbed pork loin, \*chicken Caesar salad, breaded chicken strips, grilled chicken strips, ham and cheese puffs, \*pinto beans, \*steamed veggie medley, \*wild rice pilaf, \*seasoned green beans, Wisconsin cheese soup.

**Tuesday** - mushroom steak, \*chicken and dumplings, \*smoked turkey on homemade bun, mashed potatoes with gravy, \*steamed carrots, \*green peas with sweet peppers, tator tots, \*chicken gumbo.

**Wednesday** - lasagna, pit BBQ on bun, \*Italian herbed chicken, \*au gratin potatoes, \*Italian green beans, \*Harvard beets, corn fritters, \*steak and bean soup, garlic toast.

**Thursday** - \*Mexican Fiesta - taco salad, \*chicken tortilla casserole, baked ham, refried beans, \*Chuckwagon corn, \*glazed sweet potatoes, \*tender spinach, nachos with cheese sauce, \*homestyle vegetable soup.

**Friday** - Domino's pizza, Chuckwagon steak with gravy, \*lemon pepper chicken, hash brown casserole, \*baked apples, \*brussel sprouts, \*green bean-carrot blend, broccoli cheese soup.

**Saturday** - \*mesquite grilled chicken sandwich, beef tips with gravy, mashed potatoes with gravy, \*broccoli spears, \*steamed rice, fried okra, \*minestrone soup.

**Sunday** - \*roast turkey breast, meat loaf, prime sea strips, corn bread dressing, \*seasoned green beans, \*baby carrots, baked sweet potato, ham and bean soup.

(\*denotes heart-smart selection)

## Gospel Explosion Lineup is announced

Three acts have been selected to perform in the pre-fireworks Gospel Explosion on Sunday at 8 p.m. in Central Park.

Opening up the show will be the Noteables, a three-man southern gospel trio from Murray. They are Joe Pat James, Kevin Crawford and Jim Edwards.

Second on the list will be Hazel native Roger Neal Hutson, a solo pianist, who will play a collection of praise and worship songs. He began piano early, playing old-time hymns at Hazel Baptist Church. Cur-

rently he has a CD titled "Soul Escape: The Piano Ministry Series," and resides near Nashville.

Third on the list is the Bent Grass Bluegrass Band, traditional acoustic musicians who will play upbeat Bluegrass/Gospel. They are Rick Lambert, Janise Lambert, Tom Walquist, Shiryl Walquist and Jack Kerr. The group plays fiddle, banjo, upright bass, mandolin and guitar.

Those attending the Gospel Explosion will have great seats for the fireworks show that will immediately follow.

## Murray High School student receives scholarship

Laura Mitchell is one of five high school seniors nationwide who will receive a \$3,000 scholarship from the Fabricators and Manufacturers Association Foundation in Rockford, Ill., for the 2005-2006 academic year.

Mitchell, a 2005 graduate of Murray High School, will

attend the University of Kentucky in Lexington this fall to pursue a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering.

Mitchell's talents in math and science and her passion for playing team sports have inspired her to choose an engineering career. Mitchell says that she enjoys being a part of a team that is faced with a significant challenge. She looks forward to experiencing and enhancing future technology in the manufacturing environment.

Each year the FMA Foundation awards scholarships to talented youth to assist them in working toward gaining the technical and professional skills they will need to be highly competitive in the manufacturing industry. For additional information, or to apply for a scholarship, please visit the FMA Foundation's Web site at www.fmafoundation.com.



Laura Mitchell

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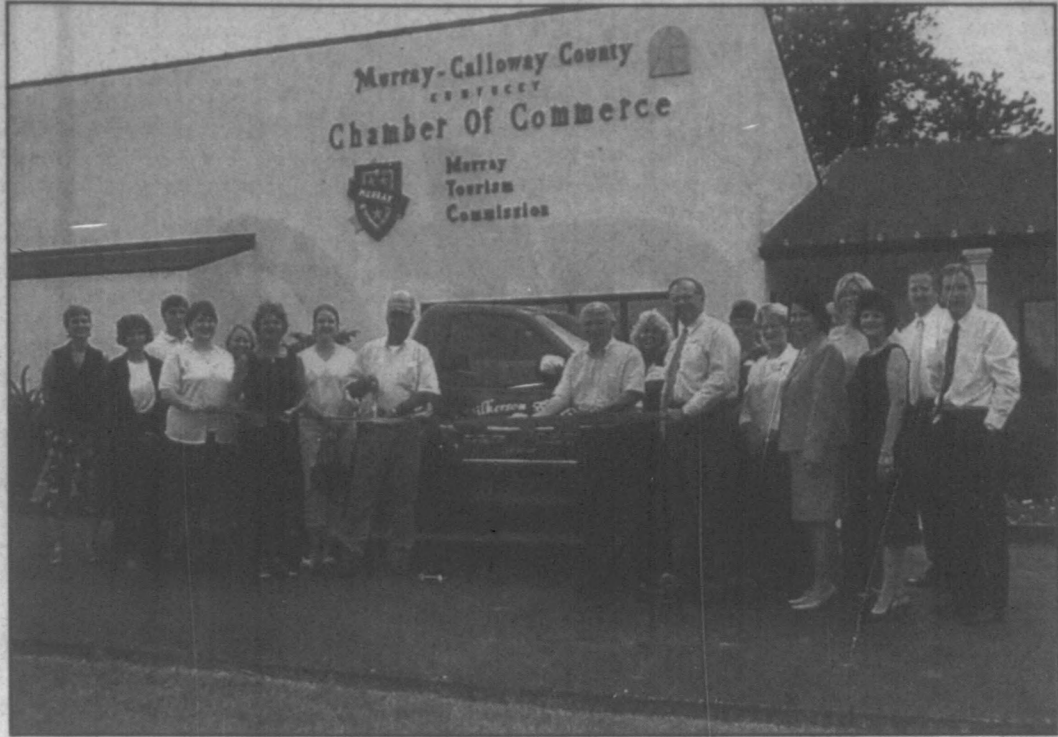
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## Businesses making reservations for Chamber dinner

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**Chamber Chat**  
By Lisa Satterwhite  
Assistant Director  
Murray/Calloway County Chamber of Commerce

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immediately preceding the event. Nominations for Small, Medium, and Large Businesses of the Year and Agriculturist and Citizen of the Year are now being accepted. Email: tbrockman@mymurray.com or fax nominations to 753-0948. Call 753-5171 for dinner reservations or to donate items for the auction.

### Coming Up Around Town

- A Midsummer Night's Dream, Playhouse in the Park, through July 3 and July 7 - 10, tickets 759-2199.
- Murray Bank Gospel Explosion, Central Park Amphitheater, July 3, 7:30 p.m.
- Closing Ceremonies, Central Park Amphitheater, July 3, 8:45 p.m.
- Briggs and Stratton

- Fireworks Extravaganza, July 3, 9 p.m.
- All American Scavenger Hunt, Nature Station, LBL, July 3, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
- Old Time Religion, The Homeplace, LBL, July 3, 11 a.m. and 1 p.m.
- Black, White and True, Nature Station, LBL, July 3, 1 p.m.
- Sun-sational Art, Nature Station, LBL, July 3, 2 - 4 p.m.
- Veteran's Memorial Service, Murray Middle School, July 4, 7 a.m.
- MCC Parks/Recreation and the American Red Cross, Swim Olympics, MCC Pool, July 4, 8 a.m. - noon.
- Independence Day Celebration, The Homeplace, LBL, July 4, 1 - 4 p.m.
- Smokey Bear, Nature Station, LBL, July 4, through

- out the day.
- Froggy Fun Sports, Nature Station, LBL, July 4, noon.
- Up A Creek!, Nature Station, LBL, July 4, 1 - 3:30 p.m.
- Woodland Walk, Nature Station, LBL, July 5, 10:30 a.m.
- Creature Feature: Red-Tailed Hawk, Nature Station, LBL, July 5, 2 p.m.
- Mosaic Suncatchers, Murray Art Guild, July 8, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m., for elementary and middle school students.
- Drag Boat Racing, Pisgah Bay, LBL, July 9 - 10
- Summer Theatre Youth Camp, Playhouse in the Park, July 11 - 22, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m., ages 7 and up.
- LBL Primitive Rodeo, Wrangler's Campground, LBL, July 15 - 16.

- Free Sport Physicals, Outpatient Services, MCC, July 16, 23 and 30, 8 a.m. - noon, middle and high school athletes, no appointment needed.
- Summer Orientation, Lovett Auditorium, MSU, July 16 and 30, 3:30 p.m.
- Pine-needle Baskets, Murray Art Guild, July 18 - 19, 5:30 - 8 p.m.
- Cityscapes on the Square, Murray Art Guild, July 21 - 22, 9 - 11:30 a.m., ages elementary through middle.
- Beginning Weaving for Kids, Murray Art Guild, July 25 - 29, 9 a.m. - noon, incoming 5th through 8th graders.
- Movies in the Park, MCC Park Amphitheater, every Friday in June and July, 8 - 10 p.m., hosted by Harvest Land Ministries, 759-5107.

- Saturday Market, Court Square, every Saturday through October, 7:30 a.m. - noon.

### Welcome New Chamber Members

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For more information on becoming a member of the Murray-Calloway County Chamber of Commerce or hosting a Chamber event contact Tab Brockman or Lisa Satterwhite at 753-5171.

## Name's the only change at Finley's

By JOHN WRIGHT  
Staff Writer

Only the name seems to be changing at the former Finley's Jewelry Service Center in Murray.

Now known as Enix Jewelers, it is under the direction of jewelry veteran Marvin Enix of Knoxville, Tenn., who has decided to do something not many new proprietors decide to do — let the business' former owner stay as a member of his staff, along with everybody else that was employed under the former business' name.

