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While the students were away ...
A UI senior was shot in the hand and the Vine went up for sale **3A**

The Daily Iowan

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Victims were dead before S. Van Buren blast

■ A March 19 explosion in a student apartment continues to be a mystery.

By Steven Cook
The Daily Iowan

Two women who were found in an apartment gutted by an explosion on March 19 were dead prior to the blast, investigators said Sunday.

Firefighters were called to 427 S. Van Buren St., Apt. 4, shortly after 12:30 p.m. on March 19 because of an explosion and fire at the six-unit apartment complex.

The blaze was contained to the sec-

ond-floor apartment and was extinguished within 10 minutes, the Fire Department said. Once inside the apartment, firefighters found the bodies of the two women, one near the door and one farther inside.

The three UI stu-

dents who are leasing the apartment, sophomores Matt Schalk and Keith Bentley and junior Andy Furber, were out of town at the time.

Investigators identified one of the two women on March 20 as Laura Watson-Dalton, 29, of Creston, Iowa. As of Sunday night, authorities did not know the identity of the second woman.

Injuries to the two bodies were not caused by the blast, police concluded Sunday, following autopsies, and the



Watson-Dalton

two women were dead prior to the explosion, police said.

"The deaths were not an accident," police Lt. Richard Wyss said.

Wyss, however, would not rule out that the fire and explosion were accidental. Mid-America Energy checked for gas leaks on March 19; the results of its tests were not released.

As the case unfolded over the weekend, investigators found several more pieces of the bizarre puzzle: The apartment's tenants say no one else has access to it and that they don't know the women who died there. There is also evidence that someone had been in the apartment for several days and that some items appear to have been stolen, investigators said.

Schalk and Bentley said this weekend that no one other than the tenants had keys to the apartment and it was securely locked on March 12, when they left for Spring Break. They also said they did not know Watson-Dalton.

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2 gymnasts to fight suspension

■ As controversy swirls around the women's team, Coach Diane DeMarco suddenly resigns.

By Greg Wallace
The Daily Iowan

As two UI women gymnasts say they will fight their punishment, their coach feels it is time for her to move on.

Seniors Christine Roselli and Shrutika Sulkar, who were kicked off the women's gymnastics team on March 12, said they will appeal the punishment. Their plan comes in the wake of the surprising resignation on March 16 of women's gymnastics Coach Diane DeMarco, a 19-year veteran.

"We've decided to appeal, and we are going through the appeal process," Roselli said. "We've sent a letter, and our parents are talking to Dr. Grant."

Christine Grant, the women's athletics director, and the Women's Athletics Department will handle the appeal of the two gymnasts, whose punishment stems from their attendance in late February at two parties at which alcohol was served.

Nine gymnasts were under investigation by the department for the incidents. Four gymnasts were hit with some degree of disciplinary action, five others under suspicion were allowed to return to the team; they began practicing again on March 15.

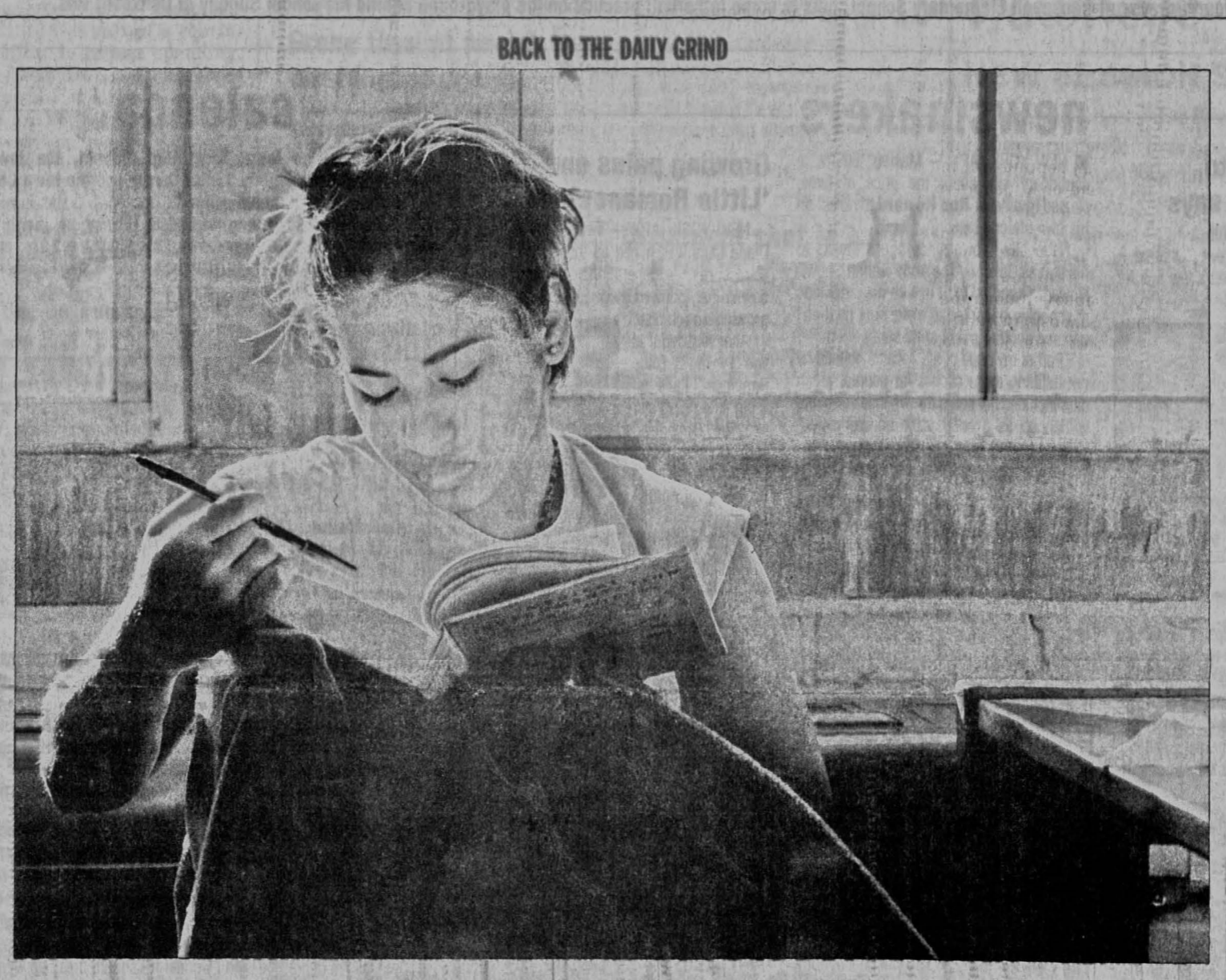
Roselli and Sulkar, who had been previous offenders of the UI gymnastics team's alcohol policy when they were freshmen, had their scholarships revoked.

