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Firefighters battle the burning wreckage from the head-on collision of two trains near Clarendon today.


## County jail full; arrests will continue

BY KATE B. DICKSON
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 or requests for bond reductions. area sheriffs to sece if the ill ake some to Chict Depuly Kellter, Ruccordingy "We'll find a place for them." the of the immates off his hands until parole vollators who are awaiting ses- same thing."
 fond seltings will be followed by bood present jail has been full. Copeland hearing officer send a report to the extrawdimary alrest rate. There have



ME: Levy was murdered
WASHINGTON (AP) - intern whose disappearance
Chandra Levy was murdered Chandra Levy was murdered,
but how she was killed can't be determined, the Washington,
D..., medical examiner said Tuesday in a disclosure that deepened the mystery behind
the 24 -year-old intern who dis appeared more than a year ago appeared more than a year ago.
"In this case there was not
sufficient evidence to ascertain sufficient evidence to ascertain
conclusively the specific conclusively the specific
injury that caused her death," injury that caused her death,"
Dr. Jonathan L. Arden told a Dr. Jonathan L. Arden told a
news conference. "However, the circum-
stances of her disappearance stances of her disappearance
and her body on recovery are indicative that she died through the acts of another person, which is the definition of a
homicidal manner of death."
Arden. spoke to reporters
about a young Washington

He said he could not deter-
mine whether Levy died where mine whether Levy died where
her skeletonized remains were her skeletonized remains were
found, or if she had been found, or if she had been
brought there after her death. Three thousand miles away,
in Califoria Levy's in California, Levy's parents were holding a memorial ser-
vice in her hometown of vice in her hometown of
Modesto. Arden said he had Modesto. Arden said he had
been in touch with a lawyer representing her family to inform them of his findings. Arden said new evidence
could prompt him to re-examcould prompt him to re-exam-
ine the case, but at this point, ine the case, but at this point,
"There's nothing else that can There's nothing else that can That wasn't true for the police, who have struggled with the case since Levy disap-
peared May 1, 2001. Rather peared May 1, 2001. Rather
than à missing person, they than a missing person,
now have a murder case.

## Trains

Cause of the colision was not known late his morning.
A black plume of smoke over the community of Clarendon is visible from approximate-
ly 30 miles away. Source of the smoke is thought to be from spilled diesel at the wreck

One train traveling east was carrying coal while the westbound train was a freight train. According to DPS personnel, the freight train spilled at the scene. It was unknown at press ime what the hazardous materials are. Both trains were about one mile long, said authorities on the scene. Numerous train cars lay on their sides and in a mangled heap. Estimates of the number of trains involved vere unavailable at presstime due to the
also on its side. Many officials from Santa Fe Burlington
Northern Railroad wére on the scene of the

## JAIL

Rushing said four inmates were recently ".They jo to prison when to prison. ou,"' Rushing said. "Just because they are are that it was about 50 was 40 and the year before is over if the population trend con-

## U.S. steps up Mideast peace involvement

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 and pledged Tuesday to pursue peace in the Middle East despite bloody setbacks administration would try to have a plan by
this summer. "There are people who don't
peace and therefore are willing to kill," the president told reporters. "We' strongly
deplore and cendemn terrerist vielence." Bush's remarks came one day after "All of us, all of us involved in the
process - Arab nations, the Palestinians, process - Arab nations, the Palestinians,
Americans, Europeans, Israelis - must do everything we can to stop terrorist action,"
Bush said.
U.S. officials who spoke on the condiU.S. officials who spoke on the condi-
tion of anonymity said the administration was debating whether to propose was debating whether to propose ions to the stalemate.
The officials said Bush's team is debatEast wolicy and state detailed Middle East policy and state detailed terms for a settement, including a negotiating sched-1967. Bush has praised Saudi Arabia'

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Three local veterans, from left, Floyd Lynch, Bill Abernathy, and Bob Baird, pause a moment to contemplate a brick walkway filled with names of persons who have served in the military prior to the Memorial Day services at the Veterans Monument Monday.