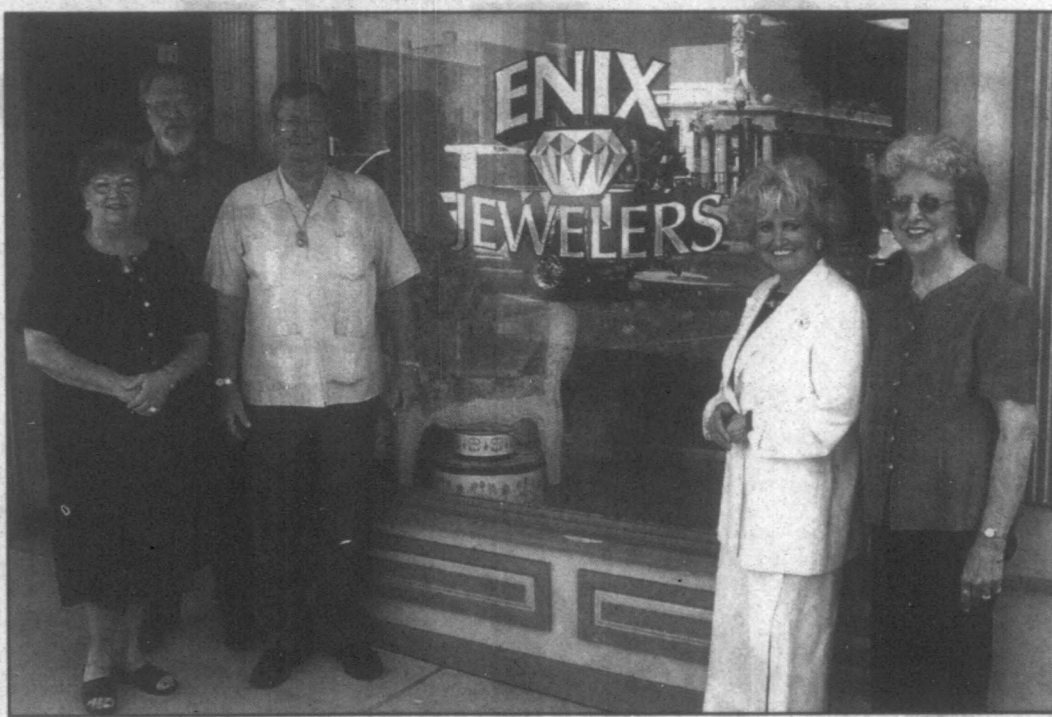
"I'm not coming to replace a tradition, but to keep it going," said Enix, who has been in the jewelry business 45 years and is coming out of retirement to run the 20-year Murray establishment that has been situated on the city's court square the past six years.

"So, here I go again. I've actually retired three times," he said. "My intentions here, though, are only to help a fellow jeweler and a great person whom I have come to admire and love as a Christian. She needed help and I had the time and experience to help."

Finley and her husband Frank settled in Murray after starting their business in Florida and Michigan and both had nearly 50 years of experience in the jewelry business. Frank Finley died this past April, which prompted Faye Finley to close the store with an estate sale.

Then, just a few days ago, Enix called to express interest in assuming the leadership.

"I really believe that God sent Marvin here to run this store, and to run it the way we did. That's what he's said he'll do, too," said Finley, who has been given the role of expert/buyer for the Enix store. Meanwhile, sales consultant Dorothy Foster and jeweler Bill Moore will also stay in the positions they previously held. The



JOHN WRIGHT/Ledger & Times photo

The staff of Enix Jewelers, formerly Finley's Jewelers, pose in front of the business on Murray's court square Wednesday morning. Shown are, from left, Faye Finley, former co-owner of Finley's Jewelers who will serve as a buyer/expert at Enix; Bill Moore, jeweler; Marvin Enix, owner of Enix Jewelers; Sharon Elliott, gemologist, and Dorothy Foster, sales consultant.

only new faces belong to gemologist Sharon Elliott, who was added to the staff just recently, and, of course, Enix.

"It's just been a really fun place to work, and it's really been good for Murray. What's good about it, doing it this way, is that we're still going to have that family-owned feel to it," Finley said. "We've also pretty much got the same philosophy. We want to treat people with honesty, and we can service anybody."

"We're one of the few full-line jewelry stores in the state of Kentucky, so that means there should be no need for anybody to have to leave here to find what they want."

Enix is no stranger to western Kentucky business life. For 11 years, he headed the Enix Jewelers establishment in Benton before, at that time, deciding to retire to Knoxville where a store under his name is still operating under the leadership of his son. However, he enjoyed the area so much that he decided to buy a small house near Hardin so he could return whenever he wanted for visits.

Now, he is looking forward to

what is to come in Murray.

"I just can't quit," he said. "I am excited to start a new chapter of my life here. I love to talk and interact with people, so here I am."

"I hope (the people of Murray) will give me a chance to continue the kind of reputation and operation (of the Finleys). We will continue to strive to add anything to our store to better serve the good folks here."

## 'Icing on the Cake'



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Mr. J's Formal Wear and Limousine provided a "ride in style" to the Murray Woman's Clubhouse from Amerihost Inn for two special guests to the club May 26. Pictured are Jerry Key from Mr. J's, right, and Kentucky Federation of Women's Club President Alice Kendrick. Not pictured is Dr. Mary Fox, chairman of the state Violence Against Women committee. Fox called the limo ride "the icing on the cake" for their first visit to Murray.

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**Horoscopes**

by Jacqueline Bigar

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Monday, July 4, 2005:**  
Others prove to be instrumental this year, when even more major issues enter your life. You will profit financially and emotionally through associates. You might have a tendency to feel that you never have enough money. An investment will be slow to come to fruition. Unexpected elements involving education, foreigners or travel open new mental doors; walk on through. Some might go back to school to learn a new field. Much attention will surround your family and home through October. You will be sprucing up the pad or maybe moving to a new home. If you are single, from the winter on you could meet someone who makes your heart throb. Lucky you! If you are attached, your relationship will build with careful nurturing. If you're at the right age, you might be adding to your family. GEMINI understands you.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Tuesday, July 5, 2005:**  
You enter a spectacular year in which you might have too many options and opportunities. Your biggest problem will be choosing which way to go. In order to answer these questions and be more sure of yourself, you will need to look inward to prioritize. Then your decisions will come easily. You will expand or redo your home. Some of you will make financial investments in property. You will gain through real estate. If moving or buying a house, what you choose might be bigger or more extravagant than you'd originally anticipated. Anytime after the winter, you will meet someone special, if you are available. Enjoy. This person could be important to your life's history. If you are attached, your bond becomes closer. In some ways, you will feel like newlyweds again. CANCER is a soul mate.

**The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have:** 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)**  
★★★ Your chattiness could carry many through an awkward moment or two. What someone says might get your dander up. Try to think in terms of the way this person thinks. You'll understand much more. Tonight: You're likely to chat till the wee hours.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)**  
★★ Someone puts pressure on you. Though you might feel this tension financially, you could also feel disappointed by this situation emotionally. While out and about, you project creativity and don't let others see this hassle. Tonight: Treat yourself, for a change.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)**  
★★★★ You have the personality to draw out others' points of view. Merging your creativity and imagination allows many possibilities. If someone wants to go in a different direction, let him or her. Variety is the spice of life. Tonight: You know what you want. Go for it.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)**  
★★★ You could feel pressured and very tired. Though summer isn't the right season, you might have a Scrooge attack. Take some time away from others. Don't let negativity interfere with your relationships. Tonight: Early to bed.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)**  
★★★★ You say exactly what you think or feel. Others respond to your openness. When you're around, the good times flow. Others relax and lighten up. They see what they normally don't. Dreams can happen in this climate. Tonight: You could go till the wee hours.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)**  
★★★ You might be the chief cook or organizer. Whatever you do, you do well, with excellence and efficiency. You have an idea for a get-together. Carry through with it. Pressure builds with a willful family member. Tonight: The lead actor.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)**  
★★★★ Travel might figure into your plans. On the other hand, others might be coming to visit you from a distance. Whatever you do, use that touch of creativity you are known for. You make whatever happens fun. Go with a change of plans. Tonight: Look beyond the obvious.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)**  
★★★ Listen to a partner or friend. In fact, follow his or her lead. You will know what to do. Remember, you can only stretch your budget so far. Keep that in mind, and make plans that don't break the bank. Tonight: Spend time with your special person.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)**  
★★★★ You need to flex more with those around you. Tremendous ideas and suggestions come from them. Allow your love of music or your imagination to come out. You might not be realistic right now. Tonight: Go along for the ride.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)**  
★★★★ Someone has to organize all the trailing ends and keep them together. You will naturally be in the right place at the right time to do just this. You like giving of yourself, especially in a non-financial manner. Tonight: Slow down. There is a tomorrow.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)**  
★★★★ Your imagination sets fire to those around you. If you are single, flirtation seems natural. You meet many people, but remember not to neglect your friends, please. You might hear about not paying attention to the festivities and the gang for a long time.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)**  
★★★ Pressure comes from someone in charge. Though this person means well, he or she could rain on your parade. You're happiest when close to home. Invite others over for a little get-together.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)**  
★★★★ After the recent celebrations, you are thrilled to return to your regular pace. Others are in the mood to relax. You might need to get people focused on handling the task at hand. They might be having too good of a time. Tonight: Cocoon at home.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)**  
★★★ You have a lot to say and do. Others stream through your door, happy to see you but also needing your time. Your good humor helps you accomplish what you must. You might need to screen calls and prioritize. Tonight: Still catching up on calls!