Courtney Burke and Angie Hungerford, who are both team captains, were suspended from the team for the rest of the season for their attendance at the parties.

Burke feels that she received a harsher punishment because of her status as a captain and leader.

"I think I understand when they gave

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Students sing the post-Spring Break blues

■ With the home stretch of the semester approaching, it might be tough for many to gear up.

By Mike Standaert
The Daily Iowan

Those feeling a little lethargic after waking up this morning and wishing Spring Break weren't over won't be alone.

Coming back from a week in which they partied, traveled and did practically everything but study, UI students now must get back into the

daily grind of the last half of the spring semester — just when the weather is turning nicer and the sun is shining more.

"I'm exhausted," said first-year medical student Jon Greenberg, who spent his break in his hometown of San Diego, Calif. Greenberg caught the red-eye flight out of San Diego at 11 p.m. on March 20 and didn't arrive in Iowa City until 10 a.m. Sunday.

"I tried to sleep a little bit on the flight, but that's hard to do," he said. "The flight attendants kept yelling 'Hey, put your seat up' at me."

Along with the travel time students had to deal with in their return to Iowa City, they may also have to adjust the odd hours they kept to get back into their regular sleep and study patterns.

"Just with the change of waking up at noon everyday and having to get back into the circadian sleep rhythm now," Greenberg said. "It will take a few days getting used to."

Vilia Sauerberg, a professor in Counselor Education who deals mostly with graduate students, said

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Kelly Etzel/
The Daily Iowan

Picking a sunny spot in the library helped UI senior Shrutika Sulkar get back into studying mode Sunday after Spring Break. "Today I needed to put myself inside," Sulkar said of her strategy for studying.

Friends mourn student killed in cycle crash

■ A UI student is remembered after his death in a motorcycle accident near the Main Library last week.

By Zack Kucharski
The Daily Iowan

Family and friends of a UI student who was killed in a motorcycle accident on March 19 described him as "loyal, trustworthy and understanding" and said they are shocked by his sudden death.

Huy Hong Mai, 24, died as a result of injuries suffered in a collision on South Madison Street near the Main Library on March 19, according to police reports.

"I saw him everyday, and we did many things together. I don't think that I'll ever forget our time together," said Quoc Hoang Bao Mai, the victim's brother. "Everybody loves him; just watching him made us laugh. It has all happened way too fast."

Mai worked as a phlebotomist at the UI Hospitals and Clinics and was a member of the Vietnamese Student Association and Army National Guard. He was admitted to UI College of Dentistry and would have started there in the fall.

At approximately 2:45 p.m. on March 19, according to police reports, Mai was riding a Honda 600 motorcycle southbound on South Madison Street. An oncoming Nissan Sentra, driven by Katharine Guthrie, 40, was attempting to turn west onto the access drive of the Main Library, police said.

Monique Jones, who said she witnessed the accident, said Mai braked to avoid hitting Guthrie's car, which caused his motorcycle to slide sideways. Guthrie then attempted to accelerate onto the access drive in order to avoid the crash, Jones said.

"She tried to 'V' away from him but it didn't work," she said. "She didn't stop before making the turn. The first stop she made was when she hit him."

Mai could not stop his motorcycle in time and hit the Sentra. Upon impact, he was thrown several feet into northbound pedestrians on the sidewalk near the library, Jones said.

"I ran down there to see if he was OK. I took off his glove and held his hand," she said. "He was in need. I wanted to give him a piece of my life, something that would say, 'Don't leave; you aren't alone.'"

Mai was wearing a helmet, which remained on his head the entire time, Jones said. Police said the investigation of the accident is still ongoing.

Speed was not the cause of the crash.

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Michael Caulfield/Associated Press
Actress Gwyneth Paltrow won the award for best actress at the 71st Annual Academy Awards Sunday.

An Academy Award by any name would smell as sweet

■ "Shakespeare in Love" takes Best Picture, out-dueling "Saving Private Ryan," while Steven Spielberg wins for Best Director.

By Bob Thomas
Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — "Shakespeare in Love" had the will Sunday night, as the Miramax movie bested early favorite — and winning director Steven Spielberg's — "Saving Private Ryan" for Best Picture in the Academy Awards presentations.

Gwyneth Paltrow won the best

actress Oscar Sunday for her role as the object of the young Bard's affections in "Shakespeare in Love." Roberto Benigni, as an Italian Jew shielding his son from the horrors of the Holocaust in "Life is Beautiful," became the first star of a foreign film to win the best actor prize.

"I don't feel very deserving of this in your presence," a sobbing Paltrow said, naming her fellow nominees.

With the best picture award still to come, "Shakespeare" had six Oscars and "Saving Private Ryan" five, while "Life is Beautiful" had three. After last year's 11-Oscar blowout by "Titanic," the movie crowd seemed to welcome a

real race this year.

The tragi-comic "Life is Beautiful," which Benigni also wrote and directed, won additional Academy Awards for foreign film and dramatic score.

"This is a terrible mistake because I used up all my English," he said, as he leapt to the stage for the second time.

Judi Dench, who played the imperious but fair-minded Queen Elizabeth I in "Shakespeare in Love," and James Coburn, the alcoholic, abusive father in "Affliction," won best supporting Oscars.

"Saving Private Ryan," Spielberg's bloody depiction of World War II com-

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Kosovars flee Serb army

LIKOVAC, Yugoslavia — Thousands of Kosovo Albanians fled a Yugoslav army offensive Sunday that has spurred a last-ditch U.S. mission to convince President Slobodan Milosevic that NATO attack threats are serious.

