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Lubbock Celebra el 4 e Julio



El Ballet Folklorico Aztlan fue uno de los participantes en la Celebración del 4 de Julio en la Calle Broadway en Lubbock. A la derecha, uno de los muchos conjuntos que se presentaron en el Fiesta Stage presentados por la estación de Radio Magic 93.8. Arriba (frtrvha) Puestos beneficiaron a diferentes organizaciones de Lubbock.

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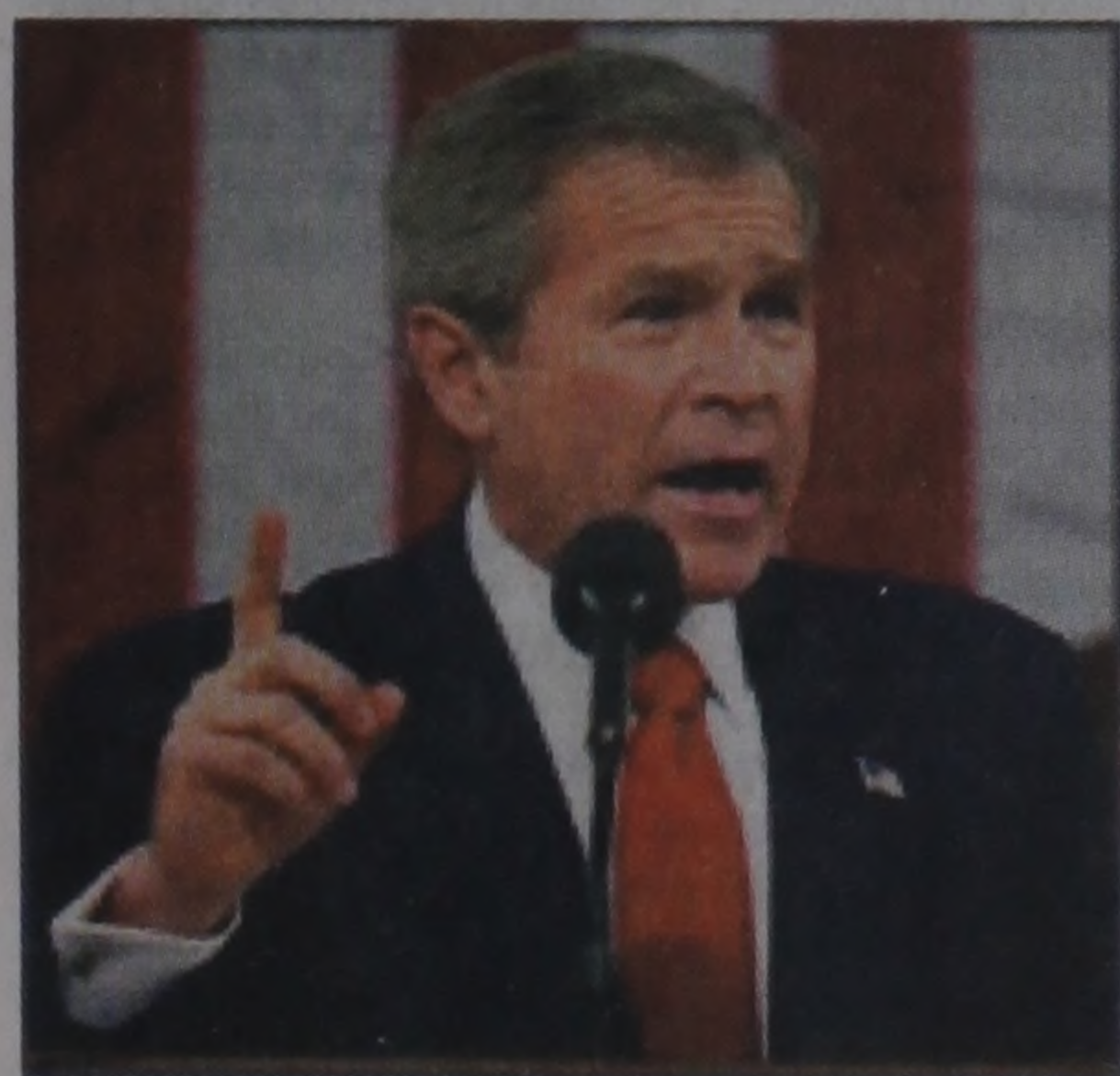
Bush Commutes Sentence; Libby Won't Serve Time

By Abel Cruz

In what could be viewed as a confirmation of just how much power Vice President Dick Cheney holds in the Bush administration; on Monday President George W. Bush made sure that Vice President Dick Cheney's former Chief of Staff Scooter Libby will not serve even one day in prison.

In March, Libby was found guilty of lying to authorities and obstruction of justice in the investigation over who leaked the name of then CIA Operative Valerie Plame and sentenced to 30 months of prison, two years of probation and a \$250,000 fine.

Officially, the commutation of the sentence differs from a pardon since Bush's commute left intact a \$250,000 fine imposed by the judge who sentenced Libby. Nevertheless, it assures that Libby will not spend even one day in jail and gives a lot of Re-



publicans what they have demanded of Bush all along.

It also gives potential Presidential Republican Candidate Fred Thompson a victory of sorts; since he has been publicly raising money for Libby's defense and publicly stating that Bush should pardon Libby immediately.

In his statement, Bush said, "I respect the jury's verdict, but I have concluded that the prison sentence given to Mr. Libby is excessive. Therefore I am commuting the portion of Mr. Libby's sentence that required him to spend thirty months in prison".

Bush's action came on the heels of a federal appeals panel which ruled that Libby could not delay his prison term and would have to report to prison soon. Apparently Bush wanted to make sure Libby would not serve any time at all.

Democrats were quick to react to the President's statement with Senator Chuck Schumer, D-NY, issuing a statement which said in part; "As Independence Day nears, we're reminded that one of the principles our forefathers fought for was equal justice under the law. This commutation completely tramples on that principle."

Of course, as one would expect, Republicans were ecstatic. Over the past few months they have been pressuring Bush to pardon Libby. Speculation whether Bush would do it or not had been rampant in Washington. It seems that on the surface at least Bush succumbed to the pressure.

But did Bush succumb to the pressure or did he commute Libby's sentence because he considers himself a lame duck president with nothing to lose and no one to have to answer to anymore; since he is forbidden by law to seek re-election?

Speculation in Washington is that Bush was going to take this action all along; and in fact had been waiting for just the right time to make the announcement. Said Bush in his statement, "I have said throughout this process that it would not be appropriate to comment or intervene in this case until Mr. Libby's appeals have been exhausted. But with the denial of bail being upheld and incarceration imminent, I believe it is now important to react to that decision."

Democrats point to that statement and offer it as proof that Bush always intended to intervene in Libby's behalf and as proof that some members of Bush's administration are above reproach. They also point to the fact that even though Karl Rove was implicated in the whole Plame affair, he has not suffered any consequences.

Lubbock County Democratic Party Chair Johnnie Jones commented on the situation to El Editor saying that: "It is a sad day for my country when those who should be held to the highest standards are not held accountable for their actions".

Bush's action completely contradicts his statement of a few years ago in which he said that he would fire anyone in his administration involved in leaking information. But all that is out the window now and once again Bush displays a callous indifference to those who had argued that intervening in the case would prove that the administration and loyal members to it are above the law. Apparently the President has switched positions and now believes that Libby should be pardoned and that Karl Rove, who was also implicated in the leak but not charged, should not have to account for his involvement.

In addition, Bush seems to not care one iota whether the American public agrees or disagrees with his actions. And on Tuesday, the President refused to rule out the possibility of a full unconditional pardon for Libby; managing to add more fuel to an already blazing political inferno.

Asked whether she feels that Bush and members of his administration think that they are indeed above the law, Jones says: "I don't get to judge if someone feels that they are above the law. I only get to weigh their actions which support this theory. Unfortunately this latest action is one of many which show the Bush administration has little respect for the laws of this country, interests of her citizens or an understanding of what is expected and required of our elected officials and their appointees."

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Man Arrested in Death of David Rivas Morales of Austin

According to a report in the Tuesday on line edition of the Austin American Statesman, police have arrested 20 year old Kurtiss Colvin in the beating death of David Rivas Morales. Kurtiss was charged with manslaughter, assault with injury and theft. His bond was set at \$215,000.

Morales, a 40 year old Austin resident, was beaten to death after the car he was a passenger in accidentally struck a child in the Booker T. Washington apartment complex in East Austin.

Police say that he got out of the car to help the driver of the vehicle he was in after some people got angry with driver for hitting the child and confronted him. Morales was then beaten to death by an unknown number of assailants and died at the scene.

Austin police say they expect to make more arrests in the case and believe that there was more than just one individual responsible for Morales' death.

Former Councilman Victor Hernandez sends letter to recall petition signers. Councilwoman DeLeon responds

Hernandez Alleges Intimidation by Councilwoman Linda DeLeon

By Abel Cruz

This past week, former Lubbock District 1 City Councilman Victor Hernandez mailed a letter to Lubbock residents, who signed the petition to recall City Councilwoman Linda DeLeon; who ironically succeeded Hernandez on the council after he resigned to run for a county judgeship in 2004.

In 2006 DeLeon and Hernandez went head to head in a campaign for the District 1 seat. DeLeon won that race; with Hernandez acknowledging recently that he did not campaign hard enough to win; he speculates that he probably would have won if he had run a more competitive race and campaigned harder.

But he maintains that this is not what the letter is about; rather he says his main reason for sending the letter was as he says, to "thank" individuals who "thought enough of current public affairs to actually get involved". And he also says to "encourage (petition signers) to "take heart" in knowing that (they) are doing what (they) believe is just and right. His letter continues, "Do not allow yourselves to be bullied by anyone, and do not stand still if you are threatened by anyone"; presumably referring to DeLeon and her supporters.