tion would closely study various propsa- originating from within the Palestinian ion would closely study various proposals being put forward by Arab nations.
It is possible the United Stas. put forward the best of many ideas present put forward the best of many ideas present-
ed by Arab leaders and other parties, aides said. Powell saide the administration hoped
to integrate ideas on humand to integrate ideas on humanitarian relief, Authority would also be studied. CIA Director George Tenet plans to go ot the region next week to begin talks on
Palestinian security issues. Bush said he will meet with Tenet on Wednesday before sending him to the Mideast.
Assistant Secretary of State William Burns was heading for the region today. If a schedule is proposed, it would likely set timelines for discussing the hardest
issues, such as Palestinian and Israeli borissues, such as Palestinian and Israeli bor
ders, the status of Jerusalem and what to do about Palestinian refugees, the offictals about
said.
The
The president has stepped up his meet-
ings with Arab leaders and is siftin ings with Arab leaders and is sifting through their proposals. Bush's upcoming
meeting with Egyptian President Hosni meeting with Egyptian President Hosni
Mubarak is viewed as another step in that consultation process, officials said.
Bush began reconsidering his Middle East policy after Powell's trip to the region last month yielded little progress toward
his call for an end to Israel incursions and a
Vogue Cleaners offers varied services,
extra-special effort for their customers


Velia Perez takes pride in her work as presser at Vogue Cleaners. She is carefully pressing and providing skilled press ing to all the garments at the local cleaners.

(Pampa News photo by Nancy Young One of the qualified employees providing services at the local Vogue Cleaners at is Lorena Fierro. She patiently presses the and takes pride in her work.
She also said the local business sends out western hats to be cleaned The local business provides all and blocked, and said the people pro- home. Not only do they clean the vide outstanding quality of work. window coverings and sell custom The Rosenbach's have been in made drapes, but they sell blinds and "We provide a sance June, 1983. all types of covering for the win our customers in which we will take The cleaners also has a 24 -hour down the drapes, clean them and drop box for the customers rehang them," she said. She said the Customers may simply drop the fab $\begin{array}{ll}\text { local business also } \\ \text { drapery machine. } & \text { any instructions attached. Also }\end{array}$ She also mends sweaters as well Vogue has a drive-up door for cusas beading garments. "We try our tomer convenience. ultimate for all our customers," she "We try to do the
said. Quilts and comforter cleaning done," she said. said. Quilts and comforter cleaning done," she said. are also a specialty of the business as "Dorothy is very proud of her staf
well as antique linens. well as antique linens.
"We also have reweaving of she said. "And we harve the best alter sweaters available," she said, as she ation lady in town. We try the ultisaid Vogue has contracted with the mate for our customers." professional reweaver for many Hours for the local business are
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Madeline Graves Dance and Gymnastics Center of Pampa will present its annual spring dance recitay at 7.30 p.m., Friday, May 31, at M.K. Brown Auditorium. This year's event is entitled "United We Dance." Above: Caylee Steward, Daniele Z, Annie Ceumbey, Megan Barber, Jill, Shalyn Garner, Cheyenne Rush, Whitney Wade, Kylin Sinclair, Elysa Clements; (back row) Heather Wiley, Kimberly Curtis, Ashley Williams, Allison Cooper, Monica Schepp, Kallie Marak, Annie Day, and Rachel Wicker

Catholic schools headed for battle By ARLENE LEVINSON AP National Writer

A deadline looms
Saturday that could ignite a Saturday that could ignite a
smoldering conflict over smoldering conflict over the Roman Catholic hierarchy and theologians at the leges and universities.
The winners and losers won't be immediately clear, but in coming years jobs and
the shape of Catholic higher the shape of Catholic hise
learning may be at stake learning may be at stake from the Vatican, U.S. bishops have ordered Catholics who teach their faith's doctrine, morality, Scripture,
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schools to obtain a "mandaschools to obtain a "manda-
tum" (mandate, in English) from the bishop of the diocese where the college is located.
The document, which the bishops agreed should be
obtained by June 1 - this obtained by June 1 - this
Saturday - attests the theologian teaches only authentic Catholicism.
While some, like the
orthodox Cardinal orthodox Cardinal Newman Society, have hailed the mandatum, opponents have
derided the requirement as a "loyalty oath." Faculty have complained it tramples thei academic freedom.
The penalties dissenter may face is uncertain. Some bishops warned
their colleagues last yea their colleagues last year
they couldn't enforce the they couldnt enforce the
requirement. But schools could use the mandatum in rating faculty; it's already affected hiring on at leas one campus:
By design, the process is secret; a private matter
between each theologian an bishop. For that reason, no one knows how many mandatums have been granted. Estimates of Catholics teaching religious subjects on church-affiliated campus more than 800 priests, nuns and lay professors.
"Everything will depend on the chemistry between a local bishop and the local
institutions," said William Loewe, who teaches at The Catholic University America and heads the College Theology Society That leads to a whole wid ange of outcomes." Pope John Paul II called 1990 decree as a way to bol ster the religious character o Catholic campuses world wide, and the issue roiled American theologians in th