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)**  
★★★★ You have a devil-may-care attitude that attacks your checkbook and willingness to take risks. Be reasonable, and you won't cause yourself any damage. You don't need to do everything you think of. Tonight: Use your imagination.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)**  
★★★★ You naturally go to emotional extremes, sometimes causing yourself trouble. At this point, you go up and down like a rubber ball. Remember that there will be reactions to your behavior. Choose to take the high road. You will be happy. Tonight: Smile away.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)**  
★★★ You act like the cat that swallowed the bird. In truth, you are keeping a secret or have something special going on. Your attitude and upbeat behavior reflect your good feelings. Take some downtime or take a walk to chill out. Tonight: Do your thing.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)**  
★★★★ A meeting enhances your ideas. Much can be said about teamwork. You also find a new way to increase your income. Just put limits on spending, if possible. You might be on a spending spree, which is unusual for you. Tonight: Friends are where it's at.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)**  
★★★★ You charge spirit, vivaciousness and good will wherever you go and no matter what you do. Others are prone to say yes and work with you. Demonstrate your efficiency. Others also admire your sensitivity. Tonight: Out late.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)**  
★★★★ Do your own research and avoid hearsay. Your intuition is telling you that something is off. Detach and don't trigger. Simply find experts and ask questions. You might need some time to consider conflicting information. Tonight: Your mind needs a break.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)**  
★★★★ Someone wants to do something for you, which could be an enormous help. Financially or emotionally, this person can make big waves in your life. Don't worry -- you are heading down the right path. Tonight: Follow another's lead.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)**  
★★★★ Right now, you can do no wrong -- nearly. Know your limits with partners, friends and loved ones. You will encourage others to express themselves more often. Your public or professional image makes you a star. Tonight: A must appearance.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)**  
★★★★ Your ability to understand others encourages many associates to open up. In fact, you might feel more like a counselor than who you really are. Others confide in you. Sometimes you hear too much. Tonight: Get some exercise.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)**  
★★★★ Your playful manner draws many to you. You are able to come up with solutions. Others find you easy to talk to. As a result, your company is frequently sought out. Make plenty of time for your significant other. Tonight: Act like a kid again.



# Issues of ICU visitation

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** What advice would you have regarding a hospital's rules on only next of kin being admitted into



**Dr. Gott**

ICU when the administrators don't know how to locate next of kin? I believe no one should have to die alone.

**DEAR READER:** I'm aware of the traditional hospital regulation that limits visitors to family only, when the patient is seriously ill or dying. And I agree with you that flexibility is crucial.

In particular, some gravely ill patients have only close friends or "significant others"; such patients should not be isolated from warmth and caring — or, more importantly, from a patient-advocate — just because the letter of the law prohibits visitors who are not blood relations or legal spouses.

In my experience, many hospitals are willing to bend the rule, depending on circumstances. I believe this is appropriate. Remember, however, that dangerously sick people have a right to privacy and do not wish to have reporters, acquaintances, interested parties and other unsuitable visitors. In addition, really sick patients are often particularly susceptible to infections that may be inadvertently transmitted by well-meaning "guests."

Also, a contingent of concerned callers can get in the way of good medical/nursing care when they descend on a sick patient in small quarters, such as an Intensive Care Unit. With this, as with other health issues, the patient's well-being and best interests must be para-

mount. In situations where it is advisable to have non-family present, the proposed visitor should be able to obtain permission from the head nurse or attending physician.

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** My mother is an employee of a large pharmacy chain store. She does not get her yearly mammograms as she should because the insurance "Blue Cross, Blue Shield" that the drug store offers does not pay for a yearly mammogram. The irony of this is that the same company participates in the May "Breast Cancer Awareness Program." How can that be? Isn't early detection the key? Please help us to understand this. How does a large company like this jerk us around?

**DEAR READER:** Judging from your comments, I agree that there is an irony in the Blue Cross/Blue Shield position to deny annual mammograms to women who need regular testing. Then, for the company to support a breast cancer awareness program is a flagrant inconsistency that doesn't make sense.

I suggest that your mother coordinate the women with whom she works to write a letter to the company's executives expressing dismay at this troubling policy. Perhaps women employed in other stores could join the group and speak out. If the women can present a united front, the company may be forced to alter its policy.

**Doctor Gott is a practicing physician and the author of the new book "Live Longer, Live Better: Taking Care of Your Health After 50" (Quill Driver Books, www.quilldriverbooks.com).**

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# Fear of pregnancy drives teen to think of suicide

**DEAR ABBY:** One of my close friends, "Darci," is afraid that she might be pregnant. Darci is only 15. She has been going out with "Neil" for about seven months. She lost her



**Dear Abby**

virginity to him two months ago. Neil is a sweet and caring person, but in no position to be a father. I don't hang out with Darci outside of school, but she confides everything to me. She told me that last weekend she came close to committing suicide and Neil had to talk her out of it.

Abby, a friend of mine took her own life last spring, and I'm really frightened. I'm tempted to buy a home pregnancy test for Darci, but she seems to be hoping her problem will just go away. Last Sunday she was getting high to forget about her problems. I am afraid for her life and her future.

Please give me some advice. I want to help her. Darci's parents, therapist and boyfriend know about her suicidal thoughts (and past tendencies), but as far as I know, only Neil and I know about the potential "bundle of joy." All I want is for her to be safe and happy. I'm lost about what to do. — SCARED OF THE RESULTS IN ILLINOIS

**DEAR SCARED:** The first thing to do is to help the girl find out whether she's pregnant. If she is, then her parents and her therapist should be told what's going on to ensure that she doesn't harm herself. If, by some miracle, she's not pregnant, you should make sure she goes to Planned Parenthood and learns about responsible behavior and birth

control so this doesn't happen again.

**P.S.** You mentioned that this troubled girl's parents and therapist know about her suicidal thoughts. They should be notified that her boyfriend had to talk her out of hurting herself only last weekend.

**DEAR ABBY:** Two months ago, my husband's 77-year-old aunt, "Maude," moved in with us after the loss of her husband of 20 years. She is in great health, energetic, a sweet, loving and giving woman. Maude is a little on the nervous side, though, and I'm constantly having to remind her that we love her and we want her here. She helps a little around the house, as she can. My 4-year-old son loves her.

What can I do to assure her that she's safe here, that we love her and want her here? Maude's hearing isn't so good, and I'm constantly being misunderstood and having to repeat myself with every conversation. How can I help her to feel at peace? — LOVING NIECE IN ARIZONA

**DEAR LOVING:** The first thing you should do is make an appointment to have Aunt Maude's hearing checked, and find out if hearing aids can improve your level of communication with her. Once that's done, try to find ways to utilize her expertise. That's the best way I know to make someone feel useful and important.

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# LookingBack

**10 years ago**  
Murray-Calloway County Swim Team won 545 to 229 over Mayfield in a meet at the Mayfield City Pool. The Murray swimmers finished the meet with first places in 63 of the 75 events.

**20 years ago**  
Published is a picture of new officers of the Calloway County Fire-Rescue Squad who are Max Parrish, Eddie Stone, Steve Ladd, Carl Garland, Randy Barnett and David Amburgey. Not pictured are Mike Watson, Ricky Watson, Bernard Steen and Harold Smith.

**30 years ago**  
Jerry McCoy and Gary Crass were delegates for the Murray-Calloway County Jaycees at the annual meeting United States Jaycees held at Miami Beach, Fla.

**40 years ago**  
Three local Jersey herds have been classified for breed type by the American Jersey Cattle Club. The herds were those of G.B. Scott, Perry D. Harrison, and Blalock & White.

**50 years ago**  
Installed as new officers of the Murray Lions Club were Fred Schultz Jr., M.C. Ellis, Robert Moyer, Chuck Simons, Robert Hendon, Joe Pat Ward and Randall Patterson.

**60 years ago**  
Pfc. Raymond L. Kimbro has been reported wounded in action on May 23 while serving with the Armed Forces in Austria.

Garlin Outland, 44, died June 22 from injuries sustained in a tractor accident.

Two of the Murray City Park tennis courts are now open for play, according to Ty Holland, supervisor.

The exhibit of remodeled and slip-covered furniture by members of the Calloway County

Homemakers Clubs was shown at the Morris building on the west side of the Murray Court-square.

Births reported include a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Paschall and a girl to Mr. and Mrs. David Moyer, June 17; a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Patterson and a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shepherd, June 18; a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Erwin and a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Easley, June 20; a girl to Mr. and Mrs. James Fielder, June 23.

Marriages announced include Mary Elkins to Pfc. William J. Colburn, June 17.

**70 years ago**  
Federal officers, accompanied by County Constable Seth Cooper, seized two stills, destroyed a large quantity of mash, took possession of several gallons of whiskey and arrested three persons in a raid on the east side of Calloway County.

Hundreds from Murray and Calloway County and surrounding area were in Murray June 23 to attend the 15th annual singing convention held at the Calloway County Courthouse. In the afternoon the singers gathered before Mason Hospital, now on the west side of the courtsquare since the fire earlier this year, where they sang special numbers for the hospital patients.

Births reported include a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Finis Thompson, June 17; a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mason Perry, June 23; a boy to Mr. and Mrs. James Shelton, June 25; a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lassiter, June 26.

Marriages announced include Adell Miller to Clayton Pritchard, June 15.

The Vaughn Quartet presented a program June 30 at New Concord High School.

# TodayInHistory

**By The Associated Press**  
Today is Saturday, July 2, the 183rd day of 2005. There are 182 days left in the year.

**Today's Highlight in History:**  
On July 2, 1776, the Continental Congress passed a resolution saying that "these United Colonies are, and of right, ought to be, Free and Independent States."

**On this date:**  
In 1881, President Garfield was shot by Charles J. Guiteau at the Washington railroad station; Garfield died the following September.

In 1890, Congress passed the Sherman Antitrust Act.

In 1926, the United States Army Air-Corps was created.

In 1937, aviator Amelia Earhart and navigator Fred Noonan disappeared over the Pacific Ocean while attempting to make the first round-the-world flight at the equator.

In 1955, "The Lawrence Welk Show" premiered on ABC television.

In 1961, author Ernest Hemingway shot himself to death at his home in Ketchum, Idaho.

In 1964, President Johnson signed into law a sweeping civil rights bill passed by Congress.

In 1976, the Supreme Court ruled the death penalty was not inherently cruel or unusual.

