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getting paid as a head coach. He will
now await Schembechler's decision on whether six wins, no Io osses and
the national titte is enough to qualify as the Michigan man.
"I am the happiest man in the
world," Fisher said, which is, of
course, only his opinion. Illinois coach Lou Henson, while
supporting Fisher for the job, had a word of warning.
"He"ll find that when he wins 100 , 200, 400,500 games," said Henson, caach.
Wall had Mine mingigan exactly where it wanted, ahead by 12 points and cocky, looking like it was one
shovelful of dirir from buiving the
young men from South Orange. "I kept saying, 'One more basket,
one more basket," Fisher said. "I knew they could come back"
It was a formula that had worked
all tournament long, and Seton Hall
climbed inexorably back, taking the
 COLLEGES
Both sides rest cases in sports agents trial

By John O'Brien Lawyers for New York sports
agents Norby Walters and Lloyd agents Norby Waiters and Loyd
Bloom, accused of handing out pay
ments to college athletes, were to ments to college athletes, were to
begin presentig final arguments to
the jury Tuesday ,the jury Tuesday.
U.S. District Court Judge George M. Marovich said that after being
instructed on the law, the jury's first instructed on the law, the jury's sirst decision wiil be to deccide whether to
begin deliberations Wednesday afternoon or Thursday morning. He spoke after prosecutors put
two rebuttal witnesses on the stand Monday and bothsses on rested thed thei
cases in the fifth week of the trial.
Walters and Bloom are charged with crimes ranging from making
threats of bodily injury to keep threats of bodily injury to keep
athletes and entertainers in line to
paying money to college football playing money to collige footbal
playe sign exclusive contracts
The windup of evidence and testi-
mony in the case came as William mony in the case came as William
Dern, a Los Angeles entertainment manager, told how a meeting be-
tween Walters and an unidentified
tween Walters and an unidentififed
"mob guy," along with Dern's two
partners, caused the partners to ab-
ruptly cancel plans to dump Walters partners, caused the partu
ruptly cancel plans tod dum
booking agency in 1985 . booking agency in 1985.
At the time Dern, At the time Dern, a personal
manager for the tryythm and blues
group "New Edition," had let Walmanager for the rhythm and blues
group "New Edition," had let Wal-
ters know that he and his partners group "New Edition, had let Wal-
ters know that he and his partners
wanted out of a contract with Walters' booking agency in order to seek
a movie contract for the singing group. After the meeting, which he didn't
attend, Dern testified that one partAter the meeting, which he didn"
attend, Dern testified that one part-
ner, Rick Simith, called him to say
he "was very upset". $\ldots$ was "afraid he "was very upset" ... was "afraid
of eeverything" and that the New
Edition "would stay with Norby
Walters" Waiters. mob guy, and he [Smith] didn't
want to be involved with anybody want to e" invoived with anybody
like that," Dern told U.S. Atty.
Anton Valukas. Anton Valukas.
Late Monday, Bloom's lawyer,
Dan Webb, unsuccessfilly sought Dan Webb, unsuccesssfilly sought a
mistrial for Bloom because Bears mistrial frer Bloom because Bears
ween ralled Ron Morris hadn't
beas aitness desith been called as a witness despite an
assertion by Valukas at the start of
"You never know until you try-so, I did, and I must say your Merit is perfect for me." -Marjorie Addison Lafayette, LA "I really like Merit, now that I've tried it. Just bought a carton and will be buying Merit from now on.

## -Winnifred Andersen Wisconsin Dells, WI

Merit sure is mild and I sure like the Ultra Lights. You have made me a Merit fan."
-Nina Bryant
"Your cigarettes are Great!! And you were right about the refreshing taste they were very refreshing."

