Call Breyer ‘middle man’
Court pick has a pragmatic record
By Richard Coroll

WASHINGTON — Stephen G. Breyer, in style and substance, works hard to avoid controversy and confrontation — making him a good bet to become the nation’s 108th Supreme Court justice.

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**Agenda May 16 Monday**

19 school days remaining in spring quarter.

**Today’s Weather:** Patchy morning clouds; partly cloudy.

**Today’s high/low:** 66/42

**Tomorrow’s high/low:** 64/41

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**Today**

**Historical Presentation:** “Chicana,” U.U., 20:00, 11:30 a.m.

**ASI + Finance Committee meeting:** U.U., 220, 7 p.m.

**ASI + Board of Directors Workshop:** U.U., 220, 7 p.m.

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**Tuesday**

**County Gov. + Board of Supervisors meeting:** Board Chambers, County Government Center, 8:30 a.m.

**Teleplay + “Zeus Plays,” U.U., 20:00, 1:30 p.m.

**Forum + “Concerned for Our Safety: Issues of Student Safety on Campus,” U.U., 220, noon / 544-5286

**ASI + Outings Committee leadership workshop:** U.U., 204, 5:15 p.m.

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**Upcoming**

**Movie Screening + “Como Agua Para Chocolate,” May 18, Bob's Lounge, 6 p.m.

**WriterSpeak + Jane Hirshfield and Kim Addonizio, May 18, U.U., 204, 7 p.m.

**Theater Performance + Benefit previews of “Nunsense,” May 18 and 19, 682 Palm St., 8 p.m. / 543-0369

**Rally + “Tale Back the Night,” May 19, Chumash Auditorium, 6:30 p.m. / 756-2600

**Discorson + League of Women Voters on the June State Ballot, May 20, 944 San Adriano St., 9:30 a.m. / 543-2220

**Amnesty International + “Write-a-thon,” May 21, Linnaea’s Cafe, 1 p.m. / 543-7584

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**Breyer: Supreme Court pick upheld Massachusetts abortion consent law**

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The Court of Appeals in 1989 upheld a Massachusetts abortion law requiring young girls to get the consent of both parents or a judge’s permission before ending their pregnancies, Breyer dissented on narrow grounds.

His vote was criticized Friday by both sides in the abortion debate, the National Right to Life Committee and the National Abortion and Reproductive Rights Action League.

In another abortion-related case, Breyer’s view that the Bush administration could not ban abortion counseling at federally funded clinics eventually was reversed by the Supreme Court.

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**LOTTERY: June drawing will give many the chance to become American citizens**

Both Wright’s family and another family paid $100 per person to have a lawyer fill out the applications. She said the average cost is $150.

But Grungras said $150 is too much to spend on a lawyer for something this uncertain.

“Don’t need a lawyer to play (the Green Card lottery),” Grungras said. “The instructions have already been published by the Department of State, and you can get them. But if you go it alone, be sure to do it right.”

But Grungras said some people like the comfort of having a lawyer help them with the process.

“Although we thought it would be to our advantage to go through a lawyer,” Wright said. “It was relatively easy. We only had a couple general forms to fill out. But if you go it alone, be sure to do it right.”

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Wright wrote a lawyer help with her Green Card application, although a lawyer’s assistance is not necessary.

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Legislators begin budgeting

By Jennifer Kerr

SACRAMENTO — As much as they might want to procrastinate in an election year, the Legislature and Gov. Pete Wilson this week have to begin dealing with the state’s sickly budget.

The Assembly begins the public discussion Tuesday by voting on its spending alternative devised during more than two months of hearings by budget subcommittees. Unlike Wilson’s January budget proposal, the Assembly plan does not cut welfare benefits, raise community college fees or cut prenatal services to undocumented immigrants. It does cut prison spending.

Like the Republican governor’s $55 billion plan, the Assembly budget assumes the state will get $3.1 billion from the federal government, most of it in reimbursements for services for immigrants.

Wilson this week plans to issue his revised budget plan, known around the Capitol as the “May Revise,” with updated tax revenue and spending figures. But there is no indication Wilson will reduce that assumed federal largesse, even though nearly everyone acknowledges there is no way the state will get anywhere near that figure.

Assembly Speaker Willie Brown, D-San Francisco, said last week the Legislature should be able to pass a budget by the start of the 1994-95 fiscal year on July 1.

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What to do for the city's homeless?

