World

Saudi Arabia arranges cease-fire in Lebanon — Syria and Lebanon announced Sunday night they have agreed to a cease-fire planned by Saudi Arabia. The deal should bring an end to the month of fighting near Beirut and prepare ground for a national conference to discuss Lebanese problems. The United States government said the cease-fire is "a first step" in bringing a stable government to Lebanon. Rival factions continued fighting, despite the announcement of the agreement, in an apparent effort to attain the best positions before the cease-fire takes effect midnight Sunday.

IRA terrorists escape from Belfast prison — Thirty-eight Irish nationalists escaped Sunday from the maximum security Maze Prison in Belfast, Northern Ireland. The escapees killed one guard and injured five others during the gun battle and hand-to-hand fighting which led to the breakout. British authorities reported the recapture by nightfall of 10 or 11 of the convicts.

Government troops battle demonstrators in Philippines — Crowds of anti-government demonstrators were beaten back by more than a thousand troops Fridays as they attempted to march on the presidential palace. The protests came only a day after President Marcos warned that he would take "extreme measures" against further rioting. Other demonstrations last week left 11 dead and 200 injured.

Nation

Senate committee backs war powers resolution — The Senate Foreign Relations Committee approved Friday a resolution endorsed by the Reagan administration that authorizes deployment of US Marines in Lebanon for an additional 18 months, but reduced the time to six months. The resolution passed by a vote of nine to seven, indicating it may have trouble passing both houses this week.

Local

Angulo pleads innocent to racketeering charges — US District Court Magistrate Lawrence F. Cohen entered an innocent plea Friday on behalf of the alleged organized crime leader Genmare J. Angulo, indicted last week. The defendant said he is seeking to hire attorney F. Lee Bailey, with whom he had planned to meet yesterday.

Sports

Australia II takes America's Cup — Australia II ended 132 years of American monopoly on the America's Cup yesterday, beating the American vessel Liberty to win the best-of-seven competition four matches to three. The Australians won the deciding race by just 41 seconds.

Patriots steal one from Pittsburgh — The New England Patriots registered a 28-23 victory Sunday over the Pittsburgh Steelers at Three Rivers Stadium. The Patriots scored four touchdowns to stay in the game, despite Franco Harris' 106 yards rushing which moved him into second place on the all-time NFL rushing list.

Weather

Sunny skies through Friday — Pleasant weather should stay here for the rest of the week. Partly to mostly sunny skies today and Wednesday, with temperatures between 72 and 76. Thursday and Friday will be dry and warmer.