UC students in siege deported from Israel RIVERSIDE, Calif. (AP) - Two West Bank on May 10 as the standoff between detained by Israel after trying to provide after 39 days.
humanitarian aid to armed Palestinians during a Zaidi and O'Neill were studying in Egypt church siege in Bethlehem are back in the United States, their parens said UC Berkeley 150 Rant more the two student from Claremont, and Nauman Zaidi, a following the end of the siege. Cucamonga, arrived at Newark International from the overseas program for violating the Airport on Monday, their family said. "We are naturally very happy," said Zaidi's
father, Nasim. "We supported "the action he father, We are really prouponted the action he The students have not been expelled and $\begin{array}{ll}\text { took. We are really proud of him." } & \text { will only need to fill out some forms to gain } \\ \text { Zaidi and O'Neill were among } 10 \text { activists } & \text { readmission to their schools, said a UC }\end{array}$ Zaidi and O Neill were among 10 activists
removed from the Church of the Nativity in the
spokesman.

National Trails Day in offing at Quitaque
QUITAQUE - Eat a pan- Park and Trailway. Two ake breakfast or chuck authentic chuck wagons will parade or enter a lawnmower race, but be sure to have your eyes to the sky for the
guinea drop this year during guinea drop this year during
the June 1 National Trails Day celebration in Quitaque. After a four-year hiatus, he guinea drop is back by ${ }^{\circ}$ ing the day's celebrations, an ultra-light plane will cruise over Quitaque and
drop a guinea from the sky drop a guinea from the sky.
The chore is to catch the guinea and retrieve the special tag worth $\$ 100$. However, if chasing a
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there will be plenty of other things to do throughout the day including a turtle race
for the kids, an art show for for the kids, an art show for all ages to enjoy, a buffalo
chip bingo, a race car burnoff, and a craft show, just to name a few.
One highlight of the day is the chuck wagon lunch Foundation, a friend's group Trails Date schedule of
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Informal Review
a aff option a taxpayer may use to protest a value is to visit with the chief appraiser or a staff member. Records on individual properties are available for review by every
taxpayer. This informal review is to the benefit of the taxpayer, as many protests are

Review by the Appraisal Review Board
If you cannot resolve your problem with the appraisal district staff, you may, have your case heard by the Appraisal Review Board (ARB)
The ARB is an independent board of citizens that reviews problems with appraisals or other concerns listed above. It has the power to order the appraisal district to make
necessary changes to solve problems. If you file a written request for an ARB hearing necessary changes to solve problems. If you file a written request for an ARB hearing
(called a notice of protest) before the deadline the ARB will set your case for a hearing. You will receive written notice of the time, date and place of the hearing. The hearing will be informal. You and the appraisal district representative will be asked to present vidence. NOTE: You should not try to contact ARB members prior to the meeting. The law required ARB members to sign an affidavit saying that they have not discussed your case prior to the ARB meeting.
Review by District Court
After the ARB decides your case you will be sent a copy of its order by certified mail. If
you are not satisfied with the decision, you have the right 10 appeal to district court. If
you choose to go to court, you must start the process by filing a petition within 45 days of you choose to go to court, you must start the process by fling a petition within 45 days of
the date you receive the ARB's order. If the appraisal district has appraised your property at $\$ 1,000,000$ or more you must file a notice of appeal with the chief appraiser within 15 days of the date you receive the ARB's decision.
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## Toll from bridge hits seven;