Hernandez says that he became more and more concerned that some people who had signed the petition were being intimidated by either DeLeon or her supporters. Subsequently he says he decided this would be a good course of action to take. He says that he feels strongly that people who signed the petition deserve to know the outcome of the recall effort and whether or not their signature made a difference. He says that the city has no system in place to inform people about the outcome after they have signed a petition other than through local media. Hernandez says he received numerous calls or personal visits from individuals who have expressed to him that they indeed feel intimidated because they signed the petition. He cites examples in the letter and says he feels strongly that people who have gotten involved in the political process should not be made to feel that way or be somehow subjected to harassment.

By contrast, Councilwoman Linda DeLeon says that she has not done what some people are accusing her and her supporters of doing. On the contrary, she says she received calls from people who tell her that they were misled into signing the petition; she says she has visited with them. She says that on one occasion, someone called her to tell her that they were

being harassed by petition signature gatherers while the organizers were at their front door.

DeLeon says that "frankly I am sick of this whole recall thing". She says that she thinks it should have ended when City Secretary Becky Garza ruled that petitioners did not have the necessary signatures to force a recall election. Now that the Justice Department has entered into the picture, she says that she wishes things wouldn't have gone this far. But she says that the DOJ will also have to review the affidavits from people who say they were either misled or pressured into signing the petition; and that will give credibility to what she has been saying all along.

When asked whether she would allow for the possibility that some people may have felt intimidated by her talking to them, DeLeon says she has only sought out and spoken to one individual; someone she attended classes at Tech with. She says she considers the person a friend and was only attempting to find out what the signer's concerns were and not trying to intimidate anyone.

Her desire she says is to "find out what people think she is doing wrong" and just have a discussion. She says she has no intention of intimidating anyone who signed, and agrees that they have a right to sign if they so choose; and that the names of the individuals are a matter of public record. She says that there is nothing wrong with talking to her constituents who signed the petition to find out what their concerns are. When asked if she can understand how some people might feel intimidated and feel discouraged and uneasy about having signed the petition if she approaches them; she says that yes she can, but maintains that that has never been her intent.

Hernandez though says that people have felt intimidated and writes that the question on people's mind is, "Is Councilwoman Linda DeLeon engaging (either directly or indirectly) in intimidation and/or possibly unethical and illegal tactics/practices toward those individuals who took the time and effort to sign the recall petition circulated by Armando Gonzales and/or Chris Gonzales and/or their supporters?"

That's a question whose answer may have to wait until after the investigation by the Department of Justice has been completed.

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Note: The complete text of Hernandez's letter in its unedited form can be found on page 2.

Una semana de reveses hacia la administración anticipa un problemático fin de mandato para Bush

Washington - Si la Semana de Pasión que ha sufrido en estos días George W. Bush es representativa de lo que le queda de mandato, el presidente de Estados Unidos tiene por delante 18 meses de Via Crucis antes de entregar el poder a su sucesor.

Bush rechaza que su impopularidad -tan sólo el 30 por ciento de los estadounidenses le respalda, según las encuestas- le haya restado autoridad en lo que queda de mandato, pero a juzgar por sus últimos resultados, sus posibilidades de dejar otra huella que no sea la guerra de Irak son cada vez más escasas.

El mandatario, que hoy se encuentra en la residencia familiar de Kennebunkport (Maine) para preparar la reunión que tendrá allí el lunes con su par ruso, Vladimir Putin, ha sufrido revés tras revés esta semana.

Hoy el Tribunal Supremo admitió a trámite una apelación de presos de Guantánamo que reclaman que se vean sus casos en cortes civiles y no militares, como plantea el gobierno de Estados Unidos, la cual empezará a ver en octubre próximo.

Además, el Congreso presentó esta semana citaciones contra funcionarios de la Casa Blanca y de la oficina del vicepresidente, Dick Cheney, en relación con el caso de escuchas telefónicas sin autorización judicial, que se sumaron a otras ya emitidas por el cese de ocho fiscales federales.

Pero el golpe más doloroso, sin duda, se produjo este jueves, cuando el Senado dio la puntilla a un proyecto de ley de reforma migratoria, a favor del cual el gobernante estadounidense había presionado personalmente.

Bush siempre ha admitido que la reforma migratoria es un asunto que le preocupa de manera "apasionada".

Si la cámara alta aceptó proponer el proyecto de ley migratoria fue, en buena parte, debido a la intervención presidencial, que ya en marzo, durante su gira por América Latina, insistió en la necesidad de una reforma y de que los legisladores le presentaran para antes de septiembre una medida que él

podiera firmar.

El primer fracaso de la iniciativa en el Senado, el 7 de junio pasado, encontró a Bush en Alemania mientras asistía a la cumbre del Grupo de los Ocho (G8).

El presidente no perdió tiempo en llamar por teléfono a varios destacados legisladores republicanos para tratar de desatascar el proyecto.

A su regreso, no sólo dedicó varias de sus intervenciones a exhortar al Senado a que lo aprobara, sino que, en un acto que no se repetía desde 2001, se desplazó personalmente al Capitolio para intervenir ante los legisladores republicanos en favor de la iniciativa.

El jueves, tras confirmarse el "jaque mate" a la reforma migratoria, un Bush cariacontecido no pudo sino admitir la derrota.

"Muchos de nosotros trabajamos duro para ver si podíamos encontrar un punto intermedio (entre los contrarios a la reforma y sus más ardientes defensores). No ha funcionado", declaró el mandatario, consciente de que será prácticamente imposible recuperar el proyecto antes de que él deje la Casa Blanca.

Para Bush, era casi la última oportunidad para dejar un legado de su presidencia que no sea solo Irak.

Otras iniciativas que intentó durante su segundo mandato, como la reforma del sistema de pensiones o unos recortes de impuestos permanentes, fracasaron sin llegar a despegar.

Intenciones como el relanzamiento del proceso de paz para Oriente Medio parecen

hoy más lejos que nunca.

Y en el asunto que, sin duda, irá inexorablemente ligado a su presidencia, la guerra en Irak, las perspectivas no son halagüeñas, ni en el país árabe ni en el terreno interno.

En septiembre próximo el general al mando de las tropas estadounidenses en la



nación árabe, David Petraeus, debe presentar un esperado informe sobre la situación en Irak, después de que el jefe de la Casa Blanca ordenara en enero un aumento de las tropas.

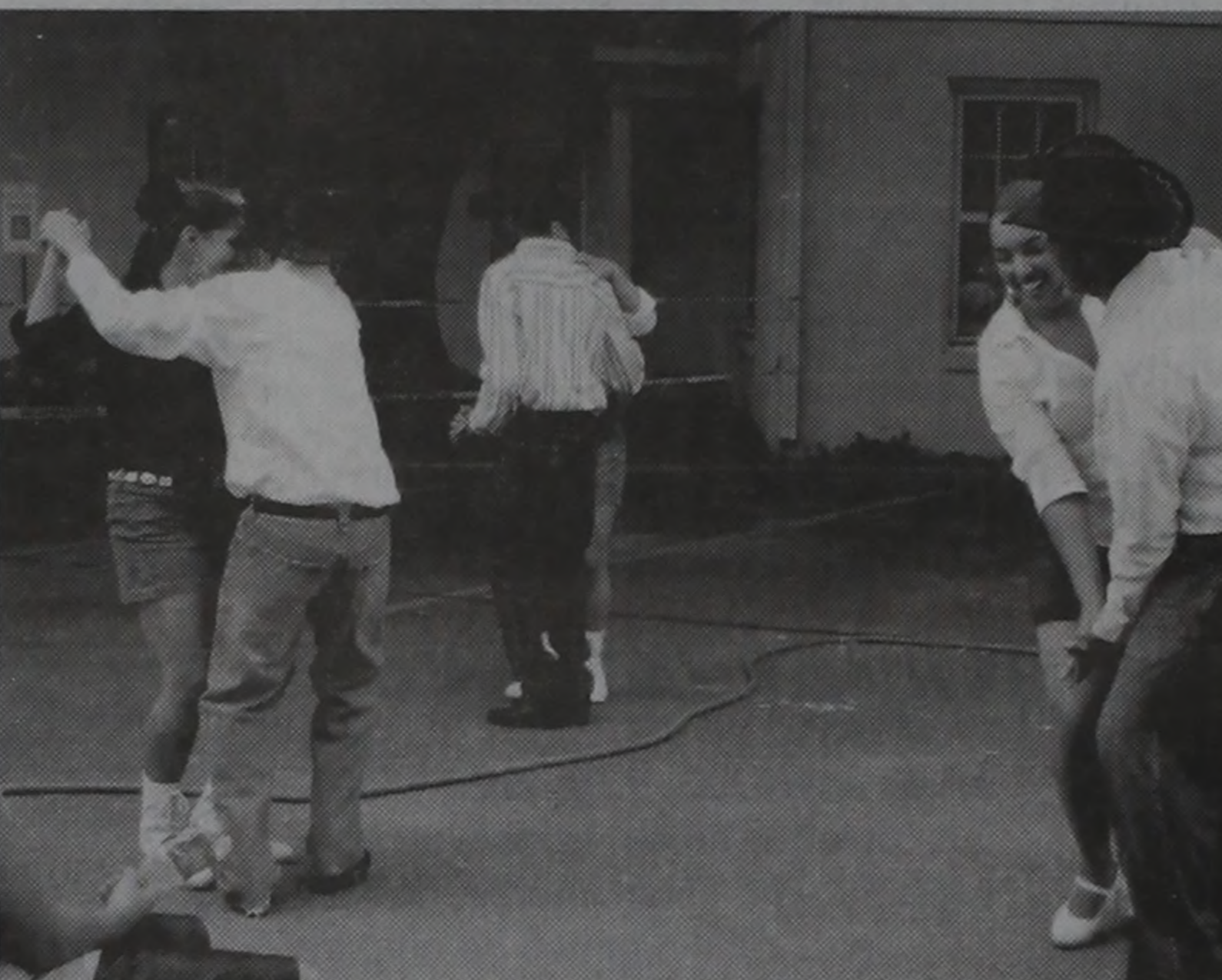
A la espera de ese informe, aumentan las disensiones en el seno de un Partido Republicano otrora unánime en su apoyo a la guerra. También esta semana dos destacados senadores, Richard Lugar y George Voinovich, instaron a Bush a contemplar una retirada gradual.