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Michigan State moves on to Final Four

Three No. 1 seeds and one of the best turnaround stories in college basketball history are headed for St. Petersburg, Fla., and the 61st Final Four.

Top-ranked Duke, Connecticut and Michigan State were among the favorites to get there since the preseason poll had them ranked Nos. 1, 2 and 5. Ohio State, coming off an 8-22 season, didn't even crack the Top 25 until January but went on to earn a No. 4 seeding in the NCAA tournament.



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Kosovars flee Serb attack

Richard Holbrooke goes back to Belgrade in an 11th-hour attempt to avert NATO air strikes.

By George Jahn
Associated Press

LIKOVAC, Yugoslavia — Thousands of Kosovo Albanians, some clutching no more than a blanket, fled a Yugoslav army offensive Sunday that has spurred a last-ditch U.S. mission to persuade President Slobodan Milosevic that NATO attack threats are serious.

On the second straight day of army attacks on Kosovo rebel strongholds, Washington dispatched senior envoy Richard Holbrooke to meet with the Yugoslav leader.

With NATO moving closer to long-threatened air strikes, U.S. National Security Adviser Sandy Berger said the Holbrooke mission would be a "final effort for peace."

Holbrooke will be accompanied to the Yugoslav capital by the U.S.,



Santiago Lyon/Associated Press

Ethnic Albanian refugees flee fighting in the Drenica region of Kosovo, Yugoslavia, Sunday as they make their way by foot towards Glogovac, some 15 miles west of Pristina.

European and Russian mediators who participated in last week's failed Paris peace talks. Before arriving in Belgrade, Holbrooke was to stop in Brussels, Belgium, to confer with NATO Secretary-General Javier Solana.

Holbrooke hopes to meet tonight with Milosevic. Air strikes are likely to follow if the talks end with Milosevic defiant on two counts: continuing to refuse a Kosovo peace plan and persisting in pressing an offensive against outgunned Kosovo rebels.

Solana consulted with allies on air-strike plans Sunday; an alliance official said military

action could be launched "in the very near future."

The official, speaking on condition of anonymity, said the warning time for NATO military forces to attack has been reduced from 48 hours to just a few hours.

European leaders united Sunday in their call for Milosevic to stop the violence and accept the Kosovo peace agreement or face a NATO air attack.

"We are ready to do it, and President Milosevic should not misunderstand that," British Foreign Secretary Robin Cook told the British Broadcasting Corp. Sunday.

Ex-hostage sues Iran for captivity

The Iowa State graduate was held in Lebanon for six years; he accuses Iran of sponsoring his captors.

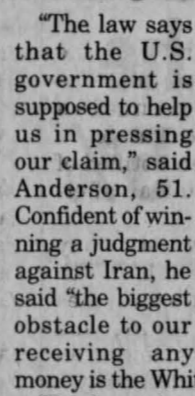
By Arlene Levinson
Associated Press

ATHENS, Ohio — Terry Anderson is set to sue Iran for \$100 million for the six-plus years that the former Associated Press correspondent was held hostage, shackled and blindfolded, in Lebanon. The lawsuit accuses Iran of having sponsored his captors.

The lawsuit, which is to be filed today, is also likely to become a challenge to the U.S. government. The Clinton administration has thwarted plaintiffs in similar lawsuits from collecting millions of dollars that have been awarded by U.S. courts, even though the damage claims are against countries the State Department labels as sponsors of terrorism.

In October, the president issued a blanket waiver of a requirement that federal agencies help obtain that money.

"Much of our argument is likely to be with the U.S. government, rather than the Iranian government," Anderson said in an interview at his home approximately 10 miles outside Athens, where he teaches journalism at Ohio University.



Anderson

"The law says that the U.S. government is supposed to help us in pressing our claim," said Anderson, 51. Confident of winning a judgment against Iran, he said "the biggest obstacle to our receiving any money is the White House."

The lawsuit, to be filed in U.S. District Court in Washington, also names as plaintiffs Anderson's wife, Madeleine Bassil, 49, and their daughter, Sulome, who seek redress for emotional distress and their long separation from Anderson.

Sulome, 13, was born three months after her father, then AP chief Middle East correspondent, was taken captive in Beirut on March 16, 1985, as he returned from a morning tennis game.

Held longer than any other American in Lebanon, he was freed

2,454 days later — Dec. 4, 1991. The family is seeking \$100 million in compensatory damages and unspecified punitive damages.

Named as defendants are the Islamic Republic of Iran and its Ministry of Information and Security.

The lawsuit says Anderson's captors were members of Hezbollah, or Party of God, "a politico-paramilitary terrorist organization operating in Lebanon." It says Iran is the party's sponsor, "providing it with funding, direction and training for its terrorist activities in Lebanon."

It says that, as a hostage, Anderson was fed a poor diet, was beaten, taunted and humiliated, was regularly threatened with death and falsely promised release, heard his fellow captives beaten and one die, and grew so depressed he beat his head against a wall until he bled.

Iran's U.N. ambassador, Seyed Mohammad Hadi Nejad Hosseini, denied on March 19 that Iran had supported the hostage-takers, saying U.S. courts have no jurisdiction over foreign countries.

Two go 'round the world in record-setting 20 days

Two balloonists end a "grandiose" trip in Egypt's Western Desert, becoming the first to circle the globe.

By Mort Rosenblum
Associated Press

MUT, Egypt — Bertrand Piccard, a Swiss psychiatrist, and his British co-pilot, Brian Jones, set their globe-circling balloon down on a remote Egyptian landscape Sunday, linking the high-tech dreamers with a civilization 5,000 years old.

"Up there, it was grandiose,

absolutely grandiose," Piccard said with a smile, suggesting that was not the half of it. Several times he stopped trying to find words and fought back tears. Jones beamed at his side, nodding happily.

"We are so grateful for that invisible hand that guided us all the way, making the right things happen when they were supposed to," Piccard said.

Together they conquered the last great challenge of the air, floating more than 26,000 miles in their Breitling Orbiter 3. They crossed the "finish line" over Mauritania at 3:54 a.m. CST on March 20.

At the end, strong winds over Libya boosted them to 39,600 feet and carried them on to a landing in Egypt.