 Texan believed among deadWEBBERS FALLS; Okla. (AP) - Crews of times with her church singing group. pulled more bodies from the murky Arkansas "When my husband got to the edge he said, River with the help of sonar and large cranes that effort stemming from a deadly bridge collapse The number of confirmed deaths rose to seven on Monday after four more bodies were taken out of the water. Officials planned to resume the
search Tuesday memin. A 500 -foot section of collapsed on Sunday mo Interstate 40 bridge rammed into the span, causing about a dozen are unsw to plummet into the water. Authorities One victim was tentatively identified as Texas horse trainer who was on her way home Sunday morming in a truck and trailer hauling her
prize-winning horses prize-winning horses when the collapse occurred.
Published was riding in the said the 49 -year-old woman the San Antonio area who also was well-known as a horse handler on the rodeo circuit.
Friend sill Antonio area from the Old Fort Days Futurity and Super Derby in Fort Smith, Arrk., where the
horses had won $\$ 7,000$ in horses had won $\$ 7,000$ in prizes. Three dead
horses were also recovered from the river horses were also recovered from the river, A thunderstorm forced divers to stop search-
ing after they found one victim's body Monday but crews used sonar to locate a sport utility vehicle and tractor-trailer that had three bodies inside.
They used large cranes with claws to bring them They used large cranes with claws to bring them
up. Lt. Chris. West, a spokesman for the
Oklahoma Highway Patrol, said the discoveries helped improve the morale of recovery workers. said. "They felt like they couldn't do anything and a lot of families out there were depending on
them." them." Survivor Goldie Alley was driving
across the bridge with her husband Max when their car went into the water. She said
she had traveled over the bridge hundreds don't remember a hill being here,' and about that
time 'we was in the air," she told KWTV in time we was in
Oklahoma City

> Oklahoma City. Max Alley suffere Allev had'broken rib Alley had broken ribs.
The barge captain, Joe Dedmon, apparent blacked out at the helm before the crash and no one was immediately available to take over, said
Joel Henderson, a spokesman for Magnoli Joel Henderson, a spokesman for Magnoli
Marine Transport Co., which owns the boat, Robert Y. Love.
Dedmon tested negative for drugs and alco-
hol. He was hospitalized Monday pending more hol. He
tests.
A veterats A veteran towboat captain said Monday he was astonished the bridge could not withstand a only 5 mph . 490 -foot barge moving upstream a "An empty barge made of half-inch stee
shouldn't do that kind Greer of Baton Rouge, La
"Those piers should have been anchored the river better than that. When he hit that pier that barge should have crunched like an empty beer can," said Greer, who formed the America
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Inc. PO. Box 7898 , Waco, Inc., P.O. Box 7898, Waco d after train derails Town of 2,200 ordered evacuated after train derails POTTERVILLE, Mich. (AP) - A freight train carry-
ing hazardous materials derailed in this town of 2,200
people, prompting officials to order the city's evacuation as they tried to avoid an explosion from leaking propane.
The Grand Trunk train was carrying liquid propane and sulfuric acid when 35 of its 58 cars derailed Monday, the Eaton County Sheriff's Depaftment said. Nine of the derailed cars were carrying
propane and two others conpropane and two oth
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Environmental had a crew of Systems Inc. ing throus about 30 workthe leaks' and move the halt One car was spewing fuel, another had a steady- eak,
and a third may have been punctured, said Sheriff Rick Jones. He said any spark or surge of electricity could ignite the cars.
"If "If it went off, it would be
like a bomb," Jones said. "They're just trying to figure out how to release the propane without anything blowing up."

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HORSE RACING
GRAND PRAIRIE, Texas (AP) - Congaree, third in
the Kentucky Derby and Preakness Stakes last yea
took the lead early pulled away' to win the
5300.000 Lone. Star P Handicap on Monday. mile and $1 / 16$ in invered $1: 42.96$, hi firstine in in monhs fo
lowing a knee iniury. P Day was the jockey
Congaree is trained Bob Baffer, handler of this
vear's Kentucky Derby Preakness St
War Emblem. "He runs a lot like War
Embiem," Baffert said of Congaree. "He just wants to
put it to then, and cath me If you can' and that's the
kind of horse he is. Once he gets in the lead, that is the
only time he can relax.; Congaree paid 53.60
win, 83.20 to place and 53 show.
The Lone Star Million Day program featured seven
stakes races worth a combined \$1 million. BASKETBALL

