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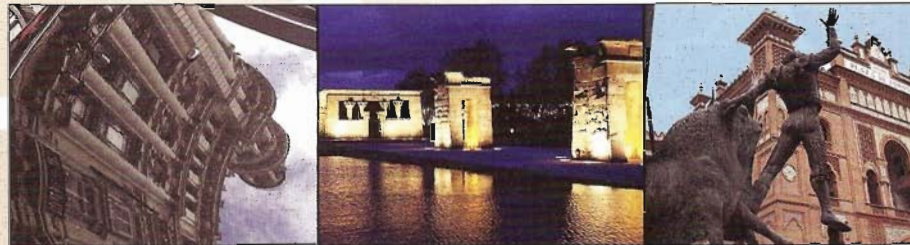
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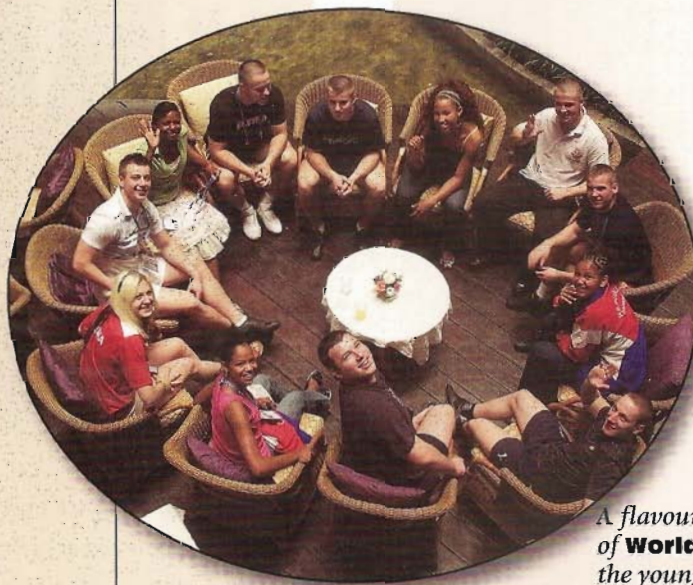
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the young weightlifters of the
world unite at the 1st YWWC
in ChiangMai*

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