El tiempo no corre a favor del gobernante. Tras el receso veraniego en agosto y la presentación del informe de Petraeus, las mentes de todos -republicanos, demócratas e incluso la Casa Blanca- estarán pendientes de las elecciones presidenciales de noviembre del año próximo.

Un mal momento, como el propio Bush admite, para intentar dejar impronta.



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Congrats to the Diamonds Softball Team who won 2nd Place in a tournament that took place in Hobbs,Nm on July 1. Way to Go Diamonds!

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Our Lady Queen of the Apostles Jamaica

Our Lady Queen of the Apostles is having a Jamaica on July 22,2007 starts 11:00am-7:00pm we will food, live bands,plenty of games for kids plus a dunking booth to cool down, bingo,and will be selling raffle tickets \$1.00 ea. more info call Rudy 746-6063h- 892-2441W

The Hispanic Association of Women Installs New Officers

The Hispanic Association of Women organization has been organizing the efforts of Hispanic women since 1983 by promoting education, defining issues of concern, forming coalitions, developing leadership skills and empowering women and youth of Lubbock. On Tuesday



June 12th the Hispanic Association of Women installed the 2007/2008 officers at the Lubbock Women Club.

2007/2008 Elected Officers pictured from left to right: President - Margie Olivarez contact information olivtx@suddenlink.net; President Elect - Ruby Gonzales; Vice President - Norma Pike; Secretary - Brenda Hernandez; Treasurer - Patricia Hernandez; Historian - Erika Ponce; Parliamentarian - Alice Lozada For more information visit their website at www.hispanicassociationofwomen.org <<http://www.hispanicassociationofwomen.org/>>

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Food Booths - Suzie Juarez 549-3904
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CBS Has "Cane" For the Fall Season

So it turns out Jimmy Smits will not be the President of the United States on NBC. But he will be a "godfather" figure on CBS. Cane, a drama about a wealthy Cuban-American family torn by fratricidal tensions as its sugar and rum businesses are passed down to the next generation, is part of the new fall schedule released by CBS on Wednesday.

Set in Miami, the show features a notable Latino ensemble, including Jimmy Smits, Rita Moreno, Hector Elizondo, Nestor Carbonell and Miami resident Paola Turbay. Jonathan Prince is serving as Executive Producer. In the describing the series concept, Prince claimed, "You might say its like The Godfather, if Vito Corleone had passed the family business to Michael, but Sonny and Fredo were still live and pissed off about it."

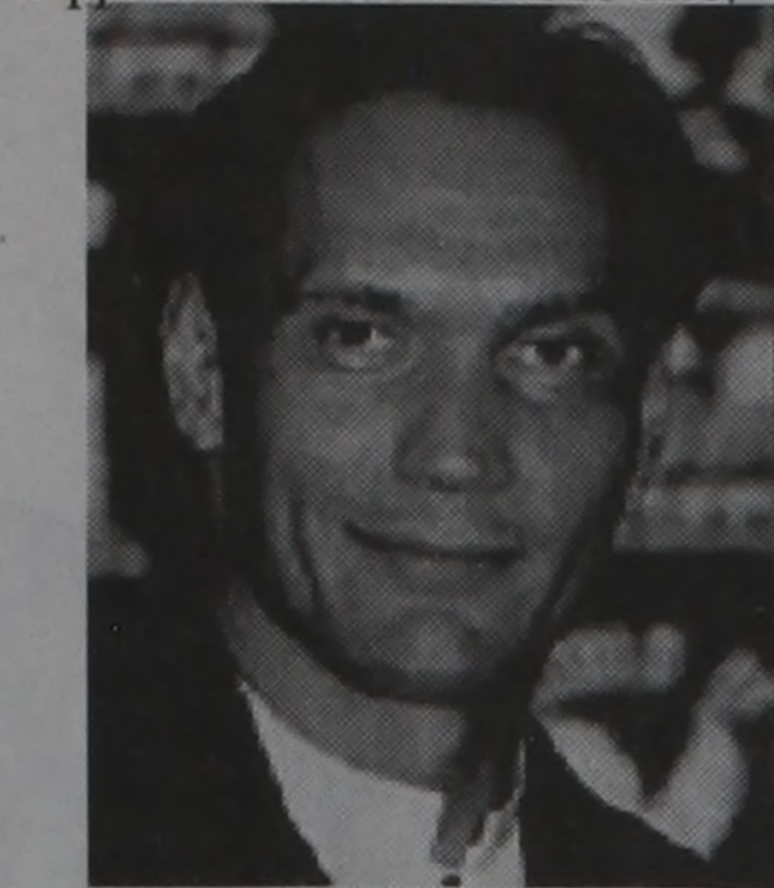
The announcement that Cane is joining the CBS fall lineup came at a press conference yesterday (5/16) at the television Up Fronts, the New York meetings in which broadcast TV networks unveil their new shows and schedules for advertisers and the media.

CBS also introduced new dramas about vampires, wife-swappers and a seedy Nevada casino, while canceling last season's dramas, Jericho, Close To Home and the sitcom, The Class.

Cane promises to not only project high drama but offer a history lesson as well, focusing on the evolution of the Cuban exile experience over the past five decades. Prince promises it will educate the rest of America about everything from the Pedro Pan exodus of children from Cuba to the tension between those who left the island and those who stayed.

"It's a family drama dealing with how families really act," Prince continues. "There will be a lot of scenes at the family dinner table, and among the things

they'll talk about will be what happens when Fidel Castro dies,



who will take over, and if it's Raul, what does that mean. That will be in the show because those are some of the things Cuban-Americans talk about in real life at dinner." Even the language will be authentic: The show will sometimes use subtitles as characters weave between English and Spanish.

In Cane, Smits will be the focal point of an ensemble cast that plays a family riddled with tensions and jealousies. As patriarch Elizondo is dying, he chooses his son-in-law (Smits) rather than one of his own children (Carbonell and Turbay) to run the family business.

The pilot episode of the series was shot in March, with cast and crew working two days in Miami. The producers plan to return to South Florida on a schedule similar to that of CSI: Miami, taping here about two weeks out of every eight.

Along with the local scenery, Prince wants to use local talent: He's talking to Gloria and Emilio Estefan about working on the show's soundtrack. Because one of the characters will own a South Beach club, music will play an important role in Cane.

In addition to Cane, CBS announced six other new shows -- three dramas, a comedy, a game show and a reality series called Kid Nation in which 40 young people try to create a new society in a New Mexican ghost town.

'El Chapo' seguro de que su CD 'va a gustar'

Igual que muchos otros cantantes que se dedican a la música regional mexicana, en sus distintas variantes, Ernesto Pérez "El Chapo" es nativo de un municipio del estado de Sinaloa llamado Badiraguato, lugar donde empezó su carrera artística hace alrededor de 15 años.

Durante ese lapso de tiempo ha grabado más de 20 discos, cada uno de los cuales fue en su momento muy popular y exitoso en las estaciones de radio que hay en ambos lados de la frontera entre México y Estados Unidos.

Actualmente "El Chapo" se encuentra entre el grupo de artistas que tienen la suerte de ser favorecidos con los aplausos de un público cada vez más numeroso. Es por tal razón que con Te va a gustar, su nuevo CD, él asegura que está tratando de corresponder, simplemente, "a todo el cariño que el pueblo me ha dado".

"Se trata de una producción bien pegadora", comentó "El Chapo" minutos antes de empezar la campaña de promoción que estuvo haciendo en Los Angeles la semana pasada. "Tardamos un año en realizar el disco y quedamos bien contentos y satisfechos con los resultados. En estos momentos nos encontramos 'calentando motores' para hacer todo lo que sea necesario para impulsar, hasta donde sea posible, el lanzamiento de nuestro CD aquí en Estados Unidos".

Para "El Chapo" cada disco que graba es parte de un largo proceso creativo en el que la selección de cada melodía no está determinado, como se piensa, por un espacio de tiempo muy específico y preciso.

"Se debe tener mucha paciencia durante esta etapa, porque no todas las canciones que recibimos son buenas. Hay de todo y uno debe estar muy seguro de lo que quiere para seleccionar las mejores", dijo "El Chapo" mientras saludaba amablemente a quienes se le acercaban a felicitarlo.

"Para este disco, por ejemplo, tuve que escuchar más de cien temas de entre los cuales se eligieron, después de no sé cuántos meses, las 12 canciones que se terminaron grabando. Yo no las fui contando una detrás de la otra, esas fueron las que me gustaron y esas quedaron finalmente en el disco. Afortunadamente tengo

muchos compositores que creen en mí, y por eso les gusta darme sus canciones. Y eso, aunque toma tiempo, facilita este proceso".

Para alguien como "El Chapo" es muy importante complacer los gustos y las expectativas de sus admiradores. Sin embargo también le interesa seguirlos tomando por sorpresa de vez en cuando. Tal y como lo piensa hacer con un disco con las características que tiene Te va a gustar.