Louise Begley
"I love Merit. In the 40 years I've smoked, Merit is the best cigarette I've ever had.' - Roger Bechard
"I have tried a lot of cigarettes. I have never had one that was as mild as Merit. I like them very much."
-RubyBishop
Jackson, OH
"I truly prefer these over the brand I'm smoking now. I gave a pack to my
friend and he also prefers your brand."
-Maxine Boyles
Huntington Park, CA
"I'm really happy with Merit
cigarettes." -Robin Baugh
New Castle, IN
"Merit Menthol Light 100's are good. I will smoke them.' -Earlene Baxter

Traverse City MI
"I think your cigarettes are mild
tasteful and enjoyable."
Alfred Michels
Elgin sports future unresolved
School board needs time to decide fate of athletics

By John Leptich
There was little to laugh about
as a standing-room-only crowd of
nearly nearly 1,000 packed the Elgin High School auditorium Monday
night to witness night to witness the Elgin District A number of emotional speech-
es by concerned citizens opposed A number of emotional speech-
es by concerned citizens opposed
to proposed elimination of extrato proposed elimination of extracurricular activities, including
athletics, hishhlighted the program.
The result of the marathon forr-hour session was a a propososal
by board member William Castillo to return to the same site
Thursday. The board wants to
have time to consider suggestions have time to consider suggestions
made by parents students and made by parents, students and
citizens before voting on the mat-
ter. ter. board will begin, discussing
The
sugestions at 6 p.m., with the suggestions at 6 p.m., with the
special meeting following at $7: 30$.
Both will be open to the public.
day's session came when school
board President Richard Rayner board President Richard Rayner
read from a sign-up sheet the
names of those who asked to be names of those who asked to be
heard. An otherwise somber crowd. An chuckled when Rayner sor su- situation ton was converged when we
tifully called $\begin{array}{ll}\text { tirily called Freddie Krueger } & \text { had referendums [in Novebuber and } \\ \text { Forward. }\end{array}$
Of course, the fictitious villain of
"Nightmare on Elm Street" movies wasn't in attendance. But that was wasn't in attendance. But that was
the only light moment in the
meeting where board members
were to decide wheter the were to decide whether to consider
slashing $\$ 2.3$ million from the siashing $\$$ school yillion fudgom the
concorcen to most of those in and, of
ance eliminate ance, eliminate sports at Elegin,
Larkin and Streamwod high
schools. A final decision made until mid-June when the
mact amount of funding is known. Speakers made impassioned pleas Speakers made impassioned pleas
Che ne nine-member panel listened.
Chering interrupted many of the

## Libertyville takes advantage of Deerfield's late mistakes


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LAKE CARROLL

"I'm smoking my first Merit cigarette now and it is just delightful. I will
purchase Merit from now on.
Kilauea Kauai, HI
"I really enjoyed your product. I liked Merit very much!"
-C. J. Jackson
"I have enjoyed Merit.I intend to buy
"I have enjoyed More cartons of it:"
Binghamton, NY
"Thanks...I enjoyed them very much", Forest Park, GA
"I smoked one pack and saved the other to be sure I got the correct name. I really enjoyed the mild taste of Merit Ultra Lights.'

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\begin{aligned}
& \text {-Mrs. A. Kepler } \\
& \text { W. Seneca, NY }
\end{aligned}
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"I tried them and liked them very much.'

- Connie Karp
San Francisco, CA
"I liked the taste of Merit. It is my new brand now!'

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\begin{aligned}
& \text {-Clyde Lingo } \\
& \text { Van Buren, } \mathrm{AK}
\end{aligned}
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"I've enjoyed Merit for many years and have no intention of ever changing, brands. Thanks for a great cigarette",
$\underset{\substack{\text { Bill Lutz } \\ \text { Porter, IN }}}{ }$
"Your cigarettes were much better than I had imagined. They were the smoothest tasting cigarettes I've ever bought"' Richmond, IN
"I have smoked a few packs of Merit and like them very much."

Marjory Malone
Marjory Malo
Yonkers, NY
"I have smoked Merit Ultra Lights Menthol 100's for two years and I enjoy
every puff. -Betty Jean Ruffin - Betty jean Ruf
Bethel, NC
"I've tried many other brands of low ar cigarettes and couldn't get beyond the first pack. Merit is just fine and satisfying."

