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WHAT: A SYMPOSIUM

1:30 PM	Opening statements and introduction. Moderator: Dr. Grant H. Vest Jr., Head, Horticultural Sciences.	2:40	Israel's Disease Resistance Germplasm: Origin, Utilization, and Conservation. Dr. J. Artie Browning, Head, Dept. of Plant Pathology and Microbiology.
1:40	Administrative Channels of American-Israeli Cooperative Research. Dr. Fowden G. Maxwell, Head, Department of Entomology.	3:10	Coffee break.
2:10	Agricultural Engineering. Dr. Edward A. Hiler, Head, Department of Agricultural Engineering.	3:40	Agricultural Economics. Dr. Hovav Talpaz, Head, Department of Statistics, The Volcani Institute; Israel.
		4:10	Pecan Culture in Texas and Israel. Dr. James B. Storey, Horticultural Sciences.

WHEN: WEDNESDAY APRIL 22 **WHERE: MSC Room 206**

WHY: Similarity in climate, water availability, insects and pests provide a strong basis for joint research between Texas and Israel. The use of high technology in both states' agriculture makes cooperative research even more attractive and beneficial. The symposium will explore the benefits of past and present research and discuss future research topics.

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Rev. Jackson says sports owners must end 'unjust' hiring policies

NEW YORK (AP) — Rev. Jesse Jackson met with Baseball Commissioner Peter Ueberroth Monday, then called on the sport's owners to do away with minority hiring policies that they know "are immoral and unjust."

Jackson characterized his session with Ueberroth, which lasted for nearly two hours, as a "planning meeting and not a confrontation."

He said he would meet again with Ueberroth and hoped to meet commissioners David Stern of the NBA and Pete Rozelle of the NFL to form an affirmative action committee that would "include all levels of leadership" in sports as well as the community.

"We have to work out a plan for change, and that change should begin this year," the civil rights leader said. "We need to set goals and a timetable for affirmative action. . . . There are people out there who are qualified for jobs who have never been considered."

Ueberroth, who called on owners in December to hire more minorities, said in a brief statement: "I'm glad he took the time to meet with me. He had some excellent ideas and suggestions, and we will continue to be in touch as baseball develops an action plan."

Jackson, who is now considering

whether to run for president as he did in 1984, threw his Chicago-based Operation PUSH into the controversy over minority hiring in baseball earlier this month. The action was spurred by the racial remarks of Los Angeles Dodgers vice president Al Campanis, who later was forced to resign.

Campanis said on a national television news program that blacks may lack some of the "necessities" for jobs such as manager and general manager. Campanis had been invited on the show to discuss the significance of Jackie Robinson breaking baseball's color barrier in 1947.

"Baseball's owners must recognize that Al Campanis was an embarrassment to them all," Jackson said.

While an estimated 25 percent of all baseball players are black or Hispanic, there are no black managers, general managers or owners.

Jackson said any coalition for affirmative action should include other civil rights leaders, sports executives, minority athletes and other minorities involved in professional sports.

He said future meetings would determine goals. "The courts have indicated that such goals should be established according to population," Jackson said. He said goals

could be "monitored as jobs open up."

"We know there is attrition in that jobs will be available," Jackson said in a sidewalk news conference in front of the Park Avenue building that serves as baseball's headquarters.

"Owners must see the moral and cost effectiveness of affirmative action," he said.

While not ruling out a boycott of baseball as a tool to battle to open doors, he said it is not a "matter of discussion at this point."

He said that Hispanic women, as well as blacks, must be included in affirmative action programs.

"So much of the psychology of our nation is caught up in celebrating the country of such accomplishments as Joe Louis' victory over Max Baer in 1938, Jesse Owens' triumph at the 1936 Berlin Olympics and Robinson's entry into major leagues in 1947."

"Owners must know that these policies are immoral and unjust and that the broad base of people will not accept them," Jackson said. "But we need to act on the basis of threats."

Knicks fire head coach and GM

NEW YORK (AP) — The New York Knicks dismissed Coach Bob Hill and general manager Scotty Stirling Monday, in the wake of a 24-58 NBA season and a third straight last-place finish.

The announcement was made by Richard Evans, the new president of Madison Square Garden Corporation.

Hill, who had served as an assistant coach with the club, replaced Hubie Brown as head coach last Dec. 1 and posted a 20-46 record including six straight losses at the end of the season after the return of injured star forward Bernard King.

Stirling was hired Jan. 3, 1986, replacing former Knicks' star Dave DeBusschere as the team's front-office boss. The Knicks, however, continued to founder and Stirling was under fire for a number of his trades.