"No es bueno quedarse estancado, haciendo una y otra vez lo mismo, eso de repetirse no le beneficia a nadie, sobre todo a quienes nos dedicamos a cantar", señaló "El Chapo".

"Este CD, por ejemplo, es muy diferente a todos los que había grabado antes. No tan sólo en el sonido, sino también en los temas. Es cierto que hay en Te va a gustar canciones de amor, como las que hay en otros de mis discos. Pero yo creo que estas son más profundas y emotivas".

Convertido en uno de los intérpretes de música regional mexicana más populares que hay en la actualidad, "El Chapo" considera que va a ser difícil que pueda llegar a marearlo el éxito. Y señala a su familia como "el punto de equilibrio" que le ayuda a mantener un adecuado balance entre las demandas que impone el negocio de la música y su vida personal.

"Me paso la mayor parte del año trabajando, pero siempre que puedo regreso al lado de la familia. El tiempo que tengo libre no lo invierto en parrandas", comentó "El Chapo" sonriente.

Admirador de artistas como Antonio Aguilar y Joan Sebastian, quienes fueron precursores de los espectáculos musicales-ecuestres, "El Chapo" considera que poco a poco ha ido reduciendo la distancia que había entre él y ellos dos.

"Nunca he tratado de imitarlos, tengo mi propio jarriepo y los caballos que yo monto son de alta escuela. Cuando canto acompañado por la banda, el público reacciona bien complacido. Y eso me confirma que entienden el sentimiento que yo le pongo a cada una de mis actuaciones. Si algo así ocurre con mi disco Te va a gustar voy a sentirme bien feliz", terminó explicando "El Chapo".

Where has Enrique Iglesias been hiding these last few years?

The Latin heartthrob, who saw his star rise earlier this decade with the crossover success of such songs as "Hero" and "Escape," all but disappeared from the spotlight except for tabloid speculation about his romantic relationship with tennis pinup Anna Kournikova.

Enrique Iglesias, 32, has a decent excuse for his self-imposed hiatus. After a string of back-to-back records, the singer devoted three years to work on his latest disc, "Insomniac," released this month. It has 15 songs featuring typical Iglesias come-ons ("On Top of You") and love-lorn laments ("Wish I Was Your Lover"). But he also takes a musical detour by adding rock and hip-hop sensibilities.

He samples a reggaeton beat and pingpong ball sound effects for good measure.

In a recent telephone conversation with The Associated Press, Iglesias spoke about his career, the importance of Latin-flavored music and his aversion to marriage.

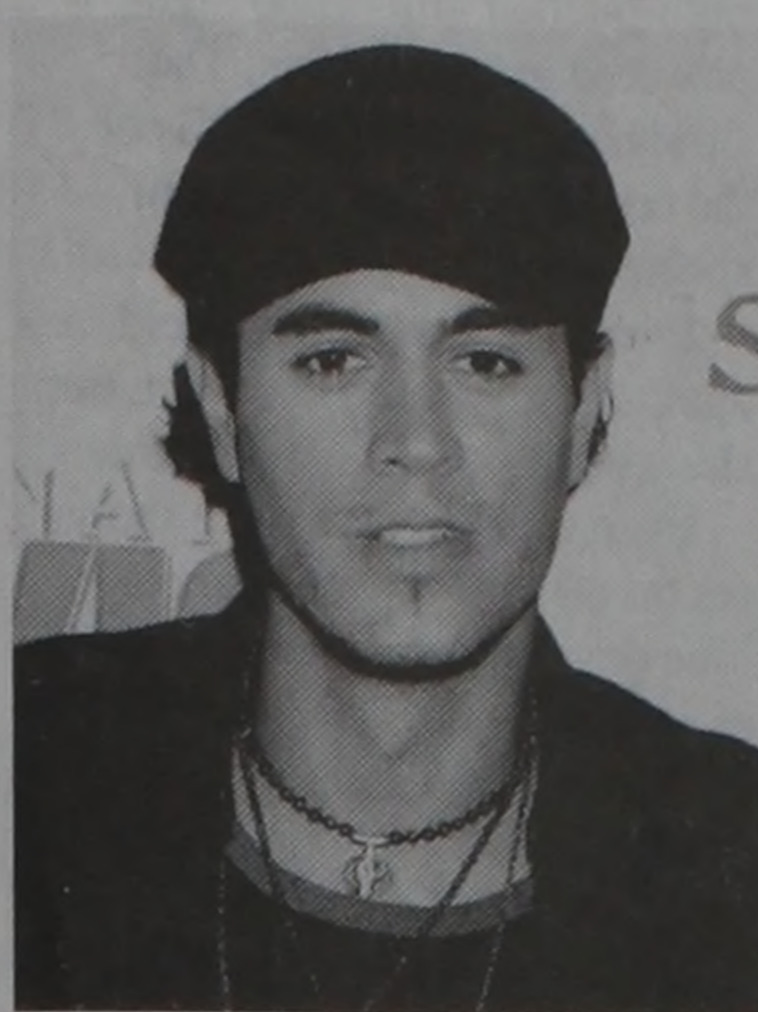
AP: You tried some new things on "Insomniac."

Iglesias: It's not that I wanted to make a musical change. It's not that I wanted to make a more profound album. I just wanted to write songs and pick the best

ones. It's as simple as that.

AP: Do you hope to recreate a "Hero"-like sensation?

Iglesias: It's not that I hope



to recreate anything. ... Not that I'm that old but I'm not that young, either. I don't wanna bore myself in my career. I do not wanna bore myself. I want to do things that I feel enthusiastic about. At this point in my career, I'm not ready to go out there and kill myself like I'm killing myself now for something I don't believe in. I want to travel and tour the world when I believe in something, not because I just have to do it. You know, I've made the money, I've seen the success. ... The less I thought about success, the more success I gained. But at this point, it's truly about believing in what I'm doing and having fun with it. You know, because sometimes

you take things for granted. Sometimes I take my job for granted.

AP: No worries, then.

Iglesias: You know, every single musician out there, no matter what they tell you, we all wanna have a hit song. I'd be a liar if I told you I don't. But the main thing is to have fun with it and to truly, truly believe in it. ... I can't wake up at 5 in the morning and do 'Regis and Kelly' and do the 'Today' show and do every single show around the world every single day and not believe in what I'm doing.

AP: Reggaeton is the hottest thing in Latin music right now. What do you think about it?

Iglesias: I like reggaeton. You know what I like about it? That when it first came out it was unique, it was different. ... Obviously, you know, it becomes the thing that you start listening (to) everywhere. So after a while you're like, oh god, you wanna hear something different. But then it comes down to the art, it's not so much the musical style.

AP: Some say reggaeton is just another fad.

Iglesias: I think anything that has to do with Latin culture will last in this country, in America. And the reason why I say this (is) because, in 1999, when the whole Latin explosion happened, everybody's like, "Oh, it's a fad,

whatever, it's gonna go away." It's not gonna go away, it's never gonna go away. ... For some reason, Latin people, when we like something, we like it for life. Whether it's food, whether it's music, whatever it is.

AP: What have you been up to lately? Besides, you know, romancing Anna Kournikova.

Iglesias: Why is it always the personal life that makes the news? ... I've been making this album, and in between I would take off. I would take off and just rest.

AP: You set off wild rumors recently when you told a reporter that you and Anna had been married and were now divorced. But it was all a joke. Or was it?

Iglesias: No, I'm not married. But how many times do I have to say I'm not married! If I was married, I would say it. ... Obviously, the journalist didn't take time to investigate and to research to see (whether) I was truly married. I can't be divorced if I'm not married.

AP: So any pressure to tie the knot?

Iglesias: I've never felt pressure to get married, especially nowadays. I come from divorced parents. Why would I have any pressure? .. I truly believe that you can be with someone without having to be married. Even having kids, I think.

French wedding cake for Eva Longoria

For Tony Parker, only French-made wedding cakes will do. The NBA champion, set to marry "Desperate Housewives" star Eva Longoria next week, is staying coy about plans for the event.

Speaking to reporters Thursday in Paris, the San Antonio Spurs point guard shrugged off questions about the wedding date and venue, believed to be July 7 at a French chateau.

"I don't care where I'm going to get married," he said. "It's a girls' thing." To other queries, he replied: "That's a question you should ask Eva."

He dismissed one rumor: that the wedding cake would be flown in from the United States.

"Why take a cake from the United States ... if it is France that makes the best cakes?" he asked.

While Longoria picked the wedding site, believed to be the luxurious chateau de Vaux-le-Vicomte, Parker said he was taking charge of the food and music. And that's all he would say.