By Rhonda Shank

The federal Pell Grant program is a large student grant program which provides a foundation of financial aid for needy students. The grants awarded can range up to $2,300 per academic year, with the money going to cover tuition, fees and supplies. It is a good program that assists low- and middle-income families with student aid.

Earlier this year, I applied for financial aid, but was turned down to receive aid from a Pell Grant even though my income, combined with my husband's, fell within the required range.

"First of all, I think maybe they should start asking the homeless people what they want as a solution. Or at least ask them what's causing this. It's hard to solve. I'm not sure there is anything to do. It can be helped, but I don't think it can be solved completely."

Many colleges that are near institutions offer extension programs to the inmates. The colleges that offer the extension programs are the ones that get paid. Meanwhile, inmates are the recipients of Pell Grants because the college gets paid regardless of who the aid goes to. Meanwhile, "Dateline" reports that approximately 27,000 inmates are being awarded Pell Grants while students are being turned down.

I believe there is a need to rehabilitate prisoners and offer them educational programs that teach basic academic and vocational skills. We should give them the self-confidence and knowledge enabling them to become productive members of society after their release. Most inmates that are educated while in prison generally do not revert back to lives of crime, leading to their return to serve more prison time.

Not long after this amendment was introduced, it was defeated — and prisoners retained their right to be awarded Pell Grants.

"Dateline" reports that approximately 27,000 inmates are being awarded Pell Grants while students are being turned down. If inmates were to no longer receive these grants, the money would be available for college students. I realize that 27,000 is just a drop in the bucket compared to the approximately 3 million students receiving Pell Grants. But should we be awarding murderers and armed robbers grants that they will never have to repay?"

"Law-abiding taxpayers should get first chance at the grants being awarded. Inmates should be offered low-interest loans like most college students, instead of receiving yet another free handout.

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Newfound fats take 30,000 lives annually

By Lourde Negron
Associated Press
WASHINGTON — A startling new report out of Harvard says a little-known type of fat that lurks in margarine and other processed foods could be responsible for 30,000 of the nation's annual heart disease deaths.

U.S. researchers last year reported that diets high in margarine, long touted as a healthy alternative to butter, and similar foods could double the risk of heart attack.

But an article in Monday's American Journal of Public Health goes even further, saying the trans fatty acids found in those foods are probably worse than saturated fat.

SUMMER: Fewer classes available again this year

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Sharp. "History 315, literature courses and introduction speech courses, with a little bit of time for senior projects."

Business Administration Department Secretary Jackie Hatch said her department gives its students a chance to indicate their class needs through a sign-up sheet. She said students usually get into the classes they want. "We are offering fewer, but larger, classes," she said.

Hatch said good planning is essential for students trying to avoid higher education costs. "Our students are planning better," she said. "They realized they were stuck for an extra quarter. Now parents are putting pressure on students to graduate sooner."

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remained scoreless until the fourth when the Roadrunners scored a single run to give them a 1-0 lead.
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SPRINTING INTO THE THIRD INNING, THE ROADRUNNERS CLINCHED THE 1-0 LEAD ON A SACRIFICE FLY FROM THE SHELVES OF MARK O'LEARY.

Bakersfield added two more runs in the top of the fifth.

Cal Poly scored its only run in the bottom of the fifth on an infield error.

Junior R.J. Simone went the distance on the mound for Cal Poly, yielding seven runs on 10 hits while walking four and fanning a pair. Simone (10-2) became the ninth Cal Poly pitcher ever to reach the 10-win plateau in a single season.

Due to space constraints, Brad Hamilton's column, No Goal, will appear later in the week.
Poly leaves CCAA as champions

By Tim Vincent

Cal Poly's baseball team chose the most direct route to a fourth consecutive California Collegiate Athletic Association title — a sweep of visiting Cal State Los Angeles.

The Mustangs (32-21, 19-11 CCAA) blew past the Golden Eagles in Friday's opener, 9-1, and completed the sweep with 9-7 and 3-0 wins Sunday.

Cal Poly shares the CCAA title with Cal State Dominguez Hills.

The Toros earned the conference's automatic playoff berth because of a 4-2 edge over the Mustangs in head-to-head competition.

The Mustangs are vying for an at-large berth into the Division II Regional playoffs and, if selected, will take on UC-Davis and Dominguez in a double-elimination, round-robin tournament this weekend. NCAA officials were meeting at press time to determine Cal Poly's qualifications for postseason play.