Jules Verne fantasized about the exploit in his novel "Five Weeks in a Balloon." But Piccard and Jones did it in fewer than three, combining space-age technology with the oldest of human motivations: guts and a quest for glory.

They carried amid their scant baggage a copy of "A Life," by Guy de Maupassant, who dedicated it to Verne. It had been in Verne's personal library.

"To think that that book had been handled and read by Jules Verne,

and we had it with us, too, to read — it was wonderful," Piccard said.

Jean Verne, great-grandson of the 19th century novelist, said he loaned the book to Piccard to bring the balloonist luck.

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Potential health catastrophes loom inside Capitol

Dangerous conditions, few worker protections are found in the Capitol.

By Larry Margasak
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Now committed to following the laws it imposes on the rest of America, Congress is finding its own workplace so fraught with danger and carelessness that inspectors have worried about a "potential catastrophe," records show.

Digging into the bowels of the Capitol and other congressional buildings, new inspectors named by lawmakers to protect employees' safety discovered Congress'

maintenance workers had the highest accident rate in the entire government.

A year's worth of inspections of the Capitol grounds found plenty of hazards. Inspectors reported how:

—Congressional workers risked blood-transmitted diseases by digging through contaminated trash without protective clothing.

—One building contained high concentrations of the bacteria that cause Legionnaires' disease.

—Recalcitrant officials had to be issued federal citations before they moved flammable liquids stored near exposed electrical wires and in other dangerous places.

The Office of Compliance inspec-

tors issued a scathing report last November on the work of the 2,000-employee Capitol Architect's Office, responsible for upkeep of the Capitol, eight congressional office buildings, the Library of Congress, the Supreme Court and the power plant that supplies cooling and heating to congressional buildings.

"Overall ... protections for employee health and safety fall far below those that prevail in private companies and government agencies that have good safety programs," that report concluded.

The Architect's Office says it is just beginning to change a culture of neglect on Capitol Hill.

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POLICE

Oliver Brandis, 23, 514 S. Lucas St., was charged with disorderly conduct and public intoxication at 100 S. Dubuque St. on March 21 at 1:15 a.m.

Mathias R. Miller, 21, 627 Orchard Court, was charged with possession of an open container, public intoxication and disorderly conduct at 630 S. Capitol St. on March 21 at 3 a.m.

Dennis W. Shea, 19, 700 N. Dubuque St. Apt. 105, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Sports Column, 12 S. Dubuque St., on March 20 at 11:55 p.m.

Gweneth A. Robbins, 19, 1325 N. High Point Road, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age and unlawful use of a driver's license at the Sports Column on March 20 at 11:55 p.m.

Anna M. Hernandez, 18, 711 First Ave., was charged with obstructing prosecution at 2012 Taylor Drive on March 21 at 12:05 a.m.

Melissa S. Weggen, 18, Muscatine, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar, 111 E. College St., on March 21 at 1 a.m.

Autumn G. Bradley, 18, Coralville, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar on March 21 at 1 a.m.

Nikolas D. Sharar, 19, Muscatine, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar on March 21 at 1 a.m.

Ryan J. Knapp, 18, Burge Residence Hall Room 1306, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar on March 21 at midnight.

Sarah E. Maly, 19, Slater Residence Hall Room 635, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Sports Column on March 21 at 12:15 a.m.

Darcy Yeomans, 22, 306 S. Lucas St., was charged with having a dog at large at the intersection of Lucas and Burlington streets on March 19 at 10:40 p.m.

Paula M. Heitzman, 18, 1001 College Drive Apt. B206, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age and unlawful use of a driver's license at the Sports Column on March 21 at 12:20 a.m.

Michelle M. Ernst, 18, address unknown, was charged with unlawful use of a driver's license and possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Sports Column on March 21 at 12:20 a.m.

Joseph L. Steggall, 20, Coralville, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age and unlawful use of a driver's license at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar on March 21 at 1:05 a.m.

Angela M. Cook, 19, Marion, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar on March 21 at 1:05 a.m.

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charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar on March 21 at 1:05 a.m.

Jeffrey R. Molle, 20, Wapello, Iowa, was charged with public intoxication at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar on March 21 at 12:16 a.m.

Trevor G. Burke, 25, 106 Amhurst St., was charged with public intoxication at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar on March 21 at 1:30 a.m.

Jason L. Hefer-Decoteau, 21, Hiawatha, Iowa, was charged with public intoxication at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar on March 21 at 1:21 a.m.

Oscar G. Perales, 19, Muscatine, was charged with public intoxication at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar on March 21 at 1:30 a.m.

Mark A. Hopkins, 26, Albia, Iowa, was charged with public intoxication and disorderly conduct at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar on March 21 at 1:50 a.m.

Shad M. Griffin, 25, Albia, Iowa, was charged with public intoxication at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar on March 21 at 1:50 a.m.

Anthony R. Guyer, 20, 1529 Prairie Du Chien Road, was charged with public intoxication at 427 S. Van Buren St. on March 21 at 3:54 a.m.

Renee R. Breitweiser, 21, 220 Lafayette St. Apt. 205, was charged with fifth-degree criminal mischief at 115 N. Dubuque St. Apt. H on March 21 at 4:45 a.m.

Matthew Streets, 21, 115 N. Dubuque St. Apt. H, was charged with possession of a schedule I controlled substance at 115 N. Dubuque St. Apt. H on March 21 at 4:45 a.m.

Ahmed N. Shans, 18, 630 S. Capitol St. Apt. 405, was charged with disorderly conduct and public intoxication at 630 S. Capitol St. Apt. 405 on March 21 at 3:28 a.m.

James T. Setaro, 21, 627 Orchard Court, was charged with disorderly conduct and public intoxication at 630 S. Capitol St. on March 21 at 3:30 a.m.

Ty J. Reed, 22, 632 S. Dodge St. Apt. 3, was charged with obstructing officers at the First Avenue Club, 1550 S. First Ave., on March 21 at 1:23 a.m.

Trevor K. Sheeley, 21, Cedar Rapids, was charged with operating while intoxicated at the intersection of Dubuque and Bloomington streets on March 19 at 12:37 a.m.

Nathan F. Sytsma, 18, North Liberty, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age and operating while intoxicated at the intersection of Burlington and Van Buren streets on March 19 at 3:22 a.m.