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Each team is guarante five games. Entry deadline is June m.
For more details, call SKating Switzerland (AP) - The
International Skating Union will debate next week a pro-

posal for a new judging sys| Iem |
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| cumplative poinst sther tha | deductions and have different criteria for selecting ref-

erees. ISU president Otavio Cinquanta will present the
proposal for the new iudging system at its congress in Kyoto Japan, from June 3-7.
The ISU wants to prevent a repeat of the pairs scandal
that shook the Salt Lake City Olympics in February.
The IOC awarded duplicate gold medals and
Canadians Jamie Sale and David Pelletier following claims of vote-fixing in the
victory by Russians Elena
Ber Bikharulidize. "This initiative of the

ISU council recognizes the urgent need for changes to | the existing system for selec |
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| tion of | tion of judges and the deter$\underset{\substack{\text { mination of } \\ \text { said Tuesday. }}}{ }$

The key objectives of the
proposal are to limit block judging, to prevent opporu-
nities for improper influence nities for improper influence
over judges and to replace
 nical elements with a points.
system based on difficulty. system based on difficulty. Its rules would cover, fig ure skating, ice dancing and
synchronized skating, and if passed in Kyoto, would be applied at the next world
championshiss and later at championships, and later a The Winer Olympic Games.
The ISU wants a change to allow members to provide judges, but not decide which ones would officiate. The referese and judging panel of 16 would be made
up of eight judges randomly up of eight judges randomly
drawn from member nomidrawn
nees.
Ssistat 16 , a referee and assistant would be randomly rram would select seven judges to determine the judges to determine the
scores of competiors for the
event.

## Seminoles favored in College World Series




Members of the Hickory Hut girls' softball team enjoy a light moment with fan Travis Hinkle after lightning canceled games last Thursday at Optimist Park. Pictured (front, 1 -r) Ashley Marcum and Travis Hinkle; (back, l-r) Stephanic , Sum Rer Robers, Erin Hall and Tonya Kiper
Castroneves victory upheld, but Tracy not giving upchampion, a two-time All- Turner at home: (806) 669-American, two-time the 1999 or cell: (806) 886-896.
champion and

Dillas defeat Ducks

Henderson. ter to end the game. The Dillas had gone six up Amarillo won three of four
and six down through two games against Springfield during innings before Hector Lebron the homestand.
got the bottom of the third start-
Tonight, the Dillas begin a got the bottom of the third start- $\begin{gathered}\text { Tonight, the Dillas begin a } \\ \text { ed with a base knock. The very } \\ \text { seven-game }\end{gathered}$ road trip. in

## Yankees' hitting attack gives Thurman a boost



## LA defeats Comets, 68-55

HOUSTON (AP) - The The Sparks didn't panic
Los Angeles Sparks used to they went to Leslie.
wonder how the Houston wonder how the Houston
Comett kept winnig champi-
onships. Now, they know. 22 Lisa Leslie scored d 18 of her 22 points in the first halal to help
the Sparks overcme a sugeish
start and beat the Comels 88.55 the Sparks overcome a sluggish
sara nd beal the Comets 88.55
Moday, spoling the return of Sheryy whoopes. The one thing the Comets New how to win," Lesio said. now we have that on our side
and we re not going to beat ourThe Comets won the first four WhBA championships before
they were eliminated in the first
round last season by he Sparks. oung lass season by the Sparks,
who went on to beat Charlote or their first WNBA title. The Comets led early
Monday with Swoopes retrin.
ng to the court after missing