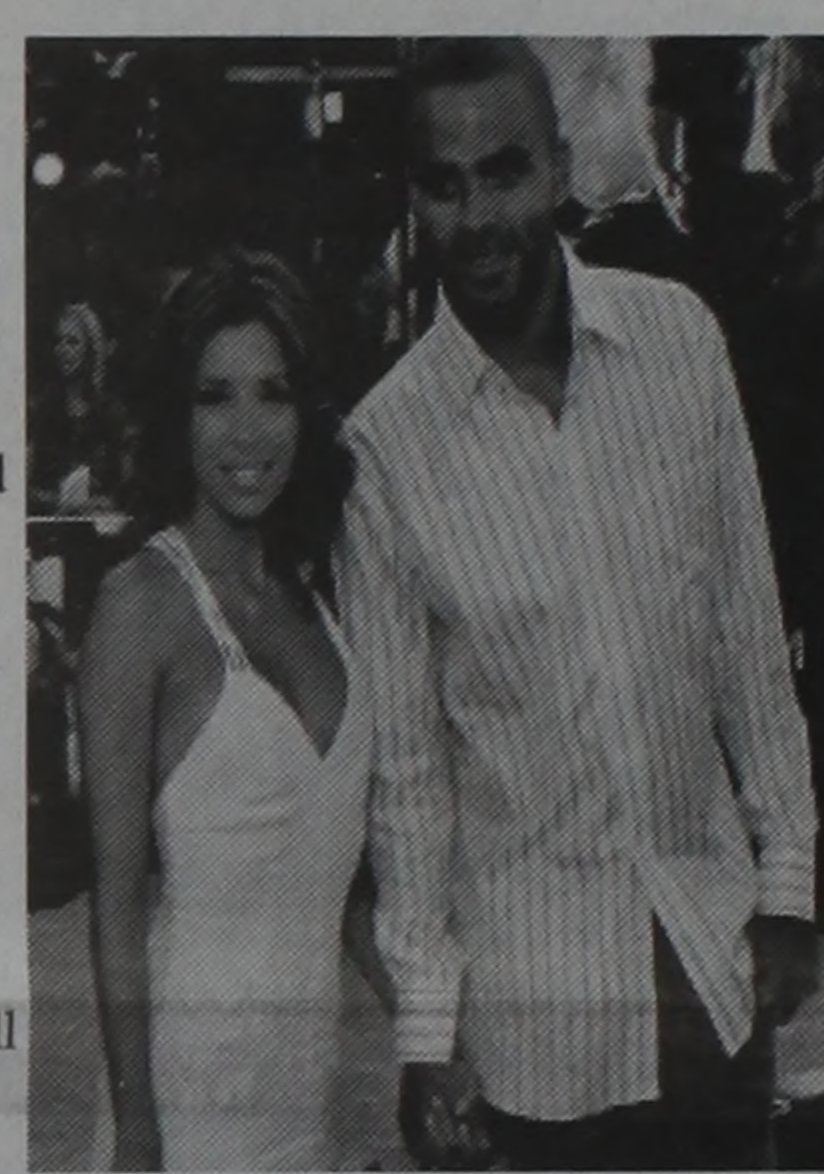
Parker, who was voted the most valuable player of the NBA finals earlier this month after the Spurs won their fourth title in nine seasons, wanted to talk about

basketball.

"I think that this is just the beginning," he said. "I still have a long way to go because my idol is Michael Jordan and he won six titles so I'm only halfway there."

Looking long-term, Parker said he would base his decisions on fellow players Tim Duncan and Manu Ginobili and coach Gregg Popovich. Parker is signed with the Spurs through 2009.

"My decisions about the future and where I am going to play and if I'm going to stay in San Antonio will depend on how long Duncan wants to play, Ginobili and Popovich."



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Henin knocks out gimpy Serena; Venus, Nadal advance

Venus Williams giggled and hopped on her toes Wednesday, looking more like a kid who just won her first match than a veteran

sent a backhand long. Despite acknowledging that she battled nerves late, Henin moved two victories away from her first Wimbledon title, which would complete a career Grand Slam.



who just beat Maria Sharapova in a showdown of Grand Slam champions at Wimbledon's Centre Court.

Up in the players' guest box, Williams' father jumped for joy, too, thrusting his arms in the air repeatedly.

Two hours later, the setting and the family were the same, yet the mood was far more subdued. Younger sister Serena Williams shuffled off to the locker room, having lost to No. 1 Justine Henin in the quarterfinals at a second consecutive major.

What could have been another wonderful day for the Williams clan at the All England Club was only half so: After three-time Wimbledon champion Venus overwhelmed Sharapova 6-1, 6-3, two-time Wimbledon champion Serena couldn't overcome her own poor health or a determined Henin in a 6-4, 3-6, 6-3 defeat.

"I wasn't even sure if I was going to go out and play," said Serena, who played with tape on her left calf and left thumb, both injured in her dramatic fourth-round victory Monday. "If I'd have been healthy, I think I would have won, 100 percent."

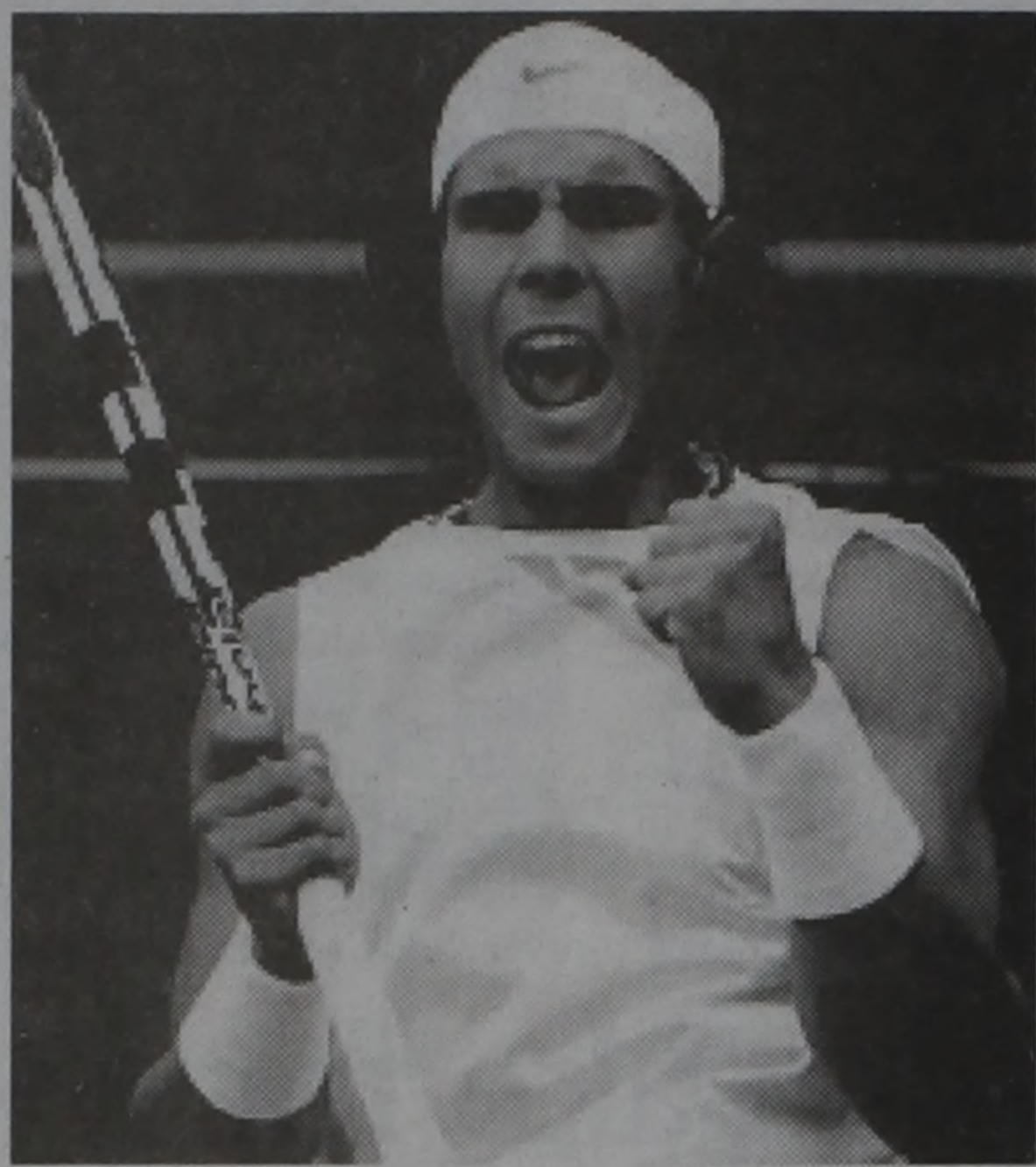
Managing to be slightly more gracious than after losing to Henin at the French Open -- "All she had to do was show up," was the post-match assessment then -- Serena said Wednesday: "She played a very high-quality game. I thought she played probably some of her best tennis."

Adventurous tennis, as well, especially late. Trailing 15-30 while serving in the final game, Henin won a 10-stroke rally with a drop shot. She serve-and-volleyed on her first match point, though that didn't work. It ended when Serena

acknowledged she still has "a lot of work to do," and Serena would agree. Asked whether she thought she lost to the eventual champion, Serena said: "The eventual Wimbledon champion I saw playing in the fourth round today, definitely."

That, of course, would be Venus, who was pretty close to flawless against 2004 champion Sharapova. She averaged 115 mph on first serves and reached 126 mph. She won 33 of 42 points on her serve and only once was taken to deuce. She compiled a 9-3 advantage on points that lasted at least 10 strokes. "You've got to give her credit," the second-seeded Sharapova said. "Her average first serve was 115, and some men don't do that."

They played all of three points Tuesday at 800-seat Court 3 before the fourth-round match was suspended because of rain. They resumed at 13,000-plus Centre Court on Wednesday, then had to deal with a rain delay of nearly two hours that came in the middle of an epic game



major titles, that shouldn't be surprising at all. Given that she was two points from defeat against 59th-ranked Alla Kudryavtseva in the first round and was down 5-3 in the final set against 71st-ranked Akiko Morigami in the third, it was surprising.

"Well, that happens. That's tennis. That's life," said Venus, who meets No. 5 Svetlana Kuznetsova in the quarterfinals. "What mattered is that I got through it. It built character."

She has plenty of that nowadays, at 27 and a pro since 1994. Injuries have kept her off court in recent years, a reason she's ranked 31st and faced Sharapova so early. "In my whole life, I've been a big-match player," Venus said. "It wasn't the ideal draw for her."

The Williams' father, Richard, is rarely shy about expressing an opinion and had plenty to offer after watching Venus win.

"I think she can be a champion until she's 34, I really do," he said. "I'll tell you something else I believe: I don't think you've seen the best of Venus."