In 1994, a U.S. Air DC-9 crashed in poor weather at Charlotte-Douglas International Airport in North Carolina, killing 37 of the 57 people aboard.

In 2002, American adventurer Steve Fossett became the first person to fly a balloon solo around the world as he returned to western Australia.



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  - 21 Cafe au —
  - 22 Microwave
  - 24 Go in search of
  - 26 Bulrush or cattail
  - 28 Hairy insect
  - 29 Flying machine
  - 31 Prez's stand-in
  - 33 Book-to-be
  - 34 Bicycle part
  - 36 Graceful wrap
  - 38 Cosmic sound
  - 40 Sunbathes
  - 42 Compet
  - 45 Realty offering
  - 47 Just for guys
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  - 9 Lhasa —
  - 10 Suffice
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  - 12 Fishing nets
  - 17 Chicken style
  - 20 Tempo
  - 23 Pt. of speech
  - 24 HS language class
  - 25 Make socks
  - 27 Fell on — ears
  - 30 Memorable times
  - 32 Teen event
  - 35 Political alliance
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  - 39 Downcast
  - 41 Herb or guru
  - 43 Mild condiment
  - 44 Oz aunt
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  - 48 Beta follower
  - 51 Person from Dundee
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  - 58 California's Big —
  - 60 Big League event
  - 62 N.Y. neighbor
  - 64 Frat letter

# Answer to Previous Puzzle

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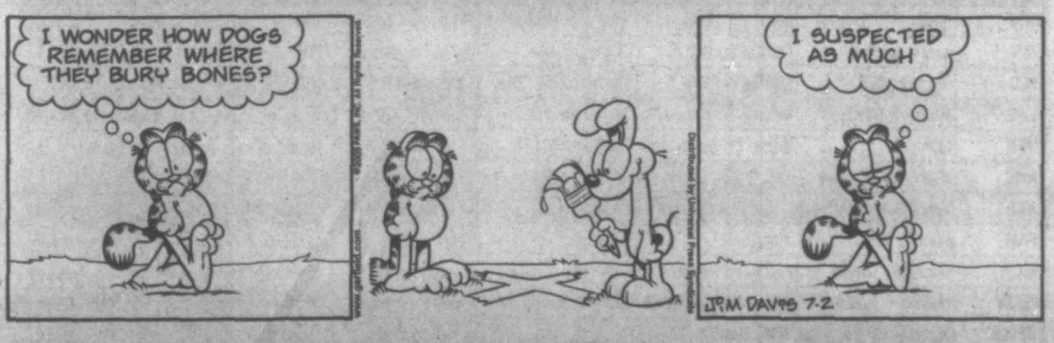
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Bob Geldof has had long journey from singer to saint

By JILL LAWLESS Associated Press Writer

LONDON (AP) — Bob Geldof makes an unlikely saint. The rangy, fowl-mouthed Irish rocker who fronted the Boomtown Rats in the 1970s is now far better known as a champion of Africa, haranguer of the powerful and organizer of star-studded charity concerts.

British newspapers once called him Bob the Gob. Now, with just a touch of irony, he's Saint Bob.

Geldof, 53, was first anointed when he organized the 1984 Band Aid single and the Live Aid concert the next year, which raised millions for famine relief in Africa. Twenty years later, he's behind Live 8, a series of concerts around the world designed to press leaders of the rich G8 countries to relieve the burden of impoverished African nations.

Announcing the concerts last month, Geldof said the G8 meeting in Scotland (July 6-8) provided a "unique opportunity for Britain to do something unparalleled in the world ... to tilt the world a little bit on its axis in favor of the poor."

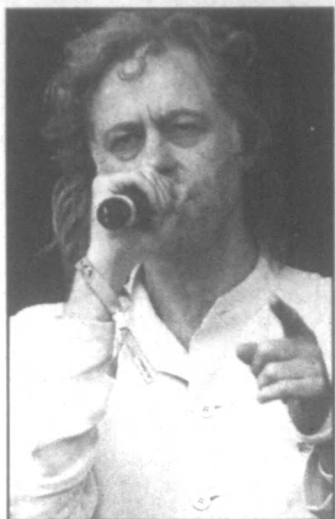
If Live Aid was about fundraising, he said, Live 8 is about awareness-raising, "not for charity but for political justice."

In the early 1980s, Geldof was known as a talented but prickly musician, who took the Rats' name from a song by socialist folk singer Woody Guthrie but boasted that he'd gone into music "to get famous, to get rich and to get laid."

Then he saw a television report about famine in Ethiopia and decided he had to act. With Midge Ure of Scottish band Ultravox, Geldof wrote the song "Do They Know It's Christmas?" and persuaded the era's top British acts — including Sting, U2, Boy George and Duran Duran — to perform it under the name Band Aid.

Released before Christmas 1984, the song sold 3 million copies and inspired a U.S. single, "We Are the World."

Live Aid — staged in Lon-



Bob Geldof

consciences than to relieve poverty.

Oasis songwriter Noel Gallagher — not performing at Live 8 — said he was skeptical that "one of these guys from the G8 is on a quick 15-minute break at Gleneagles and sees Annie Lennox singing 'Sweet Dreams' and thinks ... 'She might have a point there, you know?'"

Geldof is reluctant to analyze his motivations. But others have studied his biography, scarred by loss, for clues to his intensely driven personality. Geldof's mother died of a brain hemorrhage when he was 7. His longtime partner Paula Yates, mother of his three daughters, died of a drug overdose in 2000.

Geldof has raised his children, Fifi, Peaches and Pixie, and also adopted Heavenly Hiraani Tiger Lily, Yates' daughter with the late INXS singer Michael Hutchence.

Born in an Ireland he recalled as dull and repressive, Geldof soon escaped to a music career — initially as a rock journalist in Canada.

Returning to Ireland in the mid-70s, he formed the Boomtown Rats, whose reggae-inflected sound and edgy lyrics caught the emerging punk mood. The band's snarling "Rat Trap" knocked John Travolta and Olivia Newton-John off the top of the charts in 1978.

Described by Geldof as "perennial outsiders, antiestablishment and anti the antiestablishment," the band is best known for having its song about a high school shooting rampage, "I Don't Like Mondays," banned by many U.S. radio stations.

By the early 1980s, the Rats' fame was in decline. Geldof continues to produce solo records, but is now far better known as a campaigner.

Geldof has said he is proud of his musical legacy, but told a reporter in 2003 that he'd been awed to meet people like McCartney and Mick Jagger, "because they're ... amazing artists and ... well, I'm not."

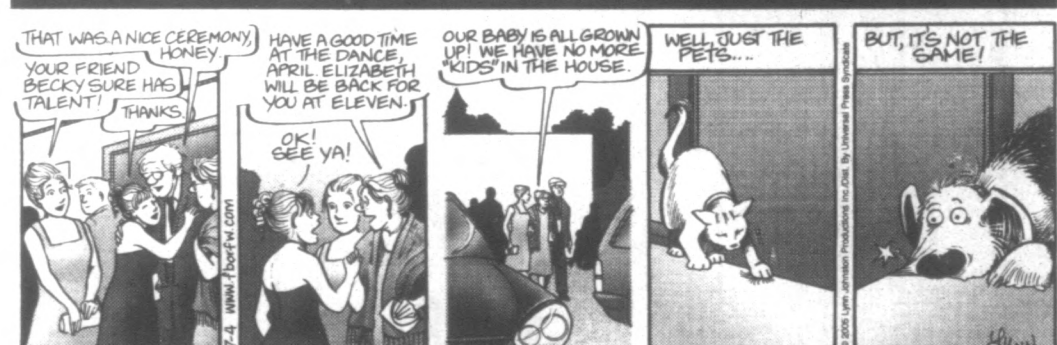
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Table of TV listings for Monday evening (7-12:30 AM). Columns include channel, time slot, and program name. Programs include Nick & Jessica's Tour of Duty, American Idol, News, Friends, and various late-night shows.



# Carpenter wins 12th for Cards

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Once again, Chris Carpenter was almost untouchable.

Carpenter carried a five-hitter into the eighth inning and became the major leagues' fourth 12-game winner as the St. Louis Cardinals beat the Colorado Rockies 6-0 Friday night.

Albert Pujols homered in the first to extend his hitting streak to 13 games and Carpenter contributed a sacrifice fly for the Cardinals, who rebounded from a shutout loss in the series opener and improved to 50-29. That matched their season high at 21

games above .500.

"Carpenter is just unbelievable," Pujols said. "I talked to some guys coming down to first base and they were telling me 'This guy is so nasty. When you hear guys on the other side saying that, he has something good going.'"

Aaron Miles had two singles for the Rockies, who are a major league-worst 6-32 on the road. It's the worst in baseball since the 1982 Twins began 5-32.

"He just did it all," the Rockies' Garrett Atkins said of Carpenter. "We knew we were going to be in for a tough night."

Carpenter (12-4) joined Dontrelle Willis of the Marlins, Livan Hernandez of the Nationals and Jon Garland of

the White Sox at 12 wins — three shy of his season total last year. He had nine strikeouts, leaving him two behind league-leading Pedro Martinez, and two walks.

"I'm not on the way to the All-Star game yet, but I'm just having fun competing every fifth day," Carpenter said. "Every night is a new night and guys are diving all over the place no matter what the score is, and it's just fun to come to the ballpark and be a part of this team."

Atkins said he'd pick Carpenter to start the All-Star game.

"Definitely, I've felt the least comfortable against him so far," Atkins said.