| "I was ready to play and ally got into the game," woopes said. "We felt good out our chances early but LA a good team and we didn' ink at any time that we had game won." <br> Leslie also had 17 rebounds d three blocked shots, as the parks (2-0) dominated the ards 41-24. <br> "We just stopped doing the ings that got us the lead," woopes said. "We stopped ssing and the thing that really rt us was our rebounding. We d eight rebounds in the first If." <br> After their torrid start, ouston hit just 8 -of- 39 the rest the game and finished shoot37 percent from the field. "I thought our defense ayed well enough to win," |
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Cardinals slip by Astros, 4-3 HOUSTON (AP) - The ond in the majors. "When you we're coming out on the bottom
Houston Astros received no con- $\begin{aligned} & \text { continually } \\ & \text { give }\end{aligned}$ yourself a
side of it. That's just basebatl but Houston Astros received no con-
solation in playing the St. Louis
Cardinals close again. ardinals close again.
The Cardinals beat the Astros -3 Monday, marking the fourth
me this season St. Louis has beaten Houston by one run. is 3-10. We've got a good team too an games and St. Louis in one- We' $10-6$. The just got to keep battling." That seven-game swing is the run games last season, including me diterence in the two teams' $\quad 3-2$ against St. Louis.
"It's very frustrating when $\begin{array}{lll}\text { "One-run losses are much } & \text { you're losing games by one run } \\ \text { more frustrating,"" said Lance } & \text { like this,", Craig Biggio said. } \\ \text { Berkman, who hit two home runs } & \text { "Last year, we did an excellent }\end{array}$
 The Astros can't understand what the difference is between
last year and now last year and now. "When you're talking one-run games," Berkman said, "it can be a bad hop here or one pitch there or a defensive play. Just little tiny
things, an umpires things, an umpire's call, anything
can mean the difference between winning and losing.
"You can't blame Oswalt's pitching. He pitched a great game. We should hav

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Colorado takes 3-2 lead with OT win

| DETROIT (AP) - The way | he creates space for himself and | in five games - early in th |
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| Peter Forsberg is playing, he | ities for |  |
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| ular season, | Forsberg is so at ease h | goal lead in the series was |
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| me to give the Colorado |  | when Yzerman scored 54 se |
| alanche a $2=1$ victory over | He's showing |  |
| Detroit on Monday night and | why he's the best playe | Colorado goalie P |
| 3-2 lead in the Western | Colorado's Eric | some help from |
| onference finals. | "They've got a lot of great | d |
| Forsberg, who also ha | on' | did |
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| We k | series - the sixth in thei | Yzerman scored |
| tremely diffic | season rivalry since 19 | first power-play goal |
| lorado's Joe Sakic said. "W | and the road team won for th | Game 2. He held the puck |
| w they'll be at their | sixth time. | corner, then s |
| Game 7, if necessary, i | Colorado, which | nd flipped a shot |
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| a dozen future Hall of Famers, | ies | areer pla |
| erg often looks like th | games | goal, tying him with Gordie |
| best player on the ice. | Steven Reinprecht g | Howe for the most in Detroit |
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Seles regroups for French Open victory PARIS (AP) - Monica Seles
lost her first five games Tuesday, regrouped after a along rain delay and pulled away to beat Angeles Montolio in the first round of the
French Open. Seles, who has never failed to
make the quarterfinals in her nine previous trips to this Grand Slam
tournament, started sluggishly on tournament, started sluggishly on
another cool, rainy day at Roland Garros.
After a second-set delay of 1
hour, 40 minutes, she hour, 40 minutes, she over-
whelmed Montolio by winning the final nine games after play was resumed for a $6-7$ (4), $6-3,6$
0 victory 0 victory.
tions. They really for the condi tions. They really surprised me,"
said Seles, the French Open champion from 1990-92.
"I was happy the rain came. It
was at the right time from my point of view. I can better tennis.
.
played better tennis.".
Joining the sixth-seeded Seles
in the second round was fourth-
seeded eeded Kim Clijsters, last year's unner-up. Clijsters, cheered on men's top seed, rallied to beat Tatiana Poutchek 3-6, 6-3, 8 -6.
Seles and Clijster s. Seles and Clijsters were origi-
nally scheduled to play Monday. nally scheduled to play
but were pushed back by The wet conditions again created a backlog of matches, with 22 Women's matches postponed Tuesday, including No. 3 Serena
Williams' match against Martina Sucha.
 ing down talk of retirément at age
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For a while Tuesday, she
appeared headed for an early
exit. Aftet quickly falling into a 5 0 hole, she reeled off six straight games before drop
set in a tiebreaker.
With the second set tied at 3-3 and Montolio serving at 40-30, play was halted.
When the When the players returned,
Seles quickly won three straight Seles quickly won three straight
points to break serve, and she didn't lose another game agains a dispirited Montolio, who eturned with her left thigh wrapped.
Clijsters, using an effective drop shot on the slow, wet clay won a long game on her own
serve for 7 -6 lead in the final sel serve then broke to capture the
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