

SPORTS SCORES

Penguins seek first win tonight, 7C



By John Bazemore, AP

Braves' split: 22-7 in Atlanta, but 6-16 away.

No place like home for teams

Winning on the road hasn't been this hard since the 1931 season, 1C

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By Robert Deutsch, USA TODAY

Weisberger: Wrote Chasing Harry Winston.

Diamond life after 'Prada'

For her third novel, Lauren Weisberger dishes about two friends' quest for baubles in Manhattan, 1D

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Nation's gas gauge

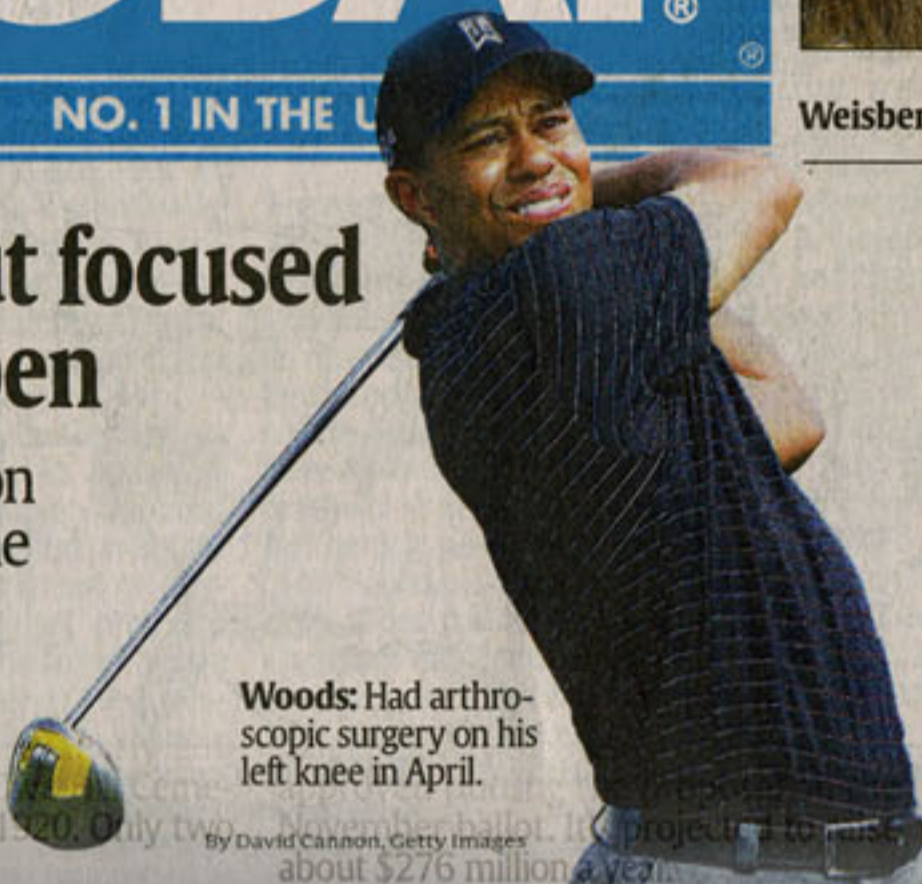
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Source: AAA.com; arrows show direction of prices from previous day

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Tiger rusty but focused on the U.S. Open

Woods says he's on schedule for mid-June major tournament; how swing strained his knee, 1, 9C



Woods: Had arthroscopic surgery on his left knee in April.

Housing market just gets

oms. The Oklahoma city identified 13,44 ed emergency room in a three-month pe 007. The agency esti \$8.3 million by keep emergency rooms b ns.

inville — A Yamhi indictment says Leo beer before a crash on Mother's Day that killed Carma Smith, 52, a mother of seven. Authorities said Zurita-Loeza had blood-alcohol content more than twice the legal limit. Immigration authorities placed him under a federal detainer because he is in the country illegally.

Pennsylvania: Philadelphia — The Philadelphia Parking Authority has cut costs and will transfer \$27.2 million to the city's general fund and schools. That \$6.6 million more than in the last fiscal year. Reports in The Philadelphia Inquirer and Daily News in 2007 had raised questions about the Parking Authority's lavish spending. The authority said it made cuts in salaries, consulting contracts, staffing and vehicle use. ... Allentown — Three Lehigh County hospitals are teaming up to try to bring more resources to the poor and those lacking insurance. Lehigh Valley, S. Luke's and Sacred Heart hospitals and some non-profit groups have gotten \$450,000 state grant for the effort.

energy conservation... rebates ranging from \$2 to more than \$14,000. The state previously paid schools' electricity bills no matter the cost.

Idaho: Boise — About 200 bicycles have been given away by a group formed last fall to supply refurbished bicycles to children, refugees, low-income families and the homeless. Jimmy Hallyburton and Brian Anderson, who started the Boise Bicycle Project, have a warehouse downtown with another 250 bikes to be given away. They also plan a non-profit cooperative shop where people can learn to repair their own bikes.

Illinois: Chicago — The state is renewing its Film Tax Credit, which Democratic Gov. Blagojevich said has helped increase the state's movie industry revenue dramatically. Since the 20% credit was enacted in 2003, revenue jumped about 80% between 2006 and 2007. He said the incentive means film crews

Louisiana: Belle Chasse — FEMA has set aside \$8 million to repair four marinas in Plaquemines Parish, a seafood hub whose commercial marinas remain in various states of ruin nearly three years after Hurricane Katrina. The money allocated by the Federal Emergency Management Agency will go toward marinas in Empire, Buras, Venice and Pointe à la Hache. Parish President Billy Nungesser hopes to have all the projects completed by early spring. ... Baton Rouge — Louisiana will dole out another \$80 million in business loans and grants for small companies struggling to recover from the 2005 hurricanes. It will be the second round from a pool of federal block grant aid.

Maine: Augusta — Sens. Susan Collins and Olympia Snowe introduced legislation to raise truck-weight limits on federal highways to help truckers offset the cost of diesel fuel. The GOP senators pro-

Mississippi: Jackson — A human case of the West Nile Virus has been reported in Forrest County, the third case of the mosquito-borne disease reported by state health officials this year. Earlier cases were in Lincoln and Madison counties. Health officials conduct statewide mosquito testing, with the most intensive surveillance during peak mosquito reproduction time — usually July, August and September.

Missouri: Kansas City — Private donations will keep the top of Kansas City's Liberty Memorial aglow until July 4. Officials at the National World War I Museum turned off the steam used to give the tower its glow after the city announced \$620,000 in recent budget cuts. Pioneer Services, a company providing financial services and education to military members and families, has donated \$5,000 to keep the glow going from Memorial Day to July Fourth.

New York: Albany — A state judge concluded that Dell Inc. engaged in repeated false and deceptive advertising of its promotional credit financing and warranties. Judge Joseph Teresi ordered the computer retailer to more clearly disclose that most customers don't qualify for free financing or get "next day" repair service. He gave Attorney General Andrew Cuomo until Dec. 1 to identify all consumer claims that might qualify for restitution. A company spokesman said Dell would continue to press its legal case. ... Poughkeepsie — A \$30 million project to turn an old Hudson River railroad bridge into a pedestrian bridge is officially underway. The abandoned Poughkeepsie-Highland Bridge was once the world's longest elevated railroad bridge. It was shut down after a fire in the mid-1970s.