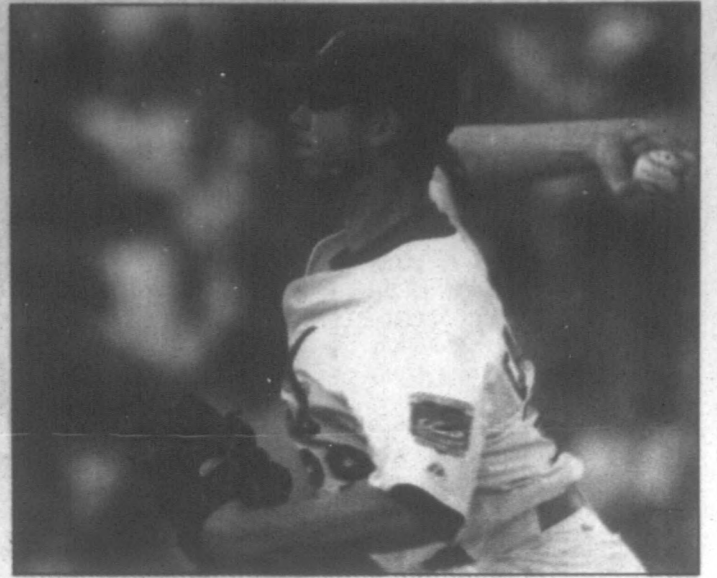
Carpenter was 4-1 with an

0.90 ERA in June and has allowed only one run in 33 2-3 innings in his last four starts, including two shutouts, to lower his ERA to 2.60. Ray King struck out Todd Helton with a runner on for the last out in the eighth and Julian Tavarez got three outs.

Rockies starter Joe Kennedy (4-8) lasted 6 1-3 innings, allowing five runs on nine hits. He's 1-7 on the road with a 7.01 ERA.

"I didn't have anything all game," Kennedy said. "I threw 111 pitches and maybe 75 or 80 of them are fastballs and I'm not a fastball pitcher."

"So I was just trying to battle through and go as far as I could."



Cardinals' starter Chris Carpenter pitches in the second inning against the Colorado Rockies on Friday at Busch Stadium. Carpenter became the major league's fourth 12-game winner as St. Louis blanked Colorado 6-0.

## MLB issues fine, suspension to Rangers' Rogers

SEATTLE (AP) — Texas pitcher Kenny Rogers was suspended for 20 games and fined \$50,000 by Major League Baseball on Friday for an outburst that sent a television cameraman to the hospital and prompted a police investigation.

The players' union filed an appeal on behalf of Rogers, who can keep pitching until the appeal is heard.

"Mr. Rogers' behavior was unprofessional, unwarranted and completely unacceptable," commissioner Bud Selig said in a statement. "Major League Baseball is a social institution and all of us in the game have an important responsibility to act with reason and good judgment."

Rogers, who is scheduled to pitch Sunday, was in the Rangers' locker room before Friday night's game against the Seattle Mariners, but would not comment when asked about the suspension.

"He's not talking," Rangers spokesman Rich Rice said.

Rogers then walked out of the dugout past a group of TV cameramen without incident, staring straight ahead as he continued to the Rangers' bullpen in left field.

The suspension was among the most severe imposed by the

commissioner's office for on-field conduct in decades — only the 30-day penalty given Cincinnati manager Pete Rose in 1988 for pushing umpire Dave Pallone was longer.

Rogers was suspended a day after Texas pitcher Frank Francisco was sentenced to a work program and anger management classes after pleading guilty to misdemeanor assault. Francisco was suspended for 15 games after throwing a chair at an Oakland A's fan last Sept. 13.

Rangers shortstop Michael Young said, "Any suspension of this length is definitely going to hurt our club because Kenny is our best pitcher. We're all going to stick by Kenny."

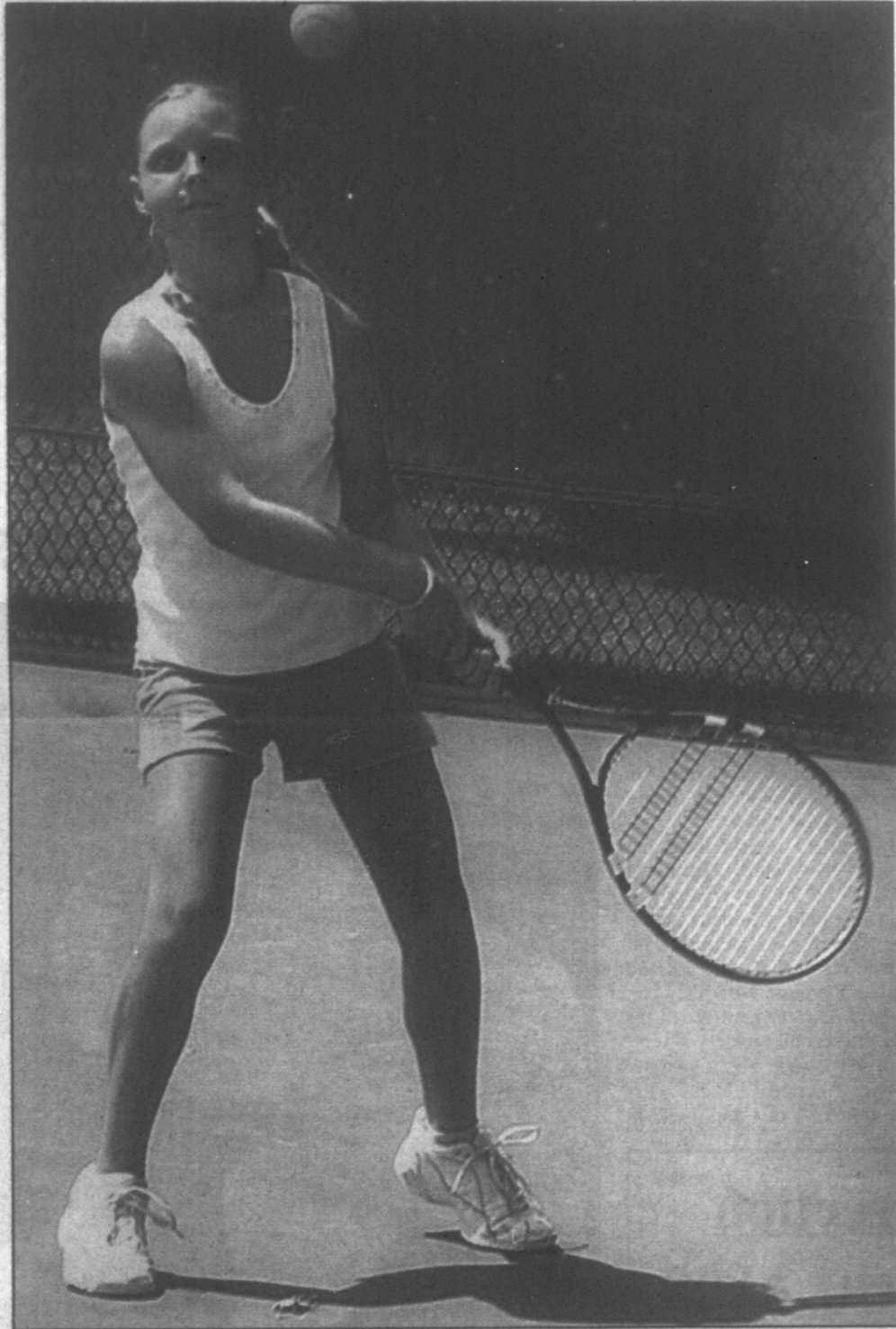
On June 17, the left-handed Rogers hurt himself, breaking a bone in his right hand when he punched a water cooler and threw around other coolers in the Texas dugout.

"We hope the suspension is reduced," Rangers manager Buck Showalter said. "Hopefully, we won't have to deal with it until after the All-Star break."

Showalter said there was a chance Rogers would not pitch Sunday against the Seattle Mariners because of the broken bone in his right hand. Showalter said he planned to talk to Rogers about pitching with an injection in his right hand.

Rogers (9-3) hasn't pitched since June 22 in Anaheim. He was a 6-0 loser to the Los Angeles Angels.

## The Eyes Have It!



With both eyes locked onto the ball above her, Paducah's Ashlyn Bechtold prepares to unleash a backhand shot toward opponent Ellie Henry of Chattanooga, Tenn., during their match Friday at the United States Tennis Association Level 4 tournament on the Murray State campus. Play will continue today at multiple locations throughout Murray.

## Here It Comes ...

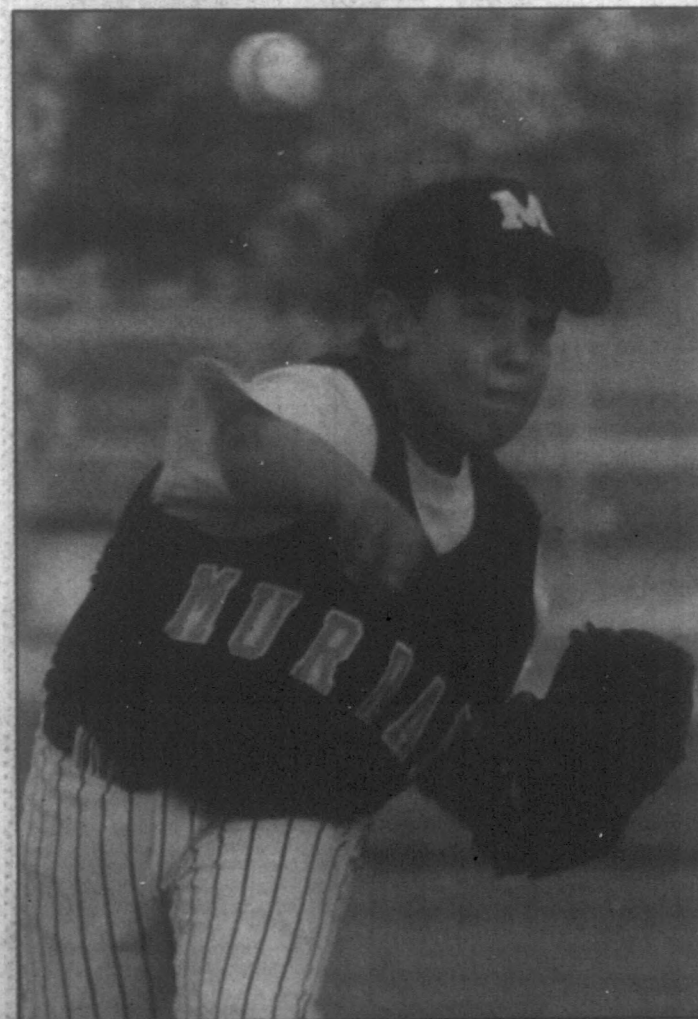


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Murray Jaguars' pitcher Hugh Paschall throws a pitch toward home plate during his team's 6-0 victory over the DuQuoin (Ill.) Renegades Friday evening in the 10-under division of the Freedom Fest Invitational tournament, being held this weekend at several ballparks throughout Murray, Mayfield and Draffenville.

