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Health care waits  
can be long,  
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**LOCAL:**  
Police say slaying  
not a hate crime  
on evidence,  
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**Stairway to . . .** The Chinese Acrobats perform one of their extraordinary exhibits of agility at Canada's Wonderland yesterday. They are scheduled to perform three shows a day until Aug. 5.