Since finishing third in 1983-84

and losing in a seven-game playoff to the eventual world champion Boston Celtics, the Knicks have been unable to escape the Atlantic Division cellar for three years. The team's record over those three seasons was 71-173.

Evans, who moved to the Garden from Radio City Music Hall on Jan. 1, said the decision on the changes had been made last week.

"Obviously, I have been assessing the team since I arrived at the beginning of January," he said. "And I know that no one particular situation caused it. I just felt that we were not headed in the right direction. It was a feeling on my part that we needed to start with a fresh slate."

Evans said he had no particular timetable for filling the positions or whether he would consider one man

for both jobs. He said he has started interviewing candidates.

"I'm not looking for a quick fix," he said. "I'm looking for a team in New York."

Prominently mentioned as possible replacements for Hill were Rick Pitino, who coached Providence College into the NCAA Final Four and is a former Knicks coach, and Larry Brown, coach of the Kansas City Chiefs and former coach in the NBA with the Denver Nuggets and New Jersey Nets.

"I wouldn't make the assumption that we will go after big names," Evans said.

"I thought Bob Hill, under extremely adverse conditions, did an admirable job. But I think we have to start from the beginning, from scratch. We need a fresh start in terms of coach and management."

Seko runs to victory in Boston Marathon

BOSTON (AP) — Japan's Toshiko Seko broke away from the pack going up Heartbreak Hill and won the Boston Marathon for the second time Monday in a slowly paced race featuring an elite field and marred by two accidents.

For the 30-year-old Seko, the winner in 1981, it was his eighth victory in his last nine marathons. But his time of 2 hours, 11 minutes, 50 seconds, was disappointing in view of the expected fast race.

Meanwhile, 1984 Olympic bronze medalist Rosa Mota, running the Boston Marathon for the first time, was the first women's finisher, clocking 2:25:21, the third-fastest ever by a woman in this race. She led all the way and never was threatened in posting her seventh victory in 10 marathons.

Seko's only marathon defeat since 1979, after he finished third in his first Boston Marathon, came in the 1984 Olympics at Los Angeles, where he finished 14th.

This victory was surprisingly easy, in view of the quality of the field, considered one of the best — if not the best — ever assembled in this 91st running of the Boston Marathon. It included defending champion Rob de Castella of Australia, ranked No. 2 in the world; Juma Ikangaa of Tan-

zania, ranked No. 1; Steve Jones of Wales, ranked No. 1 in 1985 and the second-fastest marathoner in history; Olympic silver medalist John Treacy of Ireland, and two-time Boston winner Geoff Smith of England.

But once Seko, the world's fourth-ranked marathoner, made his decisive surge at the "killer" point of the race with about six miles to go, he was in command. He won by 47 seconds over Jones, who clocked in at 2:12:37.

Smith wound up third in 2:12:42 and Dave Gordon of Eugene, Ore., was fourth in 2:13:30.

De Castella, finishing sixth, nearly met disaster at the outset.

Race officials were slow in getting the rope out of the way of the starters as the race was about to begin. De Castella tripped over the rope and tumbled, scraping his hands and knees. After rolling over and nearly getting trampled by the stampede of runners, he got up quickly and resumed running.

The other incident occurred shortly after the start of the wheelchair division, which began 15 minutes before the open competition. Four wheelchairs collided, knocking two of the competitors out of the race with minor abrasions.

Brewers win 13th straight to tie record

CHICAGO (AP) — Paul Molitor doubled in the tying run with two outs in the seventh and scored single by Robin Yount, leading Milwaukee Brewers to a 5-4 win over the Chicago White Sox, ending a major league record of 13 straight season-opening victories.

The Brewers, who equaled a mark of 13 in a row set by the Atlanta Braves in 1982, can break record against the White Sox Tuesday night.

Brewer starter Juan Nieves, going off a no-hitter, was knocked in the fifth when the Sox took a lead.

Ivan Calderon doubled in the Chicago fifth and came across on infield groundouts by Gene Fisk and Greg Walker. A double by Tim Lincecum, a walk to Fred McGriff and an error by Nieves on the bases, gave the Sox a 2-0 lead.

Guillen's ground ball filled the bases. Chuck Crim took over for Nieves and struck out Ron Karkovice in the inning.

But in the Milwaukee seventh, Schroeder drew a walk and runner B.J. Surhoff took second. Jim Gantner grounded out. Sveum also bounced out before Litor doubled in Surhoff with the tying run. Molitor then scored. Yount's bloop single.

Crim, 2-0, got the victory. Reliever Dan Plesac came on in the ninth to get his fifth save.

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