## Crouching Tiger a hidden danger at Western Open

LEMONT, Ill. (AP) — Most of the moving and shaking took place at the top of the Western Open's leaderboard.

Look a little further down, though, and there's a guy who could produce the biggest shake-up of all.

Tiger Woods rebounded from the dismal first round that had him at the edge of the cut line, shooting a 5-under 66 Friday to put himself within range of the leaders.

"Hopefully they won't run away from me," he said after his morning round. "And I can go ahead and play a good round tomorrow and get myself back in it."

Woods is still six strokes behind leader Chris Couch, who shot a 4-under 67 and is at 9-under 133 for the tournament. But he's making up ground fast. Woods is now tied for 17th after starting the day tied for 103rd.

Duffy Waldorf (65), Tim Herron (66) and Jim Furyk (70) are one stroke behind Couch. Ben Curtis, who shared the first-

round lead with Furyk and Todd Fischer, is two strokes off the lead after an even-par 71. Fischer (72) is at 136 with Steve Flesch.

"It's still a long tournament," said Couch, who earned a spot here by winning the Nationwide Tour's LaSalle Bank Open last month. "I'm trying not to think too far ahead. I'm going to take it shot by shot and keep trying to have some fun."

Woods certainly had a lot more fun in the second round than he did in the first. The world's No. 1 player couldn't get anywhere close to the cup or take advantage of the par 5s, and his 2-over 73 left him in jeopardy of missing another cut this year.

His record of 142 consecutive cuts made on the PGA Tour ended in May, when he failed to make the weekend at the Byron Nelson Championship.

"I played a little bit better today, but more importantly, I putted better," Woods said. "The work I did last night certainly

helped."

Woods hit 11 of 18 greens Friday, the same as he did Thursday. But he needed only 23 putts, six fewer than he took in the first round.

"I didn't hit the ball that bad (Thursday). I just got nothing out of it on the greens," he said. "I felt like I had my speed back today."

After getting to 1-under par with an eagle on 15 and a birdie on 18, Woods was right back in trouble on No. 2.

At 180 yards, No. 2 is the shortest hole on Cog Hill's Dubsread Course, and a straight shot to the green. But Woods shanked his tee shot, landing about 30 yards off the green — well behind the gallery — and behind a tree.

"I must have had a bad lie on the tee box there," Woods joked.

He had no choice but to punch out, and the ball skipped into a trap in front of the green. He blasted out to within 3 feet, then tapped in for a bogey that dropped him back to par.

## Wimbledon Federer beats Hewitt; reaches final

WIMBLEDON, England (AP) — The best view of Roger Federer's latest masterful performance at Wimbledon belonged to Lleyton Hewitt, and even he felt compelled to call out, "Too good, mate!" when one perfectly placed forehand flew past.

It certainly sounded like an attractive semifinal: Federer vs. Hewitt, No. 1 in the rankings vs. No. 2, Wimbledon champions both. Instead, it was just another showcase for all of Federer's talents.

Taking charge almost from the start, Federer subdued the normally resilient Hewitt 6-3, 6-4, 7-6 (4) Friday to move within one victory of joining Pete Sampras and Bjorn Borg as the only men to take three consecutive Wimbledon titles since 1936.

"This performance is definitely good enough to win Wimbledon," Federer said. "I sort of still can't believe that I did it, so smooth in straight sets."

He hit stretch volleys, sent big serves at Hewitt's body or spun them nearly to the stands for aces, mixed flat backhands with confounding slices, and, as always, used his forehand to put quick ends to rallies.

Federer finished with 46 winners to Hewitt's 31 and faced only one break point.

"I've got no doubt that I feel like I'm the second-best player going around right at the moment," said Hewitt, who won Wimbledon in 2002 and the U.S. Open in 2001 but has been beaten at four of his past six majors by Federer. "It's just that the best player going around is pretty bloody good."

How's that for an understatement? Federer has won 35 matches in a row on grass, second only to Borg's 41 from 1976-81. And now Federer will try to extend his streak of 20 straight victories in tournament finals, a tour record.



Defending champion Roger Federer reacts as he defeats Australia's Lleyton Hewitt during a men's singles semifinal Friday on the Centre Court at Wimbledon.



# Tigers hammer Big Unit, Yankees

DETROIT (AP) — After needing three months to get his first hit with the Tigers, Magglio Ordonez could not wait to return — even if it meant facing Randy Johnson.

Ordonez hit a two-run homer off Johnson in his return from the disabled list and Jeremy Bonderman pitched a complete game, leading Detroit over the New York Yankees 10-2 on Friday night.

Sidelined since April 13 with a hernia, Ordonez wasn't expected back until later in the weekend, but asked manager Alan Trammell to put him in Friday's lineup.

"It was exciting. I got my first hit as a Tiger and I felt good," Ordonez said.

Ordonez went 0-for-10 in three early season games after signing with the Tigers as a free agent. In his last healthy season, he hit .317 with 29 homers and 99 RBIs for the Chicago White Sox in 2003.

"We just put a guy in the middle of our lineup that is a very good hitter," Trammell said. "This is a guy with a proven track record."

Bonderman (10-5) gave up eight hits in his second complete game in three starts and fourth of his career. He struck out five and walked two — both in the ninth inning — as he became the first Tigers pitcher to win 10 games before the All-Star break since Bill Gullickson in 1991.

"He's an All-Star type pitcher," Yankees manager Joe Torre said. "You certainly don't want to give him a head of steam. We certainly made him too comfortable."

The Tigers roughed up Johnson (7-6), who gave up nine hits and seven runs over five innings. It was the second time Johnson gave up seven runs in his last three starts. He struck out two and walked one.

"It's a surprise when he gets manhandled like he did," Torre said. "He had no problems warming up. He looked like he was fine. I thought he had dominating stuff."

Johnson said he had no explanation for his performance.

"It was just bad location, a bad game," he said. "I just pitched bad. I'm capable of having a bad game, just like anybody else at work."

## That's A Winner!



Murray's Dan Thetford gives a thumbs up to partner and fellow Murrayan Joe Belcher after Belcher nailed a 15-foot birdie putt on the 10th green of the Murray Country Club during Friday's Max Hurt Memorial Golf Tournament.

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## Clemens, Martinez lead way as possible All-Star selections

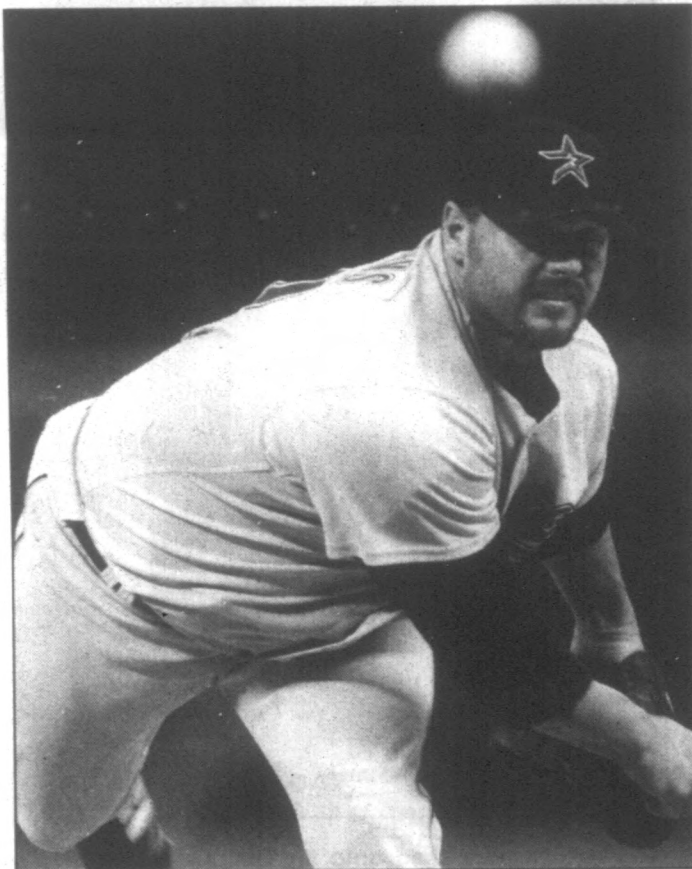
By MIKE FITZPATRICK  
AP Sports Writer

Imagine this scenario: Pedro Martinez marches in to replace Roger Clemens. Happened once before, you know, back in Boston.

That transition was symbolic. This time, it could be as simple as a call to the bullpen.

Linked by their remarkable success, they later were at the heart of a bitter rivalry — Martinez and Clemens spent years squaring off in classic confrontations at Fenway Park and Yankee Stadium. Now they can become All-Star teammates for only the second time.

In 1998, each was a member of the American League club that won 13-8 at Coors Field in



Roger Clemens and another former Boston Red Sox pitcher, Pedro Martinez, will likely be facing some Red Sox hitters in the July 12 All-Star Game at Detroit.

Colorado. Clemens allowed two runs in one inning. Martinez never got in the game.

Of course, the Rocket was pitching for Toronto by then, having bolted from Boston before the '97 season. A year after he departed, the Red Sox acquired a new ace in Martinez. And in '99, the Blue Jays traded Clemens to New York.