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { - Jean Rosenberg } \\
& \text { St. Petersburg, FL }
\end{aligned}
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"My Merit cigarettes taste good...I enjoy my cigarettes. Merits are mild." Constance Roy
Sparks, NV

I really liked Merits. I found them to be really mild, but tasty."

## -Jean Rawn Portland, OR

I was overwhelmed with how much I truly enjoyed Merit. Believe me, I was close to my regular cigarettes. But, they exceeded my expectations beyond description.'
-Jean Ray Broken Arrow, OK
"Quite frankly, I was surprised to discover how much I enjoyed them enough of the menthol taste and flavo to satisfy me."
-Peggy Rolfes
Memphis, TN
"They were so mild and flavorsome, was surprised they were rated with 6 mg . tar and nicotine".
-Carmen Robbins
Thanks folks.

[^0]Kings: 8 mg "tar;" 0.6 mg nicotine -100 's: 10 mg "tar", 0.8 mg nicotine -Ultra Lights Kings Regular: 5 mg "tar", 0.5 mg nicotine - Menthol: 5 mg "tar:" 0.4 mg nicotine - Ultra Lights 100 's Regular: 6 mg

## The Inside Story

## Odds \& <br> 

By Linda Kay \& Mike Conklin
$\square$ Insida acoop: Expect the upooming issue of
 of the Phoenix to write a piece analyzing the school's
basketbal program. Clt 'ts going to be long and thoor

 adminisfrators for the team's academic problems this
year, will point out that the II reumning players have year, wiil point out that the 11 retuming glayeres have
combind grade opoint average of 2.41 He
male make a strong pitch for former Loyola assistant Doug
Bnuno now the women's coach at De Paul, to be named his successor. Two more names surfacing are
fommer Evansill coach Dick Walter, a finaiss for the position when it weact to Dick Wary Lyener, and findisiana
assistant Joby
GI Joltin' Joes If Cubs Opening Day carcher Joe
 run for the remarar job. In his senior year ageanst lowa, Whe righthandeded hitting Girardi walloped a home run at
 Withe homer has sort of taken on legendary status", said maiditenasco men to leave the bellin in place until the
next home game, when his father would be in town. - Art imitating lifee National Public Radio sportsaster Biil Litlefeele says the titit of his new
book - and part of the inspiration for it
came after
 "Prospect" is the book, and iits the story of a retired
scout who discovers a youngster orevooked by the

 Trecord for most teroro in a single inining gat shoorstop.
"He's wonderful storteler," says Lititefield whose
 - Better left unsalde Prosecutor Anton Valukas
and defense attomey Dan Webb have finished and defense attormey Dan Webb have finished
prosenting their withesses, but theres's some information




Michael Trope, whose first client was Heisman Trophy
 1984,90 percent of the collegians selected in the first
three rounds of the National Football League draf had three sound of the Nationa Footrall League drat
agents beror thire eligibility expired and had taken
Ions in violtion of NCA
loans in violation of NCAA rules
Thin ice: The Blackhawks have worn some heavy millstones, but Doupg Wilson told us none would have
been heavier than failing to make the National Hockey League playoffsf "The only worrd II can think of is is
embarrasing-real embarrassing," said Wilson. The embarassing-real embarassing", said Wisson. The
Hawks gualified for the 16 h spot (out of 2 teams in