Christopher R. Lux, 18, North Liberty, was charged with operating while intoxicated at the intersection of Dubuque Street and Park Road on March 19 at 2:02 a.m.

Sherri L. Henderson, 39, 1100 Arthur St.

Apt. 4, was charged with second-degree robbery at Hy-Vee, 812 S. First Ave., on March 11.

Shawn J. Borland, 23, 2501 Clearwater Court, was charged with possession of a schedule I controlled substance with intent to deliver and attempted murder at the Alexis Park Inn, 1165 S. Riverside Drive.

Jeremy M. Becker, 20, Wellman, Iowa, was charged with driving under suspension at the intersection of Burlington and Dodge streets on March 19 at 6:35 p.m.

Jose O. Ranos, 30, West Liberty, was charged with operating while intoxicated (second offense) and driving under suspension at the intersection of Arthur and Wayne streets on March 19 at 11:12 p.m.

Mike Richards, 49, 1825 High St., was charged with having a dog at large at the intersection of Sixth Avenue and F Street on March 19 at 11 a.m.

Jesse Brecht, 15, Tiffin, was charged with fifth-degree theft at Von Maur, Sycamore Mall, on March 19 at 12:50 p.m.

Jennifer M. Larson, 30, 914 S. Dodge St., was charged with littering and public intoxication at 10 S. Dubuque St. on March 19 at 11:40 p.m.

Angelia J. Dow, 18, Slater Residence Hall Room 1021, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Sports Column on March 19 at 11:30 p.m.

Brooke M. Behning, 18, Slater Residence Hall Room 1021, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Sports Column on March 19 at 11:30 p.m.

Kristen L. Smith, 19, Slater Residence Hall Room 1019, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Sports Column on March 19 at 11:30 p.m.

Amanda L. Disterhoft, 18, Slater Residence Hall Room 1041, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Sports Column on March 19 at 11:30 p.m.

Joe Ramirez, 20, Muscatine, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar on March 19 at 1:05 a.m.

Josh M. Blowker, 22, Cedar Falls, was charged with public intoxication and possession of a schedule I controlled substance at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar on March 20 at 1:05 a.m.

Jamie R. Clasen, 19, Lamotte, Iowa, was charged with public intoxication and possession of alcohol under the legal age at One-Eyed Jakes, 181 1/2 S. Clinton St., on March 20 at 12:10 a.m.

Marc L. Rebal, 20, Solon, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age and unlawful use of a driver's license at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar on March 20 at 12:45 a.m.

Audra Kaefering-Wood, 15, 1204 Wylde Green Road, was charged with public intoxication and burglary at the intersection of Aber Avenue and Sunset Street on March 20 at 3:55 a.m.

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Drive, was charged with public intoxication and burglary at the intersection of Aber Avenue and Sunset Street on March 20 at 3:55 a.m.

Jason A. Rowe, 23, Coralville, was charged with public intoxication, interference with official acts and disorderly conduct at 800 E. College St. on March 20 at 6:50 a.m.

Barbie J. Thatcher, 20, 2401 Highway 6 Apt. 4604 was charged with driving under suspension at the intersection of Muscatine Avenue and Spruce Street on March 20 at 3:14 p.m.

Angie J. Horack, 31, 339 W. Benton St., was charged with driving under suspension at the intersection of Highway 6 and Benton Street on March 20 at 5:29 p.m.

Robert C. Hale, 28, 620 S. Johnson St. Apt. 2, was charged with disorderly conduct and possession of a schedule I controlled sub-

stance at 620 S. Johnson St. Apt. 2 on March 20 at 8:47 p.m.

Steven M. Luke, 28, 620 S. Johnson St. Apt. 2, was charged with obstruction of officers, disorderly conduct and possession of a schedule I controlled substance at 620 S. Johnson St. Apt. 2 on March 20 at 8:47 p.m.

Brian J. Gardner, 20, Cedar Rapids, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar on March 20 at 11:50 p.m.

Jennifer M. Carr, 20, Dubuque, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Sports Column on March 20 at 11:50 p.m.

Jennifer R. Beischner, 20, Milwaukee, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at Happy Joe's, 225 S. Gilbert St., on March 20 at 9:10 p.m.

— compiled by Zack Kucharski

Source: Boswell to back Gore

DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) — Vice President Al Gore, continuing to pick up backing from the Democratic Party's establishment, will get U.S. Rep. Leonard Boswell's endorsement on Monday, a Democratic source said Sunday.

Gore is scheduled to campaign in Ames and Des Moines on Monday and will collect Boswell's formal endorsement during that swing, said the source, who spoke on condition of anonymity.


In recent weeks, Gore has clearly stepped up his campaign activity in Iowa, where leadoff precinct caucuses launch the presidential nominating season. He's formed an exploratory committee looking to the Democratic presidential nomination, and is considered certain to run with a formal announcement later.

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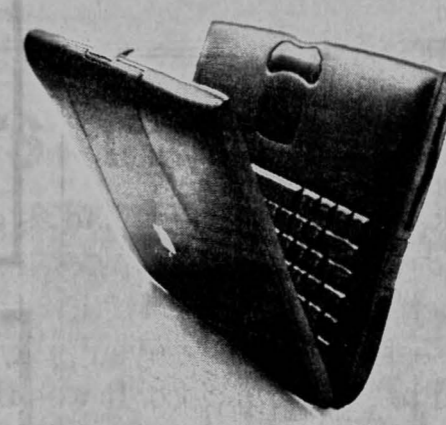
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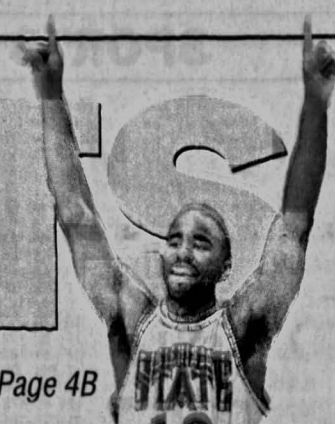


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1999 NCAA WRESTLING CHAMPIONSHIPS