With both still dominating hitters, their selection to the NL

squad Sunday night seems only a formality. Two future Hall of Famers, one pitching staff — precisely the fun of this summer showcase.

Clemens, now with Houston, and Martinez, energizing the New York Mets, could both find themselves facing Red Sox hitters — instead of each other — in Detroit on July 12. They would bring some much-needed star power to an All-Star game that will be missing many of the biggest names in baseball.

Barry Bonds, Curt Schilling and Eric Gagne are injured. Randy Johnson, Jim Thome and Sammy Sosa have struggled.

Taking their places should be several surprising newcomers, such as Chad Cordero, Brian Roberts and Felipe Lopez.

But there isn't room for everybody. Each roster has only 32 spots.

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## Stewart claims Daytona poll amid controversy

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Tony Stewart seems to run better when he's surrounded by a little controversy.

Stewart won the pole for the Pepsi 400 on Friday, two days after an altercation with a fan at Daytona International Speedway.

He downplayed the incident after qualifying. "It's a pretty petty deal," Stewart said. "It's not something that we're even worried about. We've discarded it already."

Stewart covered the 2 1/2-mile superspeedway at 185.582 mph, slightly faster than Scott Riggs and Jimmie Johnson. Boris Said and Joe Nemecek, both teammates with Riggs, rounded out a top-five sweep for Chevrolet.

Elliott Sadler was sixth-fastest in a Ford, followed by the Chevys of Kevin Harvick and Jason Leffler and Rusty Wallace's Dodge. Kerry Earnhardt's fast lap gave Chevy eight of the top 10 spots in the field of 43.

Daytona 500 champion Jeff Gordon qualified 15th. Nextel Cup points leader Greg Biffle was 18th. Dale Earnhardt Jr. continued his season-long slump and wound up 39th.

Stewart, meanwhile, won his first pole of the season and his first ever at Daytona. It came after a run-in at the track Wednesday night.

NASCAR's bad boy allegedly yelled and cursed at a fan after she slowed him up entering a tunnel to the speedway. Pamela Williams, of Hobe Sound, said Stewart was flashing his headlights behind her as they entered the track infield.

"I stuck my hand out and made a motion to slow down and this guy raced around me and slammed on his brakes," Williams told The Daytona Beach News-Journal. "He jumps out and started walking toward me — angry and irritated — like

road rage." Several track workers corroborated Williams' story. Stewart, meanwhile, offered conflicting details.

Stewart told the newspaper that the woman gestured for him to pass her and then waved her middle finger at him.

"I say, 'By God, I'm going to find out what this girl's problem is.' So I back up, go to where she stops, get out and walk up to her window," Stewart explained.

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NBC — NASCAR, Nextel Cup, Pepsi 400, at Daytona Beach, Fla.  
AVP VOLLEYBALL 3:30 p.m.  
NBC — Cincinnati Open, women's championship  
BOXING 8 p.m.  
SHO — USBA/NABF champion Samuel Peter (23-0-0) vs. NABA champion Taurus Sykes (23-1-1), for USBA/NABF/NABA heavyweight championship, at Reno, Nev.  
CYCLING 10:30 a.m.  
OLN — Tour de France, prologue, Fromentine to Noirmoutier-en-Pile, France  
GOLF 9 a.m.  
TGC — European PGA Tour, European Open, third round, at Dublin, Ireland 12:30 p.m.  
TGC — Nationwide Tour, Lake Erie Charity Classic, third round, at Findley Lake, N.Y. 2 p.m.  
ABC — PGA Tour, Western Open, third round, at Lemont, Ill.  
CBS — LPGA, HSBC Women's World Match Play Championship, third round, at Gladstone, N.J. 4:30 p.m.  
TGC — Champions Tour, Commerce Bank Championship, second round, at Meadow, N.Y. (same-day tape)  
HORSE RACING 3 p.m.  
ESPN — NTRA, Suburban Handicap and New York Handicap, at New York; the United Nations, at Oceanport, N.J.; the Ohio Derby, at North Randall, Ohio  
MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL Noon  
FOX — Regional coverage, Florida at N.Y. Mets or Atlanta at Philadelphia 3 p.m.  
FOX — Regional coverage, Texas at Seattle or Arizona at L.A. Dodgers  
WGN — Washington at Chicago Cubs 9 p.m.  
WGN — Chicago White Sox at Oakland  
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NBC — Wimbledon Championships, women's championship, match, at London

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## Summertime good news for anglers

There's no doubt that summer is here! Just step outside and the perspiration will pop out of every pore of your skin!

Actually, this is one of the best times to fish if you really enjoy fishing and the moon's phase is back on track with daytime fishing.

On a full moon, it can be very rough to catch bass by random casting in the daylight. What one needs to learn is how to locate the feeding areas that are being used at night by the bass, and not the anglers.

Beginning at first light, start fishing and work the same areas where the bass were all night. As the morning comes, these bass will back off from their heavy feeding and will just about disappear during the day.

What an anglers has to do is locate these night areas used for bass feeding and then get there first at dawn. The time frame in June was from the 19th through the 26th.

The first six days of July will feature the best feeding times during the morning hours. That will continue as the moon phase changes daily.

The waters are extremely warm at the first of July. One good thing for anglers who love to catch bluegill and shell-crackers is the continuous hatch-

ing of the mayflies along most of the shorelines.

These eggs were deposited two years ago. Now, they are hatching into a fish buffet. Every species I know — with the exception of the paddlefish — feeds on these flies after they hatch.

I have always suspected that the spoonbills caught and devoured these insects before they hatched from a swimming worm into a flying meal. They gather by the millions as they leave their safety zone, drifting to the surface to hatch from a worm into a fly.

This hatch most often begins at dusk and will continue throughout the night. By morning light, the trees and bushes along the shorelines are covered with them. This is another reason the bass were keyed on feeding at night and were full by daylight.

There was a tournament at Kenlake last weekend. I think there were 251 entries that covered most of the fishable waters before Hubert McManus, Bill Evans and I arrived.

Bill had come from Scotland to visit with McManus. He was hoping to have a good day of chasing the bass. Both men are extremely nice gentlemen and knowledgeable anglers who wanted to hook into some big bass.

I think we threw about everything in our boxes in order to get good fish. There were some decent bass that struck our baits, but they just didn't stay on the hooks. I really feel bad that the bite wasn't there for us, but there's only so much you can do in that situation. I have invited Hubert to come back so that we can redeem



Eric Soergel holds up three different fish in these two photographs. One of the fish (on the right) was a 22-pound drum, which was caught on a recent outing with Ledger & Times columnist Jerry Maupin.

ourselves!

One day later, I picked up three good guys their waterfront dock. We took off for some new waters. I had Dick, Rob and Richard Stout with me for a serious bass-catching educational class.

We were going to teach them everything we possibly could about bass fishing — from rods and reels to lures, lines, favorite places, good times of the day and the currents.

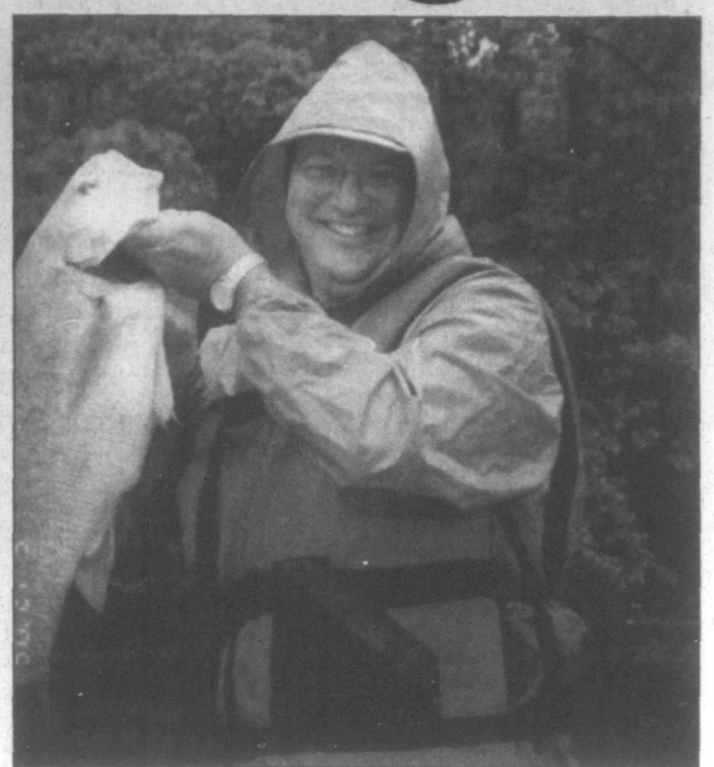
It was a good time for me because I love to teach the different techniques that one needs to know when fishing on Kentucky Lake. Practically everything has changed in the last 10 years. If you are going to catch bass, you must learn some things.

We adjusted our reels so

that they would function properly. We worked on new ways to locate areas where the bass normally hang out. These guys were just great. They really did an excellent job of improving their techniques.

I taught them where and how to catch the elusive Kentucky bass. They had a great time catching several of them! We traveled to several different types of structures to fish so they could see just how important it is to learn an area of water — when to fish it and when to pass it up.

The bass were more responsive than the day before. The guys really missed a lot of strikes while learning different things. But they did learn, and their success rate continued to increase as the day progressed.



One of the men even learned that he was better casting left-handed than right-handed.

I was trying to work out all of the bugs so they could concentrate on the bass bite when I noticed a slight change from the left hand to the right. I put the rod back into the left hand, adjusted the reel slightly and Rob knew instantly that he was left-handed!

I have shown several dozen anglers this unusual trait. Each one protested, but they each became a left-handed angler in just a matter of minutes after I taught them the style.

The senior angler of the family caught the largest bass of the day around quitting time! Dick brought a hefty 3-pound largemouth too the boat. But since we were not keeping the

bass, I didn't need it quickly.

I was a little slow so that he could enjoy the bass and its strength. It was great for us all because it was caught and released unharmed. I think someone mentioned making another trip one of these days. We will do it soon, I think.