 The people who put topecther this season's team
 Toronto.
$\square$ Nows, notes and nonsense: Jenifier Yang of Libertsyille and Jay Brown of Arington Heiejhts,
seniors in high school, have received $\$ 1,000$ college scholarships from the Bulls,.. Opening Day stirse the blood in Peoria, where 1,000 folks are expected to jam
the ballroom of the city's Continenal Recency Hotel the ballioom of the city's Continental Regency Hotel
Thursday to welome the
1989 Chies. The Cubss minor-league club, which produced Greg Magddux
Mark Grace, Mike Harke, Jeff Pico and Girard
 their American counterparns in in Rosemont for a abicycle
mace on the last race on the last two days of the Tour de France. The
Binks Budweiser Bastille Day race takes place July 15 -
 asked Ben Bentley, Bill Gleason, Rick Telenader and
Bill Jauss to tape "The Sporst Writers" before a live Bill Juuss to tape "The Sports Writer"" before a live
audience Mondy at the muscums's Krat Theater
viden e
 mussum's colloceion of close
to the 3.0.00 programs 1940s. .. Get out the vote: Because of the
 maen moved to April li. That's when middilewewiegh Ron
Amundson of Chicago, ranked No. 1 in the state by Amudson of Chicago, ranked No. 1 in the state by Illinois Ringegide, takes on Gar's Jate Torrance. ©cib when ne speaks sto the Boy ycouts of America at the North Shore Hilton the morning of April 12 and then
appears at the $B^{\text {Bnai }}$ Brith Sport Lodge membership appears at the 1 na it in sporlace.
brunch April 16 in the same place.
In And finallyy It is no April Fool's joke that soccer
coach Willy Roy knows how to upstage his peers at coach Willy Roy knows how to upstage his peerr at
Northem IIIInois. Right after footall coach Jery Netitibene and woments basketetaill coach J Jane Albright

 fund drive
$\$ 1,001$.

## Lace up those sneakers-it'll be a Classic

Is Chicago, the city that spawned Chicagofest
and Taste of Chicago, ready for a hoops fest? The Bulls certainy, hope so as opeys are pre-
senting the inaugural "Shoot the Bull, Three-OnThree Roundball Classic" July $28-30$ at the North Pier, 455 E. Illinois
Some 3,000 men and women baskectall play--
ers, 14 years and older, are expected to particiess, 14 years and older, are expected to partici-
pate in this thre--n-three tournament, with pate in this three-on--hrree tournament, with
oroceds from the ofo-per-cem entry fee ging
to charity. Players wip be placed in divsions to charity. Players will be placed in divsions
according to age, sex and ablity level. Winners
 Game will be pesyed to to 15 points or
with players calling their own fouls.
A crowd of 10,000 is anticipated. There will
be 68 basketball courts plus food and beererae be 68 baskectaar courts pus
concessions spread thoughout six and beverage. Bulls players will be on hand to provide tips and take
part in the festivities.

Maybe the champion will take on a thresome
of, say, Michael Jordan, Scottie Pippen and Dave Corzine? Or maybe we should make that
Jerry Reinsdorf, Jerry Krause and Dous Colling
 ground player r rowing up in Brookly, respected "For these participants and their fans, this will be a great weekend or grassioots baskectavali,
said Steve Schanwald, the Buils' marketing vic president. Whaile we want to encourage summe
fun and relive childhood memories of fun and relive childchood memories of playins
baskectall in the strects, the primary goal of this baskettis tin the streets, the primary gaan or this
cududing our own, Charit for topulls." cluding our own, Charitabulls."
For information on registering for the tour-
nament, contact the Bulls at $943-5800$ Bob Sakamoto


Now it's really modified
Is Terry Reimert an up-and-coming stock-car driver, or what? The Oley, Pa., native flips his
modifid sto modififed stock car over two other cars during the feature race Suncay at
Raceway in Minersville, Pa. Reimert was shaken up but unhurt in the accident.

SPORTS LIST

## A big year for baseball

 Highlight ot the 1939 season: Try Hall of Fin Cooperstown
Ing Lut Geahng's 2,130-game playAThe first mijor-league game is
 ETod Willams, 20, is a Red SoxEThe N.Y. Yankes win a fourth

## YESTERYEAR

5 years ago: The NCAA's 13-member Rules Committe meets
in Kansas Gity Mo, and votes against allowing a 45 -sceond shot in Kansa city, Mo, and
clock in college basketball.
10 years ago: Caver High School basketball star Terry Cum-
mings announces he will attend De Paul, picking the Demons over mings an
15 years ago: The Cincinnati Reds defeat the Alanta Braves 7 -
6 in
6 in
11
innings at
Rivefront Stadium. In his first at bat, Atlanta's 6 in 11 innings at Riverfont Stadium. In nis first at bat, Atantats
Henry Arano bhit a three-run homer of Jack Biliningham. It was his Henry Ayron hit a thre-run homer of
714 th, tying Babe Ruthis sareef record
20 years ago: Manager Al Lopez refuses to allow the White Sox