Another thought he shared: He didn't want Serena to play Henin because of her injuries. "If Serena was in her right mind," Richard Williams said, "she'd go home."

A little while later, she was headed that way. Done in singles, she withdrew from doubles, where the sisters were competing for the first time since 2003.

Henin's coach, Carlos Rodriguez, said it was tough for the Belgian to figure out how to approach a match against an opponent whose fitness was in question.

"I wasn't really focused on what did happen on the other side of the net," Henin said.

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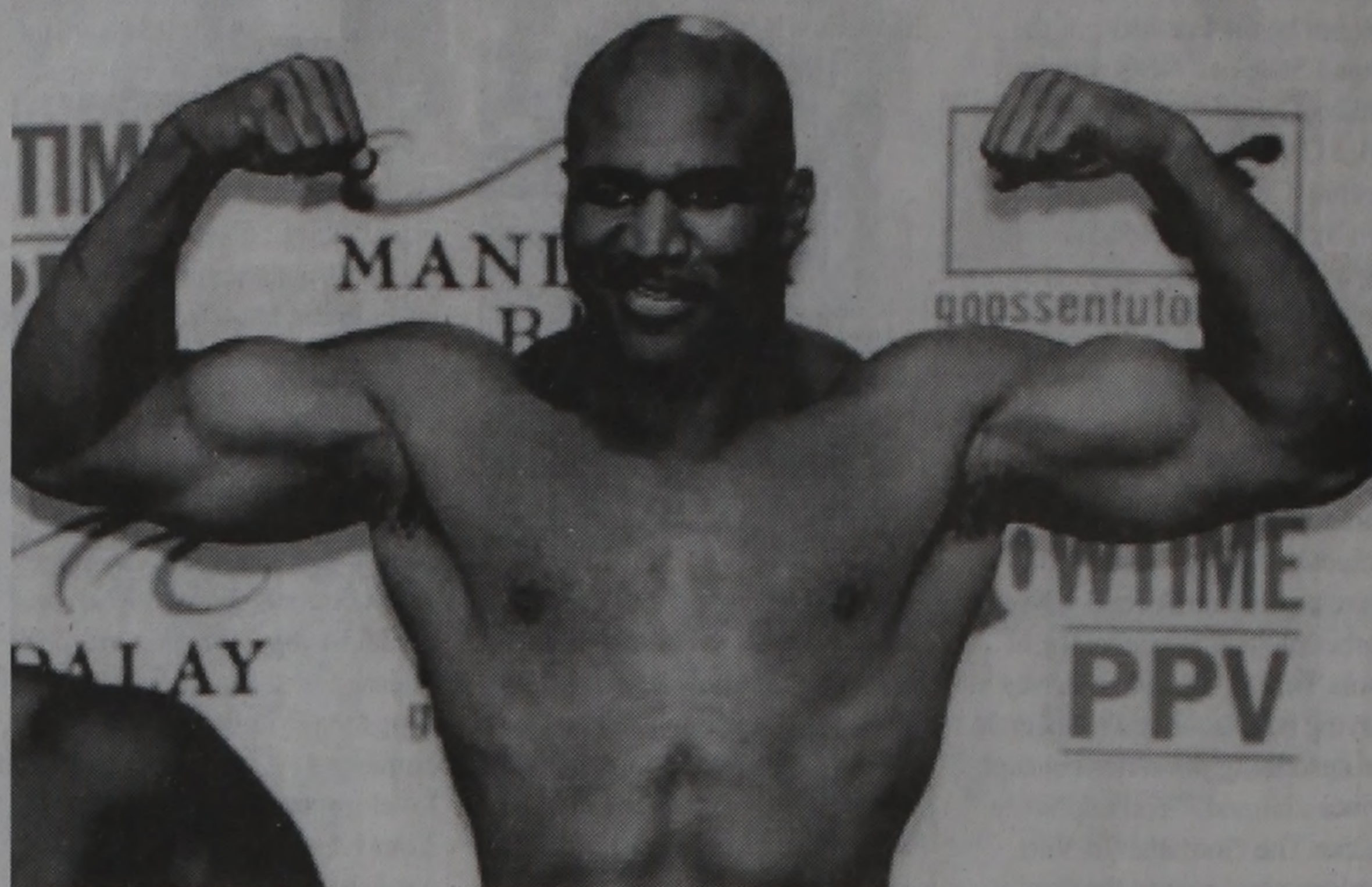
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Holyfield wins 10-round unanimous decision over Savarese



EL PASO, Texas -- Evander Holyfield outworked and outclassed Lou Savarese on Saturday night, winning a 10-round unanimous decision to remain undefeated in his latest comeback.

Holyfield, the 44-year-old former heavyweight champion, started and ended the fight with a hard left to the head of the 41-year-old Savarese. In between, Holyfield was in control.

The judges scored it 98-90, 99-87 and 96-91.

Savarese, a former title contender himself, held his own for the first eight rounds before being knocked off his feet with a hard left to the chin.

Holyfield (42-8-2) knocked Savarese (46-7) to the mat again in the 10th, with Savarese looking as though he was hoping to just stay upright.

Holyfield came in weighing 219 pounds, giving Savarese a 23-pound advantage that wasn't

all that tough to overcome. "Lou hurt me with an upper cut (in the third)...but I got away from the next one," Holyfield said after the fight.

That was about the only stunning shot for Savarese, who himself had been on the comeback trail.

Holyfield said after a quick try at fighting the taller Savarese on the inside, he moved to the outside and did his best to land some quick, hard left jabs.

Savarese did a good job of dodging second hits, Holyfield said.

Savarese, looking swollen and battered, said that the fight was his last.

"I fought hard," he said. "I gave it my all."

It was Holyfield's fourth bout since returning to boxing after a two-year layoff. His goal is to win an unprecedented fifth heavyweight title and unify the

belts in the messy division before retiring for good.

Saturday's result was a big step toward possibly getting another crack at one of the many fighters holding a heavyweight championship belt.

For his part, Holyfield said he believes a title shot will be next.

"I will be the five-time undisputed heavyweight champion of the world," Holyfield said.

Holyfield last held the undisputed championship after a 1990 win against James "Buster" Douglas.

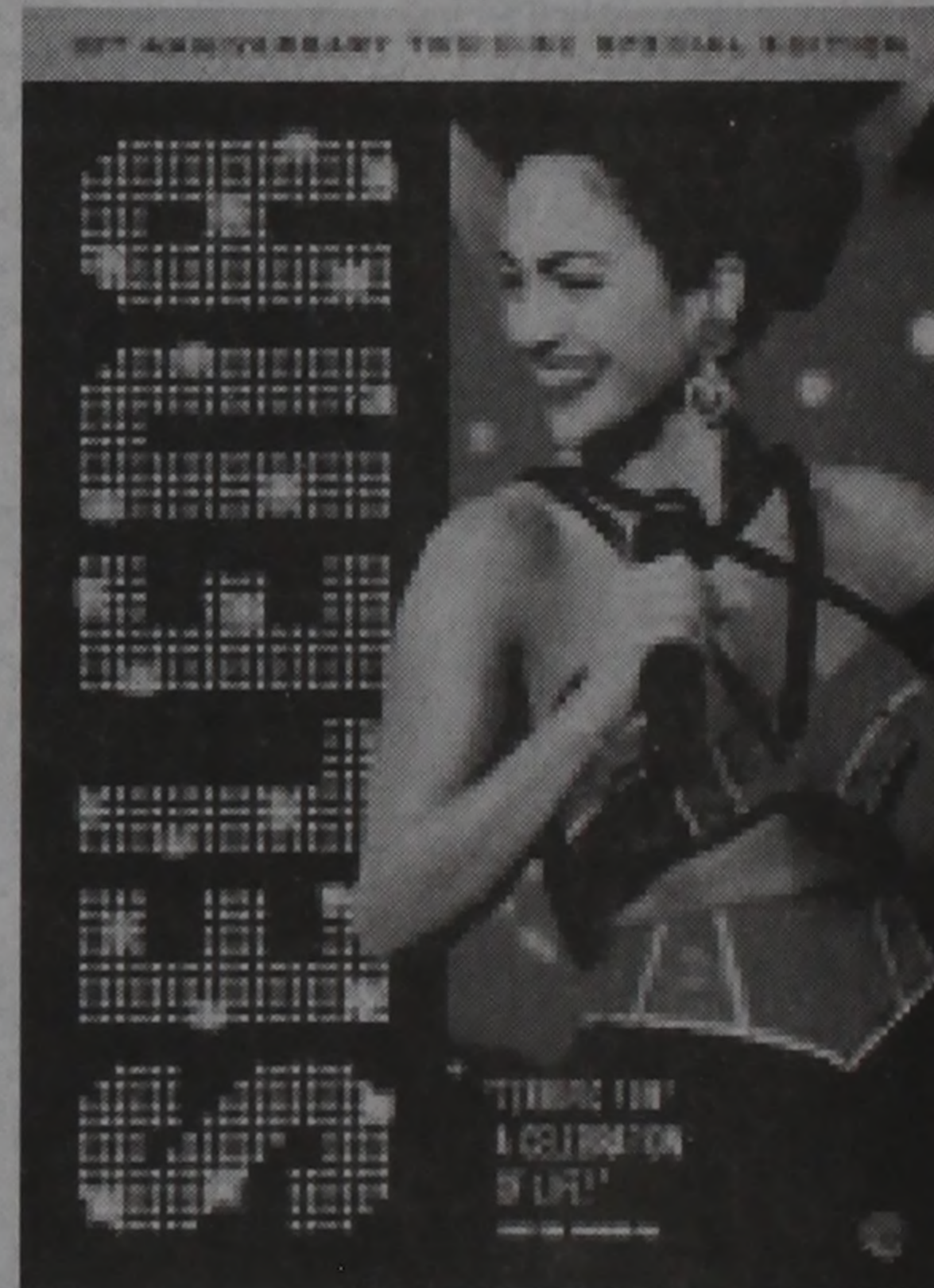
Holyfield started his comeback in Texas last year. Despite his wins, Holyfield is just three years removed from losing his license to fight in New York, where boxing officials cited diminished skills shortly after losing an ugly 12-round decision Larry Donald.