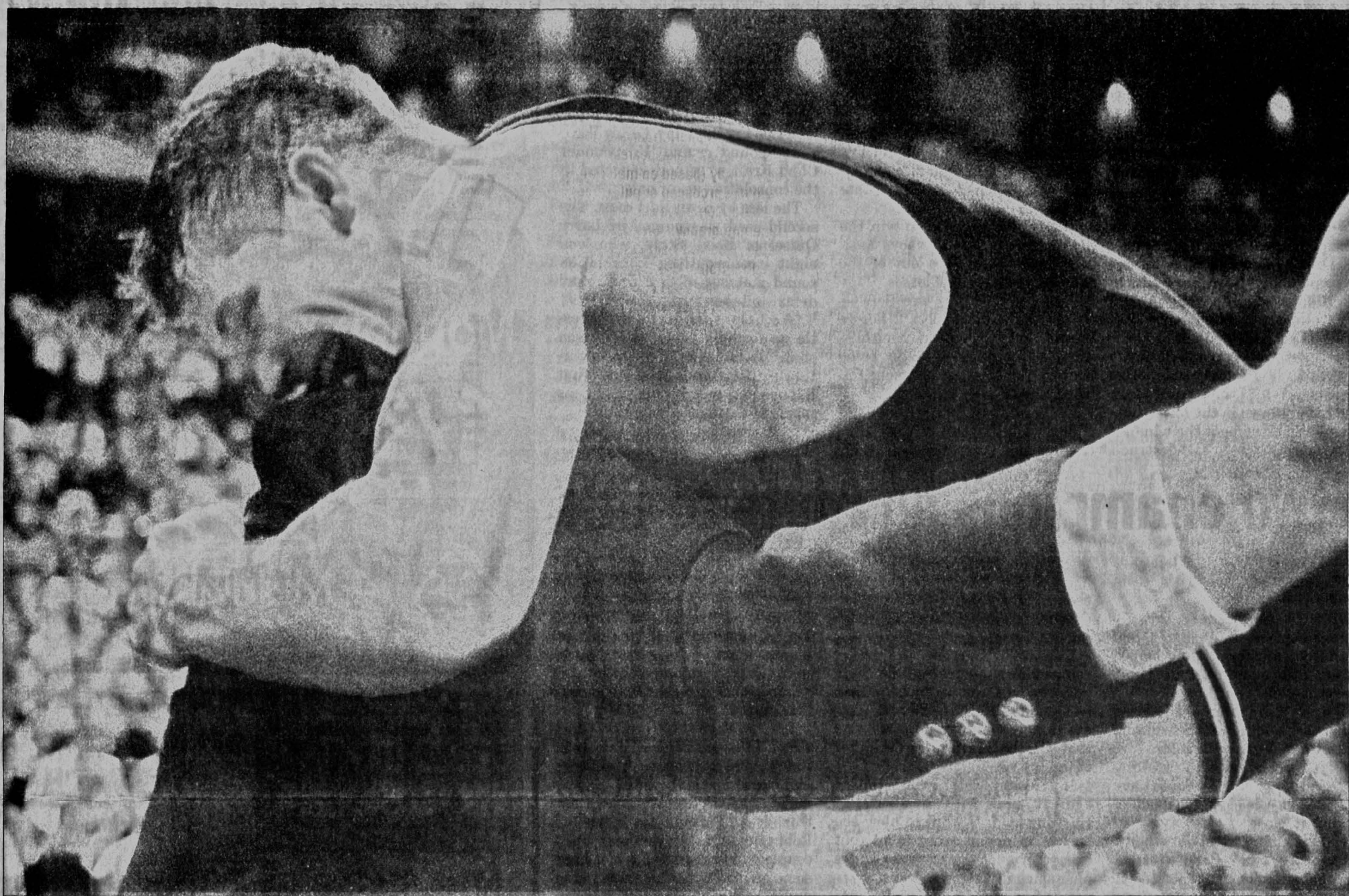
Against All Odds



Iowa 100.5



Minnesota 98.5



Iowa coach Jim Zalesky hugs sophomore Doug Schwab after Schwab won the 141-pound NCAA championship Saturday against Oklahoma's Michael Lightner.

Brett Roseman/The Daily Iowan

Hawkeyes surprise by winning fifth straight NCAA championship

By Tony Wirt
The Daily Iowan

STATE COLLEGE, Pa. — One streak ended for the Iowa wrestling team this season, but the one the Hawkeyes care about remains.

After failing in their bid for a 26th consecutive Big Ten conference championship, the Hawkeyes got redemption by capturing their fifth straight NCAA championship Saturday night in the Bryce Jordan Center on the campus of Penn State University.

"This is the one to win," Iowa coach Jim Zalesky said of the national meet.

"This is the one that makes you feel good or bad about yourself — and I feel pretty good."

Iowa crowned two individual champions and scored 100.5 points, narrowly edging out Big Ten champion Minnesota, which took second with 98.5.

T.J. Williams and Doug Schwab each won their first individual titles Saturday night, but the Hawkeyes' most valuable wrestler may have been Cal-State Bakersfield heavyweight Stephen Neal.

Going into the heavyweight finals, Iowa held a two-point lead over Minnesota, which was sending junior Brock Lesnar against Neal. A Lesnar win would have given the title to Minnesota, but Neal captured his second national title and the Hawkeyes' 19th team title.

"I was really nervous during that bout," Schwab said. "Neal was part of our team for that match."

Neal was more than happy to help out the Hawkeyes.

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NEWS ANALYSIS/TONY WIRT

Five big reasons why Hawkeye wrestling is once again No. 1 in the nation

Iowa dug deep and once again went home on top of the wrestling world.

STATE COLLEGE, Pa. — It's been said before about Iowa national titles, but this one really wasn't supposed to happen.

After losing their first Big Ten Title in 26 years, the Hawkeyes were supposed to politely bow out to the new kid on the block, Minnesota, or sit back and watch Oklahoma State take everyone behind the woodshed.

They were supposed to be happy with T.J. Williams being the only individual champion, and admit that this was a rebuilding year.

But the Hawkeye magic lives on. Like every other year in recent memory, Iowa dug deep and somehow went home on top of the heap.

It wasn't easy, but Jim Zalesky and his team did it. A lot of things con-

tributed to the continued Hawkeye dominance, but four things stand out in particular.

