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Sunday, Oct. 8, 2000

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Mon., Oct. 9, 2000

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Mariners go two up on White Sox

CHICAGO (AP) — Seattle's bullpen bullied the Chicago White Sox again, pushed aside the majors' most potent offense and landed the road-tough Mariners a 2-0 lead in their division series.

Now the White Sox will try to avoid a sweep in Seattle when the series shifts to Safeco Field on Friday.

"We don't want to get in a slugfest match with the White Sox," Alex Rodriguez said Wednesday after Seattle's 5-2 victory. "I don't know if it's them struggling or we're making our pitches."

The win featured 3 1/3 hitless innings by Mariner relievers, a go-ahead homer by Jay Buhner and superb defensive play by Mark McLemore.

It all puts the White Sox, owners of the AL's best record, on the verge of an early exit.

"Right now, obviously, we're in some trouble," Chicago manager Jerry Manuel said. "I think if any team can do it, we can. We won 95 games and feel we can find a way to win three more."

But to have any chance of winning just one game, the White Sox must start hitting the ball, especially with runners in scoring position — they are just 3-for-23 in the first two games.

Seattle's bullpen has allowed just three hits in 10 scoreless innings over the first two games, starting with 6 2/3 innings of shutout ball in Tuesday's 7-4 victory.

Paul Abbott gave up five hits and two runs over 5 2/3 innings Wednesday to win in his first postseason appearance in a pro career that began in 1985.

Relievers Arthur Rhodes, Jose Mesa and Kazuhiko Sasaki did not allow a hit the rest of the way.

Sasaki struck out the side in the ninth for his second save of the series.

"The bullpen has been lights out," Abbott said. "You go out there and know you have three or four guys who are going to shut them down."

The White Sox stranded eight runners, giving them 18 in the first two games. Frank Thomas was 0-for-4 Wednesday and is hitless in seven series at-bats.

Chicago's 3-4-5 hitters — Thomas, Magglio Ordonez and Carlos Lee — were a combined 0-for-9 Wednesday after going 2-for-13 in the opener.

"We're not surprised. But we also know they could turn it on at any minute," Rhodes said. "I sense they are pressing somewhat. Obviously, what they need is a bloop hit and not a home run."

Manuel said of his floundering middle hitters, "It seems with all the fly balls and popups, we are probably going about it the wrong way. We should be hitting a few more ground balls and line drives."

clinging win at Anaheim last Sunday. And now they have carried it over into the postseason.

"We made it interesting and tough on ourselves down the stretch," Buhner said. Those games seem like playoffs games. Definitely that helped."

The White Sox have lost nine straight postseason home games since beating Los Angeles in Game 4 of the 1959 World Series.

Thomas, an MVP candidate who hit 43 home runs and drove in 143 runs during the season, came to with runners at first and second in the seventh inning against Mesa for the second out. Mesa deflected Ordonez's shot through the box, and McLemore made a spectacular diving stop.

He somehow flipped the ball to Rodriguez, who beating Jose Valentin in a close play for a force end another Chicago threat.

"That was the ballgame right there," Rodriguez said.

Buhner's 400-foot homer to left in the fourth losing pitcher Mike Siroka gave Seattle a 3-2 lead.

Appearing in his 56th postseason game, Rick Henderson manufactured a run for the Mariners the fifth. He walked, moved up on a sacrifice and stole third. He then scored on Rodriguez's slow ride to third as Herbert Perry elected to go to first instead of home.

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Championship and appearances in NCAA postseason tournaments — both are team accomplishments.

Personal accolades are not important to Wiebe, she said. The only thing she wants to do is help the team succeed.

"My only goal was to come in and start and play as hard as I can and make the people around me better," Wiebe said. "One of my goals was not to come in and be leading scorer or leading assister. I just wanted to come in and do whatever I could on the field that would have an impact."

Despite her lack of interest in personal awards, Wiebe has earned the Aggie Midfield MVP Award all three seasons she has played and has an Aggie career total of nine goals and six assists.

