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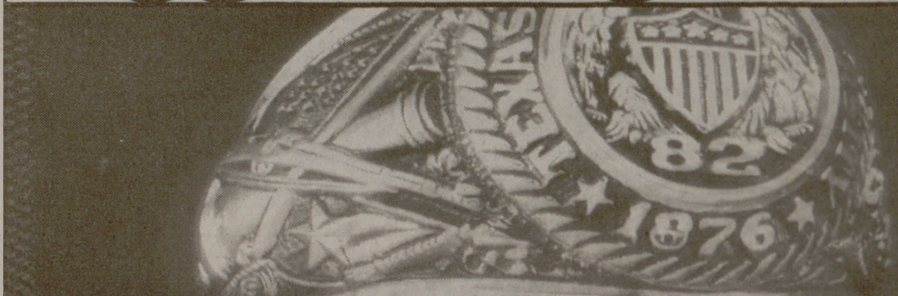
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Monday, September 17

Gabrielle heads out to sea after drenching Florida

MIAMI (AP) — Tropical Storm Gabrielle headed out to sea Saturday after a drenching, daylong passage across the Florida peninsula that at its peak left a half million homes and businesses in the dark.

Nearly 160,000 homes and businesses remained without power Saturday night. Utilities said they expected to have all service restored Sunday night.

At 11 p.m., Gabrielle was 150 miles south-southeast of Cape Fear, N.C., and was heading northeast at 14 mph. Winds had increased to 60 mph, but the rainbands had moved offshore.

"It's holding its own; it's not getting any weaker," said Stacy Stewart, a hurricane specialist at the National Hurricane Center.

"But other than some storm surge flooding, we don't see any threat to the United States mainland now that the system has moved off the Florida coast."

Gabrielle came ashore Friday morning with 70 mph winds. Several tornadoes caused some minor damage, and floating docks and sailboats broke loose and were damaged. More than 11 inches of rain fell in some areas.

Tropical storm warnings were dropped late Saturday for Florida and southern Georgia. Gale warnings extended north to Cape Hatteras, N.C.

Near Tampa, the Alafia and Little Manatee rivers were expected to crest several feet above flood stage before Sunday morning.

The heavy rainfall provided

relief from severe drought has plagued the state.

Randy Smith, a spokesman for the South Florida Management District, said the rainfall was directed into the ocean because areas were saturated.

"From a rainfall deficit, probably ended the drought," Smith said. "But if we stay in great shape and people back to using water happily, we'll be in trouble again in the dry season."

Out in the central Atlantic, Hurricane Felix was weakened by top winds of 100 mph. It had top winds of 610 miles southwest of Azores, a threat only because of its fast movement eastward at 18 mph.

Weekend box office sales remain solid

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Movie attendance remained strong this weekend despite the terrorist attacks on the United States, with a slate of new films nearly matching last weekend's box office returns, according to industry estimates Sunday.

The Keanu Reeves drama "Hardball," about an inner-city Little League team, opened at No. 1 with \$10.1 million.

That nearly equaled the swashbuckling adventure "The Musketeer," which debuted in the top spot last weekend with \$10.7 million.

This weekend, "The Musketeer" fell to third place with \$5.3 million. "The Glass House," a psychological thriller starring Leelee Sobieski, opened in second place with \$6.1 million.

"There was a great amount of fear and apprehension about how the box office would shake up, but it appears there was no negative effect," said Paul Dergarabedian, president of Exhibitor Relations Co. Inc., which tracks movie earnings.

September is usually a weak month for new films, and earning expectations were low for "Hardball" and "The Glass House" even before last week's attacks on New York and Washington and the crash of a hijacked airliner in Pennsylvania.

However, the weekend box office returns were about 42 percent higher than the same time last year, \$54.1 million compared to \$37.8 million, Dergarabedian said.

Movie theaters were relatively empty on Friday night, as many Americans watched news coverage or participated in a day of remembrance.

"But on Saturday, a lot of people pushed back out to go to the movies," said Rob Friedman, vice chairman of Paramount's motion picture group, which produced "Hardball." "A lot of people wanted an escape."

NEWS IN BRIEF

Bob Dylan critic modern music

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Bob Dylan says he cares less for modern music that is growing up today than he probably turned to mathematics and architecture instead.

"I know there are hundreds of thousands on the top of the charts, including a young man hailed as the saviors of rock and roll and all that, but they don't know where music comes from," Dylan wrote in the Los Angeles Times.

"I wouldn't even think of playing music if I was in these times," said Dylan in an interview that wouldn't even listen to the radio.

Dylan's new album, "Love and Theft," was released last week.

The musician won't discuss his race as Hitler fans during the 1960s.

Since then, he's fallen in and out of favor with critics and fans alike, but Dylan said he doesn't mind being bothered by negative press.

"You can't worry about things like that," Dylan said. "Miles Davis has been booted. Hank Williams was booted. Stravinsky was booted."

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