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IN THE NEWS

Arizona Teacher Shot, Gunman Not Identified

TUCSON, Ariz. - A teacher who had been receiving threatening notes for several weeks was shot and wounded this morning in her classroom at a Tucson-area middle school.

School and sheriff's officials said the injury was not considered life-threatening, but did not elaborate. Television station KVOA reported the teacher, Kathy Morris, had been shot in the shoulder.

Morris, a sixth-grade teacher at La Cima Middle School, was listed in guarded condition at University Medical Center.

Sheriff's spokeswoman Deputy Deanna Coultas said the teacher had been preparing for a staff meeting when she excused herself and returned to her classroom. Morris reported the shooting herself.

Coultas said she had been receiving threatening notes but had no details.

The Sheriff's Department was look-

ing for a man thought to be around 19 years old with a shaved head, Coultas said. They were also investigating the possibility that the teacher knew the gunman, she said.

School counselor Julie Cota said students had a late start today so none were present when the shooting happened.

Elian's Uncle, Analysts Discuss Child's Transfer

MIAMI - After refusing for months to return Elian Gonzalez to his father, the boy's great-uncle met with government-appointed psychiatrists Monday to arrange a transfer that won't traumatize the child.

The meeting lasted only an hour, despite the government's suggestion that it would take as long as three. There was no immediate explanation from the two sides, but Ed Rosasco, president of the hospital where the meeting took place, said it was cordial.

Thousands of people gathered Monday night a few blocks from the great-uncle's home and marched toward it, praying for Elian and criticizing federal officials for their handling of the case.

Police closed about 30 city blocks to traffic.

Immigration and Naturalization Service officials agreed to hold Monday's meeting at Mercy Hospital to accommodate Elian's great-uncle Lazaro Gonzalez, who said he could not leave his 21-year-old daughter, Marisleysis.

The young woman, who has been a mother figure to Elian, has been hospitalized since Saturday for stress and

exhaustion and did not attend.

President Praises Asia For Peace Negotiations

TOKYO - President Clinton praised North and South Korea on Monday for agreeing to hold an unprecedented summit, and China, Japan and Russia promised support for the talks that have raised hopes for an easing of tensions along the world's most militarized border.

The meeting between the South's president, Kim Dae-jung, and his northern counterpart, Kim Jong Il, would be the first between leaders of the two states since the Korean peninsula was divided into the communist North and the capitalist South in 1945.

The announcement of the June 12 to June 14 summit crowns efforts by the South, backed by the U.S. and Japan, to engage North Korea, which has cracked open its long self-imposed isolation to seek much needed relief after famine and near economic collapse.

"Direct dialogue between the two Koreas is something we have long advocated and is fundamental to solving the

problems of the Korean peninsula," Clinton said in a Washington statement.

"This announcement is testimony to the wisdom and long-term vision of President Kim Dae-jung's engagement policy," Clinton said.

"I congratulate both leaders on their decision to meet."

American GI Named 'Person of the Century'

WASHINGTON - The House on Monday declared the American GI the "person of the century," saying American soldiers, sailors, airmen and Marines had led the struggle for freedom and democracy from World War I to the NATO efforts in Kosovo.

The resolution, introduced by Rep. Robin Hayes, R-N.C. passed 397-0.

"It's more than fitting that the Congress of the United States recognize our nation's men and women in uniform for their contributions," said Rep. Ike Skelton of Missouri, top Democrat on the Armed Service Committee.

"The American GI changed the course of world history in helping defeat fascism and communism."

"There's not a region of the world whose people have not benefited from the presence of the American GIs in the 20th century," said Rep. Mike Thompson, D-Calif.

Protesters Rally in D.C. Against World Bank

WASHINGTON - Ratcheting up their protests in advance of the world finance ministers' meetings this weekend, demonstrators today briefly blocked a street near the World Bank headquarters.

Police said seven protesters were arrested, including some who chained themselves to a rental truck blocking that thoroughfare - Pennsylvania Avenue - and others who tried to hang a banner on the building.

A small group of some 20 demonstrators chanted as police cleared the road, which remained blocked for about 45 minutes by the peaceful protest.

The demonstrators taken into custody offered no resistance, said Police Chief Charles Ramsey.

A banner on the truck read, "World Bank plunders the planet - no more \$\$\$

for oil gas and mining."

"The World Bank is funding oil mining and gas drilling and continues funding projects which increase our dependence on fossil fuels and increasingly destroys indigenous land," said Jillian Frumkin of Ozone Action.

British Pubs to Serve Pints Around-the-Clock

LONDON - Hoping to cut down on binge drinking and pub brawls, the British government proposed a novel idea Monday: Allow bars to stay open 24 hours a day.

Scraping the mandatory 11 p.m. closing time was the centerpiece of plans to liberalize and streamline licensing laws that were inspired by fears of munitions workers getting drunk during World War I.

"Fixed closing times encourage binge drinking around last orders," Home Secretary Jack Straw told the House of Commons.

"The result is lots of people hitting the streets - and sometimes each other - at the same time," Straw explained.

Associated Press

Looking for my "Mary" to Marry in Chapel Hill

Me - Brett Favre meets Ben Stiller - SWASPM, 32 y.o., never married, 5'10", 175 lbs., tan, midnight brown hair & eyes, former UT-Austin SAE & All-American Athlete, Harvard JD/MBA, independently wealthy Silicon Valley Exec.

You - more Cameron Diaz-like than Warrenesque - 18-26 y.o., gorgeous blonde SWF, adventuresome UNC coed/alum, healthy sense of humor a must, personality to spare. Plot for sequel TBD - however "director's license"/spontaneous flexibility a prerequisite - whether grooving to Brian Ferry in NV in NYC or moshing to BuckCherry at the Art Center, pounding brewskies at Players or sipping world-class cabernets aloft a Napa Valley balloon. This is the real deal - I'm questing for "the one" to lead an Oscar-winning romance - it is decidedly not a Fox TV rerun. Serious inquires only, kindly send written response and photo to:

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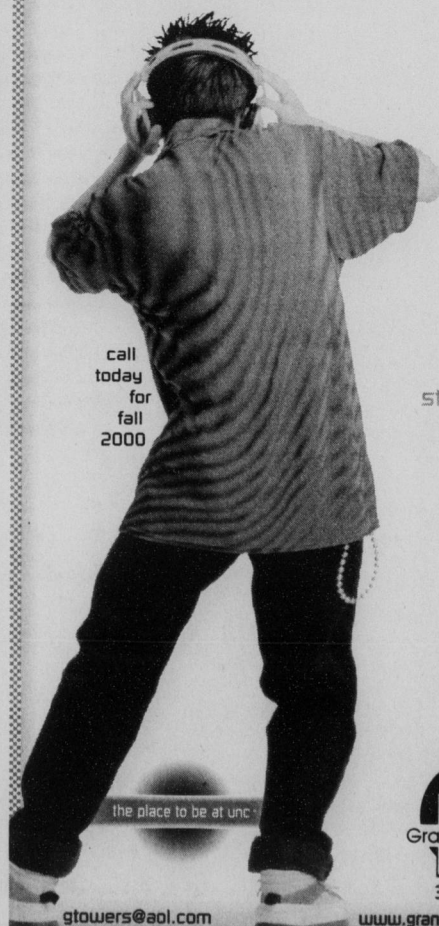
The Branchettes, a local gospel duo, will sing at the Bull's Head Bookshop. Ethel Elliott and Lena Mae Perry will be singing and signing to celebrate Glenn Hinson's book *Fire in My Bones*. Hinson, who will also speak, is the director of the Curriculum in Folklore.



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