Wiebe said she is glad she chose to come to A&M — not just because of the soccer team, but because of the off-the-field experiences she is having.

"I try to excel in the classroom, because that's my number-one priority, even besides soccer," Wiebe said. "I've made tons of friendships. There are a lot of people on the team I hang out with all the time."

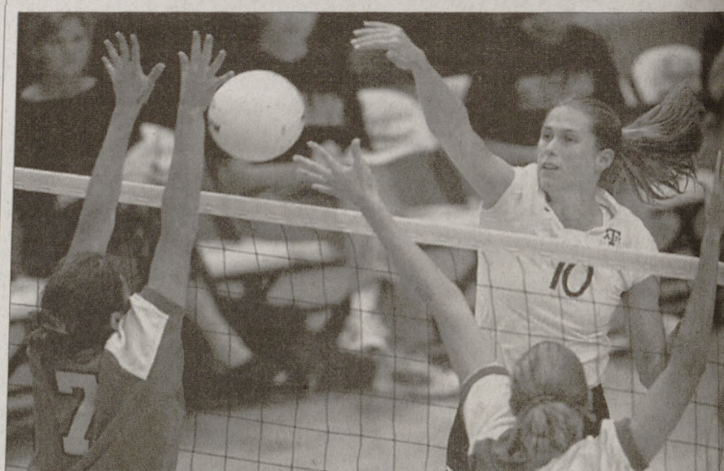
When not on the field or hitting the books, Wiebe spends her free time with clubs and service groups, such as Aggie Athletes Involved.

The community health major said she wants to attend physicians assistant school after graduation. She said she has not decided whether she will continue playing soccer after A&M, but she did decide that, no matter what she does, she will stay close to home.

"I want to stay," Wiebe said.

"My only goal was to come in and start and play as hard as I can and make the people around me better."

— Heather Wiebe
Aggie senior midfielder



CODY WAGES/THE BATTALION

Senior middle blocker Heather Marshall goes for a kill Wednesday

VOLLEYBALL

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A&M began to pull away with kills from freshman middle blocker Carol Price and freshman outside hitter Beth Skypala, but ISU managed to stay close behind.

After another ISU timeout, the Aggies increased their lead, then ended the game with a kill from Skypala.

Marshall said that it is sometimes difficult to get pumped up for a match against a less-skilled team.

"We went out there with a lot of

spirit tonight," she said. "It was a lot of fun. We were expected to win, we wanted to go out there and be overly excited after every play."

Corbelli said allowing the non-starters more playing time in games against teams like Iowa State will help them gain confidence and experience. "We're trying to find the combination now," she said. "Right now we're taking it one day at a time. Getting our younger players more playing time will definitely help."

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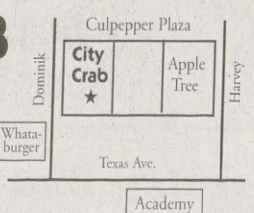
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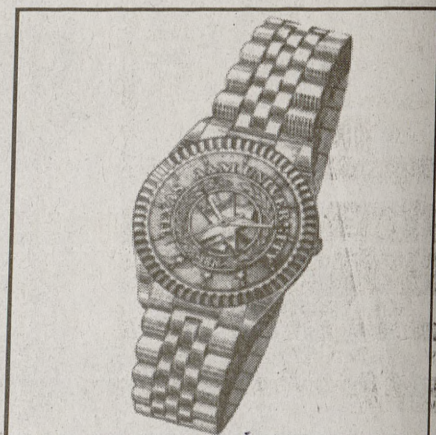
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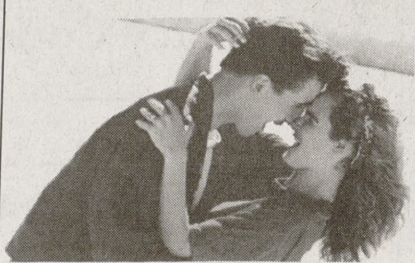
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