Holyfield's professional career dates to 1984, and he's hoping to become the oldest heavyweight champion ever, surpassing George Foreman's record.

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Democrats Court Hispanic Leaders

Democrats sensing an opportunity for gains among the nation's fastest-growing minority group swarmed a gathering of 1,000 Hispanic elected officials from across the nation here this weekend.

On Saturday, the seven leading Democratic presidential candidates appeared before the annual conference of the National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials, all boasting of their Hispanic supporters and their involvement in the Hispanic community.

They came with one big advantage — the fact that Republicans are taking most of the blame for the decisive defeat of the immigration reform bill in the Senate last week.

In a forum for the candidates, all of the Democrats lamented defeat of the bill, and several denounced what they suggested was a racist or anti-Hispanic tinge to the arguments used against it.

Barack Obama, for example, said there was "an ugly overtone" in the debate, which he said was absent from the debate over the same bill last year, and accused opponents of using "the politics of fear."

Joe Biden told conference

attendees the debate over immigration "has become a race to the bottom — who can be the most anti-Hispanic."

While immigration was by far the biggest topic of discussion at the conference, other recent news events also seemed designed to benefit Democrats.

On Friday, only one of the slate of Republican candidates, dark horse Rep. Duncan Hunter, had appeared for what had been planned to be a similar, GOP candidates forum. Hunter's appearance and the Democratic speeches were broadcast live nationwide on Univision, the nation's leading Hispanic television network.

Thompson Clarifies Gaffe

Buzz at the conference also focused on a gaffe by potential GOP candidate Fred Thompson, who seemed to refer to Cuban immigrants as terrorists in a speech to a

South Carolina Republican Party gathering Wednesday.

Thompson later published a clarification saying that's not what he meant. But Hillary

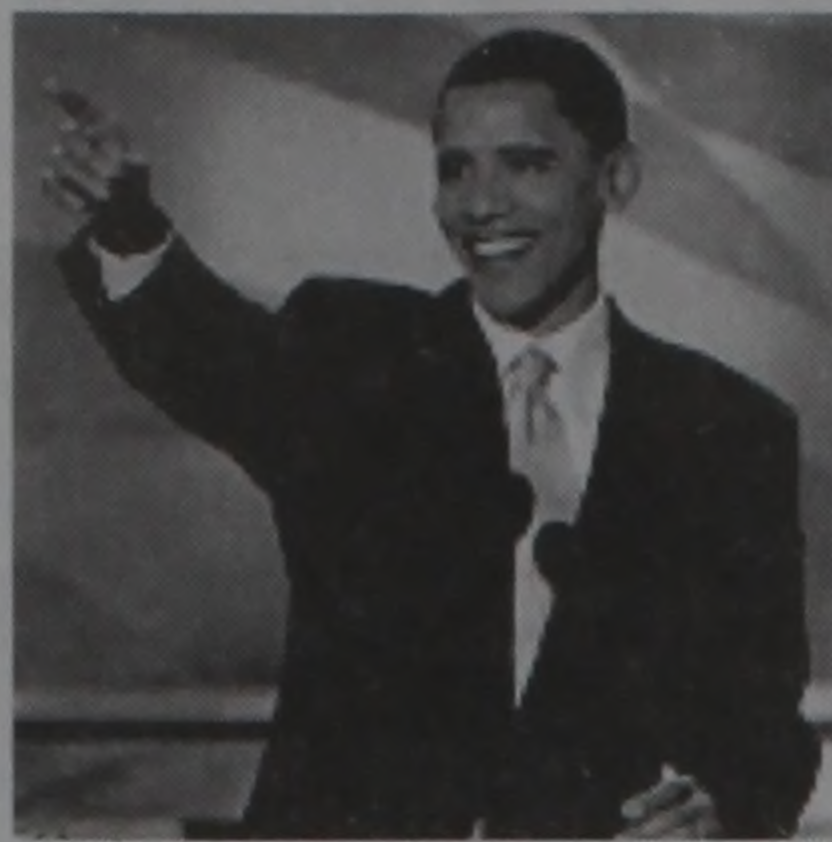
Clinton, in an appearance at the conference, declared herself "appalled" at the comments and said Thompson "apparently doesn't have a lot of experience in Florida or anywhere else."

At least for Florida Hispanics, Clinton may

have scored the biggest coup at the conference, announcing a list of Hispanic supporters including state Reps. Luis Garcia of Miami Beach and Darren Soto of Orlando. Both are celebrities within the party because they won seats in 2006 formerly held by Republicans.

Overall, the conference could only add to Democrats' hopes for their future with Hispanic voters, both nationally and in Florida.

Nationwide, Democrats hope the growing and generally



Democratic-disposed Hispanic minority will help them win previously GOP-dominated western states.

In Florida, Republican-leaning, anti-Castro Cubans have long dominated Hispanic politics, and most big-name Hispanic politicians are Republican. But Democrats see hope in the growing proportion of non-Cubans and in the generational erosion of Republican dominance among Cuban immigrants.

While Republicans are "conceding the Latino vote in Florida to Democrats," the Democratic candidates are "fully recognizing the importance of the Latino community in Florida and nationally," trumpeted a state Democratic Party press release about the candidates' forums at the conference.

GOP Hopefuls Didn't Attend

The Republican presidential candidates all cited scheduling conflicts in failing to attend the conference, and it came at an awkward time — the end of a quarterly fundraising period when all candidates are preoccupied with raising money.

Republican party activists, meanwhile, said their candidates could draw little benefit from ap-

pearing at NALEO, whose membership is mostly Democratic.

Republicans as a whole didn't shun the event.

Florida Sen. Mel Martinez, who's also national Republican Party chairman, spoke at the conference Friday, as did Florida House Speaker Marco Rubio and other prominent Republican Florida Hispanics, along with Republican Gov. Charlie Crist.

In his speech to the conference Friday, Martinez, who has taken political heat as one of the leading backers of the immigration bill, also lamented its failure and said it's now up to the bill's opponents to propose a solution to the nation's immigration problems.

Martinez also sought to deflect at least some of the blame for the bill's failure from Republicans.

He acknowledged in comments to reporters that he was disappointed that Republicans were the majority of no-voters, but added, "I was equally disappointed that some Democrats in the Senate offered amendments that turned out to be poison pills and caused the demise of this bill. ... So I think there's bipartisan blame to go around."

Martinez Defends Absences

Martinez, chosen as national

GOP chairman at the urging of President Bush partly to increase the party's appeal to Hispanics, also sought to defend the Republicans' absence from the forum.

"When you're running a campaign, it is difficult to be everywhere you want to be," he said. He called it "wrong and unacceptable to draw from that the conclusion that the Republican presidential candidates don't care about the Hispanic vote or Latinos in this country. ... As this campaign unfolds, I think that will become completely clear."

Asked about the harsh opposition to the immigration bill by several of the GOP candidates, including Rudy Giuliani, Mitt Romney and Thompson, he said, "This is a very politically toxic issue, and those that are running for office sometimes run away from tough problems."

But to many attendees, none of that excused the missing candidates.

"I'm very disappointed. They should have been here," said Aileen Cubillos, chairwoman-elect of the Hispanic Chamber of Commerce of Greater Orlando. "If you're going to be president of the United States, you should listen to everyone — supporters or critics, friend or foe."

Richardson Dominates Field at Latino Conference

Gov. Bill Richardson was on a roll — critiquing the media's portrayal of immigrants, urging the "xenophobes of both parties" to remember the contributions of Latinos and praising the Hispanic community's bygone activists.

Then came the thirty-second warning to wrap up his address to the National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials, prompting the New Mexico governor to play a trump card held by none of the other presidential candidates taking part in Saturday's forum.

"My God, I'm the only Latino running for president," Richardson told the moderator. "Give me a break!"

He did catch a break, receiving a two-minute extension that he used to speak to the crowd in fluent Spanish about his dreams for the country. All told, the crowd gave him several rounds of applause and three standing ovations.

Never mind that Richardson is among the second tier of Democrats seeking their party's nomination for president. The NALEO conference was a venue that turned the Democratic presidential field on its head, with the advantage going to the early NALEO member and American-born Richardson who spent much of his childhood in Mexico, the home country of his mother.

The audience also embraced Spanish speaker Sen. Chris Dodd of Connecticut, a former Peace Corps volunteer in the Dominican Republic hoping to break into the second tier of candidates.

