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### Ex-Veritas execs sued

The U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission sued five former Veritas Software Corp. executives for their roles in an alleged accounting fraud at the storage-software maker. Two former executives agreed to pay a total of \$278,700 to settle claims they helped manipulate earnings, the SEC said in a lawsuit filed at U.S. District Court in San Francisco Monday. The suit is pending against ex-CEO Mark Leslie, ex-finance chief Kenneth Lonchar and another former executive.

— Bloomberg News Service

### T-bill rates

Interest rates on short-term Treasury bills were mixed in Monday's auction, with three-month bills rising to the highest level in more than two months while six-month bills were unchanged. The Treasury Department auctioned \$15 billion in three-month bills at a discount rate of 4.790 percent, up from 4.685 percent last week. Another \$14 billion in six-month bills was auctioned at a discount rate of 4.810 percent, the same as last week. Separately, the Federal Reserve said Monday that the average yield for one-year Treasury bills edged down to 4.94 percent last week from 4.95 percent the previous week.

— Associated Press

### Quickly

Debra Costner has purchased Bay

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Area BusinessWoman News from Anna Marks, who founded the free Oakland-based monthly in 1993. Costner was formerly finance and operations director of Yoga Journal. Terms of the purchase were not disclosed. - Berkeley-based Seva Foundation, a humanitarian organization whose programs include ones to prevent blindness and restore sight to people around the world, has named Mark Lancaster as its

executive director. Lancaster previously served as board chairman for Heifer International. - Pacific Service Credit Union has a new in-branch referral program available only at its Pleasant Hill branch in which members of the credit union will get \$25 each time a person they refer joins up. - Colliers International's Oakland office represented both the tenant and the landlord when San Leandro-based deli salad manufacturer Will's Family Favorites leased nearly 15,000 feet of space in that city. Also, Colliers represented both sides when Prologix rented space in Hayward's Bay Center I Business Park, and when Connect TV leased space in San Leandro. - Eugene, Ore.-based The Pape Group bought the assets of trucking company Central California Kenworth, including its locations in Stockton, Fresno, Bakersfield, Paso Robles and Madera. The new company will be called Pape Trucks.

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