Bonus points
The Hawkeyes got a lot of bonus points from their five All-Americans, with 149-pound champion Williams leading the way with a pin and two major decisions.

Doug Schwab (141), Lee Fullhart

(197) and Eric Juergens (133) each scored two major decisions, and Jamie Heidt (157) won by injury default in his first-round match to go with a major decision.

Ben Uker (165) also picked up some huge bonus points for the Hawkeyes after it looked like he may have cost

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IOWA MEN'S BASKETBALL

Alford appears to have foot in the door

Southwest Missouri State coach Steve Alford is the favorite to replace Tom Davis.

By James Kramer
The Daily Iowan

All signs point to Southwest Missouri State coach Steve Alford taking over the Iowa men's basketball program, but there is still some uncertainty.

Alford, 34, took his 12th-seeded Bears to the Sweet 16 in the East Regional of the NCAA tournament, where they were defeated by No. 1 Duke. That effort added to Alford's already impressive credentials as a young coach, and Iowa appears to be interested.

Alford confirmed over the weekend that he has been interviewed by Iowa and said he is interested in the Hawkeyes' coaching job, vacated by 13-year coach Tom Davis after Iowa lost last week in the Sweet 16 of the West Regional.

The former Indiana All-American told reporters he was "99 percent" sure he would coach either the Bears or the



Southwest Missouri State coach Steve Alford, left, jokes with his dad, assistant Sam Alford, on March 18. Steve is rumored to be Iowa's replacement for Tom Davis.

Hawkeyes next season, but said there are other teams showing interest. "Within the next 72 hours, there have to be a lot of decisions made," Alford said.

See ALFORD, Page 2B

Iowa's Davis departs in the national spotlight

With Iowa's Sweet Sixteen loss to Connecticut, the Hawkeye career of Tom Davis came to an end.

By Megan Manfull
The Daily Iowan

PHOENIX — No one has walked slower to an airplane than Iowa men's basketball coach Tom Davis did last Friday.

Eleven hours after coaching his final game for Iowa, Davis stood off the runway of the Phoenix airport, slowly moving toward the Trans World Airlines charter.

The 60-year-old coach was holding a



Brian Ray/The Daily Iowan
Iowa coach Tom Davis reacts to a referees call against UConn.

black duffel bag and looking around while the rest of the team boarded. The night before, his 13th and final Iowa team had lost in the Sweet 16 to first-seeded Connecticut. That morn-

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TELEVISION

Main Event

The Event: Women's NCAA Tournament, Iowa State vs. Georgia, 6:30 p.m., ESPN2.
The Skinny: Led by former Hawkeye Stacy Fresse, the Cyclones will look to reach their first Final Four in school history. First, they have to get past Georgia.



Women's College Basketball

6 p.m. East Final, Tennessee vs. Duke, ESPN.
 8 p.m. Midwest Final, Purdue vs. Rutgers, ESPN.

Tennis

Noon Lipton Championships, ESPN.

NBA

7 p.m. Hawks at Knicks, TBS.

QUOTABLE

"I'm back ... I'm here to stay. I had to get away. I didn't know if I wanted to play basketball. People have to understand that this is me. Just let me do what I've got to do and everything will be all right."

— Los Angeles forward Dennis Rodman, who returned to the Lakers on Saturday night

SCOREBOARD

NBA

L.A. Lakers	115	Detroit	104
Orlando	104	Utah	101
Chicago	95	Cleveland	88
Boston	92	New Jersey	85
Toronto	85	Charlotte	94
New York	81	Milwaukee	87
L.A. Clippers	100	Denver	102
Minnesota	85	Seattle	98

NHL

Portland	91	See standings, Page 2B	
Philadelphia	75		
Calgary	2	Boston	4
N.Y. Islanders	1	Washington	1
Pittsburgh	2	Dallas	3
N.Y. Rangers	2	Carolina	2
Philadelphia	5	Phoenix	4
Detroit	4	Los Angeles	1
Chicago	4	Florida	5
Colorado	3	Anaheim	2



SPORTS

NBA GLANCE

Table with columns for Eastern Conference, Western Conference, and NBA Glance. Rows include team names, wins, losses, and percentages.

Sunday's Games

L.A. Lakers 115, Orlando 104
Chicago 85, Boston 52, OT
Toronto 85, New York 81, OT
L.A. Clippers 100, Minnesota 85

NHL GLANCE

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WEEKEND TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
CLEVELAND INDIANS—Assigned RHP Paul Wagner to their minor-league camp.
DETROIT TIGERS—Optioned 3B Gabe Alvarez and LHP Will Brinson to Toledo of the International League.

Calgary at Edmonton, 8 p.m.
Tuesday's Games
Buffalo at New Jersey, 6:30 p.m.
Chicago at Pittsburgh, 8:30 p.m.
Dallas at Phoenix, 8 p.m.

HOUSTON ASTROS—Assigned RHP Jose Cabrera, RHP Jeff McCurry, RHP Brian Powell, RHP Bob Scanlan, INF Casey Candaele and INF Carlos Hernandez to their minor-league camp.

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Juergens' ability to 'fight back' one reason Iowa won

ANALYSIS Continued from Page 1B his team crucial points by not advancing in the championship round.

In the consolation semifinals, Juergens was put on his back in the first period against Stan Greene of Fresno State and quickly faced a 5-0 deficit.

While Iowa did a lot to help itself out, the Hawkeyes also got a lot of help from a few other teams — most notably, the Oklahoma State Cowboys.

Gophers also suffered two other losses on the final day. LeRoy Vega, a 125-pounder, and 157-pounder Chad Kraft were both defeated in the consolation semifinals.

Iowa crowns two champions en route to title

NCAA CHAMPIONS Continued from Page 1B "I was getting pumped up from the Iowa crowd," Neal said. "I had to give them a little (Iowa 133-pounder) Eric Juergens impression by throwing my arms up."

over UNI's Tony Davis. That gave Iowa a six-point lead in the team standings. Williams wrestled tentatively throughout most of the match, and a penalty point for stalling helped Davis tie the bout at 3-3 with only 34 seconds left.

for a point, but Hartung converted a takedown with 35 seconds left, then rode out the rest of the time, erasing the riding time and securing a 2-1 win.