## NEWSMAKERS

Ali wins another round, can keep house
A Pennsylvania appeals court Monday
upheld a ruling that helped former heapycieght
champion Muhammad Ali, save his Lower champion Muhammad Ali save his Lower
Merion, Pa., house from being sold at a tax
The court said the tax sale notice sent to Ali
was flawed because it was not estabished that was flawed because eit was not established that
the person who signed for the notice was aut
ther a 1987 ruling by Monigomery County Com-

Giamatti reorganizes commissioner's office
A. Bartett Giamatti spent his first day as bascball commissioner Monday unveiling a restruc-
turing of his office. The new office of the commissioner will have three members-Giamatti, his deputy, Francis T. Vincent Jr.; and Ed Durso, who
stays on as executive vice president. Giamatti will stays on as executive vice president. Giamatus wil
oversee baseball operations, player relations and
public relations; Vincent will handle broadcasting public relations; Vincent will handle broadcasting
and special events along with corporate sponsor-
hip, licensing and publishing; and Durso will be in ship, licensing and publisining and Durso wh
charge of legal, financial and scourity aftiurs.

Paper says NCAA doubts coach's story NCAA investigators doubt the veracity of Maryland coach Bob
Wade's claim that he was ignorant of recruiting violations at the
school the Baltimer Sun NCAA investigators told members of Wade's staff that they
believed Wade knew about transportation for former Terrapins guard Rudy Archer, the Sun reported. The NCAA investigators said they discounted the stories of at
least two members of Wade's staff who had backed Wade's conleast wo members on wades statw hho had backed Wade's con-
tention he was un awre of any rides for Archer while Archer was
attending classes at Prince Goorges attending classes at Prince George's Community College, the Sun
reported.
Maryland's men's basketball program is being investigated for
admitled violations stemming from transporation provided to admitted violations stemming from transportation provided or
Archer, who had flunked out of shool last summer and was
attending Prince George's Community College.

## SPORTS PEOPLE

Testaverde blames temper for divorce Tampa Bay quarterback
Vinny Testaverde and his wife Viny Testaverde and his wite
of dine
filed fonthr, Livoura, have filed for diviroce: The reason: Testaverde's
temper
Testaverde has been geting Testaverde has been getting
professional help for his tem-per since he and laura de-
cided in January that the cidied in January what
mariage wouldn't work. "Tve been secing a counsel-
or because I have a temper, which I never really wanted to, believe was the probem,"
Testaverde said. "I guess 1 just raced up to the fact that I had
a problem. 1 Ididnt undera problem. .i. diadn' under-
stand it. But talking to Laura and things happening between
me and Laura made
 Testaverde and his wife sat
side-by-side last weck when side-vy-side hast weck when
discsusisg his problem with
reporters. Testaverde said the reporiens. Resaverdes said the
two deciden to disuss ithe di-
voree openly in an flot vore openy in an effion to to
avoid the cirusu atmosphere
ater that followed boxer Mive
Tyson and Robin Givens durTyson and Robin Givens dur-
ing theid divoreo.
Testaverde's outbursts were
 and hitining a alls. But the pat-
term began to frighten me. Testaverde said his subpar season-het et shew 35 is interepar
tions- - and his tions-and his outbursts
werent related. "The season had nothing to
do with in" Testaverre said.
"Thi problems were there "The problems were there
way before."