"Sometimes it takes having your back against the wall before a team can come together," Cal Poly Interim Head Coach Kent Agler said. "It was etched in stone that we had to sweep (to make the playoffs). A lot of credit goes to the team itself, overcoming injuries and other obstacles with probably the smallest squad in the country."

Sophomore Rob Croxall secured the Mustangs' share of the title with a complete game shutout of the Golden Eagles. Croxall (4-2) allowed nine hits over seven innings while walking and striking out a pair.

"I felt in command the whole game," Croxall said. "My arm was feeling kind of tired at the start of the game but became more relaxed the more I threw. I gained more confidence in the sixth and seventh innings."

According to Agler, Croxall remained his go-to guy throughout the game, even with runners reaching third base in the third through sixth innings.

"(Croxall's) the type of pitcher that gains confidence during tough situations," Agler said. "A couple of times he had the opportunity to pitch himself out of an inning, and he came through."

Croxall pitched a single run in the second inning on an error by Los Angeles' shortstop Randy Solari, allowing junior Rob Neal to score on senior Kevin Tucker's ground ball.

Senior Grant Munger, two for three at the plate, continued his dominance over Los Angeles pitching, adding a two-run double in the Mustangs' fourth-inning sweep to set up a 3-0 lead for Croxall.

"Our pitchers made it a lot easier for the rest of the team to concentrate on scoring runs," he added.

Sunday's opener, the Mustangs came back with four runs in the top of the first inning, including two on Munger's fourth home run of the season.

Munger, two for five with three RBIs in game two, added an RBI double in the Mustangs' four-run fifth inning. Junior Marc Towslee provided the Mustangs with a 3-0 lead against Solander in the ninth inning. The junior's two-run home run erased the Mustangs' 9-7 deficit.

"We really did play well (Saturday), but they're just a good team," Agler continued. "Everyone fought hard to the end, but came up a bit short."

Last year the Mustangs posted a 5-3 loss in the first round, forcing Cal Poly to rebound and win its next two matches to salvage fifth place.

This year, the Mustangs finished fourth after falling 5-1 to No. 2-ranked Rollins College ( Fla.) Sunday.

Friday, the Mustangs opened the tournament with a 5-3 win over this year's tournament host, Southwest Baptist University.

At press time, Lander had a 4-3 advantage over No. 3 Hampton University (Va.) in championship contest with two double matches unfinished.

Women's Tennis Division II National Champions:

University of North Florida's Adriana Inzunza defeated Beloit College's Stacy Moss, 6-4, 6-3, for the singles title Thursday. Lee Whitwell and Mary Hirt of Francis Marion University (S.C.) repeated as doubles champions with a 6-1, 7-5 victory Thursday over Ana Gluhovic and Denise Valente of Grand Canyon University.

North Florida won the team National Championship over No. 5 with a 5-0 blanking of Cal Poly Pomona.

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Track can't ground Golden Eagles

By Jolene Witten

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The Cal Poly men's track and field team had a conference title streak capped at four Saturday in its final California Collegiate Athletic Association Championship meet.

The women's team added to its string of second-place finishes in the meet, which Cal Poly hosted. The women's team was outscored by Cal State Bakersfield 144-94 in the meet, allowing Cal State Bakersfield to take its third straight title with 206 points.

Highlighting the two-day event was six first place finishes for the men and three for the women.

Senior Coley Cardasalee rallied for both his first places in the 800 (2:01.15) and 1,500-meters (4:36.11) as he came from behind in the 800 and was almost beaten in the 1,500.

"I led the race for three laps (in the 1,500) and I was a little tired," Cardasalee said. "I needed that little spark to get me going."

The spark Cardasalee talked about came from Cal State Bakersfield's Erick McBride. The Roadrunner passed Cardasalee around the last corner of the last lap, but Cardasalee quickly took his lead back to cross the finish line first.

"It was a great day for me, and I was proud of the whole team," Cardasalee said. "I feel we did a lot better than the box scores will show, and it was a real good end for the season."

Other top finishers were Ryan Winn in the 5,000-meters (15:02.8) and the steeplechase (9:32.3), Bret Whitford in the pole vault (17-04.5) and Darren Garcia in the decathlon (5,819 points).

Taking first for the women were Angela Orlino in the 10,000-meters (37:57.01), Donie Korbel in the heptathlon (4,684 points) and Allison Elliot in the javelin (139-09.0).

"The kids did an extra good job and competed to the best of their natural ability," Johnson said. "But in this sport speed kills, and I blame myself for not attracting the kind of speed that it takes to win."