Thanks to all you guys. You were great to work with. Let's do it again! There's lots more to learn!

During these next few weeks, the hot air will probably get hotter. It will continue to move through the area, helping us out with the current.

We expect the shad baitfish to grow quickly. In doing so, they will attract into feeding in large schools. There is some great fishing ahead!

Happy Fishing!

## The Declaration of Independence in plain language

Too often, the words of our founding fathers are lost to us because of our unfamiliarity with their conventions of speech. But, for the most part, the men who put pen to our original documents were of a regular sort, their words plain and unambiguous.

It's not enough to merely read their writings as if poetry or some other prose. We must understand their words from this country's beginnings if we are to understand where we are to go.

So in the plainest of language, here are the words of the brave men who defied one of the world's preeminent powers in order to live free.

"Every now and then, one bunch of people gets tired of being pushed around by another bunch of people and decides that they can run things

themselves just as good if not better than the other folks. Just so there won't be any misunderstandings, we're writing down what we plan to do and why.

Anybody with one eye and half-sense knows that y'all are no better than we are. And on top of that, God gave us the right not only to live, but to live free and do things that make us happy — and neither you nor anyone else can take that away. Of course, we know that someone has to be in charge or no one will be happy, but whoever's in charge is going to have to answer to us and us alone. By golly, we can put them into office and we can take them out!

It's not that we're going to kick everybody out every so often just because we don't like the way they comb their hair or that they wear funny-colored clothes or something like that. We'll take and take and take. But once we get enough, you better stand back and stay out of the way.

Now take o' King George — we've had it up to here with him and his little Parliament. We've tried and tried to get along and work things

out, but he just keeps on doing things to aggravate us — like refusing to sign even simple and harmless little laws that would be a big help to us, or wanting us to give up our say-so in things in return for passing a law or two. He's even made us go to meetings in the most God-awful places just to wear us out, so we'll shut up.

He keeps booting out all of our representatives when they disagree with him, and then he won't appoint any to replace the ones he's bootied out.

He won't let us bring our aunts, uncles, cousins and in-laws over here from other countries, and he won't let us spread out in the new territories.

He won't make rules for judges and what judges he does appoint are his own yes-men. And he keeps coming up with all these silly programs and agencies just to pester the heck out of us.

He's got military guys standing around everywhere that think they're above the law.

He's even got some foreign troops over here trying to tell us what to

do; he lets them sleep in our barns and houses, and when they get to messing around and kill some of us, he protects them with a kangaroo court.

He won't let us trade with other countries, he taxes us whether we want it or not, he won't let a jury hear our case and even ships us off to a strange country to be tried by people we don't even know.

In one place nearby, he set up a puppet government and he's torn up our charters and kicked out our legislators. And, if that's not enough, he has attacked our ships with his own navy, burnt our towns, hired mercenaries and thugs to rough us up — even stirred up the Indians against us. And then he has the gall to rear back and say there's nothing he can do about it.

We keep asking and asking for him to straighten up and quit doing these things, but he won't listen. We've warned the people of Britain to make him leave us alone or we're going to open a can of "whup-um-up" on them, too.

You people over there think we're bluffing because we've been togeth-

er so long. Well let us tell you: Friends are friends, but war is war! So don't say we haven't warned you. We're sick and tired of all this. From now on, we intend to be our own boss.

"We're going to be a country just like Britain and we're going to be friends with any one we want, trade with any one we like and pretty much do what we want when we want to do it.

With God's help, we will stand together and if need be, die together — but we won't back down! So take a good look at the names of the fellows that signed this — you'll be hearing from us again soon."

With that, a rag-tag bunch of backwoods colonists with widely diverse views on religion, laws, trade and expansion, signed their names — not just as traitors to the Crown, but as fathers of a new country.

As we celebrate Independence Day, remember those fellows who had the guts to stand up for freedom and liberty against overwhelming odds. Like those fellows, let's not allow any tyrants — big or small — to push us around, either.

## A little planning drains misery from summer camping

PADUCAH, Ky. (AP) — This is the season in which those who only dabble in family camping usually go forth for their fair shares of lumpy sleeping arrangements, encounters with man-eating insects and

ashes in their dinner. The July 4th holiday weekend often activates those rarely practicing tent campers who unfold the canvas, polyester or nylon for no other occasion. For many, it may be that tent

camping is roughing it enough that it takes a year to recover and want to do it again.

This sort of camping should be an adventure, but there's no reason it should be miserable. A little planning, prepa-

ration and care in execution could go far.

Here are ideas to make the tenting bivouac something you'd want to do more often:

■ Make a checklist and use it. It's difficult to pack rapid-

ly and remember all you'll need for camping. Far better, compose a list of every item and refer to it, checking off each as it's loaded.

■ A camping check list is more easily compiled by exper-

rienced campers, especially those who have done without things and suffered. Lacking the experience, just sit down and think about daily life in camp and the things that will be necessary for all you'll do.

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State executive branch creates online news service

By JOE BIESK Associated Press Writer
FRANKFORT, Ky. (AP) — A new electronic service set up by Gov. Ernie Fletcher's administration lets people with e-mail access get the latest news releases from various state agencies sent straight to their inboxes.

tion included Social Security numbers and photographs that had not been erased as required by state regulation.
It's up to state government to protect its constituents' information, Assistant Attorney General Robert Jones said.
"My experience is that most state agencies are responsible in protecting private information," Jones said.

users' personal data, said Beth Wilson, executive director of the American Civil Liberties Union in Kentucky. People should decide for themselves whether to share information with the state in situations like this, Wilson said.
"I would be a little concerned about giving them my personal information," Wilson said. "People can make that decision for themselves. It's entirely voluntary."

Contract Bridge

Caught in a Quandary

West dealer. Both sides vulnerable.
NORTH
♦ Q 10 5
♥ 6
♦ K Q 10 9 3
♥ K 6 4 2
WEST
♦ K 9 6 2
♥ J 4
♦ J 7 4
♥ J 10 9 3
SOUTH
♦ A J
♥ A K Q 10 8 5 3
♦ 8 6 5
♥ 7

drew trumps and led a diamond to dummy's queen. East followed low, realizing that if he took the ace his partner's jack (if he had it) would be subject to a later finesse.
Declarer then led a low spade to his jack. West won and returned a club. South ruffed, cashed the ace of spades and played another diamond, West following low.

The bidding: West North East South
Pass Pass Pass 4♥
Opening lead — jack of clubs.

There is no denying that in some deals, declarer must guess what to do because he does not know how the adverse cards are divided. The clues might be disturbingly sparse, or the defense might be exceptionally sharp.
Fortunately, such deals are rare. On most occasions, declarer can find a way to improve his chances of guessing correctly, or can avoid the guess altogether.

Now South was in a quandary. If West had started with the J-7-4, the winning play was the ten; if West had started with the A-7-4, the winning play was the king. Either play could turn out right or wrong. In fact, South guessed wrong. He played the king and eventually lost another diamond trick to go down one.
It is true that South ran into sturdy defense, as well as bad luck. However, his difficulties were self-created. He should have made the contract without exposing himself to a guess. He missed a sure-fire method of play.

After ruffing the second club and drawing trumps, South should have played the A-J of spades, deliberately spurning the spade finesse. A later diamond lead to the queen would have assured an entry to dummy for a diamond discard on the queen of spades, and his only losers would have been a spade, a diamond and a club.

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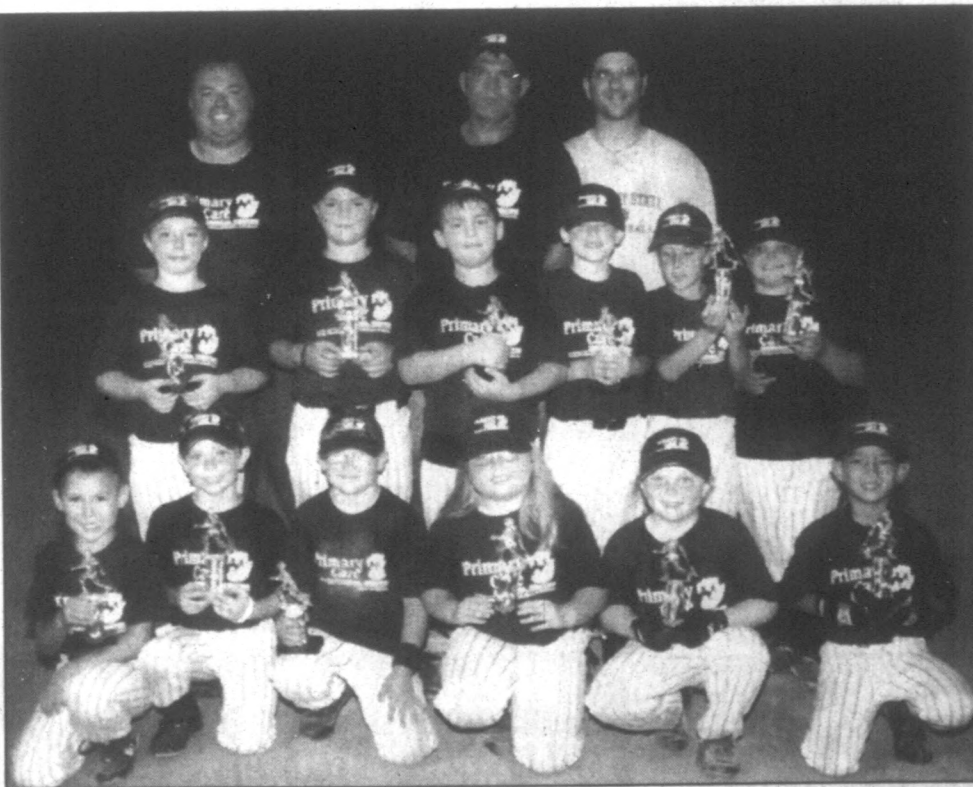
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