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## Chicago's teams

- Minor matten Second baseman red Maurique has old the White Sox he $-5=0$ might n
eport to Nanrique has until Wednesday night to soennt have enouxgh senionity to refouse an assigment Mancique left the sox's hotel in Anaheim Monda
Man
 played professionally since 1979 . General Manager Larry Hiles said hewasn't worried about what Manrique would decide. "II he goes, h
poes," Himes said. If he can find somene clse to pay Sim more, thats fine."
Manrique will make more than $\$ 100,000$, an as
ronomical sum in the minos if ronomical sum in the minors, if he plays, and nothing
In a pinch: Billy Jo Robidoux, the man chosen over Manrique for the 24th and final spot on the Sox's
 can go day
cutch hit.
 worried about, Will I get a hit or a walk this
like to hit with men on base, and that helps."
 earred run average, but he was only $1-1$ with a 6.2 ERA against them last season.
Sox right-fiedderldesinated hitter Ivan Calderon is 2
for 20 ilictime againt the righ-handed Witt
Andrew Bagnato

(118)- Berryillil dilsablodit The Cubss, as expected, put catcher Damon Beryyilil on
the
th-day
disabled list, retroactive to March 29. Beny hiill, whose rhououlder has
been hurting ail spring will be ligible to To replace Berimhill on the roster, the Cubs added catcher Rick Wrona, who hit. 264 last season at lowa
but impresed manager Don Zimmer in Mesa with his
 don, who hit 286 d during the Astros take Yelding: The Hoston Atros
claimen infider Eric Yelding of waivers Monday. The
Cubs, who drated Yelding last December fiom the Cubs, who drated Yelding last December from the
Toronto organization, had hoped to keep ifin for their

Steve Wilson, a canadian: darstly rookie lef-hander Steve wison, a canadian:
Making the restitity cy inf
 Si Sandberg hurting: A shoulder twinge that hit Rick Sutcifife and Yance Law earrier has raveled to
Ryme Sandberg. 1 don't know if its the hotel beds, or
 play. It's sradually geting better!,
Jerome Walton, who straind Jerome Walton, who strained his left hel at Minne-
sota Sunday, said he's ready to go Tuesday.

Alan Solomon
-7 Ryan, a returning stanter, broke a bone in (c) Ryan, a returning starter, broke a bone in
 a cast to enable him to resume workouts
Bring on the Mets: The Irish baseball team,
under second-year coach Pat Murphy, is off to its fastunder second-year coach Pat Murphy, is of to its fast-
est start in more than 25 years. A 155 . record includes est start in more than 2 years.
wins over traditional powertiouses Texas and Miami,
 have been led offensively by right-ielder James Sass.
He has 18 RBIs in the last six games, including four gamewinners. What a rackett Freshman tenis, player Dave
Dilitcia, one of the highest ranking juniop ostars out of
high school who shocked many by picking Notre high school who shocked many by picking. Notre
Dame, is living up to his top billing. Dilucia's $32-9$
 Who is fifth in the official collegiate tennis rankings.
When Dilucia was snared by the lrish, former U.S. When Dilucia was snared by the Irish, former U.S.
Open and Wimbledon champion Arthur Ashe comOpen and Wimbledon champion Arthur Ashe Com-
pared him to the kind of frandise baskebal player
who might take a school to the Final Four, and his who might take a school to the Final Four, and his
nerollment has enabled the Irish to graaty upgrade its
echedule schedule.

## SPORTS FOLLIES

Nice catch ... nice catch
A Mankato, Minn,, chiropractor is still in awe of the
catches he made on sucoessive foul balls off the bat of catches he made on sucosesive foul balls off the bat of
the Twins Kithy Puckect Sunday at the Twins exhibi-
tion the Twins Kirby Pugkett sunday
tion season finale against the Cubs.
"It didn't really hit me until a lot of people came up
to me and talked" Tom Rener said of his cathes.
"Most people ge to "Most people go to games and neverer get a ball." ${ }^{\text {. }}$ Renner was attending the game with his sons, Ryan,
12, and Casy, , . t sesid he offered to give the balls to
them, but they "T,
"They said, 'You keep them because that's going to Renner was siting in the last row of the first deck
near the press box when Puckett fouled of pitches from ans Scot Sanderson in the third inti After the game, Renner had Puckett autograph both
souvenirs. Puckett signect them, "Good hands, Tom."

TANK MCNAMARA




[^0]:    SURGEON GENERAL'S WARNING: Smoking By Pregnant Women May Result in Fetal

    Injury, Premature Birth, And Low Birth Weight.