While Iowa was having a fair amount of success on Saturday, the Golden Gophers were struggling. Minnesota's first finalist, Brandon Eggum, was defeated in the 184-pound finals by Iowa State freshman Cael Sanderson, who was named the meet's Outstanding Wrestler.

Sweet Sixteen birth gives Alford's stock a boost

ALFORD Continued from Page 1B "UI men's athletics director Bob Bowsby and UI vice president of university relations Ann Rhodes, who oversees the athletics department, could not be reached for comment Sunday evening."

as to which way he might be leaning. That interview took place prior to the Bears' exit from the tournament.

he said the Iowa package would double his current salary. But Alford has apparently not been officially offered the Iowa job.

would not comment on that report. Others mentioned as possible candidates have included Fran Fraschilla (former St. John's coach), Bob Bender (Washington coach), Rick Majerus (Utah coach), Skip Prosser (Xavier coach) and B.J. Armstrong (NBA player).

Dr. Tom unsure about future coaching plans

DAVIS Continued from Page 1B ing, he taped his final television show alongside the pool at the Airport Hilton.

and he remained on the final step, looking at the mountains. Maybe he was thinking about the office in Carver-Hawkeye Arena that he no longer inhabited.

There's slim chance it ever will. Davis' legacy as a class act was heightened by a throng of media followers and supporters in Denver and Phoenix.

front pages of numerous sports sections and was one of SportsCenter's cover stories. He remained patient with the endless inquiries, maybe because he knew everything was going to come a halt soon.

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NCAA WRESTLING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Iowa's Williams completes perfect season

Iowa sophomore T.J. Williams faced a familiar opponent in Saturday's finals.

By Mike Kelly
The Daily Iowan

STATE COLLEGE, Pa. - To complete his undefeated season at 149 pounds Saturday, Iowa sophomore T.J. Williams was forced to defeat a familiar foe.

He did just that, defeating former high school teammate Tony Davis of Northern Iowa, 4-2.

Williams and Davis were both Illinois state champions at Mt. Carmel High School in Chicago. Williams, the heavier of the two, won four state titles to Davis' two.

"I told him after the match that I still loved him," Williams said. "We are still friends and I think he knows that."

"We both have improved in the same areas. He has gotten better since high school, but the overall style is the same."

The victory capped off an impressive championship run for Williams, as he breezed through his five matches without suffering a takedown.

"T.J. is a guy that has been steady for us all year," Iowa coach Jim Zalesky said. "When you win all the time like he has, there is some added pressure, but T.J. rose to the challenge."

Because he was going up against his former teammate, Williams

said preparation for the match was a little harder than usual.

"I had to listen to Gable and all the coaches and they helped me stay focused," Williams said.

Williams' victory marks the fourth year in a row someone in his family is a national champion. His brother Joe won three national titles from 1996-98.

No mercy

After North Carolina heavyweight Matt Kinney defeated Wes Hand, Kinney was forced to face defending NCAA Champion Stephen Neal of Fresno State.

Instead of trying to dethrone the defending champ, Kinney elected to default after one second of the match in order to save his energy for the consolation round. This didn't sit well with Neal.

"Just let me pin you," Neal said to Kinney. "I won't get you tired, but I am going for the record for the most pins and need this one."

As it turns out, Kinney's default did not effect any records. Neal had two pins which were not close to the record of five.

Unlikely supporters

At the NCAA Championships, fan allegiance changed as many times as the lead did.

During his semi-final upset of Minnesota's Chad Kraft, Penn State's Clint Musser found a new fan base. Iowa fans cheered along side the home-town Nittany Lion

fans, but Musser wasn't impressed.

"I could care less about the Iowa fans," Musser, an All-American at 157 lb. said. "Our crowd is good enough, I still have the chills from that."

Bad Public Relations

Iowa's Lee Fullhart finally talked to the media after his semi-final victory Friday night. He was forced to participate in a post-match press conference and Fullhart was forced to break a year-long media silence.

Fullhart did not complain about talking at the press-conference, rather he complained about the way he was rushed to the interview room and forced to talk as soon as his match was over.

"It was a total lack of respect for the athletes - I was still on the mat when they were all over me," Fullhart said. "I am here to wrestle, not entertain some circus."

TV coverage (or lack there of)

There was no live coverage of this year's tournament. ESPN showed the championship matches on tape delay last night at 12:30 am. Among the programs ESPN has filled that time slot with in the past week are a World's Strongest Man competition, skate boarding, and women's billiards.

When the broadcast times were announced to the sellout crowd at the Bryce Jordan Center, they were met with a loud chorus of boos.

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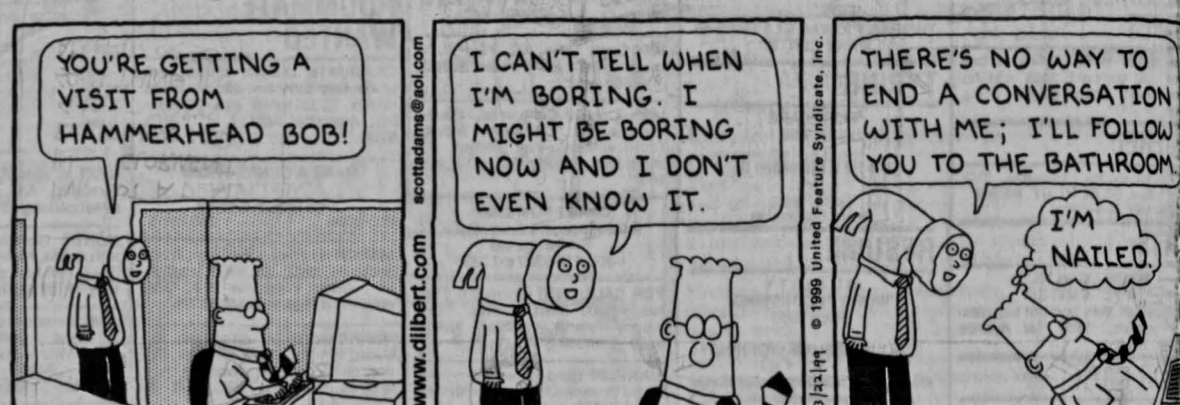
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