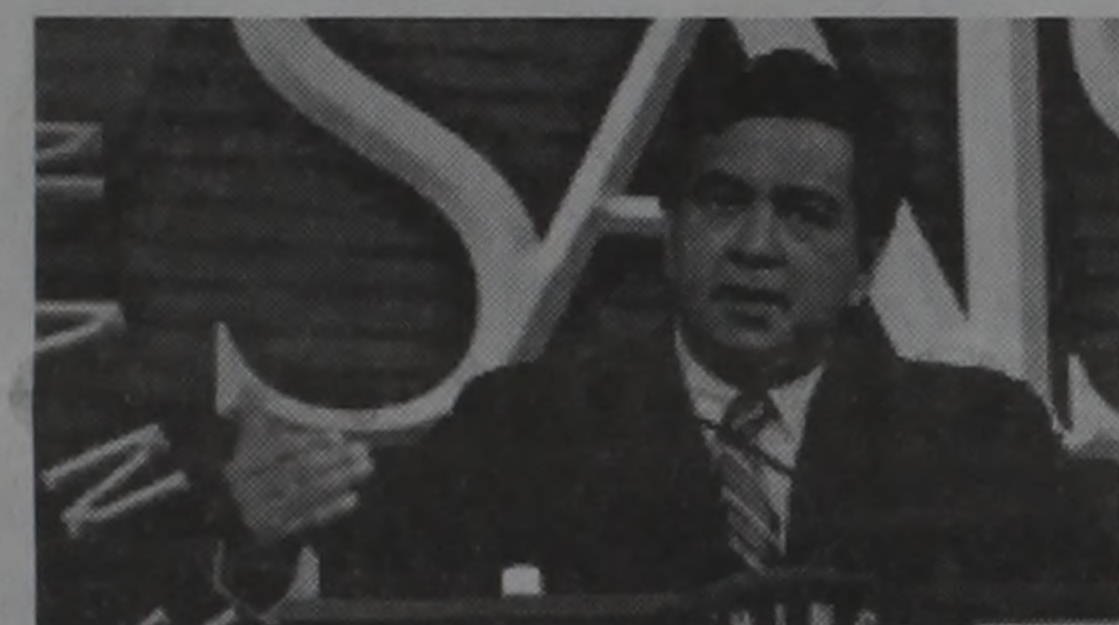
Rep. Dennis Kucinich of Ohio also won applause for his labored reading of a closing speech in Spanish, by which he meant to demonstrate his commitment to Spanish as "something that is promoted in our schools."

"Es verdad," he intoned seriously at one point, assuring the crowd of the truth of his political convictions.

With attendees of the conference especially concerned about the current state of the immigration debate in Washington, the forum's agenda issues were

also not in the usual order. Other debates this summer have focused more heavily on the Iraq war and domestic issues such as health care.

Republican candidates for president were also invited to participate in the forum, but only Rep. Duncan Hunter of California attended.



The Democratic candidates all expressed dismay that Congress has failed to pass an immigration bill offering a clear path to citizenship for undocumented workers now in the country, though they didn't all agree that last week's failed Senate measure was the right approach.

"There has to be a clear path to citizenship," said former Sen. John Edwards of North Carolina, suggesting the fines proposed for undocumented workers in the failed bill were prohibitive.

Sen. Hillary Rodham Clinton of New York, the Democratic

frontrunner, agreed that the bill wasn't perfect but defended its attempt at a "path to legalization for more than 12 million who are here already."

Sen. Barack Obama of Illinois decried an "ugly undertone that crept into the debate" this year. He also defended his vote last year to build a fence at the Mexican border because that provision was just one part in a "much more humane" reform bill.

But Richardson landed the hardest punch with the crowd when he suggested that the failure to pass fair immigration laws is due partly to a societal failure to recognize that "immigration has historically been a very positive element."

"I have a message to the American media," Richardson said. "Do you notice when they depict immigrants, they have somebody crossing a wall . . . as if they're criminals? How about the American media looking at the farmworker who breaks his back? How about the American media covering the Latino immigrant that has died for this country?"

Tarea difícil combatir la obesidad infantil

El gobierno federal gastará este año más de \$1,000 millones en educación sobre nutrición, en meriendas de zanahoria y apio, y cientos de horas de entretenidas lecciones sobre lo bien que uno se sentirá si come bien.

Pero una revisión de Associated Press sobre estudios científicos que han examinado 57 de esos programas mayormente ha encontrado fracaso. Sólo cuatro de ellos han mostrado algún éxito en cambiar la forma en que los chicos comen y en combatir la epidemia de obesidad infantil.

"Cualquier persona que observe la literatura publicada sobre estos programas tendrá concluir que por lo general no están funcionando", dijo el doctor Tom Baranowski, profesor de pediatría del Colegio Baylor de Medicina en Houston, que estudia la conducta hacia la nutrición. Los resultados han sido decepcionantes:

- El año pasado, un programa federal que ofrecía frutas y vegetales a los escolares mostró que los alumnos de quinto grado estaban menos dispuestos a comerlos que antes. Aparentemente, no les gustaba el sabor.

- En Pennsylvania, investigadores llegaron a dar premios a los escolares que consumieran frutas y vegetales. Funcionó mientras hubo premios, pero cuando los investigadores regresaron siete meses después, los chicos habían vuelto a sus viejos

hábitos de refrescos y chips.

- En estudios donde los niños dicen a los investigadores que están comiendo mejor o haciendo más ejercicio, no se detecta ningún cambio en la presión, el peso o la medida del colesterol.

Pueden pensar que lo están haciendo, pero no es cierto.

Los estudios no le dicen a Leticia Jenkins nada que ella no sepa. Es una de las maestras valientes de Estados Unidos y no sólo porque le dio cuchillos

a sus alumnos de séptimo y octavo grados para que cortaran tomates, cebollas, jalapeños y limas para una lección sobre salsa y nutrición, sino porque comprende lo inútil de lo que está haciendo.

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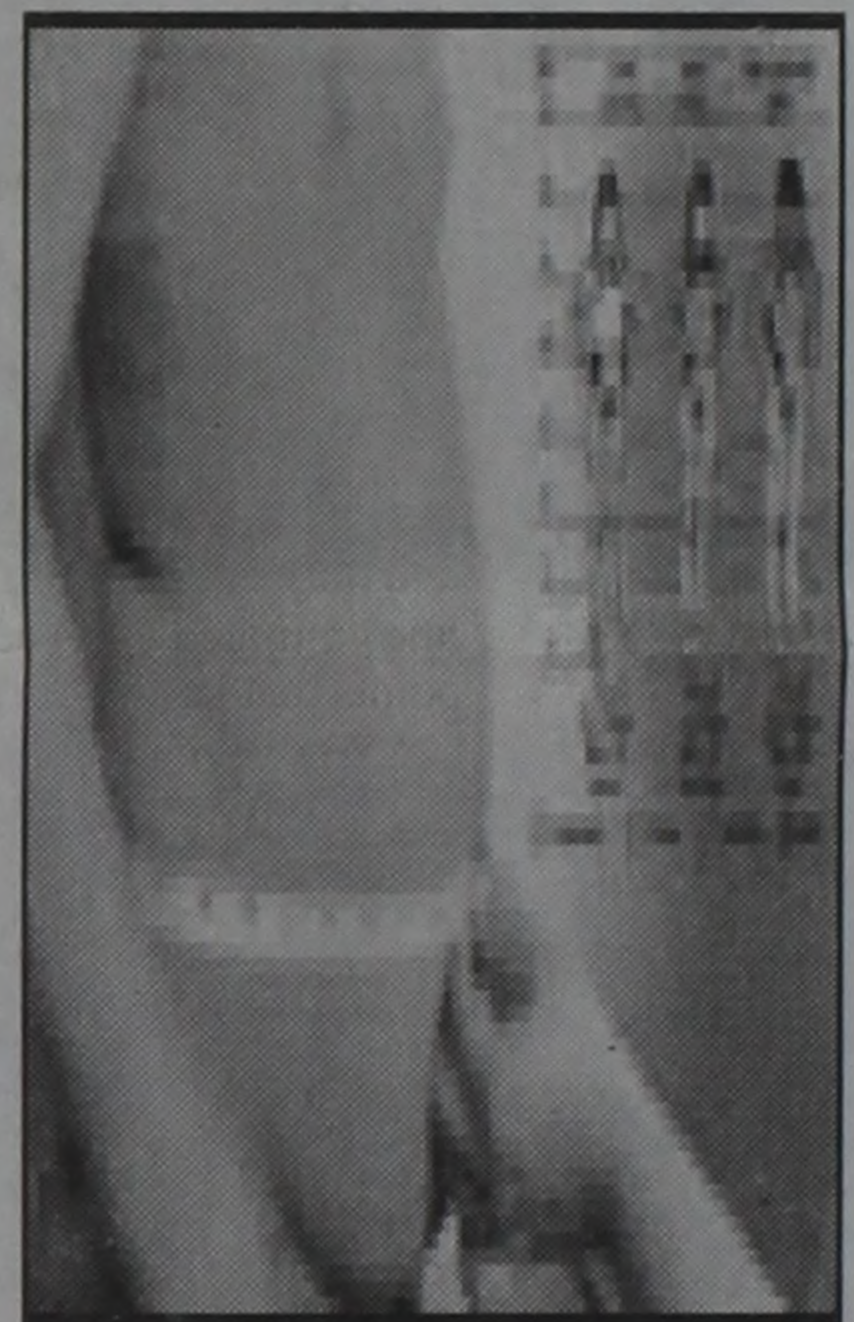
A nivel nacional, los índices de obesidad casi se han quintuplicado en los chicos entre 6 y

11 años en relación con los años 70, y se han triplicado entre los niños de entre 2 a 5 años y los adolescentes, según el Centro de Control de Enfermedades. Las consecuencias médicas de la obesidad en EEUU —diabetes,

presión alta y hasta problemas ortopédicos— cuestan unos \$100,000 millones al año. El doctor James W. Holsinger Jr., médico cardiólogo de Kentucky nominado como director de Salubridad, dijo que la lucha contra la obesidad infantil es su prioridad.

Cambiar los hábitos de alimentación infantil es difícil.

"Las fuerzas que impulsan la gordura infantil son muy grandes y difíciles de combatir con un simple programa escolar", indicó el doctor Philip Zeitler, endocrinólogo pediátrico que ve una "continua corriente" de niños obesos luchando con la diabetes y otros problemas médicos potencialmente fatales en el Hospital Infantil de Denver.





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